

GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

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**GWRRRA
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AUGUST 2011 NEWSLETTER**

Couple of the Year – Bob and Hope Carneal

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DOG DAZE

AUGUST 2011

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
	1 AIR FORCE DAY	2	3	4	5	6
7 PURPLE HEART ESTABLISHED	8	9 Chapter W Gathering 7 PM Pietroe's	10 Rich and Debbie Anniversary	11	12 Larry Burk Birthday	13
14	15 Rich Bonham Birthday	16	17	18	19 NAT'L AVIATION DAY	20
21 Chapter U Gathering 3 PM Ashcake Rescue Squad	22	23 Steve Flournoy Birthday	24 Chapter D Gathering 7 PM Candela's	25	26 Jerry Phinney Birthday	27 ALL CHAPTERS PICNIC White Banks Park
28	29	30	31	September 1 Chris and Kathy's Anniversary		Candela's Restaurant Midlothian Exit off 288N



**RICH AND DEBBIE BONHAM,
CHAPTER DIRECTORS NEWS**

Greetings,

I heard a rumor this week but I am not sure if it is true. Cooler days will be coming our way. We might just have to wait a little while but they will arrive! This has been a hot summer for sure. Not only the temperatures being so high but the humidity being high as well. As we get through August, hopefully we will see the 100 degree days disappear and we can ride more and ride more comfortably than we have been this summer.

Chapter D had a great anniversary celebration in July at our gathering. Debbie and I really enjoyed meeting some of the past Chapter Directors that we had never met. We also enjoyed all the stories each past Director that was in attendance shared with the group. We learned much more about our Chapter and the past history of our Chapter. As I listened to each past Director tell us a story about their time when they were Director, it just reconfirmed to me what I already know, that GWRRA is an organization where you make friends and make friends that will last a life time. Thank you so much for all the past Directors that came and shared the time with us. We all greatly appreciate what you have done for the Chapter and what you continue to do for the Chapter.

Make sure you have your calendar marked for Saturday August 27th. This is the day for the All Chapters Picnic which will be held in Colonial Heights this year. Right in our back yard. Let's all come out and enjoy the day and spend some time with our friends. It will be a fun event and won't cost a dime to participate. Our COY, Bob & Hope will be there along with most of the other COY's from around the state. Let's support them and attend.

Rally in the Valley is right around the corner as well in October. Please come and attend and show your support for the Virginia District. Mike & Angie are making many changes in the event and they are all very positive. The emphasis on the Rally will be to get out and ride and do what we enjoy the most. Ride the Roanoke area and enjoy the scenery. The number of seminars has been greatly reduced to allow you more time to get out on your bike and enjoy the area. And of course we will participate in our Chapter skits. That alone should make you want to ride over and attend. Our TV show we will be doing is "Happy Days". I am not going to tell you who the Fonz will be but I guarantee that you will be shocked how the years have changed the Fonz! The years have not been good on poor Fonzie. He still looks very cool but boy does he look different!

Have a great August, enjoy the month and get out and ride. Let's ride and when you do, be safe. *Rich and Debbie*

Article from Matt Danielson, VCOM

The Virginia Coalition of Motorcyclists and Tom McGrath's Motorcycle Law group would like to invite all interested motorcyclists to attend this year's legislative roundtable to be held on August 13, 2011 at the Marriott Hotel in Richmond, located at 500 East Broad Street, Richmond, VA 23219. We will start at 11:00 a.m. and continue until finished.

The purpose of the legislative roundtable is to determine what our legislative package will look like in the upcoming year. This is where we as motorcyclists determine which issues need to be raised with our state legislators. It is a very informal and informative gathering. We brainstorm as a group concerning those issues related to motorcycling that we feel need to be addressed on a state level. We then come to a consensus as to the priority of those issues and try to pick two or three that we will address in the upcoming year. We try to boil it down to two or three issues because that is a manageable number of bills to follow in a given year. It takes a tremendous amount of work to shepherd one bill through the General Assembly let alone two or three. Additionally we know that we will face bills that we oppose and we will have to work equally as hard on those bills in order to defeat them. The legislative roundtable helps us to identify those particular areas on which we need to focus time and energy. It is a safe bet that motorcycle only checkpoints will be discussed at the roundtable.

This is your opportunity to be heard on the issues that are important to you and to help shape our upcoming legislative agenda. If you or a member of your club or organization can make it to the roundtable we would welcome your presence.

