### **Gold Wing Road Riders Association**

### CHAPTER IL-G NEWS

**ILLINOIS DISTRICT** 







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#### From the Directors Chair



March is going by so fast! Sorry the newsletter is late this month. "Life" happens, even to Chapter Directors!

It was a quite February as Winter seems to slow us down in activities and the Old Man Winter decided to make his appearance. But time never stands still and we anticipate Spring is coming!



SR Chapter Director, Mary Adams

Many new activities are coming up and with this in mind, please remember, you are not required to attend everything. Attend what you can and even when you can't please encourage others to still go.

GWRRA doesn't create negativity, we tend to do this. If riding for the sake of riding is not your thing, don't go. If attending game night is not your thing, don't go —but please encourage others to go.

We will try to shake up our ride schedule this year to include some new ideas for rides and to encourage other Chapters to join us. We have a couple Multi Chapter rides in the works. Bob A. is working a new idea for our Chapter overnight ride. We are talking about a multi chapter picnic and we already choose to combine our Christmas party for the end of the year. Change isn't always a bad idea as long as it a change for a better atmosphere for our Chapter not for just the sake of change.

Positive attitude is our goal for a better year and I already see this among our members. Thank you for your ideas and I hope we can keep up the great work we have already started!

### Co-rider miles 2019—00:(

We are still looking for someone to take over the Chapter as according to GWRRA guidelines, this is not a position I should be holding along with the District Director Position. Feel free to email me for details and paperwork.

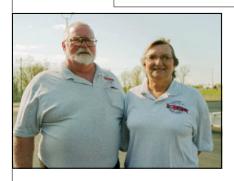


### CHAPTER G GATHERS

EAT at 6:00 & SOCIAL at 7:00 P M Second Wednesday each month

Pizza Ranch 3900 E. LINCOLNWAY STERLING, IL

### RIDER EDUCATION



District Ride Educator Steve & Jeanine Brungard



The lastest I have Steve Brungard is that the Rider Courses in Vandalia are full.

He is still looking to fill the Northern Illinois Safety Weekend Courses and the MFA/CPR.

All forms are on the Illinois District Website and can be sent to straight to him.

Dates for the Northern Safety Weekend are Saturday May 4th and Sunday May 5th.

### Chapter G Game Night



Friday March 29th will be our Chapter G Game Night.

We will start it off with a Potluck dinner and Co-Rider Seminar given by Dan Davis.

I hope we can fill the house for this evening, everyone is invited to join! This might be our last indoor activity as Spring is just around the corner. Can feel Spring in the air yet?







### Chapter Ride Coordinator Bob Adams



It's the first of March and the weather is not really warm yet, But it will be soon.

We got together has a Chapter a week back and put some of our Ride Schedule together. We will have our normal rides that we usually do, plus we'll have another weekend overnight ride. I thing we'll be going to South Western Illinois this time. Our first ride this year might be going to "Meet the Chapters" in Pontiac in April. Hopefully we'll have warm weather by then. We have our Spaghetti dinner Sat March 9 in Polo at Noon.

Check the Chapter Website for all the upcoming rides for the month of March.



### Witticisms from the: Assistant Chapter Director Matt Shore



What stays where it is when it goes off?

I am an instrument that you can hear, but you cannot touch or see me. What am I?

I am the beginning of the end, the end of every place, the beginning of eternity, the end of time and space. What am I?

I am red, blue, purple and green. No one can reach me, not even the queen.

What am I?

Bring your answers to the April Chapter Meeting.





Chapter IL-G News

We had our first MAP appearance in the public for this year. The Chapter G along with guests from Iowa O met at Dusty's in Thomson, IL for supper. Pamphlets were passed out to two young ladies. They commented they had friends that rode motorcycle and were glad to see us as a group having so much fun. A great meal was enjoyed and fellowship was plentiful. Go to the District Website and you can get the list for the MAP locations. This summer will be fun finding all the County Seats. Also don't forget about the bonus'.

Hope the winter ends soon and we can start riding!!!





Duane & Barb Imel
Chapter G Motorist Awareness Coordinators



# This year's MAP Fun Run will be the Counties & County Seats (Courthouses) in

Stephenson- Freeport LaSalle—Ottawa Whiteside—Morrison Lee- Dixon Winnebago—Rockford Ogle—Oregon

DeKalb –Sycamore Boone—Belvidere Henry—Cambridge Bureau—Princeton JoDavis—Galena Carroll—Mt. Carroll



### Membership Enhancement Coordinator Linda Davis



Hope everyone is staying warm in this crazy weather. It has been awhile since we have had a true Illinois winter, and we have definitely got spoiled. When I think back, this was a typical winter. I do believe it makes a difference as you get older. This will make us appreciate it all the more when we get warm weather again. I know everyone is getting anxious to ride, and hopefully that will be soon. Have a safe and healthy month of March.

