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Chapter NC-C2

GWRR NC – C2 Smithfield, NC

FRIENDS for FUN, SAFETY, and KNOWLEDGE

July 2016

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"The Wingin' News"

Meetings held at PARKSIDE CAFÉ in Pine Level the 1st Tuesday of each month
Located on Hwy 70 ALT East, I-95 Exit 97, 2 miles on the right past the Robbins Nest Restaurant.
We eat at 6:30 and meet at 7:30 PM.

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Your Chapter Directors Tom and Linda Tipton

July 2016

It's July, time to reflect on our freedoms we take for granted. We should all celebrate! We hope everyone has a fun and safe July 4th Holiday.

July is also hot & dry, or very stormy and humid. Let's all remember these are weather factors that are dangerous, if planned for can be safe and so much fun. Drink plenty of water, have a plan B for stormy weather, and air circulating for humid conditions. This is where the **GOLDWING** comes in !!! ..."circulating the air"...YES SIR-REE. Prepare for the Heat and Stormy Weather on your rides and they will be just as enjoyable as most can be. I will not go into a spill about all the in's and out's of "Hot Weather Riding" because our Chapter Educator does such a great job doing that!

We understand that July 4th may be a slack month for other chapter visitations, and or members being on vacations. No problem do not change your plans for the July 4th Holiday. We will still have a meeting. Understanding that, a few C2 members went and captured a couple of plaques. Thanks again to the members that went to Greensboro with us. As a result of our travels, We captured the Region "N" Plaque, and the Tarheel travelers plaque, we will give them away at our July 5th meeting.

Don't forget to fill your life and the one's around you with LAUGHTER and FUN!

EVERYONE BE SAFE !!!

C2 CD
Tom and Linda

Happy July 4th



**Your Assistant
Chapter Directors
Dale Petzold
and
Jane DiLoreto**

June 2016

Well, the month of June has flown by and, as of this writing, July is only a few days away. Unfortunately, we were dealing with a serious family illness, and so we missed the June chapter meeting and were unable to coordinate a dinner ride. We hope to make up for this in July.

We had fun at the Hillbilly Hoe-Down in Morganton, NC at the beginning of the month. We try to support

other chapters with their fund raising events, as they support us at our Chili Cook-Off in February. Of course, we have a good time doing this, and enjoy the fellowship. We also attended Garner's Mini Rally on the 25th and were able to ride, even with the threat of rain, which we managed to escape. Jane bought a rain suit at Team Power Sports, just in case.

Jane recently heard a quote from Vincent van Gogh that she wanted to share: "I spent so much time inside my own head, that I lost my mind." Just something to remember when you're lying awake at night, unable to sleep, because your mind is racing about things in your life that you have no control over!

Hope to see you at our July meeting. Stay safe and healthy!

Dale and Jane



Ride Coordinator - Jane DiLoreto



Unfortunately, I have little to report regarding rides for the month of June. As most of you know, I spent a good part of the month of June in New York with my twin sister during a serious illness. She is doing much better now and has been moved out of the Cardiothoracic ICU. I want to thank all of you who inquired about Judy's condition, and kept her and me in your thoughts and prayers. I appreciate it greatly.

Some of us started out the month at the Hillbilly Hoe-Down in Morganton, NC. Although this was not a coordinated 'ride' because of different arrival and departure times, we did have fun with each other and members from other chapters. The food was great, as usual, and the location at the foothills is always a treat!

The last weekend of the month, some of us rode to (ride coordinated by Tom) the Garner chapter's Mini Rally at Team Power Sports. Again, we enjoyed good food and fellowship.

Check your e-mail for information about our next dinner ride in July.

Enjoy your summer; stay safe and healthy!

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Rider Education Program

Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge

What Would You Do?

Your Chapter is out on a wonderful ride when all of a sudden you come upon an accident! So would your Members, including your self know what to do? Is your Chapter trained to take the appropriate course of action? After they attend this seminar they should be able to respond to any situation with both knowledge and confidence.

Motorcycle Accident Response Seminar.

You will learn that a Trauma First Aid Kit is more useful than an ordinary small First Aid Kit because of the contents, especially scissors and gauze materials

An accident, in itself, is a very traumatic experience. Therefore, we need to respond immediately and correctly in order to offer proper assistance. We need to stop as safely and quickly as possible and make sure we are out of harm's way.

When it is over everyone needs to go someplace and talk about what just happened. Check each other for shock. It is very important that you do not keep what just happened inside. Hopefully you will never have to deal with an accident scene. However, if you do, you will have the knowledge to do so

LEVELS I, II, III, & IV

Don't forget to keep a check on your levels
To keep them up to date, also plan to update
Your levels at any GWRRA function
During all the classes they offer
Be sure to register soon & take the classes.

