

- From the Directors -

Hello Riders!! Wow, what a month it's been! Of course there was another fantastic Maintenance Day, followed by "The Bridge" Ride. Again, thank you to everyone that made both events successful. For those that receive the "Life After 50" magazine, please keep an eye out for an article about our ride.



I understand there was a campout with rides as well. Unfortunately, we were unable to participate and I'm still waiting for the pictures (if there are any). I understand that everyone had a good time. Sorry we missed it.

What we did not miss was the Region F Convention in St George UT. Along with us were the Child's, the Edward's, Ralph & Gene. Seemed as though everyone had a good time. The Dixie Center is certainly a great place for a convention. Ralph faired quite well with his entry in the Light Show (1st) and the Bike Show (2nd). Congratulations!! Never underestimate a man in yellow tights....

And now it's June, how did we get here already?? Goes way too fast. But, we had another great meeting, including the return of one May first-timer, Gene, and two new first-timers, Bob & Dan. Welcome to all of you! We look forward to seeing you on our rides and at our future activities. Please look at the Upcoming Events section to see all the things we have going on in June. It's going to be busy. We won't have any excuses for getting bored, that's for sure. As usual, watch your emails as I will do my best to keep you up-to-date.

Until the next time . . . keep the shiny side up!

Don & Cathy

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Couple of the Year (COY) - Doug & Marilyn Irish

Individual of the Year (IOY) - Ralph Clayton

Members of the Year - Darrell & Laurie Cruzan

Visit us at
www.springswings.org

CHAPTER I MEETING
July Date Change

WHEN
2nd SATURDAY, JULY 13
8:30 coffee, 9:00 meeting

LOCATION
Holy Cross Lutheran Church
4125 Constitution Ave.

GOOFY



Goofy is awarded to one Chapter member who has done the goofiest thing since the last meeting. Goofy gets to spend the next month with that person. The person receiving Goofy must add or attach something that represents their "goofy" stunt.

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Dates to Remember

- Jun 8**—Ride to the Pantry—Green Mtn Falls
Patricia Hales
- Jun 9**—RIDE FOR KIDS & CAR SHOW
Golden, CO
- Jun 12**—HU—HOT MONGOLIAN GRILL—6:00
Constitution & Powers—Lamont Rigby
- Jun 14-16** ALL DISTRICT CAMPOUT
Royal Gorge KOA
- Jun 16**— **HAPPY FATHER'S DAY**
- Jun 22**—MULTI-CHAPTER RIDE / BENT'S FORT
Chapter J
- Jun 29**—WYOMING DISTRICT RALLY –
Sundance, WY
- Jul 3-6**—WING DING / GREENVILLE, SC
- Jul 4**—**HAPPY 4TH OF JULY**
July 13—CHAPTER I Meeting
- July 13**—COPPER MTN Ride—Chapter L
- July 27**—Hummer of a Summer
Chapter J Fundraiser
- Aug 15-17**—Regional Convention
Granby, CO

Birthdays

JUNE

3- BEN APPLE
14-DOROTHY TOLLIVER
27-MIKE DAY

Anniversaries

JUNE

8-TERRY & VONDA WEBER
13-DEAN & JOANN HAUSER
22-MIKE & TAMMY DAY
DICK & DIDI REISLER
27-CHONGO & BARBARA MESTAS

JULY GOODIES

****VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED****

**PLEASE REFER TO THE
REGIONAL NEWSLETTER**

**FOR MORE EVENTS/
ACTIVITIES INFORMATION**

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Doug & Marilyn Irish
2013

Members of the Year
Darrell & Laurie Cruzan
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Ralph Clayton
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RIDER EDUCATION

Demonstration of Motion Induced Blindness

From the Motorcycle Safety Foundation: It works exactly like it says, and is one major reason people in cars can 'look right at you' (when you're on a motorcycle or bicycle)--- AND NOT SEE YOU.

From a former Naval Aviator: This is a great illustration of what we were taught about scanning outside the cockpit when I went through training back in the '50s. We were told to scan the horizon for a short distance, stop momentarily, and repeat the process. I can remember being told why this was the most effective technique to locate other aircraft. It was emphasized (repeatedly) to NOT fix your gaze for more than a couple of seconds on any single object. The instructors, some of whom were WWII veterans with years of experience, instructed us to continually "keep our eyes moving and our head on a swivel" because this was the best way to survive, not only in combat, but from peacetime hazards (like a midair collision) as well. We basically had to take the advice on faith (until we could experience for ourselves) because the technology to demonstrate it didn't exist at that time.

