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**Join us the First Tuesday each month at Shoney's Restaurant  
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Eat at 6:00 PM & our social starts promptly at 7:00 PM**

***Wing Ding 40  
Aug 28th thru Sept 1st  
2018  
This Year held in our Home  
Town of Knoxville, Tennessee***

***Make your Reservations Now***



# Assistant Chapter B Director



## For Sale

It is with a lot of thought and heavy heart that I have decided to sell my trike. Its a 2008 loaded Goldwing with under 50k miles. It has a new clutch and front trike tire by Avon. Issues with it...needs a clip put in the top trunk that opens the bottom trunk ( a pair of vice grips is doing the job now), needs the bottom trunk rubber fixed or replaced, and body has a few dings. Its a good bike, but is 10 yrs. old. I also have a trailer that I intended to fix and put a wrap on, It is a solid trailer, dry on inside, just needs cosmetic fixes. Call me if interested at 901-598-0205.



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## From Your Senior Chapter B Director Tom Peck



Merrilee picking out her favorite prize to win in the game prize drawing at the Florida Rally March 22nd thru 24th.

Hi Everyone,

Just back from the Florida Rally March 22nd in Altamont Springs, in the Orlando area of Central Florida. We stayed in Kissimmee and commuted the 45 mile ride to the rally. Nice weather for the ride only problem was traffic, what a mess, cars everywhere. The toll road cost about \$10 each way but it was worth it to avoid the traffic jams. Enjoyed the 80 degree weather each day our entire trip including our ride home. We decided to take the scenic route back up US27 stopping to visit Gary and Dianah Davis then picking up US441 most of the rest of the way. Our last 3 hours or so wouldn't you know was in a pouring down rain, bummer, oh well almost made it, still never put rain suits on. Have to tell you about that!!

Tennessee rally will be here before you know it, looking forward to the cabin stay and seeing all the group together.

Our chapter will be asked to work at the rally, Gary Hamilton sent out the various jobs that need to be covered and I hope to have that list at our Gathering Tuesday at Shoney's. Hope you all will take a look and volunteer a short period of time during the rally to cover our obligation at this years Rally

*Tom*

# Happy Trails



Finally, our annual chapter outing to a Tennessee Smokies baseball game has been scheduled for Saturday July 14th. The Smokies have also designated this game as a benefit to the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation, whereby a portion of each ticket sold for the game will be donated to the foundation. I'll have complete instructions for your ticket purchases at our meeting. Please bring a pen and paper to the meeting for some brief notes; and consider bringing your friends and family to the game for a fun time and help to a worthy cause.

**See you soon and remember to ride safe**

*Jerry*

While everyone is getting their bikes ready to hit the road, I'd like to give you some information about a few upcoming rides and events.

First, our chapter dinner ride for April to Hot Rods 50's Diner is a short notice event in that it's this coming Thursday April 5th, just 2 days after our regular monthly meeting. We'll meet at Hot Rods between 6 and 6:30 PM. Their staff has been advised that 20 - 25 hungry Chapter B people will be dining at their outdoor covered patio.

Second, I'll be taking definite sign-up's for our day ride to the Lane Motor Museum, Saturday June 23rd at our regular meeting. If we can commit to at least 20 to make the ride, I can secure discounted tickets. The museum is located on the East side of Nashville and has over 200 unique cars and motorcycles on display. We'll also have a lunch break built into the ride.



*For Sale*



2004 GL1800 Goldwing Trike 47191 miles. Hannigan trike conversion 2010. Lots of Chrome, custom seat, rare magenta color with beautiful pinstriping. Tall Tulsa windshield, CB, arm rest and many other accessories. Thought the trike was sold but buyer had some health issues and was unable to close the deal. Very well maintained by Bill DeGuire who passed away about a year ago. Merrilee would like to make someone the proud owner of her beautiful Trike. Contact Tom or Merrilee Peck if interested. Asking \$19,500. 423-494-9818/865-256-1250



Set Saddlebags, right, left and center filler removed from the trike conversion, like new. Make offer. Make small trailer or storage unit to plug into your trailer hitch, no nicks or scratches anywhere. Contact Tom or Merrilee Peck if interested. 423-494-9818/ 865-

# Ride To Chattanooga



Like most of you I've been to Chattanooga many times, however, it seems there is always something new to see or discover. Next Saturday, we will have a chance to ride the all new 2018 Gold Wings at Southern Honda. How's that for new things to do? We will leave the Flying J at Watt Road, Exit 369 promptly at 9:00 am. The Flying J has a Denny's if you want to come early for coffee or breakfast. The route will take us down I-75 for a little bit and then back roads down the valley to cross over Watts Bar Dam—might even stop at the overlook for pictures. Ultimately we will end up on US 27 to proceed on down to Chattanooga.