Ride Smart & Be Safe!
Charles Langley
C-2
Chapter Educator



Shari and Charles "Sammy" Langley
with Zoey (their granddaughter)



Member Enhancement Program Coordinator (MEPC)

Dale Petzold

As many of you already know, James and Debra Lawler, our District Member Enhancement Program Coordinators, have stepped down from this position due to relocating to Texas because of a job opportunity. They are a great couple who have worked very hard for GWRRA, and who will be missed by its members, and their chapter in Wake Forest.

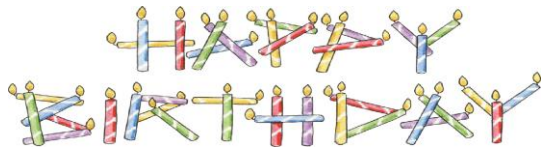
At our next meeting, I hope to go over the list of people associated with C-2, and perhaps come up with some new ideas concerning our membership. Looking forward to seeing you there!

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Happy 4th of July



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Lily Lucier

July 13



None recorded



2016-2017 NC-C2 Chapter Couple Charles and Sue Langley

Hey y'all,

Another 3 year experience!!!! The Bike and Trike Rider Education Course!!! Our chapter was well represented by Tom and Linda, Sammy and Shari, and Charles and I. We received our Completion Cards at Fayetteville on Saturday, June 18. It was a great day with others and we accomplished our goal! We want to continue to keep our levels up and C2 is doing exactly that, trying to be as safe as possible, not only for ourselves but for others.

Just another thought.....

The majority of us use a GPS to reach specific destinations. Sometimes it takes minutes, hours, days, even months to accomplish our trips. We plan each step, plus taking all the items needed while on our journey. Sometimes we take pictures as reminders because we can forget places and events of where we have been. And of course having pictures of FRIENDS is an irreplaceable treasure!! Great memories!!!



Just another thought....

It came to me recently, do we have a moral GPS???? As we are on life's journey, do we make our lifestyle desirable to others? Will they want to be with us? Do we set the example so that others will want to be a part of our lives??? Including the GWRRA Organization???? Let's all try to set our moral GPS so that others will want to join us in the GWRRA FAMILY!! Just a thought....

Love you,
Charles and Sue





From the Brain of your Webmaster.....C a n d i s M e d l i n

July is a vacation month and sometimes we don't have a meeting the month of July. We are having our meeting this year and hope many of you come to join us on Tuesday, July 5th. Several of our members have been riding to some of the chapter meetings lately. They captured the **Tarheel Traveler Plaque** and the Region N Traveler Plaque. Bring four or five people from your chapter and come join us.

The Tarheel Traveler plaque goes to the chapter in North Carolina that travels the most miles from their chapter meeting location to Parkside Restaurant, C2's chapter meeting location. Chapters must have at least four members with them to qualify to capture the plaque and must be having a meeting in July or within 35 days from the day and time captured.

The **Region N Plaque** goes to the chapter who has the most mileage. Mileage is calculated by total miles traveled times the number of members from the chapter plus miles are doubled for members riding their motorcycle (includes co-riders). Chapters from out of North Carolina will get bonus miles (double the total # of miles traveled). Chapters must have at least five people with them to qualify to capture the plaque. Come join us and take home a plaque or two.

Let's Ride – for fun, for fellowship and keep safety on the top of your list.....

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Eat and Meet

Tom Tipton opened the meeting by mentioning Jane's twin sister who is in CCU in Long Island, NY; they both need our thoughts and prayers. Also, continue to remember Jerry and Sig Long who lost their son in an accident as a fireman. Sammy Langley lead us in prayer. We all stood and said the Pledge of Alligence to the Flag and Tom thanked our Veterans for their service.

The Eastern Couples' Plaque was given away Fred and Gail Dietz from NC-D2 New Bern. Roger and SueTurner from NC-X Wake Forest captured the plaque. Fred Dietz and Sue Langley won the meal ticket drawings.

Tom introduced our visitors from the following chapters: X2 Wilkesboro, F2 Garner, K2 Fayetteville, X Wake Forest. John Bryant from Wake Forest announced their upcoming October Fest on October 15 and invited everyone to come for a fun day with them. Also, announced Wing Ding 38 will be in Billings, Montana August 31- September 3, 2016.

Chapter Educator Sammy Langley talked about the Chapter Couples and encouraged all others in the chapter to travel with them. He stated that safety is an important thing to make riding fun. Also he reminded us to make an effort to be educated.

