



Friends for Fun, Safety & Knowledge



Chapter I
Monthly Gathering

When
1st Saturday
8:30 am Coffee, 9:00 am Meeting

TBA
Location

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
4125 Constitution Ave
Colorado Springs, CO 80909

310-1198



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Motorist Awareness Program Coordinator - volunteer needed
Chapter Skill Enhancement Advisor (NEW) -volunteer needed

Couple of the Year (COY)

Glenn Goode and Alexis DeCrescenzo

Individual of the Year (IOY)

Robbie Bussard

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Springs Wings Directors

News from the Directors seat!

Good News and Bad News

The bad news first -the 4 corners Rally has been cancelled. We know that was a real bumner for those who were looking forward to it. It seems 2020 will be remembered by the cancellations.

Now for the good news – we are still a Chapter and some are willing to meet despite the Covid-19 uprising.

Last Saturday, July 11th, there were 13 members and 6 bikes that attended the meeting, played 50/50, shared some laughs and stories then ate a bit.

After the meeting, 7 guys got busy tearing down pieces and parts to perform maintenance on 5 bikes. Fork seals, oil change and air filters. The pieces and parts were kept neat and organized and for most it was rather quick. Claude brought his Valkyrie in to change the fork seals but discovered it was a bit different from a Wing. By 4 o'clock Don Cruzan and Claude decided to investigate how to pull the old seals a little closer. Rod allowed them to leave it in the garage overnight. They next evening Don and Claude returned with more information and confidence to finish the job.

During the meeting, it was decided that every other meeting will be held somewhere on the road.

August 1st we will meet at Apex at 10:00am with kickstands up at 10:30.

From there the ride will be up Ute pass to Woodland Park rest area for a picnic and meeting.

At that time the destination will be decided. Bring your own picnic lunch and beverage.

We would like to thank Rod and Dawn for their open hospitality and for everyone bringing the goodies.



HANDSHAKE -
Spreads The
Most Germs



HIGH FIVE -
Spreads Half
The Germs



FIST BUMP -
Spreads Even
Fewer Germs



BIKER WAVE -
Spreads NO
Germs





Members, Meet the 2020 Staff



Assistant Director- Olga Wyman

Don Cruzan-Treasurer



Steve Callicott-Newsletter Editor

Rich Wise -Ride Coordinator



Glenn Goode- Webmaster and DJ



**Community Service Coordinators-
Marsha Curry and Jacque Callicott**



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Birthdays

July 2020

14-Ken Kerbs

19-Julie Wilkie

25-Rich Wise

29- Ron Hall

Anniversaries

July 2020

2-Tom and Julie Wilkie

3-Doug and Marilyn Irish

4-Robbie and Alexi Bussard

15-Earl and Laura Edwards

17-Ray and Bea McClellan

19-Bruce and Carmelita Olson

27-Darrel and Laurie Cruzan

28-Chris and Sandie Erskine

29-Gene and Pattie Downen

Goodies - Everyone

Bring YOUR own lunch to the
Ride and Meeting August 1st

My plans for this weekend



Volunteer Positions Looking for the Right Persons

Membership Enhancement Coordinator

Motorist Awareness Coordinator

Skills Enhancement Advisor

**Don't be a fat cat...
the Chapter needs your help**

**Contact Claude at 719 310-1198
if you are interested in supporting the Chapter
in any of these areas**

Springs Wings Events

Celebrations, Events & Fun!

Aug 1- Ride n Meet n Ride -meet at Apex @10 am, bring your own lunch and beverage. Let's cool off in the mountains!

Aug 28-30- 4 Corners Rally

**Cancelled!
Breaking News!**

January 2021 (yes, 2021) - Start your planning so you don't miss it

October 2021 -Albuquerque...Balloon Festival now taking reservations - \$80/night for a camping

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

Chapter I Past Events

June 20, 2020

We had a perfect day for our trip up Highway 24 to Wilkerson Pass yesterday.

The ride starred Leon Carpenter, Mike Wyman, Jae & Tom Susemihl, Lewis Major (on 'Cookie Monster'), Bruce Olson, and me - - 6 Wings, a good group.

Shortly after our noon departure from Apex, we got an excellent view of Woodland Park (as the stoplights that are designed to slow down tourists so they'll spend \$ in town, worked very well). Traffic through Woodland Park was a bit heavy, but opened up and moved right along at the edge of town and flowed well all the way to the pass.

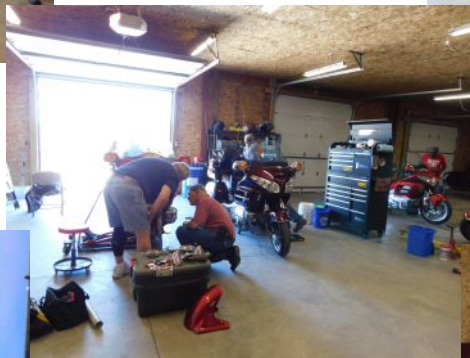
The Weather Underground forecast for sunny skies and no precipitation held true, and we enjoyed the ride to and fro. The Wilkerson Pass Visitor Center is open (and friendly as usual). And equally important, so are the restrooms. :-) The view from Wilkerson Pass of South Park mountains still generously capped with snow, was spectacular. And all of the trees around Wilkerson Pass looked healthy and well watered - no beetle kill trees to be seen in the area.

Looking forward to our next chapter ride.
Rich Wise

July 11th Meeting/Maintenance



13 people
6 bikes



Springs Wings Community Service



2,000 lbs!!

**2020 Goal
2000 pounds**

We've donated...

443 pounds!!