We should arrive around 11—1130ish just in time for lunch at Bea's Restaurant which is 4 blocks from Southern Honda. Now I've heard about Bea's for a long time, (It's in the Wally Guide to Fine Dining in the South) but I've never eaten there. It's an all-you-can-eat buffet that is served on a Lazy Susan on each table which I think will seat 8 people. The menu for Saturday is:

- Fried Chicken
- Hand Pulled Pork BBQ
- Chicken And Dumplings
- New Potatoes In White Creme Sauce
- Pinto Beans
- Potato Salad
- Fried Okra
- Cole Slaw
- Pickled Beets
- Yeast Rolls
- Cornbread Muffins
- Cherry Cobbler



Of course the new 2018 Gold Wings (they have a manual and the DCT available) will be waiting over at Southern Honda so some might want to go over to ride before lunch.. If you are planning to ride you MUST have proof of insurance and your motorcycle endorsed license to sign the waiver.

For those who don't want to hang around the motorcycle shop all afternoon, there is the Chickamauga National Battlefield Visitors center which is 4 miles down the road. It has a nice museum with a world class gun collection—a Ranger guided tour is scheduled for 2:00 pm. Or a ride up Look-Out Mountain to Point Park is one of my favorites.

Depending on everybody's agenda we can start back for Knoxville when ever,, say 3:30 or 4. Should be a nice day as the long range forecast is for mid 60's and dry.

See you on Saturday

Dave

# Recipes

## Purple Lady Salad

1 large pkg. raspberry jello

1 cup boiling water

Dissolve Jell-O in water and Add:

1 small can crushed pineapple with juice

1 can blueberry with juice

Mix well, let chill until it starts to thicken.

1 (9 oz.) tub Cool Whip

1 cup pecans chopped

Spread into Pyrex dish. Chill completely. My be used for a salad or Dessert.  
Will keep in refrigerator for 6 days, Serves 6

Submitted by: Merrilee Peck

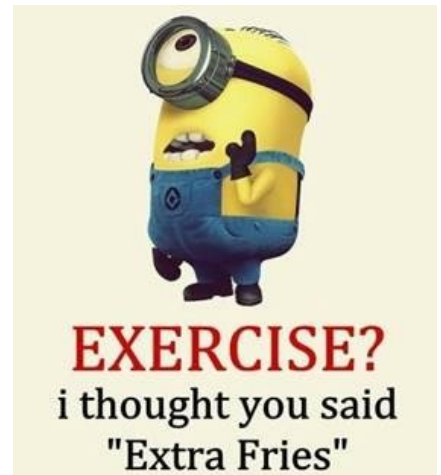
**I was just wondering..  
Does anyone else  
get road rage  
from pushing  
a cart  
through  
walmart...  
or is it  
just ME ?**



Men say that women should  
come with instructions...

What's the point of that?  
have you ever seen a man

Actually read the  
instructions?



**EXERCISE?**  
i thought you said  
"Extra Fries"

## Special note about our Ride Schedule

I have copies of our proposed ride schedule to pass out Tuesday at the chapter meeting. Please look the schedule over and if your ride is listed , check the information , dates, time and place to meet etc. If I have the correct information just put an OK next to your name and turn it in to me after the meeting. If you need to change the date or other details of your ride, please do on the form and also turn it in. Thanks for your help on this, I just want to make it like you want it to be.

*Tom*

# Technical Coordinator Roy Jennings



*A Few words from  
the Chief*



## **GOLDWING CB ANTENNA TUNING SWR TUNING made easy**



*This article appeared in Wing World Magazine and other publications concerning adjusting the Standing Wave Ratio on your Gold Wing's Antenna including how to articles on different Gold Wing Forums*

*All SWR meters are essentially the same, there may be differences in the location of the controls, but they will have the same function. I bought mine at Radio Shack. On the 1800 you need to remove the seat to access the cables. After hooking up the cables you will need to calibrate the meter by setting the switch to calibrate and with the key on, press down on the Push to talk lever and adjust the meter for full scale or follow the meters' instructions. Switch to SWR on the Radio Shack meter, then press the transmit switch on the handlebar again, then read the SWR from the meter make a note of the reading for channel 1 and repeat the same procedure for channel 40, make a note of the reading.*

*If the reading for channel 40 is lower than channel 1, then your antenna is too short. Loosen the set screws on the top part of the antenna loading coil, pull the whip out about 1/4 in, retighten, then repeat the measurements shown above till the SWR reaches a number less than 2 on all channels, tighten set screws.*

*If the reading is higher for Channel 40 than Channel 1, your antenna is too long. Loosen the set screws on the top part of the loading coil, carefully cut about 1/8 in from the bottom of the whip, retighten and repeat the measurements until the SWR reaches a number less than 2 on all channels. My reading started out at 1.3 on Channel 1 and ended up with a 1 to 1 ratio and on Channel 40 at 1.3 to 1 a very good SWR reading. You must have a good ground on the antenna between the antenna and frame.*

**Roy**



# Florida Rally 2018 Altamont Springs

## March 22nd thru 24th

Tom and I rode the trike to the Florida rally and returned home this week. The Florida GWRRA members are very friendly and welcomed us to participate in the fun and games. There were around 600 who attended the rally this year.