Matt Danielson, McGrath & Danielson

Tom McGrath's Motorcycle Law Group
Motorcyclelawgroup.com

1-800-321-896

EVENTS SCHEULE

- **AUGUST 20 - CASINO PICNIC WILLIAMSBURG, VA**
- **AUGUST 27- ALL CHAPTERS PICNIC – COLONIAL HEIGHTS, VA**
- **SEPT 9-10 - CHAPTER C FALL SPRAWL – SIMMONS FARM**
 - **OCTOBER 6-8 - RALLY IN THE VALLEY**
- **NOVEMBER 5 – GOLD WING CELEBRATION SOUTH BOSTON,**

MARIE REPORTS THE NEWS (GOSSIP, RUMOR & HERESAY) AND SPECIAL EVENTS



DONATIONS TO THE HOMELESS HEARTS ARE WELCOME

We are always collecting the individual soaps, shampoos, conditioners, lotions, etc. that you get from the hotels when traveling. Make sure you collect them for us and we will make sure that they get delivered to the YWCA Battered Women's Shelters. Bring them to our meetings or give them to a Chapter D member when you see them. Thanks for all your help during the year.



2011 CALENDARS FOR LUCY CORR. If you still can get calendars or have some to donate, we're still collecting them for Lucy Corr. They give every resident a new calendar each year and also provide one to new residents when they move into the complex. Bring them to the Chapter D meetings or call a staff member.



EVERY WEDNESDAY IS BIKE NIGHT AT QUAKER STEAK AND LUBE

Get there early because the place fills up fast. Located at 8000 West Broad Street, east of Parham Road.



ICE CREAM RIDES ARE THE THURSDAY AFTER OUR REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING. We'll be traveling to a different ice cream shop every month. We meet at Candela's Italian Restaurant for the monthly Ice Cream Run!



know.

TUESDAY RIDES...If the weather is good (or even mediocre) you can guarantee there is a ride planned for somewhere. Tommy Broughton and Ted Nelmes have planned some excellent rides this year and will continue to do so as long as we have people who want to ride. If you want to be added to the Tuesday ride list, let them



RALLY IN THE VALLEY 2011 "Harvest Festival" Mark your calendar for October 6-8 at the Salem Civic Center. Register early. Check out the details in this newsletter.

Bike Rallies for 2011 – Larry insists that we should ride to all of them in 2011!

Sept. 15-18 Delmarva Bike Rally – Ocean City, MD

Sept. 28-Oct 2 Bike Week – Myrtle Beach, SC

Oct. 6-9 Rally in the Valley – Salem, VA

Oct. 13-16 Biketoberfest – Daytona Beach, FL

VA GWRRA HARVEST FESTIVAL BASKET RAFFLE



Chapter D will put together a “Virginia Fruits of the Vine” basket for the rally, so we will be looking for donations from you for the basket. The more the better as the Chapter will make money on the basket. See Debbie Dowell or Hope Carneal if you have something we can use. Thanks a lot! See information on Basket Raffle Below ↓

Enter a basket at Rally in the Valley to be raffled off and whatever amount your Chapter basket makes in the raffle, the District will reimburse you 50% of what your basket makes. For example, if your basket makes \$250.00, we will reimburse the chapter \$125.00. In many cases, the Chapter has the ability to make more than the value of the basket, especially if you get the items for your basket donated. Tickets for the basket will be purchased for \$1.00 a ticket.

Theme baskets are great, and we offer the following as ideas:
Harvest Basket, VA Tech Basket, Washington Redskins Basket, Dallas Cowboy Basket, Gold Wing Items Basket, Kitchen Items Basket, Items from VA Basket, Fall Food Basket, etc.

This is totally voluntary, so talk it over amongst yourselves in the Chapter and let Mike and Angie know by July 30, 2011 if your chapter would like to be included in this raffle. All baskets should be delivered to the Civic Center if at all possible on Thursday, October 6, 2011. The baskets will be put away in the evening for safekeeping.