Motion Induced Blindness - demonstration

<http://www.msf-usa.org/motion.html>



EVENTS/ACTIVITIES

COLORADO RIDE FOR KIDS, benefiting the **PEDIATRIC BRAIN TUMOR FOUNDATION**.

Sunday, June 9th at the **Jefferson County Human Services Bldg.**,

900 Jefferson County Pkwy., Golden, CO 80401.

Please join us for the ride and festivities, and make this a successful event!

Breakfast at The Pantry, Green Mountain Falls

- **When: Saturday, 8 June 2013**

- Meet at Apex at 8:30 a.m.
- Kick-stands up at 8:40 a.m.

- **What's For Breakfast:**

- Biscuits and Gravy
- Sausage
- Bacon
- Home Fried Potatoes
- Breakfast Burritos
- Eggs to Order
- Egg Omelets to Order
- Pancakes
- Fruit
- Coffee, Tea, Lemonade or Water

- **How much:**

\$11.49 Per Person



JULY 11th - 14th Camping trip. We have set it for the Buena Vista KOA, They have plenty of sites and are very willing to work with us to keep us close together. Please contact them as soon as you can and make sure you let them know you are with Chapter I of the Gold Wing group. Please let me know who all is going and when you have taken care of your reservation please. We will get back with you to set up a breakfast ride for Sat. morning, pot luck for Friday and Saturday evenings if that is what the group would like to do. Thank you and we look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

Sincerely,

Ken and Bonnie Kerbs

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SOME GOT OUT AND RODE...

Saturdays Ride 5/25

I met Bob Nyquist, Gene Downen, Rocky and Ray & Carole Moravek at Black Bear Coffee. From there, we went up to Westcliffe and then on to La Veta and had lunch.

Ray and Carole needed to get back home so they headed to Walsenburg and took 25 back to the Springs.

The rest of us headed West on Rt. 160 to Rt. 150 heading to the Sand Dunes. From there we went to Mosca to Catch Rt. 285. Next on to Salida for a rest stop. From Salida we headed for Buena Vista and took Rt.24 back to the Springs.

Thanks to those who joined me. Had a great time. Nice scenery as usual.

Round trip for me was 464 miles. Nice day ride.

Chris A. Ward



SEASON OPENER FIRST CAMP & RIDE

Chapter I Campers gathered at the Royal Gorge KOA May 10—12 to open the 2013 Camping Season. What an awesome turnout !! Can't say I ever had so much fun playing baseball!! Great fun, friends, food and some riding too !! Sorry, didn't get pics of the ride after breakfast at none other than Texas Creek, but sure enjoyed it!



SUNDAY BRUNCH RIDE

Several of us got out Sun, May 19th and rode to Bailey, CO to enjoy Breakfast, followed by a ride home filled with opportunity for the riders to hone their riding skills at the same time, as the paving of Tarryall Road has not **'completely'** been redone ! It's gonna be great when it is !!!



ALL CHAPTER PICNIC

Some pictures from the
All Chapter Picnic.
Chris A. Ward



YUMMY RECIPES & OTHER THINGS

Spinach Balls

2 packages frozen chopped, defrosted, drained spinach
6 eggs
¾ cup melted butter
2 cups dried cubed bread crumbs (like Pepperidge Farm stuffing)
1 cup parmesan cheese, grated
Pepper to taste

Mix all together and form into balls. Bake at 350 for 10 minutes. Serve warm.
Makes about 3 dozen

Sandie Erskine

AS REQUESTED BY
POPULAR DEMAND

FOR SALE

30" STAINLESS STEEL 4-BURNER

GAS KITCHEN STOVE

NEAR NEW - \$200

Contact: RAY & NANCY DANIELS [488-8841]

Newsletter Editor apologies to Ray & Nancy. This was supposed to have been included in the last Newsletter.

Colorado

All Chapter Camp-out



Date: June 14-16, 2013

Location: Royal Gorge KOA, 559 County Road 3A, Canon City, CO 81212

The campout is coming real soon. We visited the campgrounds last week and think that it is going to be a fun time for all. Here is a schedule of events and some notes:

Fri, June 14 -- **6:00pm** Appetizer/pool party. Meet at the pool. Bring an appetizer to share for about 35 people.

Sat, June 15 -- **7:30am** Chapter I is leading a ride which will include a stop for breakfast. Meet in front of check-in.

10:30am Photo Scavenger Hunt. Meet in front of check-in.

1:00pm Chapter I is leading a ride and will be back in time for the cookout. Meet in front of check-in.