Thursday evening, we were signed up for a dinner and planned to attend with Tom's longtime friend, Mike, and his girl, Ann. As it turned out, Mike's chapter happens to be CHAPTER OF THE YEAR, and because of that, their chapter members were all seated at large round tables next to the stage in the ballroom. Since we were hanging out with Mike and Ann, their Florida friends



adopted us and we had ringside seats, literally. How great was that! We enjoyed the meal and especially the entertainment for the evening. The rally theme was Duck Dynasty, and there were ducks every-

where. One couple made their costumes and were applauded enthusiastically as they walked across the stage. She was a female duck, of course, not Daisy, but I cannot for the life of me remember the name of the duck she portrayed. He was Scrooge McDuck. Their costumes were spectacular. As it turned out later, this couple became the new District Couple of the Year. Well deserved, I would say. They were so outgoing and busy interacting with people and activities. Tom will show you pictures of this Duck Couple, and they plan to come to Wing Ding in August. Please make them welcome, as they did us.

A group of about 8 ladies were dressed as flapper ducks and did a cute little dance. There were also others who participated in the duck parade across stage. The entertainment was exciting and so fun, not only for the audience, but for the ones who made the effort to wear the costumes and get into the act. Tom and I checked out the decorated and filled baskets and he took pictures of every one of them so that we can get ideas for the basket we will prepare for Spring fling. There were about 16 baskets altogether and some of the themes were: Picnic; Easter eggs; Duck Dynasty; \$\$ and gift cards; snack goodies; all candy; and on and on. Some contained up to \$470 inside a cellophane-wrapped basket. Lots of ideas. Many hands make little work, you know, so let's get on the ball and get our basket put together, definitely a great fundraiser. The money on tickets sold goes into the Couples program to pay some of the expenses.



Tom and I played all the games offered and won some neat prizes. We didn't win the grand prize of a Goldwing, or any money at Closing, but our donations

went to a worthy cause I'm sure. We bought new leather vests at the Vendor's booth so we can start over with new vests for our Couple of the Year journey. The weather was perfect for rally days and it was nice to visit old



friends and make new ones. We were able to spend time with family while in Florida and also have lunch and visit with Diana and Gary Davis on our way home.

We were missing our chapter family and it would have been wonderful if all of you could have been with us. Maybe next year? Start planning. Florida is a great getaway for this time of year.

Merrilee Peck



# Spring Fling 2018 Cabin



***Just a reminder for those with reservations for cabin for Spring Fling, April 12-15, Mountain Breeze Manor at the Preserve Resort. Balance due by Feb. 11, \$180. You can see me at our Chapter meeting or send me a check before Feb. 11. Let me know if there's any problem or changes. <http://www.largecabinrentals.com/cabins/mountain-breeze-manor/>***

Pat Talley

## Couple of the Year Baskets



***Oh, by the way, each chapter needs to bring a COY Basket to the event. The sale of the baskets helps our District COY's as they travel around the many chapters and districts in preparation of the International COY Selection. I need some help putting a basket together. We can get stuff and pay for it out of chapter funds or everyone could bring a little something for the basket, we will discuss at chapter meeting. Remember the Rally theme!! "Sounds of the Sixties"***

# Florida Rally 2018

March 17th arrived as the weather was kind of Iffy for our departure. Rain and cold weather was in the forecast and we were even considering leaving Thursday or Friday to take advantage of better weather conditions. As it turned out our original departure date of St Patrick's day seemed to be Ok. We had guesstimated we would make it to Perry Georgia, spend the night then ride on in Sunday where we checked into Summers Bay in Kissimmee. Merrilee's niece Lachelle and her husband Geof were coming in from Illinois to spend the week with us and enjoy



some Golfing as we went to the Rally. Altamont Springs, the place where the rally was being held, was about 45 miles north on the opposite end of Orlando, we were south and the rally was north east of where we were staying. The traf-

fic in the Orlando area this time of the year is terrible. I-4 was the quickest and most direct but a one hour commute turned to a 2 hour nightmare. The turnpike worked but it cost about \$10.00 each direction.