I wish to express my appreciation for your generosity in the support of the generous donations for the Chapter’s Basket “Fruits on the Vine, the fund raiser for Rally in the Valley. Your assistance made it so easy to put this basket together, but even more for your Chapter to take part of this fund raiser. Times are difficult for everyone but knowing we have the support of our members like you certainly made it easy for me. Thanks for your kindness and generosity. Debbie Dowell



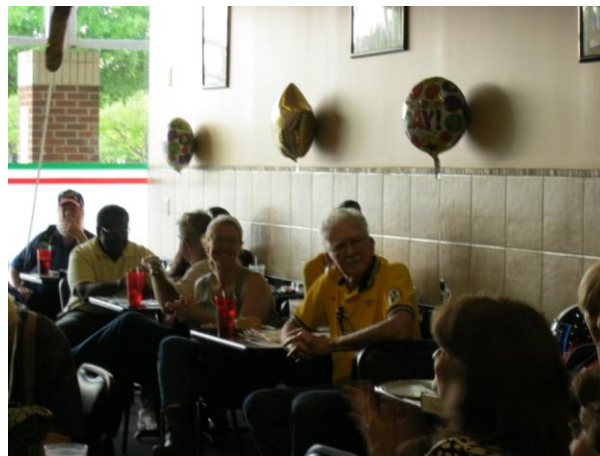
Chapter D's 27th Anniversary Cake



Tom Westendorf receiving the Grand Master Level Award



Leon and Dottie Hedley at Meeting



Phyllis and her dad Marty at meeting 1



Debbie Bonham receiving 5,000 safe miles



Chapter D's 27th Anniversary



2011 COUPLE OF THE YEAR NEWS

Extra, Extra, Read All About It !!

The Virginia Convention Rally in the Valley is only months away!
Have you sent in your registration for a good time in Salem?

Don't forget to take some of the rides. One of our favorites is the ride to the Mill Mountain Star and the Roanoke/Salem valley's version of the Dragon.

Also don't forget that ride to the Home Place for some wonderful home cooking, the Swinging Bridge Restaurant or your favorite place to eat while in Salem.

Calling all bakers, got a good pumpkin recipe? Well make it and enter it in the "It's The Great Pumpkin Bake-Off". We know we would love to be one of the judges because GWRRA has loads of great bakers out there.

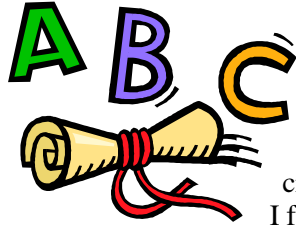
Don't forget the hospitality room will have snacks and if you would like bring something to share, i.e., your favorite fruits, special dessert or that item that came from the good ole grocery store. All goodies will be appreciated very much.

Everyone enjoys the time we have in the hospitality room with chatting it up with good friends, just relaxing and munching on some yummy snacks.

Hope to see everyone August 27th at the All Chapters Picnic in Colonial Heights at White Banks Park. Don't forget to thank all the COY'S for all that they do for their Chapters.

Bob & Hope Carneal Chapter D COY's and Virginia District Treasurers

Submission of pictures and articles are requested and encouraged. As a Chapter member, this is YOUR newsletter; articles may be submitted on a wide range of topics related to motorcycling and Chapter activities. All articles submitted to this newsletter will be edited at the discretion of the Newsletter Editor and Chapter Director based on available space. E-mail submissions to the newsletter editor at graneth1@verizon.net must be received no later than the 10th of the month to be entered in the current edition. Thanks for your support and articles.



New Alphabet

A's for arthritis; B's the bad back, C's the chest pains, perhaps car-di-ac? D is for dental decay and decline, E is for eyesight, can't read that top line! F is for fissures and fluid retention, G is for gas which I'd rather not mention. H high blood pressure--I'd rather it low; I for incisions with scars you can show. J is for joints, out of socket, won't mend, K is for knees that crack when they bend. L's for libido, what happened to sex? M is for memory, I forget what comes next. N is neuralgia, in nerves way down low; O is for osteo, bones that don't grow! P for prescriptions, I have quite a few, just give me a pill and I'll be good as new! Q is for queasy, is it fatal or flu? R is for reflux, one meal turns to two.

S is for sleepless nights, counting my fears, T is for Tinnitus; bells in my ears! U is for urinary; troubles with flow; V for vertigo, that's 'dizzy,' you know. W for worry, now what's going 'round? X is for X ray, and what might be found. Y for another year I'm left here behind, Z is for zest I still have-- in my mind!

I've survived all the symptoms, my body's deployed, and I'm keeping twenty-six doctors fully employed!



The "All Chapters Picnic" will be held August 27 at White Banks Park (off Conduit Road) in Colonial Heights. They will have fun, food and games for all to enjoy. See flyer in this newsletter.)