BRING TO THE APRIL MEETING. YOU MAY WIN SOMETHING!

St Patrick's Day	
1. NALYBRE	_
2. HACRM	
3. ERAEMLD	
4. IGJ	
5. LENDIAR	_
6. CKIRTPA	_
7. AITSN	
8. HSIW	
9. MAHSOKCR	
10. EAADPR	_
11. FURO ADELEF VCOLRE	
12. TOP FO LGDO	
13. HIADLOY	
14. IHISR	
15. LKCUY	
16. OBWINRA	
17. SEEETNVNE	
18. CMHAR	-
19. LUPCENHERA	
20. GNERE	

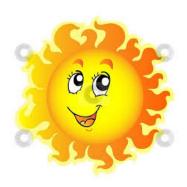
Chapter G is looking for a newsletter editor and a webmaster. Both jobs do require time.

Neither jobs are hard.

If you are interested in this position please let me know.



Sunshine Lady Margie Shore





Our
Christmas Money tree
now has \$30.00

**Chapter Birthdays** 

March None



50/50 Winners

Dawn Fredin Mary Adams Linda Sue Davis **Anniversaries** 

18th Gary & Denise Warner

\$25 Game Gift Card Winner

**Dawn Fredin** 

**Membership Number Drawing** 

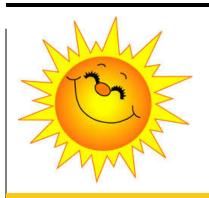
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**GW Join Dates** 

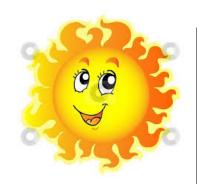
3/23/00 Lee Micheals







Sunshine Lady
Margie Shore



## A Little Sunshine Recipe for those Cold Days

Sunshine Foods By: Margie Shore





2-3 peeled, sliced & divided 12 oz. pkg. or 1 lb. of cooked ham, cubed & divided

2 cups shredded cheddar cheese divided10 oz. can of celery soup or mushroom soup

1 small onion, chopped & divided

Spray inside of crock pot with non-stick cooking spray
Layer half of each: potatoes, ham, onion and cheese
Repeat twice
Spread soup, mixed with 1/2 cup water over the top.
Cover and let cook on low for 6-8 hours until tender.
Makes 4-6 servings.



If i manage to Survive the rest of the week, I would like my straight jacket in hot pink & my helmet to sparkle. Other Chapter Socials To attend

Tuesday March. 4th

Chapter H2 Galesburg

Monday March. 10th

Chapter DK N. Aurora

Saturday March. 8th

IA Chapter O Davenport

Wednesday March 20th

Chapter R

Peru

Thursday March 21st

Chapter C2 Freeport

Sunday March 24th

Chapter Z Metamora

**Tuesday March 26th** 

Chapter L Rockford

### Ride-Events Info/Hotline UPDATE

Please consult this number before attending any Chapter Ride/Event for possible changes.

Bob Adams 815-535-6576 adamsbm1@comcast.net

> Be sure to get your Meet the Chapter Cards Signed each time you visit a Chapter.

You can collect 6 per card.

1 card per person.

### Ride Schedule

### March

Friday 22nd Dinner & Ice Cream, Union Dairy

Freeport, 6:00 p.m.

Saturday 23rd Iowa Chapter O Dinner, Windmill

East Moline, 4 p.m.

Friday 29th Chapter G 5th Friday Game Night

Adams Home, 6:00p.m.

Potluck Dinner, Drinks will be provided Co-Rider Seminar presented by Dan Davis

### **April**

Friday 5th April Birthday Dinner 6:00 p.m.

Isle of Rhodes Pizza Place, 111 W. Main Morrison

Saturday 6th Meet the Chapters, Pontiac.

Meet at the corner of Rt. 30 & Rt. 40 8:30 a.m. OR at corner of Rt. 26 & Rt. 30. about 8:50 a.m.

Wednesday 10th Chapter G Social, Pizza Ranch, Sterling

Eat @ 6 p.m. Social Hour 7 p.m.

Bring a Door Prize for extra 50/50 tickets!

Bring all pop tops and plastic lids

Friday 19th Chapter Dinner—Jane's Place 6:00 p.m.

110 W. 2nd St. Rock Falls

Sunday 21st HAPPY EASTER!

Sunday 28th Filling Station, Bishop Hill 11:30 a.m.