The Rally was fun, met several old friends and played some games and even a couple games of Bingo. The Banquet was nice and the costume con-



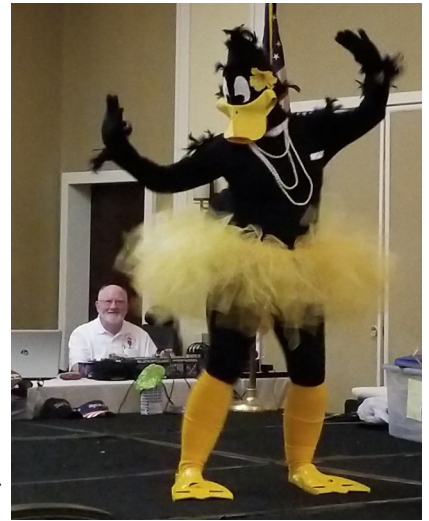
test was entertaining. The Quack Dynasty theme was a little goofy but the Florida folks know how to have fun. We met one of my friends from the Ft Myers area and just so happens the Fort Myers chapter was



Florida's Chapter of the Year for 2017. We were invited to enter the Banquet first to be seated and got up front tables to enjoy the costume contest. The chapter cou-

ple from the Ft Myers Chapter was selected as the new Florida District Couple of the Year at the selection process.

After a few site seeing trips, some shopping, Rallying and Golfing, LaChelle & Geof headed home so they could get back to work that following Monday, We stayed a couple days, did some riding and ate way too much sea food.



March 28th arrived and we packed up to head home. As we rode up US 27 we stopped in and paid Gary and Dianah a visit at their winter home near Leesburg. Great seeing our old time Chapter B members, they might be able to drop by and see us at the Cabin since they are heading back home to Knox-



ville for the Summer April 1st.

The ride home we decided to ride up the middle of Georgia, US 441 is a fantastic route with lots of middle America to see, the weather held out and was nice most of the way. Our luck ran out in the North Georgia mountains. Thought we might get ahead of the storm as we headed east from Madisonville towards Maryville, poured down all the way home from there. You know how we make the decision to stop and put the rain gear on or just continue and get a little wet. Well we stopped at a gas station and I ask Merrilee if she wanted to put the rain suit on and she said Why? I'm already wet, so on we rode. Needless to say we were soaked once again, brought back memories of our ride out to Grapevine to Wing Ding on the way home last year. Good trip, bad call on the rain suit but everything ended up fine.

Submitted by: Tom Peck



Make sure to make your reservations early



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**Chartered December 14th 1982**

*Home of the 1982 Worlds Fair*

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# THANK YOU

## Saturday April 14, 2018

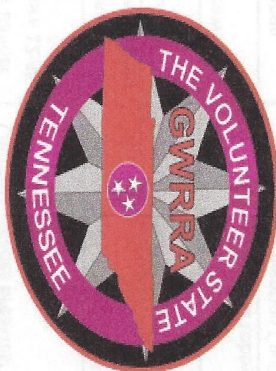
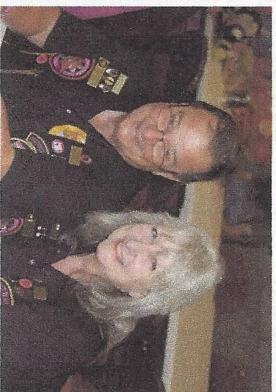
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8:00 AM to 4:00 PM	Vendors	Country Cascades Parking Lot and Inside
8:00 AM to 10:00 AM	Bike Show Classification	Country Cascades Parking Lot
9:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Guided rides	Meet in front of Mill Creek Building
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Hospitality Room	2nd Floor Country Cascades
9:00 AM to 4:30 PM	Daily 50/25/25/ Sales Grand 50/50 Sales	Country Cascades and all vending areas
8:30 AM to 10:30 AM	Masters Breakfast Must have Ticket	Mill Creek Building
11:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Bike Show Voting	Country Cascades Parking Lot
2:00 PM	Couples Basket Drawing	At the Basket Tables
4:30 PM to 5:30 PM	Closing Ceremonies and all ticket draws for the day.	Ramada Inn Convention Center on Stage
7:00 PM	Arrive at Dolly Parton Theater pickup tickets enjoy the preshow	2713 Parkway, Pigeon Forge, TN
8:30 PM	Dolly Parton Dinner & Show	2713 Parkway Pigeon Forge, TN