BILLY RUSSELL, CHAPTER RIDE EDUCATOR



95° ... 98° ... 100° ... 105° ...

WOW is it ever HOT!!!

... And when you consider the "Heat Index" it goes up another 5, 10, 15, EVEN 20 OR MORE DEGREES!!

Why do I bring this up while I sit here in my comfortable 72 degree air conditioned room?

Oh, YOU KNOW!!

I'm going to start harping on "Drinking and Riding" again, right?

WRONG!!! Gotcha!!!

While the heat index doesn't affect your ride, I'm going to remind you that your bike feels the heat, too!

We overheat and dehydrate ("DRINK" a LOT) and your #1957 bike can, too. Most of us these days ride

“liquid cooled” bikes – Gold Wings and Valkyrie's and VTX's and the like – and these machines can overheat just like your car can. There are a lot of stories about the cooling fans on Wings and Valkyrie's and their relative efficiencies. Fact is ANY liquid cooled machine (like human beings) can overheat and “boil over”.

If you don't maintain the right level of coolant – OR if you don't use the RIGHT coolant – your bike can suffer. Obviously this can happen in the desert, but it's not limited to that part of the country. Right here in Virginia your bike can overheat and strand you, not to mention the potentially serious damage to the bike, just about any day - Winter or Summer! The recent 100+ degree days make it something you REALLY need to keep an eye on.

Sitting in heavy traffic or at stop lights can “boil your bucket” AND “boil your bike”. Treat her like the best friend she is and give her a break once in a while. Stop, cool off, take a rest ... and let her do the same. YOU can get into an air conditioned building, and she can benefit from a shady spot out of the direct sunlight. YOU can get an ice cold bottle of water and you need to make certain she has enough cool liquid to keep her engine safe.

So check your bike's coolant level, and use only the correct coolant as determined by your bike's builder. Make sure the cooling fans are working right. Just like your oil level, tire pressure, controls, and all other components, coolant is IMPORTANT.

Well WHADDAYANO ... I guess I DID sneak in a little harping on hydration after all, didn't I?? How cool is that?

Keep it COOL, keep it safe, and Keep the rubber side down www



Our well wishes for those ill, injured or hospitalized. Let's please keep these fine folks in our hearts and prayers. If you hear about someone being ill, please pass this info on to Ethel or Rich so we can note this in the newsletter.

- Jennifer Knight, Director of Chapter W in Chester had surgery and has been diagnosed with cancer. Let's keep Jennifer in our hearts, thoughts and prayers as she faces the unknown future treatments, recovery, etc.
- Belle continues to get better. She had 4 stomach surgeries in April and it will take her a long time to recover. She will have to have one more surgery in the fall. Please keep her in your thoughts. She has been a real trooper and is doing so much better now. She thanks everyone for their prayers, the food, cards, and calls.
- Ginny Broughton continues to have back problems which have caused her to postpone their trip out west. We wish her the best and hope she can get some relief with the pain soon. All the best to you Ginny.

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES TO CELEBRATE

Birthdays

Larry Burk 12
Rich Bonham 15

Steve Flournoy 23
Jerry Phinney 26

Anniversaries

Rich and Debbie Bonham 10

Happy 27th Anniversary to
Chapter D

If we don't have you listed in your month, please contact either Ethel Nelmes or Brenda Cook with the relevant dates. Thanks

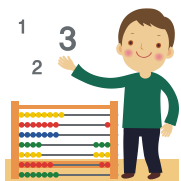


THE COOK'S CORNER by Debbie Bonham

TACO PIE SERVES 6

1 LB. LEAN GROUND BEEF OR GROUND TURKEY
1/2 MEDIUM ONION CHOPPED
1/2 CUP AND 1 TABLESPOON TOMATO SAUCE
1 ENVELOPE TACO SEASONING MIX
1 CAN (8 OZ) CRESCENT ROLLS
1 CUP SOUR CREAM
1 CUP SHREDDED CHEDDAR CHEESE

Brown beef and onion in skillet. Stir in tomato sauce and seasoning. Separate crescent dough into 8 triangles. Place dough in 9" pie pan pressing triangles together to form crust. Spoon meat mixture over crust. Spread sour cream over meat; cover with cheese. Bake at 375 degrees for 20-25 minutes until crust is golden brown. Serve in wedges.



