



WINGWORD

July 2016

DIRECTOR COMMENTS

Well between work, the weather, and family duties Donna and I haven't got to do much riding so far this year. We both missed out on ride to work day on the 20th. And the weather has been wild to put it mildly. A call for scattered showers brings 6 inches of rain to Rick and Cathy's house and last weekend a call for 20% chance of rain meant that it rained all day. Of course if it isn't raining it is almost 100 degrees with 90% humidity. But I am not complaining all that much, as far as I feel it is better than ice or snow and freezing temps.! As soon as the weather calms down we will get in some more riding.



Speaking of riding has anyone have any rides they would like to do? Cassoday is coming up on the 2nd of July so lets try and get a bunch together and ride up there. I know that it is the 4th weekend and some will be at the lakes but if you can lets meet up and go. Watch emails for meeting time and place. Donna and I are still working on a mystery ride that will probably happen in Sept. after it cools down a bit.

Gold rush is fast approaching and it looks like no one from Kansas will be there this year. We wished we could of gone be just to many other things are going on. I would like to thank all of the members for voting to up the helping hand fund from 72 dollars to 100. It is just one way GWTA can help out its members when there is a need. Still time to get your 50/50 tickets before Gold Rush, just go to the web site then the Gold Rush link and look for the 50/50 link. Any I hope that will get you to the right location. I need to have one of the grandkids come over and help me find stuff on the computer.

Remember there isn't a monthly meeting in July but we will do any business that needs to be done on the Wed. dinner on the 13th. We will do the mystery bag and the news letter number then also.

That's about all for now so ride safe and ride often,
Kelly

meet at the starting locations to ride together April—Sept

Wednesday Dinners

July 6—WEST

Pizza Ranch 620-662-2066
1805 E 17th Ave
Hutch

July 13—SOUTH

Tee Time 620-584-3006
14100 W 95th St South
Clearwater, KS

July 20—WEST

Quincy's Bar & Grill 620-345-3232
128 S Christian Ave
Moundridge, KS

July 27 -SOUTH

Pizza Hut 316-777-1123
1215 N Rock Rd, Mulvane, KS

Aug 3 - SOUTH

Boudreux Burger Barn
Peck, KS 316-524-2763

Aug 10—NORTH

DiAngelos Pizza 316-835-3598
247 Main, Halstead

Aug 17 - WEST

Creations 316-542-9888
Mt Vernon

Aug 24— EAST

Sugar Shanes 316-201-1099
430 S State, Augusta

Aug 31 - WEST

Gambinos Pizza 620-456-2444
110 N 5th St, Conway Springs

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Chapter A Calendar:

July 13 WED Monthly Meeting @ Wednesday dinner ride
July 11-14 GoldRush at Huntington, IN
Aug 20 PedalFest (see Anita for details on cookies & escort)
Aug 20 Monthly Meeting @ location change to Eubank house for a pot luck supper at 5pm
Sept 17 Monthly Meeting @ picnic at Frontier Land (Oxy) more information to follow

2016 Dinner Location Sign Up

Jan: McCune (due 11/25)	July: Frost (due 5/26)
Feb: Frost (due 12/25)	Aug: Felix (due 6/26)
March: Felix (due 1/25)	Sept: Webber (due 7/26)
April: Hensley (due 2/26)	Oct: Highland(due 8/26)
May: Eubank (due 3/26)	Nov: McCarts (due 9/26)
June: Howard (due 4/26)	Dec: Sawyer (due 10/26)

Keep on Truckin' with Kelly:

We keep are truckin' into 2016, as our Chapter Director, Kelly Felix , takes a moment to give us all some helpful advice on keeping safe while on the road.

- It seems like there is one more thing to watch out for. After the events last month in Florida we need to be on guard for the road rage idiots.
- We have all seen it, we will be riding in a group and some knuckle head thinks we are holding them up so here they come flying around to whole group and cut in real close to the lead bike.
- The best way to handle this is not make any aggressive gestures to the other driver and if you are stuck next to them at a red light or stop sign give them lots of room and leave yourself a escape route away from them if they make a move towards you.
- It is getting more and more crazy out there so be careful and watch out for the nut cakes out there



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Wednesday Dinner Ride—starting location points

In APRIL, we will start to ride our motorcycles to the Wednesday dinner locations. Depending on the location of the restaurant, we have identified the starting points below:

NORTH: 61st & I-135 at Cracker Barrel

SOUTH: S Meridian & MacArthur at Quik Trip

EAST: 127th & 21st Street at Quik Trip

WEST: 135th & Maple at Dillons (at gas pumps)

Mystery Ride May 28th

Well another great mystery ride in the books. Thanks to Tom and Renee for organizing this trip. Kelly (with instructions from Tom) lead us on a beautiful ride starting at QT at McArthur and Meridian. Enjoying the ride were the following

Tom and Renee
 Kelly and Donna
 Mike T
 Rick and Cathy
 Newt and Rena
 Lonnie and Linda
 Dwayne and Linda
 Gail and Jorja
 John and Janet
 Richard and Barbara
 Steve T
 Now off we go.