## Sunday April 15, 2018

9:00 AM	Sunday morning service	Ramada Inn Convention Center
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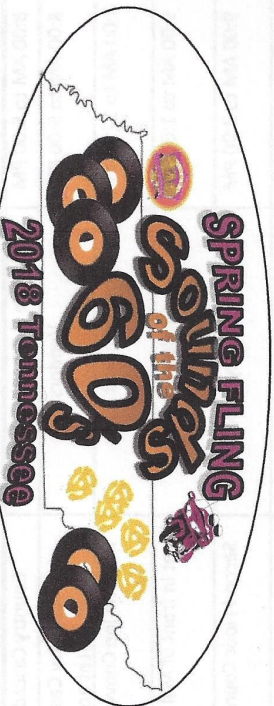
# TENNESSEE SPRING FLING 2018



## Welcome to Spring Fling 2018.

Patti and I want to thank all of you and our vendors for attending Spring Fling 2018. Welcome to the Country Cascades Hotel Resort. As many of you may know we had to change our rally dates due to scheduling conflicts with the car show group and the convention center was already booked on the dates we need for set up and our vendors set up. Pete Smith and his staff have worked with us to put everything in one place here at the Country Cascades and to make sure we have everything we need to have a great time at Spring Fling. Our staff has worked hard to put together a program full of fun and entertainment. Enjoy our guided (free) rides, participate in the chapter and individual contests, dance to the music, shop till you drop, look at the pretty bikes in the bike show and light show – have as much fun as you can stand!

Gary & Patti Hamilton  
TN District Director



## Thursday April 12, 2018

10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	On-Site & Pre registration	Country Cascades Lobby
10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Vendors	Country Cascades Parking Lot and Inside
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM	Daily 50/25/25/ Sales Grand 50/50 Sales	Country Cascades and all vending areas
10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Light Show Registration and Classification	Rider Education Table 2nd floor Country Cascades
10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Bike Show Registration	Rider Education Table 2nd floor Country Cascades
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM	Hospitality Room	2nd floor Country Cascades
10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Pick up Maps for Self Guided Rides & sign up for guided rides	Rider Education Table 2nd floor Country Cascades
5:15 PM	Opening and Daily 50/50 Drawing	Country Cascades Breakfast Room
8:00 PM	Light Show Judging	Parking lot in front of the Mill Creek Building
8:00 PM to 10:00 PM	Sounds of the Sixties Dance and Costume Contest	Mill Creek Building

## Tickets

Grand Prize Ticket	The Ticket that has Grand Prize on it. 1st \$1,000.00 2nd \$500.00
Grand 50 /50 Ticket	The Ticket that has 50/50 on it. This will be drawn at Closing
Daily 50/25/25	Gray and subject to change
All tickets will use the arm band number	<b>Write your arm band number on the back of all tickets and drop them in the proper container at Bob's World.</b>

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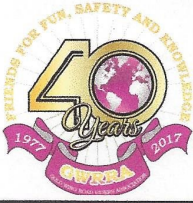
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## Friday April 13, 2018

8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	On-Site & Pre registration	Country Cascades Lobby
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Vendors	Country Cascades Parking Lot and Inside
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Medic First Aid	Ramada Inn Convention Center
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Guided rides	Meet in front of Mill Creek Building
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM	Hospitality Room	Second Floor Country Cascades
8:00 AM to 4:00 PM	Daily 50/25/25/ Sales Grand 50/50 Sales	Country Cascades and all vending areas
8:00 AM to 9:30 AM	How to access MY RE On the level	Class Room 1 Mill Creek Building
8:00 AM to 9:30 AM	How to do a Zoom Call	Class Room 2 Mill Creek Building
8:00 AM to 9:30 AM	How to do a mall show	Class Room 3 Mill Creek Building
8:00 AM to 9:30 AM	Co-Rider Class	Class Room 1 Mill Creek Building
10:00 AM to 11:30 AM	Distracted Driving	Class Room 2 Mill Creek Building
10:00 AM to 11:30 AM	Stepping out of your comfort zone "Zone Out"	Class Room 3 Mill Creek Building
10:00 AM to 11:30 AM	Co-Rider Class	Class Room 1 Mill Creek Building
11:00 AM to 01:30 PM	Best Dressed; Chapter Shirt, Parade, Chapter Pride	Breakfast Area; Sign-up at MEC Table any time before 11:00 AM.
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Pick up Maps for Self Guided Rides & sign up for guided rides	Rider Education Table 2nd floor Country Cascades
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Bike Show Registration	Rider Education Table 2nd floor Country Cascades
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM	Mascot and Chapter Banner Judging. Display before 12:45 PM.	Country Cascades Breakfast area
1:30 PM to 3:00 PM	Chapter Challenge Register at the MECP table before 1:15 PM	Country Cascades Breakfast area
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM	Couple of the Year Reunion, Past & Present	Country Cascades Breakfast area
5:00 PM	Daily 50 /25/25 Drawing	Bob's World Country Cascades Lobby
6:00 PM	Directors Challenge	Ramada Convention Center on Stage
6:30 PM	Talent Show Please register before 5:30 PM	Ramada Convention Center on Stage

\*\*\*Schedule subject to change.\*\*\*



# GWRRA

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# Wing Ding 40



**Knoxville, Tennessee, August 28 - September 1, 2018**

**REGISTER TODAY! SIMPLY MAIL OR FAX YOUR COMPLETED FORM**

Contact Member Services at 1-800-843-9460 with any questions.