MEMBERSHIP NUMBER

Look for your Membership # in this Newsletter. If you find it and bring your current membership card to the next dinner meeting, you will win ten 50/50 tickets for the drawing at the close of the next monthly meeting. Look for your number in this newsletter. It might be very profitable for you. A member recently won the 50/50 jackpot with his membership # tickets. It might happen to you!

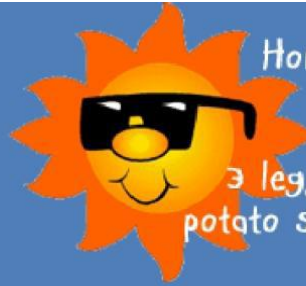
ALL Chapters' Picnic August 27th Free to All GWRRA Members

Menu:

pulled pork
Chicken
potato Salad/Salads
Watermelon
pie
Dessert



Where:
White Bank Park
5501 Conduit RoadMoose Lane,
Colonial Heights, VA
9AM - 3PM



Horse Shoes
Frisbee
Disk Golf
3 legged Races
potato sack races
egg toss
VolleyBall
Bean Carry
pie eating contest
and more.....

SATURDAY AUGUST 27TH

THE ALL CHAPTERS PICNIC



REGISTRATION FORM

(\$5 HANDLING FEE FOR CANCELLATIONS, NO REFUNDS AFTER 09/25/2011)

Rider _____ Age _____ GWRRA # _____ Exp _____
CoRider _____ Age _____ GWRRA # _____ Exp _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone # (____) _____ Miles to Rally (one way) _____ Chapter _____
Arriving Thursday Friday Saturday
One-Up ___ Two-Up ___ Side Car ___ Trike ___ Valkyrie ___ Other ___ For registration confirmation, please include your email
address: (print clearly): _____

Master's Buffet Breakfast:

Number attending _____ x \$5.00 each = _____ Master's Patch Number: _____ Non level family
member/Guest \$9.00.

Pre-Registration

GWRRA Member \$40 x _____ = \$ _____
Non-Member \$45 x _____ = \$ _____
Child \$10 x _____ = \$ _____ Children under 12 is \$10.00, Children under 5 are FREE.

After 09/25/2011 and on-site

GWRRA Member \$45 x _____ = \$ _____
Non-Member \$50 x _____ = \$ _____ Day Pass \$15 x _____ = \$ _____
Shirts total from below: _____ = \$ _____
Total Enclosed: \$ _____ (US Dollars)

I/we agree to hold harmless the GWRRA, the co-sponsoring organizations and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property in
which I/we may become involved by reason of participation in this Rally.

Rider _____ (Signature) Co-Rider _____ (Signature)

Please let us know....Is this your first time attending this Rally?

How did you find about the Rally?

Rally Shirts - All Rally shirt orders must be received no later than September 25, 2011. Shirts may be purchased on site from Freedom
Enterprises Vendor at a slightly higher price.

T-Shirt Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ XL _____	\$13.00 each = _____
XXL _____ XXXL _____	\$15.00 each = _____
Long Sleeve T-Shirt Medium _____ Large _____ XL _____	\$15.00 each = _____
XXL _____	\$17.00 each = _____
Sweat Shirt Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ XL _____	\$19.00 each = _____
XXL _____ XXXL _____	\$21.00 each = _____
Golf Shirt Medium _____ Large _____ XL _____	\$21.00 each = _____
XXL _____	\$23.00 each = _____

Mail registration to Hope Carneal 1613 Dogwood Road Powhatan, VA 23139

**THE DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Presents
the
23rd Annual**

**Salem, Virginia
October 6 to 8, 2011**



**Hay Rides - Pumpkin Carving - Square Dancing
Country Cooking - Door Prizes - Bike Show
Hospitality Room - Seminars - 50/50**



Salem Civic Center, Salem, Virginia (Exit 141 off I-81)

Chapter D July 2011 Rides by Ted Nelmes

July started out with some of the best rides of the year in the Knoxville area during Wing Ding. I think Tennessee, Northern NC and northern GA has some of the best MC roads in the country and we took advantage of them. We stopped at the TN Welcome Center and picked up brochures on great scenic rides in TN. The brochures are broken down into six different areas of TN, and then each area has about six to eight different maps and information on suggested rides. They list the history, things to see and places to eat. So I planned a ride every day. Some of the rides included "Thunder Road" (where moonshine stills and some former NASCAR drivers stayed one step ahead the law), "The Skyway" (voted number one of the top 5 rides in the USA) and of course could not pass up Deal's Gap. Everyone had a fantastic time. From Knoxville Ethel and I rode through the Smoky Mountains to Helen, Georgia (a German Alpine Village) and stayed with some people via the Motorcycle Travel Network in the beautiful smokey mountains then more riding through beautiful mountains and valleys to Ashville as suggested by our new MTN friends. Then we were back home and ready to continue our weekly Tuesday rides.