Thank you!

**On hold until we can meet
at Holy Cross once again**



Springs Wings Safety

A LITTLE SPACE, PLEASE...

By Earl Edwards

Spacing is the physical distance, usually reported in feet or meters, between the front bumper of the leading vehicle and the front bumper of the following vehicle, just like when you're driving a car, maintaining a safe motorcycle distance between you and other vehicles is one of the best ways to avoid a motorcycle crash. That being said, with the coronavirus /COVID-19 going around, people are having to yield to 6 feet away from each other.



Now this guy has gone viral!

Keeping a safe motorcycle distance

1. Don't let your attention wander while trying to keep a safe motorcycle distance
2. Use the 3-second rule
3. Consider road conditions
4. Be on the lookout for alternate routes, even if you are keeping a safe motorcycle distance
5. Don't forget about the drivers behind you

Now I have seen some vehicles, not all vehicles leave more space between vehicles. Keep in mind that not all vehicles do this and not all the time. Just enough for me to notice. This is awesome. WOW! What a concept. I hope that trend continues even after the coronavirus has gone.

(I take my Corona with a lime, thank you.)

Be safe, Be well.



Springs Wings Safety



CHAPTER SKILL ENHANCEMENT ADVISOR



Job Summary

The role of Chapter Skill Enhancement Advisor (CSEA) is to proactively support Member/Participant by providing them with information they can consider on ways to become skilled, prepared and safer riders and co-riders.

Encouraged Responsibilities

- Serve as an example by being actively engaged in the Levels Program.
- Monthly, or as often as possible and weather permitting based on Members interest, put on an on-bike skills day with skill practice, bike games for riders and co-riders.
- Team with the Chapter Ride Coordinator to promote the importance of best riding practices at chapter gatherings, rides and events.
- Utilize the quarterly Chapter Levels Report provided by the District Educator to support the Members and assist them in achieving milestones and earning recognition.
- Communicate directly with the District Educator to advocate for classes and courses to serve any chapter participant with an interest in progressing in the levels program, becoming a more proficient rider and being better prepared to respond to emergency situations.

Qualifications and Skills

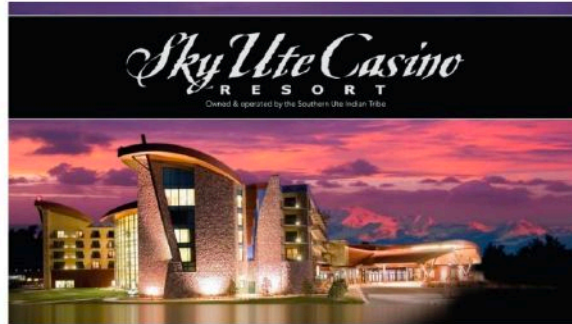
The Chapter Skill Enhancement Advisor:

- is not an officer; and the position is not mandatory.
- has a basic knowledge of the GWRRA Rider Education Program
- is appointed by the Chapter Director
- is interviewed by the District Educator
- completes a Confidentiality Agreement
- is a current Level II Rider or Co-Rider
- receives guidance and support from the District Educator
- communicates with the District Educator directly, keeping the Chapter Director in the loop to assure the needs of the chapter participants are met. Remember, the Chapter Skill Enhancement Adviser is an active participant on the Chapter staff and primary direction comes from the Chapter Director
- does not have access to the RE database and relies on the District Educator for the information.

Goal: To provide the membership with the basic support needed to participate meaningfully and successfully in the GWRRA Rider Education Program at the Chapter level.

Springs Wings Events

SAVE
THE
DATE



August 28,29,30
at the Beautiful
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MULTI-DISTRICT RALLY

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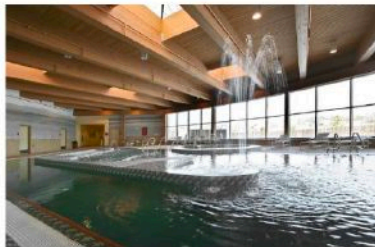
Fun for Everyone, with scenic
rides, and onsite amenities

Reconnect with Friends while
enjoying all the time you have to
one

Opening Night Ice Cream Social
Hosted by the
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Beautiful Rooms



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Bowling and Mini Golf

The GWRRA room rate of \$125 (Plus 3% Tribal Tax) includes all Resort fees.

Make your reservation today, **ROOMS WILL SELL OUT**. For reservations call **970-563-7777**
ask for the Front Desk / Reservations. From there give the August 28, 29 & 30 dates and ask for the
"GWRRA" room block to get the discounted room rate.

Early check in and late check outs are available. Standard check in is 3pm and check out is 11am.



Springs Wings For Sale

For Sale. 2010 Yellow Gold Wing

Bike has over \$11,000 in extras to include a Garmin Zumo GPS with Siris, weather and traffic navigator. Bike comes with 2 yellow Arai helmets w/J&M premium headsets, 2 sets of summer and winter riding gear w/ liners, pair of yellow chaps. Bike has heated grips, seat and toe warmers.

Bike comes with cover, battery tender, gloves and many other extras. Just installed 2 Dunlap Elite 4 tires and brakes. Bike has 106,000 miles and am asking ~~\$14,000~~.

Call or text Ralph at 719-531-5054

-Wingrider65@live.com

Now \$11,000!!



Springs Wings For Sale



2014 B&F Specialties Bunkhouse LX, now made by Bushtec

Included are the walls to enclose the foyer, and a wide overhang on the side, they call it the Garage. AC duct for a small portable unit. Will also come with several custom items we built/adapted just for this camper.

See Alexis & Glenn or call 719-290-1516

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