Please visit [www.wing-ding.org](http://www.wing-ding.org) & click "REGISTRATION" at the top of page.

**TRADE SHOW OPENS AUGUST 29, SEE EVENT SCHEDULE FOR MORE INFO!**

RIDER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GWRRA MEMBER # \_\_\_\_\_

CO-RIDER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GWRRA MEMBER # \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/ST/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ ALTERNATE PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**PREREGISTRATION: (Postmarked before July 23, 2018)**

Number of Life Members \_\_\_\_\_ x \$20 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Members \_\_\_\_\_ x \$40 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Non-Members \_\_\_\_\_ x \$50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**LATE: (Postmarked July 23-August 6, 2018)**

Number of Life Members \_\_\_\_\_ x \$22 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Members \_\_\_\_\_ x \$45 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Non-Members \_\_\_\_\_ x \$55 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Children 15 and under at the time of the event are admitted free. Cancellations in writing must be received at the Home Office on or before August 6, 2018, and are subject to a \$15 processing fee. No refunds for meal functions, Grand Prize Tickets, 50/20-15-10-5 Tickets, Poker Run, Bike Show, T-shirts or Polos will be given after August 6, 2018. No telephone or verbal cancellations will be accepted.

Please note, only registered delegates may participate in Wing Ding functions, activities and events! You will receive a confirmation via email 24-48 hours after your registration is processed. Please visit our website for hotel and camping information. Armbands, tickets, T-shirts or any other items purchased will be available for pickup beginning the day prior to Wing Ding in the registration area (see website for hours and location).

**Day Pass:** (sold on-site only) \$22 per person, \$15 GWRRA Members

**Day pass fee includes the following:**

- One-day pass to indoor Trade Show
- One-day access to Demo Rides on all participating manufacturers' bikes (subject to availability)

**Full registration includes:**

- Access to 'Pre-Event Day' activities!  
**Tuesday 8/28**
- Wing Ding Welcome Party - **Tuesday 8/28**
- 4-day pass to indoor Trade Show - **Opens 8/29**
- 4-day pass to Demo Rides on all participating manufacturers' bikes (subject to availability)
- Access to Seminars and Parades
- Access to Opening and Closing Ceremonies
- Access to free Evening Entertainment Event
- Optional dinner and priority seating prior to free Entertainment Event
- Souvenir Event Pin and Pocket Guide
- Exclusive opportunities for tours, dinners and other ticketed events
- Numbered armband for chance at thousands of dollars in great prizes!
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1.800.843.9460 or 623.581.2500 (Local)

Fax: 877.348.9416

Register on-line at: [www.wing-ding.org](http://www.wing-ding.org)

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**RIDER EDUCATION COURSES**

The number and availability of courses is dependent upon the number of participants. You will be notified of your class time and location as soon as possible. **Note: Certification cost is per bike!\***

**ARC:** Experience advanced techniques in turning, maximum braking, and swerving plus mental and situational strategies in GWRRA's own Advanced Rider Course. Co-Riders welcome. 8 hours (class and range)

**ARC (Recertification):** The GWRRA ARC for those who have PREVIOUSLY COMPLETED the ARC. Includes discussions at the beginning of the course and between exercises. 5 hours (range only)

**SIDECAR:** Experience advanced techniques of riding with a sidecar as well as situation strategies and accident avoidance tactics. 8 hours (3 classroom/5 range).

**TRAILERING:** Learn advanced trailering techniques and strategies for safe and enjoyable travel. Motorcycles only--no trikes or sidecars please. 8 hours (3 classroom/5 range)

**TRIKE:** This course teaches advanced riding skills for the trike rider such as maximum braking, swerving and turning. 8 hours (3 class/5 range)

**TRIKE/TRAILER:** This course combines the Trike Rider Course (TRC) with some guided practice in backing a trailer. 8 hours (3 class/5 range)

**TRC-R (Recertification):** The GWRRA TRC for those who have PREVIOUSLY COMPLETED the TRC. Includes discussions at the beginning of the course and between exercises. 5 1/2 hours (range only)

**Vanguard Rider Course:** A performance based course to be used in conjunction with a 2 1/2 hour seminar to be taken separately.