As usual there were guesses along the way. The route had great roads with some fresh black, along with beautiful views of the country side. Arriving in ANTHONY KS restaurant KRISTIES 1 hour and 25 minutes later.

When arriving there were people walking, then stopped to take a picture of all the bikes riding and parking in town. We must have been an impressive group. This was our second ride to Anthony and this town is my Dads home town. My grandmother used to live upstairs in the 50's. I do remember this town with the hustle and bustle of the times for Fair goers. Along with the horse races there on the weekends. Time goes on and those times are gone. At least they have the restaurants to go to.

Another great ride with great friends. NOW TIME FOR ANOTHER MYSTERY RIDE.

Ride safe and Ride often,
 Kelly and Donna



CHAPTER A BIKE ROAD TRIP GAME

SPELL OUT AIR CAPITAL WINGS

DATES 3/13/16 – 10/31/16

Starting point will be from your house for the distance (with no side trips just straight shot to the city).

YOU CAN TRAVEL ANYWHERE IN THE USA!

RULES

Each letter must be a different city.

Picture of the bike must be in front of any public place with the name of the city on it.

At least some cities must have a Chapter A member or bike rider friend (could be potential member) in the picture.

A group picture will count for everyone in the picture, so only one picture needs to be sent in.

PLEASE SEND PICTURES TO EITHER DONNA OR JORJA

WITH THE STATE NAME IF NOT IN KANSAS

1st PLACE

The most letters completed the farthest away with Chapter A members or Bike riding friend.

If this does not work out

The most letters completed the farthest away.

2nd PLACE

The most letters completed with Chapter A members or Bike riding friend.

If this does not work out

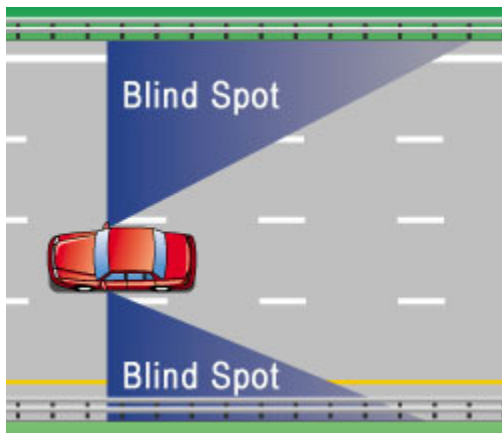
The most letters completed.

You can only receive one prize either 1st or 2nd .

ENJOY THE GAME AND HAVE A SAFE AND FUN RIDE.

Game coordinator, Donna

Summer is HERE and when you ride
DO NOT ride in a cars blind spot



Thank You Note

Dear friends,

Many thanks for your generous donation to diabetes research! It was the folk's fondest hope that our little Leah (and all others) will someday be able to be diabetes free. Your love and support are genuinely appreciated!

Sincerely

Janet & John & family

Hello... Our June meeting was held at the Country Café 16456 South on the 18th. Only 11 members were present.

There are no birthdays or anniversaries for the month of June.

Just a short meeting. Our next July meeting will be held at the Wednesday dinner at Tea Time in Clearwater.

A health report from Brian & Stacey...Brian is doing better but Stacey faces surgery on her ankle. Our Helping Hands jar collected \$71 but it was decided to bump the donation up to \$100 before Anita sends a check to nationals. Speaking of national business, the Gold Rush 50/50 online fund has collected \$500 so far and the computer system seems to be up and running. Donna will be sending more info by email on the web page for nationals. If while on the website and you encounter a problem contact Donna and she will send it to national so any corrections can be made.

Anita is working on the Pedal Fest donation sheet. Any members wishing to help with the ride (date August 20th) or making cookies talk to Anita.

Our own contest for this year is ongoing. As the spring has been rainy or HOT the time frame may be extended into Oct or Nov.

Mystery bag was won by Rick Frost, 50/50 by Newt Webber, and newsletter number was 103374 goes to John Eubank.

It's Kansas, but the weather has been super hot. Reminds me of the heat when riding through the desert in Arizona!



July 2016 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
					1	2
					Richard & Barbara McCart	
3	4 Happy July 4th	5	6 Pizza Ranch 1805 E 17th Ave Hutch	7	8	9
				Steve Trent		
			John & Janet Eubank			
10	11	12	13 Tee Time 14100 W 95th South Clearwater ALSO Monthly Meeting	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Quincy Bar & Grill 128 S Christian Ave Moundridge	21	22	23
					Mike & Connie Thompson	
24	25	26	27 Pizza Hut 1215 N. Rock Rd Mulvane	28	29	30
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