

SPRINGS WINGS



CHAPTER I MONTHLY GATHERING

WHEN

1st SATURDAY

8:30 coffee, 9:00 meeting

LOCATION

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
4125 Constitution Ave.

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COUPLE OF THE YEAR (COY) - Cliff & Myra Childs

INDIVIDUAL OF THE YEAR (IOY) - Joe Carlson

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www.SpringsWings.org

-From the Director's Desk -

Jacque and I left for Arkansas right after our March chapter meeting to visit with my Dad. He lives in the very northwest corner of Arkansas which is Ozark country. This is fantastic, beautiful country. There is not a straight road, nor is any of it flat for miles and miles and miles. What a great place to go for a motorcycle ride...I really wish that we had our bike for this trip. The weather has been great with temps in the mid 70s. As you can imagine, we are really getting excited about this year's riding season. Maybe next time I'll ride the Wing out to see Dad.

GWRRA activities are really ramping up now that spring is nearly here. We're moving from Training season to Riding season. Now's the time to get the bike out to get it ready to ride...to get you ready to ride! This is a good time to schedule advanced riding courses to keep up your skills and levels program. It's probably a good time to go down to Apex to see what is new for this riding season as well.

Here are a few March activities that are coming up to get you ready for riding and of course seeing our friends that inspire us to ride...

Chapter-B is having their annual Birthday Party Fundraiser on Saturday, March 11th starting at 9:30AM. Please plan to join them at the Triumph High School (1250 West College Dr, Cheyenne, WY). Please contact Marla (rugratlover2@gmail.com) for tickets and more information. They will be raffling 2 helmets for this fundraiser. Pre-sale tickets are \$10 and \$12 at the door.

Don't miss this opportunity to take the MFA/CPR course sponsored by Chapter-G. This course is using the newly updated guidelines. The course is at Johnson's Corner in Johnstown starting at 10:00am (following the CO-G meeting). The cost is \$25 for Colorado GWRRA members. Please contact Hugh Curley to register and for more information (hcurley@indra.com, 303-747-6407).

Here is a great opportunity to have a day of training and education about riding safely at Fay Myers Day of Training on March 25th. There will be seven classes presented including Riding Mountains, Hills and Curves, Team & Group Riding and many more. Come and take any one of them or all of the courses.

Finally, I just had to share a photo from a few years ago of my dad sitting on (a stationary) Gold Wing. He's not dressed for the ride, but he sure enjoyed sitting on the bike thinking about going for a ride.



Ride safe, and we will see you out there.

Steve & Jacque
Colorado Chapter I Directors



THOUGHTS FROM THE BACK SEAT

Our very cold, snowy temperatures for today reminded me of a time in my childhood.

Money was still scarce, my mom was working at, Burger King, making VERY little a hour. By the time we paid for all living expenses, heat, electricity and water, there was no money left for food.

My wonderful great grandma, concerned for our welfare came by one day with a HUGE bag of flour and a HUGE bag of beans.....yay! We were going to eat! May I preface my next paragraph by saying, my mom never cooked because she loved too, rather because people needed to eat.

For weeks and weeks and weeks and weeks, more then I can count, after my great grandma's generous delivery, we ate beans and my mom's, soda biscuits. We had them for breakfast, for lunch, for dinner and any time in between.

Don't get me wrong, I was so very grateful to have something to eat, but my mom's biscuits were HARD to eat,(hard being the operative word.). I don't think they could have put a hole in a wall if you threw them but they certainly could have broken something. Bless my mom's heart, she tried, she really did, but those biscuits went down slowly, especially with no butter, honey or jelly to soften the blow.



As you bring canned goods to the church's food pantry or put cash into our food pantry bucket, consider this; it is VERY likely you are putting a sparkle back into a child's eyes, a smile back on a child's face who has been eating, RAMEN, every single day or maybe some very hard soda biscuits.

Jacque Callicott
Chapter I Director



Don & Jackie Lacasse
Assistant Chapter I Directors

Birthdays

MAR 2017

- 6- Earl Edwards
- 8- Don Bush
- 13- Sandie Erskine
Carmelia Olson
- 18- Gene Krull
- 28- Wilma Brown
Don Benuska
- 30- DickReisler



Anniversaries

MAR 2017

- 31- Cliff & Myra Childs



Chapter I
2017

Couple
of the Year

Cliff & Myra
Childs

Chapter I
2017

Individual
of the Year

Joe Carlson

Welcome Spring

APRIL GOODIES

Rich & Donna Noah
Steve Garcia

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Dates to Remember

- SEE FLYERS FOR DETAILS -

March 11-Wyoming Chapter B-Annual Birthday Party

March 18-MFA/CPR Course CO-G-Johnson's Corner

March 25-Fay Myers Motorcycle World-Riders Ed Training - FREE!!