**AORC (Add-On Kit Rider Course):** A Rider Course designed for the motorcycle with a 2-Wheel Add-on Kit installed.

**CPR/First-Aid:** This course is designed to teach and certify you in the basic principles of CPR and First Aid. 4 hours

CLASS	#OF PEOPLE	TOTAL
ARC _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
ARC (Recert.) _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
Sidecar _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
Trailering _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
Trike _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
Trike/Trailer _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
TRC-R (Recertification) _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Name _____	Name _____	
Vanguard Rider Course _____	\$50 per person = _____	
Name _____	Name _____	
AORC _____	\$50 per bike = _____	
Rider _____	Co-Rider _____	
CPR/First-Aid _____	\$50 per person = _____	
Name _____	Name _____	

\*\$20 refund after course completion  
**Rider Education Total** \_\_\_\_\_

**GRAND PRIZE - Must be present to win!** Drawing held at Closing Ceremonies

\_\_\_\_\_ 5 Tickets = \$15      \_\_\_\_\_ 10 Tickets = \$20  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 20 Tickets = \$30      \_\_\_\_\_ 40 Tickets = \$50  
 Total \_\_\_\_\_

**GRAND 50/20-15-10-5 (4 Winners!) Must be present to win!**

1 Yard (18 Tickets) = \$10      3 Yards (54 Tickets) = \$20  
 7 Yards (126 Tickets) = \$40      Drawing held at Closing Ceremonies  
 Total \_\_\_\_\_

**BREAKFAST AND PRESENTATION OF COLORS!**

Includes full breakfast, presentation of the colors, and the 2019 Wing Ding location reveal! (Seating is limited, while supplies last)

Number of people \_\_\_\_\_ x \$12 = \_\_\_\_\_

**GWRRA EVENING EVENT!**

Includes Dinner and Entertainment! Pulled BBQ Pork Sandwich, Southern Cole Slaw, Butter Corn on the Cob, Maple Baked Beans, Lattice Apple Pie. Water, Tea & Lemonade. (Seating is limited, while supplies last)

Number of people \_\_\_\_\_ x \$24 = \_\_\_\_\_

**J&M CORPORATION EVENING EVENT!**

Includes Dinner and Entertainment! Southern Fried Chicken, Mac & Cheese, Vegetable Medley, Rolls, Cookies and Brownies. Water, Tea & Lemonade. (Seating is limited, while supplies last)

Number of people \_\_\_\_\_ x \$24 = \_\_\_\_\_

**PEOPLE'S CHOICE BIKE SHOW!** - Includes a souvenir pin.

Number of bikes \_\_\_\_\_ x \$10 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes! I am a previous Couple Of the Year** (any level)

**SOUVENIR T-SHIRT** (Place quantity next to size.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Small x \$15 = \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_\_\_ 2XL x \$17 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Medium x \$15 = \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_\_\_ 3XL x \$17 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Large x \$15 = \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_\_\_ 4XL x \$20 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ XL x \$15 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Embroidered Polo Shirt** (moisture wicking performance material)

Small - XL (\$30 ea.) 2XL (\$35 ea.) 3XL (\$37) 4XL (\$40)

Total \_\_\_\_\_

**GRAND TOTAL: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**ENCLOSED:**       Check       Money Order  
 Please send check or money order in equivalent U.S. funds. All others will be returned to sender for adjustment. Please do not send cash.

**CHARGE MY:**       M/C       VISA       AmEx       Discover

Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

In accordance with federal regulations, some prizes may be subject to up to 25% federal withholdings payable prior to receipt.





# "Chapter Visitation"



Chapter **B** meets the **1st Tuesday** each month at **Shoney's** Clinton Exit 122 off I-75 North  
Eat at 6:00 pm meeting at 7:00 pm.  
Call Tom & Merrilee Peck  
423-907-9712 / 423-494-9818

Chapter **A2** meets the **3rd Monday** each month at Shoney's 1021 Lamar Alexander Pkwy Maryville, Eat at 6pm Meeting at 7pm. CD Jim & Joyce Hunsley 217-412-9986

Chapter **M** meets the **2nd Tuesday** each month. Eat at 6:00 pm meeting at 7:00 pm..  
Chapter M meets at 550 Fort Loudon Medical Center Dr in Lenoir City. CD Brian & Loretta Richards 865-249-6173

Chapter **T** meets the **4th Saturday** Each month at the Golden Corral 6621 Clinton Hwy 37921  
Eat at 9:00 am/Meet at 10:00 am CD:  
Bobby Cash 865-705-7657

Chapter **F** meets the **3rd Thursday** Golden Corral, 2905 West Andrew Johnson Highway, Morristown, TN 37814. Eat 6:30 pm/Meet 7:30 pm CD Bruce & Gayle Babcock 865-344-7194

Lets go Visit!