Tom's Motor Awareness tip was don't ride in a car, truck or on a bike in the other vehicles blind spot. If you can't see their face in a side mirror, they can't see you.

The vest drawings were won by Kerney Eason and Debbie Lewis. The cake which was provided by Tom and Linda Tipton was won by Eddie Lewis. It was cut and enjoyed by all.

Three couples played a game where one sat in a chair while the other couple member held a plate on top of their head while drawing a man on a motorcycle with the other member of the couple giving directions as best they could. The winners were Teddy and Deborah and they received \$5.

Clyde Alexander won the "pick a box" game which gained him \$5. Door prizes were passed out. The "guess how many pieces of candy in the jar" was won by Lily Lucier.

The 50/50 was won by Clyde Alexander and Pat Joyner.

Reporter – Dottie Baker



North Carolina District Director

Roy and Cindy Bryant

Oh my, where has the year gone? There is only 6 months left in this year alone, time is going fast. There is only 3 month left before W.O.T.S., the pressure is on. The rally is looking good and I want to "Thank" everyone for your support. It seems that everywhere we go, we get such a warm wel-come and help is being offered to assist with our rally. This is why I say, "NC Members Are Number One", you are always there!

Since our last article, we attend-ed the Region Ride "N". Such a great event for the Region; pulling the Districts together for fun and sitting around getting to know each other. North Carolina was well represented with games and attend-ance even though the weather did-n't make it as pleasant as we would have liked. We had four different games and most of the time there was a line of players waiting their turn to play. Great job Glenda,(Region Director) for putting this together.

I enjoyed a quick visit to Lumberton for K-2 Fayetteville's Mini Rally. Although I was not able to stay all day, I could feel the "fun" in the air and the smell of good hot dogs. Then, to the far east side of NC, I attended E-2 Elizabeth City's Poker Run. Rocky Mount and Smithfield were the only NC chapters to attend.

Remember, you want attendance at your event, so get out to others and help them with theirs.

We then made it over to the west side of NC for the Hillbilly Hoedown. If you have never been, you need to put it on your calen-dars for next year. A weekend of fun, games, socializing and the FOOD is awesome.

Just an easy, laid back fun event in NC.

I need to Thank the District Staff for all they do for W.O.T.S. Most of you don't know how much I depend on this team. Each one on the team has a job to do and they all know how to handle that job. When we hit

a bump or rut, I can count on this Team to unite as one unit, find a way to smooth the bump and take care of what ever comes our way.

I will be losing a member of the District team as James & Debra Lawler will be stepping down from their position. His job will be transferring him to Dallas, TX. While I was not ready to hear this news, I understand family comes first. It will be hard to find a DMEC replacement with all the energy that James and Debra had to offer GWRRA. We do wish them the very best and will miss them. Good luck to them on their new journey.

In closing, Chapter Directors, keep up the good work you do for your members. You are amazing.

MEMBERS ARE NUMBER ONE!!!!

Roy & Cindy Bryant
NC District Directors

NC Assistant District Directors

East - Bobby and Susan Womack

Hello Fellow Wingers,

These months really fly by. Bob-by and I have been busy with work and my family this past month so we really have not had a chance to travel much. We missed Fayetteville's Mini Rally and Eliza-beth City's Poker Run because of the passing of my uncle. He was an avid motorcyclist and had to scale down to a 300cc trike scooter. Even with bad knees and cancer he rode his scooter until cancer had him bedridden. to ride and the park is one of the best. We are looking forward to going and stay-ing in one of the cabins they have to rent for this event. Don't forget your lawn chairs because they have limited seating at the pavilion.



We did get to go the Region N Ride In. The weather cooperated for the most part but if it had been really nice weather it would have been the ideal environment to have a rally. Hungry Mother State Park is absolutely beautiful. The cabins were nice and we had good neigh-bors. There were ducks and a beach to swim, canoes and paddle boats. At the rally site we had games, door prizes and fellowship. Mike Mitchell fixed a great Barbeque lunch with lots of



fixings. We had a good time and it was good to get away. If you made the trip "Thank You". Recently one of the leads in our company made the statement that if you had the opportunity to spend time with friends, faith or family you should take the opportunity and do it. I think that was excellent ad-vice. We have Garner's "Lord of the Wings" coming up on 06/25/2016. There again the 25th is a very busy day with the

Couple's Retreat and NC-W's Feed the Hungry Ride. Bobby and I will be attending Garner's Rally. Just be safe whichever way you go. Go

with friends or family and have a great time. Have you made your plans to attend Wings Over the Smokies. We do need your help in making this event fun and exciting. Chapter Directors will be asking for volunteers to help work and sale Grand Prize tickets. Please do your part to help. Thank you to all of you who have helped for so many years. It is a lot easier and more fun for everyone when you participate. We look forward to seeing you later this month. Ride safe and ride often!