April 9-CO-A Breakfast Fun~Draiser-Littleton, CO

May 26-28-Region F Convention-Star Pass, Tucson, AZ

Aug 24-26-ALOHA CO District Convention-Salida

Aug 29-Sept 1-Wing Ding Convention-Grapevine, TX

*Refer also to the Colorado District Calendar
for other dates/events*

LET'S GET READY FOR SOME CAMPING !!!

— Planning in process —

- Be on the lookout for Dates and Info -

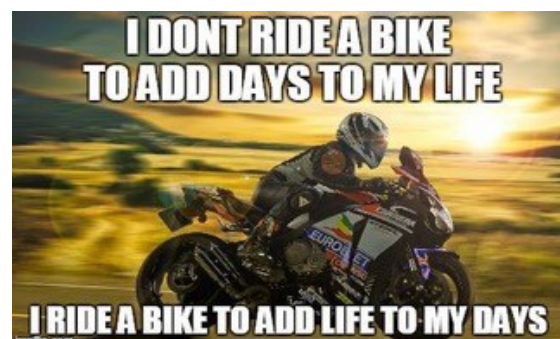
YOU'RE KIDDING ME!!!! MORE TRAINING!!!

So I was scanning through the internet and just happen to find a YouTube article on "The total Cost of a CCW". (Conceal Carry Weapon). So I clicked on the nine minute video and I hear this guy named John start talking about gun ownership and what you needed to get started. Well the first thing you need is a gun. There are cheap and expensive guns, or you can go the middle of the road. Then you need to get certified to carry. Then ammo, hollow points for self-defense and target ammo for practice. Then a good belt to hold a good holster. Yea, yea, yea, blah, blah, blah until he came to TRAINING. Now you *should* have a refresher course after you got your certification. **RE-FRESH...YOU'RE KIDDING ME!!!**

After you think about it, everybody needs a refresher course of some kind no matter what your occupation or you leisure pastime. For example, plumbing. They don't use the black or bronze ball we used to see in the tank. Now it's a small float. The ball no longer exists if you want to stay current. And my favorite, the IT department. You buy a new computer and by the time you get home it is already outdated. Technology is forever changing and upgrading. And for motorcycling, we need to upgrade and refresh our skills to stay on top of our game. We should refresh our skills so that our skills can be as sharp as the need to be.

Remember: You always want to get off the motorcycle the same way you got on...**UNASSISTED.**

Earl Edwards
Chapter Educator



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! IT'S BACK !

WHERE'S THE WING ??

Do you know where the Wings in this photo are?

EMAIL RESPONSES TO: co_Inewsletter@yahoo.com.

PRIZE: The first correct email response will win 5 -50/50 tickets at the Next Month's gathering.

Email your answer to: co_Inewsletter@yahoo.com



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Wyoming Chapter B is
having our annual Birthday
Party fundraiser on
Saturday March 11th at
9:30 am. Triumph High
School at 1250 West
College Dr Cheyenne, WY
We are pre-selling tickets
for \$10 and \$12 at the
door. There is a raffle \$5
or 3/\$10

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MFA/CPR Course

♥ *New Revised Guidelines* ♥

Sponsored by CO-G Northern Colorado

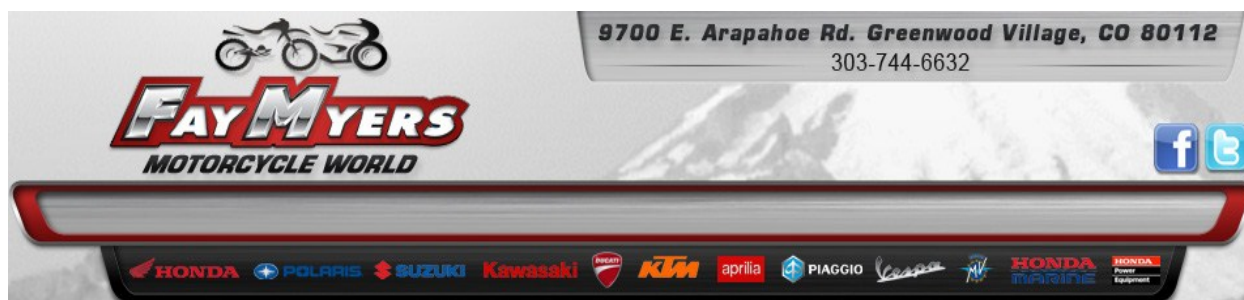
When: Saturday, March 18, 2017
10a-3p (following CO-G gathering)