Chapter **C** meets the **3rd Tuesday** each month at MaMa's House Buffet 2608 N John B Dennis Hwy. Kingsport, Eat at 6:00pm and start the Gathering at 7:00pm. TN Call Richard & Connie Pendleton, 423-245-8484

Chapter **C2** meets the 3rd **Thursday** at Shoney's, 4148 US 127, S Crossville, Eat at 6:30 pm Meeting at 7:00 pm CD Randy Ryan 985-245-6414



## New Chapter Golf Shirts see Pat Chapter "Bee" Embroidered Hats: \$12 Place your Order with Pat Talley



Give me a call, email me or see you at the next meeting

### INVENTORY CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING:



- Tennessee visitation pins (Shape of State).....\$4.00 ea.
- TN-B Hanger Bars ..... 2.00
- Region N 4" Patch . ..... 6.00
- Red/ White 4" GWRRA Patch ..... 6.00
- Black/Gold 4" GWRRA Patch..... 6.00
- Black/Gold 10" GWRRA Patch..... 14.00
- Red/White 10" GWRRA Patch..... 14.00
- Blue & Red District Patch ..... 5.00
- TN District Pin..... 4.00

Chapter B 25 Year Patch.....Free to Chapter B members

We can order so many more goodies - such as - a GWRRA Mouse Pad for your computer, GWRRA Ball Caps in various colors, Coasters, Earrings, Logo Vest Clip Chains, License Plates, Bolo Ties, Happy Face Antenna Ball - and so much more (just too much to list here).

LET'S GO SHOPPING!

See the "Quarter Master"

Pat Talley

423-562-1962 or talleylakeside@gmail.com



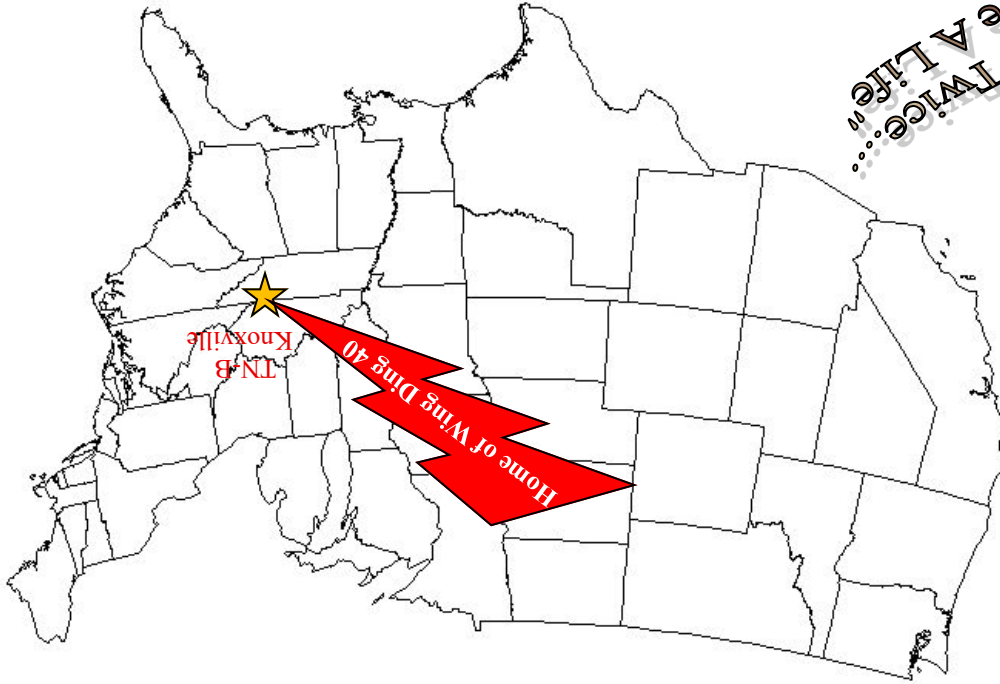
- Cindy Cox April 8th
- Mike Hemphill April 11th
- Ruth McIntyre April 18th
- Carolyn Owens April 13th
- Debbie Rhoads April 12th
- Barbara Sowder April 18th



Richard & Deniese James April 8th

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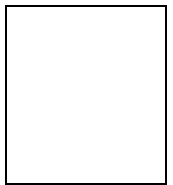


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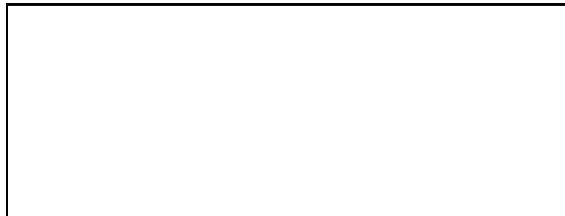
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