Until next time....Be Safe and Be Careful,
Bobby and Susan Womack
Asst. District Directors - East



Region N Director Thoughts

What a busy, fun April and May we have had. As I told you last month, Alan and I were on the road for three weeks in April. We started off in Charleston, South Carolina by way of Helen, Georgia and ended up in Pigeon Forge for the Tennessee "Spring Fling" rally. I want to take this opportunity to congratulate Gary & Patti Hamilton and their team for one of the most fun rallies we have been to lately. The talent show was a hit all across the board. This set the bar really high. Kudos, Tennessee.

May 20 – 21 the Region held a ride in at Hungry Mother State Park in Marion, Virginia. Mother Nature threw some challenges our way with the weather. Friday was cold and windy and Saturday threatened rain all day. The worst part of that being, many of you who came didn't ride your bike. The Dragon's Back is a great ride, I hope you get to return to that area and ride it. My team and I want to thank those of you who braved the elements to come have fun with us. We had some new games to play (How many of you could ring the bell? Did anyone make it all the way across the country without fouling out?) as well as some of your favorites (PLINKO, Hi-Lo, and BINGO among others). We gave away some super prizes provided by your districts (Great job you guys). We gave away a little dough with 50/50. Rider Ed folks had games and gave away some great prizes too. If that weren't enough, we all chowed down on some of Mike Mitchell's bodacious Bar-B-Que on Saturday. All in all, if you didn't make it you missed a FUN time and we hope you make it a point to join us the next time. Speaking of the next time, do you have a great park or other

venue close to you that you'd like to see the Region visit in the coming years? Send your suggestions to me and we will try to accommodate as many as we can. Plans are winding up for the Region "N" Rally, The Appalachian Fall Finale, in November. Watch the website for the flyer coming soon.

We are looking forward to the Lead Like You Ride program coming up on June 25th in Pigeon Forge. I have been promised a fun learning experience and am really looking forward to it. We hope to see a lot of you there.

Until next time, remember to ride safe, ride often, and above all else have FUN.

Glenda and Alan Keough
Region "N" Directors



2016 Dates to Remember..... **Flyers for events are on District Web Site**

Chapter NC-Y2 Matthews will not have a meeting in July

If you plan to visit any chapters and I hope you will, be sure to check the District Web Site to make sure they are having a meeting in July. Steve Craig does a good job of keeping this information updated as he is notified of cancellations.

July 22-23, 2016 West Virginia "Down Home Rally" TBA
 August 13, 2016 NC-T2 Albemarle "School Tools Ride" RPM Cycles (flyer)
 August 18-20, 2016 Kentucky "The Blast" TBA

September 22-24, 2016
 NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT'S 33RD ANNUAL "WINGS OVER the SMOKIES"

July 2016

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | P2 Forest City now meets Forest City Café, 2270 U.S. Hwy. 74A bypass, Forest City, NC | | G High Point Cabo Grill Mexican Restau & Seafood, 10210 N.Main St., Archdale, NC. Eat at 6:30pm gather at 7:30 | 1 Game night at Wendy's | 2 S2 Sanford 11 G2 Waynesville 4 Y2-Matthews 10 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 C2 Smithfield 730 at Parkside | 6 | 7 V Statesville D Greenville 730 G High Point 730 | 8 Game night at Wendy's | 9 L2 Mooresville 930 X2 Wilkesboro 2 U2 Laurinburg 3 I Asheville 9/10 |
| 10 X WakeForest 5/6 PM O2 Hickory 6 | 11 | 12 B2 Winston Salem 730 P2 Forest City 730 Z Rocky Mount 730 | 13 | 14 A Greensboro 730 T2 Albemarle 730 | 15 Game night at Wendy's | 16 Q Wilmington 6 M2 Hendersonville 9 |
| 17 | 18 W Eden 730 D2 NewBern 730 | 19 E Cary 730 L Gastonia 7 M Salisbury 7 | 20 | 21 F2 Garner 730 H2 Durham 730 E2 Eliz City 700 | 22 Game night at Wendy's West VA | 23 Y Morganton 7 "Down Home Rally" |

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| 24 K2 Fayetteville 2 31 | 25 | 26 R Thomasville 730 | 27 | 28 N Burlington 730 | 29 | 30 |
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