4:00pm Cookout/carry-in. Bring your meat/chicken/fish to grill, a dish to share and your table service, including plate, silverware and drink. Meet at the picnic shelter.

***I have a grill for the cookout and will need one more, so please let me know if you have one. See you soon!

EVENTS/ ACTIVITIES

24th Annual "Wingin' the Rockies" Colorado's "Rocky Mountain High" District Convention



August 15-17, 2013
The Inn at SilverCreek
62927 US Hwy 40, Granby, CO
(888) 878-3077 option 2



**Special Room Rates ONLY if you mention you're with
Gold Wing Road Riders Association**

*Register for the Convention and make your hotel reservation
by Memorial Day and become eligible to win \$200*

PLEASE Rider: _____ GWRRA # _____ Chap: _____
COMPLETE Rider: _____ GWRRA # _____ Chap: _____
ALL BLANKS Co-Rider: _____ GWRRA # _____ Chap: _____

Mailing Street Address: _____ Phone: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ e-mail: _____

Pre-Registration (Post-Marked no later than July 27, 2013)

Member \$25.00 X ___ = \$ _____
 Non-Member \$30.00 X ___ = \$ _____

Friday Night Dinner \$25.00 X ___ = \$ _____

*Your dinner reservation helps us keep prices low!
(Dinner is by Pre-registration Only)*

Entertainment follows—no charge

Opening 50/50 Tickets (20) \$10.00 X ___ = \$ _____

Regular Registration (Post-Marked after Jul 27, 2013)

Member \$30.00 X ___ = \$ _____

Non-Member \$35.00 X ___ = \$ _____

DAY REGISTRATION \$25.00 X ___ = \$ _____

Pre-Registration Shirt Order Total = \$ _____

Grand Total Enclosed = \$ _____

Check # _____ **\$20 Fee for Refunds**

**Top Quality T-Shirts are guaranteed
ONLY with Pre-Registration
Post-Marked by Jul 27, 2013**

Short Sleeve T-Shirt

Small \$16 X ___ = \$ _____
 Medium \$16 X ___ = \$ _____
 Large \$16 X ___ = \$ _____
 X-Large \$16 X ___ = \$ _____
 2X-Large \$20 X ___ = \$ _____
 3X-Large \$20 X ___ = \$ _____

*It can get very cool at
night in Colorado.
So, also order your
sweatshirt below!*

Long Sleeve T-Shirt

Small \$19 X ___ = \$ _____
 Medium \$19 X ___ = \$ _____
 Large \$19 X ___ = \$ _____
 X-Large \$19 X ___ = \$ _____
 2X-Large \$23 X ___ = \$ _____
 3X-Large \$23 X ___ = \$ _____

Sweatshirts

\$26 X ___ = \$ _____
 \$26 X ___ = \$ _____
 \$26 X ___ = \$ _____
 \$26 X ___ = \$ _____
 \$30 X ___ = \$ _____
 \$30 X ___ = \$ _____

Order Total for ALL Shirts = \$ _____

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Agreement: The undersigned agrees to comply with the ideals and rules governing this event and to hold harmless the GWRRA, its officers, representatives, co-sponsoring organizations, and property owners for any loss or injury to self or property, and agrees to assume responsibility for any property which I/We damage.

Rider _____ Rider _____ Co-Rider _____

Date _____ Date _____ Date _____

May 11, 2013

EVENTS/ ACTIVITIES



COLORADO GWRRA BLACK HILLS ALL CHAPTER EVENT

AUGUST 30 – SEPTEMBER 2, 2013

KEMP KAMP CABINS AND CAMPGROUND

1022 OLD HILL CITY ROAD, KEYSTONE SOUTH DAKOTA

1.5 Miles from Keystone on County Road 323

TENT SITE - \$26.00 Per Day with no hookups for 2 people – \$3.50 for each additional person over age 7

PULL THRU RV SITE - \$44.50 Per Day with water, sewer, electric, satellite TV & Free Wi-Fi

CREEK SIDE RV SITE - \$44.50 Per Day with water, sewer, electric, satellite TV & Free Wi-Fi

ON SITE TENT CAMPERS - \$49.00 Per Day - \$5.00 for each additional person over age 7

Cabin - \$79.00 – 2 Double Beds with all facilities included – Sleeps 4

Deluxe Cabin - \$179.00 – 2 rooms with Queen Beds in each – Sleeps 4 - \$10.00 for each additional person over age 7 – Fold Down Futon sleeps 2

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