Where: Johnson's Corner
I -25 at Exit 254
Johnstown

Cost: \$25 for Colorado GWRRA Members

RSVP: Hugh Curley
hcurley@indra.com
303-747-6407

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Gold Wing Road Riders Association, Colorado District along with Fay Myers Motorcycle World

Invites you to:

WHAT: A day of training & education about riding safely along with information about the Gold Wing Road Riders Association (GWRRA)

WHEN: Saturday, March 25, 2017

8:30 am to 4:15 pm

WHERE: Fay Myers Motorcycle World

FREE!!

7 Classes to be presented will be:

8:30 – 9:30	Riding Mountains, Hills and Curves
9:30 – 10:30	Riding with the New and/or Inexperienced Riders
10:30 – 11:30	Distracted Drivers
11:30 – 12:30	Motorcycling for the Mature Rider
12:30 – 1:15	Lunch Break**
1:15 – 2:15	Motorist Awareness – Share the Road
2:15 – 3:15	Co-Rider Seminar (core)
3:15 – 4:15	Team/Group Riding

**** There are several fast food establishments nearby, or bring your own lunch.
There is a microwave as well as a small kitchen available for our use****

Come to one of them OR come to all of them!



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CHAPTER 'A' BREAKFAST FUN~DRAISER



Sunday April 9, 2017

9:00am – 11:30am

Littleton Seventh-day Adventist Church
7400 S. Windermere St.
Littleton, CO 80120

*Come and ENJOY
50/50, AUCTION
and a GREAT
BREAKFAST*



PRICE: \$10 advanced (\$13 at the door)

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GWRRA Region "F"un Family Reunion!
 For IRS purposes - Convention
May 26-28, 2017
JW Marriott Tucson Starr Pass Resort & Spa
3800 W. Starr Pass Boulevard Tucson AZ 85745
1-520-792-3500



3 Nights of FUN, and CELEBRATION!!!!

Plan for FUN, United for FAMILY!!!

Daily 50/25/25

Bike Show

Full First Aid/CPR Class

Couple & Individual of the Year Selection

Rider Ed Games

Rider Education and Leadership Seminars

Master's Luncheon on Sunday

Convention Pin & Door Prizes

¹ ARC and TRC Courses

Light Parade and Show

Vendors, including Bling & Chrome

\$1,000 CASH GRAND PRIZE
Tires, Special Gifts and more

PREREGISTRATION ENDS MAY 1, 2017 - After that date, no meals or shirts will be available

GWRRA Members (\$10 more on site) ²

Non Members (\$10 more on site) ²

Dinner on Saturday Night

Chicken ___ Beef ___ Veggie ___

First Aid/CPR ___ Full (Sat.) ___ Full (Sun.)

ARC or TRC ___ ARC ___ TRC(+ \$5 for 2 up)

Master's Luncheon # of attendees

On Sunday Master # ___ # ___

\$1000 Grand Prize (\$1.00 each at rally)

**** Must be present to win ****

Preregistration 50/25/25 - Strips of 10

50/25/25 - Strips of 100

(ITCP) Instructor Training Certification Program ³

(OCP) Officer Certification Program ⁴

Road Captain Course ⁵

Convention Shirt:

Short Sleeve Polo:

Short Sleeve T-shirt:

Long Sleeve T-shirt:

Size choice for either style shirt ___s___m___l___xl

___2xl___3xl___4xl add \$2.00 to prices above

Put check mark to indicate type of payment-credit card info to right

Check ___ Credit Card ___ **GRAND TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$** _____

Make Checks payable to Region F

No refunds after May 10th

MORE UP TO DATE INFO AND SCHEDULE

WWW.GWRRA-RegionF.org

Send to:

Patti O'Neill

1828 Bel Air Ave

San Jose, CA 95128

pattioneill.gwrara@gmail.com

No refunds after May 10th

Credit Card: V/MC/D

CC # _____

Exp Date: _____ Security #: _____

Footnotes

¹: Classroom is Friday AM, Range on Sat. Each class limited to first 12 sign ups.

²: NEW? Join GWRRA at the convention and registration is free!

³: \$10 Fee will be refunded upon arrival at class. Class will be held from 8-5 on Friday.