Joining Chapter H2 & IA O

### May

Thursday 2nd Hang the Start Seeing Motorcycle Banner

Matt & Margie Shore Home

Dinner to follow @ Pinecricker, Polo

(weather permitting)

Friday 3rd Northern Illinois District Safety Weekend

Community General Hospital, Sterling

District Dinner Ride, 6 p.m. Pizza Ranch, Sterling

# March 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	Chapter G Dinner Chapter H2 Social	6	7	8	9 Chapter 6 Spaghetti Binner
10	11 Chapter DK Social	12	13 Chapter G	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Chapter R Social	21 Chapter C2 Social	Chapter G Dinner	23
24 Chapter Z Social	25	26 Chapter L Social	27	28	29 Chapter G	30
31						

### **March Odd Holidays**

1st	National Pig Day	19th	Tea for Two Tuesday
3rd	Peach Blossom Day	20th	National Agriculture Day
5th	Fat Tuesday	21st	Absolutely Incredible Child Day
6th	Ash Wednesday	22nd	Goof Off Day
8th	International Working Woman's Day	23rd	National Chip and Dip Day
9th	Panic Day	24th	National Chocolate Covered Raisin Day
10th	Middle Name Day	25th	Waffle Day
11th	Johnny Apple Seed Day	26th	National Spinach Day
12th	Girl Scout Day	27th	National "Joe" Day
14th	National PI Day	28th	Weed Appreciation Day
16th	National Quilting Day	29th	National Mom and Pop Business Day
17th	Submarine Day	30th	National Doctor Day
		31st	World Backup Day

# April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Chapter H2 Social	3	4	Chapter G Dinner	6 Meet the Chapters
7	8 Chapter BK Social	9	10 Chapter G	11	12	13 Iowa O Social
14 Salm	15	16	17 Chapter R Social	18 Chapter C2 Social	Chapter G Dinner	20
Habby Caster	22	23	24	25	26 Southern Safety V	27
Chapter G Dinner  Chapter Z Social		30 (hapter L Social				



### **Local Fireman's Breakfast Dates**

Sunday April 7th—Shannon Sunday April 7th—Polo Sunday April 14th—Savanna Sunday April 21st—Chadwick Sunday May 5th—Milledgeville





# ILLINOIS DISTRICT SUMMER RALLY





### August 1st - 3rd

The Holiday 1300 S. West St. Olney, IL 62450











Flag Parade

Memorial Balloon

Rides

### Registration

GWRRA Life Members \$20.00 - Per person GWRRA Members \$25.00 - Per person Non-Members \$30.00 - Per Person

Children under 16 admitted free with a registered participant

### The Holiday

618-395-2121

Gold Wing group rate - \$63.95

Lakeside RV & Camping

618-393-4352

50/50, 1/2 card draws Raffles & More

Rally pins for first 100 enteries



# GWRRA IL (



### 2019 **Meet The Chapters**

What is it??

To encourage all GWRRA members to go out and meet other GWRRA members at their monthly gatherings. Have fun and make new friends getting together with other wingers. Gain knowledge and learn new safety tips from other chapters. The more chapters that register the bigger the bigger the prizes.



### **Meet The Chapters** Kick-Off

Saturday April 6th, 2019 1:00 PM Pontiac Family Kitchen 904 W Custer Ave Pontiac, Illinois 61764

Host: IL Chapter C Chapter Directors Gloria & Ken Huizenga

All chapters attending will be allowed time to talk about any special event their chapter is having.



### Fee: \$25.00 Per Chapter

Gathering will start a 1:00 PM. If you would like to order lunch before the gathering please come early. Lunch will be ordered off

> 50/50 Drawings Door Prizes Raffles





**DuQuoin State Fairgrounds** DuQuoin is about 30 miles south of 1-64, on U.S. 51 in Southern IL. You can exit from I-57 at Benton and go West on Rt. 14 about

15 miles. The Fairgrounds are visible from Rt 14 and also from US 51. The Ride-In takes place in the north-east corner inside the fairgrounds, north of the grandstand and next to equestrian arena.



Local HOTELS in DuQuoin: (618) 542-4335 Fairgrounds Inn (618) 542-5000

Tent and RV Camping available at fairgrounds

In October 1985, GWRRA Chapters U, F, P, S & Q first hosted the Southern Illinois Ride-In. Since then the Ride-In has grown to become an event many plan to attend every year in the fall. We've had riders from Kentucky, Missouri, Indiana, Ohio, Georgia, Alabama and California attend the Ride-In.

All makes and models of motorcycles welcome!

2019 35th ANNUAL Southern Illinois Ride In



SEPTEMBER 19, 20, 21, 2019

FREE Friday night supper! FREE Saturday morning full breakfast!

> \$100 CASH DRAWINGS (Need not be present to win)

2/S100 CASH GIVEAWAY

Willie & Carlene Kohlenberger, Ride-In Coordinators (618) 303-1366 touron2@globaleyes.net Additional Information and Registration Forms at