We are averaging from 10 to 12 bikes every Tuesday and July was no exception. Our first ride was to the Virginia Air and Space Center in Hampton. We traveled all the back shady roads possible on the way to Hampton. The Space Center contains many aircraft from WWII to present including bombers, fighter planes and a Lunar Module. We lunched in Hampton "Old Town" about two blocks from the Space Center. Then more back roads across the James River Bridge around Smithfield via Rt. 10 then more back cool roads to Chester.

With temperatures approaching 100 degrees we decided to head for the mountains on the next Tuesday ride. We were joined by Bob Davenport on his HD during the first part of the ride. He was a past member in Chapter D back in the late 90's. It was great to see and ride with Bob again. Meeting at the Oilville exit off I64 we proceeded on some great scenic back roads to Palmyra, north through some beautiful horse country past Jefferson's Monticello then up Afton Mountain to Marias Restaurant (voted one of the 10 best on I-81) just outside Staunton. Marias home cooking is so good she has a huge freezer in front of the restaurant loaded with all her famous meals for sale. All of her desserts are freshly baked every morning. I took some maple walnut cookies home which were devoured by Ethel and myself the following day. From Marias we preceded on some twisty county roads to the Honda Dealership in Staunton checking out the new 2012 Gold Wing. In addition to the different appearance we found out the seats are much softer than previous years. Since we didn't ride the mountains yet we continued to the

Parkway, south to Rt. 56 for roads and turns that compare to Deals Gap. When I finally arrived back to Chester my odometer revealed that we traveled 330 miles a new mileage record for a Tuesday day ride.

Since we traveled over 300 miles on our last ride we decided to stay closer to Richmond so after meeting at the Exxon Station off exit 22A of I-295 we headed east via country roads to West Point where we took a break for water, etc. then proceeded on Rt. 14 for about 10 miles then looped through farm country to Tappahannock where we had lunch at Lowery's Seafood Restaurant. We had a dining room entirely to ourselves where we could cut up and make all the noise we wanted without bothering anyone. Some of our riders had to be back home by 4:30 so again we took a scenic ride to Frog Level on Rt. 301. We lost about half of the 11 bikes on Rt. 54 and the rest of us had ice cream at McDonalds just west of I-295. On the way back to Chester we discussed how fortunate we were to be able ride almost every Tuesday with great people who share the love of motorcycling, no matter what they ride, who they are and where they came from. How blessed are we? If you have any suggestions for future rides on Tuesday or weekends please contact Ted or Tommy.

NEWS FROM NATIONAL

July 14, 2011

ANNOUNCEMENT:

Phoenix, Arizona—Gold Wing Road Riders Association (GWRRA) announced today it will bring to an end its planning of the Trikes & Bikes Rally that was to be held in Bowling Green Kentucky, September 30-October 2, 2011. This rally was to be a continuation of the five year history of trikes rallies that have been held in great cities like Bardstown, Kentucky and Branson, Missouri.

These rallies focused on the emerging trike industry and were the first in the industry to be primarily geared toward trikes by GWRRA. GWRRA values its partners in the industry, namely the vendors, hotels, the CVB, facilities, all of our Members and guests and especially the Volunteers for supporting our efforts. Given the economic conditions as they are for 2011 and the rallies already planned in this region, GWRRA will look to 2012 for a new venue and a way to make it a bigger and better rally for our Members and vendors. GWRRA wishes to extend our deepest gratitude to the many folks who have helped us over the years with the trike rallies and look forward to serving you better in the years to come.

FOR SALE – Robert Luck from the Enon area in Chester has Amsoil discounted from \$133.00 case to \$98.55. He can be reached at 530-1400.

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GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION
MOTTO: FRIENDS FOR FUN, SAFETY AND KNOWLEDGE

Your Next Gathering will be at Candela's on Midlothian on
AUGUST 24, 2011



QUOTE OF THE MONTH: I don't think anything is unrealistic if you believe you can do it. Richard L. Evans