⁴: \$10 Fee will be refunded upon arrival at class. Class will be held from 8-5 on Saturday.

⁵: Road Captain Class 1up \$10 per student and 2up \$15 per couple. This class has a \$5 rebate and you will receive a patch when completed. Must do both class and road portion to complete the course.

Rider: _____ GWRRA #: _____ Attended before _____

Co-Rider: _____ GWRRA #: _____ Attended before _____

Address: _____ Chapter: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Position with GWRRA _____

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

The undersigned, agree to comply with the ideals governing this event and to hold harmless the GWRRA, co-sponsoring organizations and property owners for any loss or injury to self or property in which I/we may become involved, and I/we agree to assume responsibility for any property which I/we knowingly damage.

Rider Signature: _____ Co-Rider Signature: _____

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28th Annual "Wingin' the Rockies"

Colorado's District Rally

August 24-26, 2017

Chaffee County Fairgrounds, Salida Colorado!

Our Host Hotel is the **BAYMONT Inn & Suites!**

7400 W US Highway 50, Salida, Colorado 81201 Phone 719-539-8500

Cite "Colorado GWRRA" to get the special rate of \$105+tax & fees.
GWRRA rate is NOT available with online booking or the 800 Number.
Rooms are limited, so reserve early to book your room choice.
Kings and Double Queens are available. ALL rooms are non-smoking.



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

Mailing Street Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ e-mail: _____

Must be present to win!

Registration Fees (\$5.00 more onsite, except for DAY PASS)

GWRRA Member BEFORE MAY 1 \$25.00 X _____ = \$ _____
GWRRA Member MAY 1 or after \$30.00 X _____ = \$ _____
Non-Member \$35.00 X _____ = \$ _____
DAY PASS (each day) \$20.00 X _____ = \$ _____

\$15 fee on all refunds. No refunds issued after August 1st.

Thursday Night Dinner

FREE but PLEASE tell us how many _____

Friday Night Dinner \$23.00 X _____ = \$ _____

(Friday Dinner is by EARLY registration Only)

Opening 50/50 Tickets (30) \$10.00 X _____ = \$ _____

(Drawing at Opening Ceremonies - MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN!)

Grand Prize Tickets (50) \$20.00 X _____ = \$ _____

(At the Rally only 40 for \$20 - MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN!)

Early registration Shirt Order Total = \$ _____

Total Training Fee Due (from the back) = \$ _____

Grand Total Enclosed or paid by Credit Card = \$ _____

Check Deposit Conf No. _____ Check # _____

Quality Aloha Shirts are guaranteed ONLY with Registrations Received by July 17, 2017



Toucan



Blue



Red

EXACT SHIRT MAY DIFFER FROM PICTURE

Number of Each Style

Short Sleeve Hawaiian Shirt	Toucan	Blue	Red
Small \$25 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____
Medium \$25 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____
Large \$25 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____
X-Large \$25 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____
2X-Large \$27 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____
3X-Large \$29 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____
4X-Large \$31 X _____ = \$ _____	_____	_____	_____

Order Total for ALL Shirts = \$ _____

Early registrations must be paid in full. Cash, Checks (made payable to Colorado District) or Major Credit Cards are accepted.

If paying by Credit Card, please provide your

Credit Card Information to the right. →

Send Form with **Randall Drake, Treas.**
payment to: **10813 W Hinsdale Dr.**
Littleton, CO 80127

OR SCAN & EMAIL TO:
HookdOnDis@gmail.com
303-933-6073

Name: _____
Card Type: (____ Visa) (____ MasterCard) (____ Discover) (____ AMEX)
Card #: _____
Exp Date (MM/YY): ____/____ CVV#: _____ Billing ZIP: _____
(CVV is the 3 digit # on the back, or 4 digit # on the front for AMEX)

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: _____

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CHAPTER SHIRT EXAMPLES

Front

Back



**Front
Only**


Several people have recently expressed interest in Chapter Shirts.

**Please Contact
Don Crusan or Steve &
Jacque Callicott**

Trying to get a new list going. Can get shirts ordered once enough requests for a minimum

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COMMUNITY SERVICE



**FOOD PANTRY
478.5 Pounds!!
Thank you!**

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*Barrys Den @ Texas Creek
Junction*

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27077 US HWY 50 Texas Creek Co
81223*

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(719) 275 3275 Store

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Brandy@Barrysdn.com
Barrysdn.com*

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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.

Members, be on the look out for someone pulling a Goofy.

No one was nominated this month,
so Goofy went back home.

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