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**March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2013**

**Chapter C-3 newsletter**

**Gathering 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month**

**Kartel's Restaurant, 14741 Pearl Rd.**

**Strongsville, OH**

**9AM breakfast 10AM gathering**

*It's The Ride*



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## CD'S Soapbox

Hi Everyone,

Well we've managed to survive for another month and believe it or not Spring will soon be in the air. Contrary to popular belief the Chapter team has not been hibernating. Roy and the guys and girls have put together a great riding schedule for this year. We have a lot of day trips and overnights. There are actually so many different rides that they can't all fit on the schedule. So keep your ears open and your eyes on your email this spring and summer as there are bound to be quite a few pick-up rides to attend.

Speaking of riding we all want to do so as safely as possible and there are many opportunities coming up that will help sharpen our skills. On March 10<sup>th</sup> Chapter P will host a safety Sunday. It will be held at the West Salem Head Start 99 E. Buckeye St. (RT42) West Salem OH. 44287 If you have any questions you can contact Ron Marcinko Chapter director at 330-416-1460.

There are also several ARC and TRC courses being offered in the area coming up in May. They are listed on the District webpage . May 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> at Galion and May 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> in Streetsboro. These classes fill up fast so get registered now. We also have a firm date for our maintenance day. I would like to thank Bill and Michelle South for agreeing to host it again this year. It will be held on May, 11<sup>th</sup> details to follow.

Lastly I would like to announce that we have two (new) members stepping up to join the Chapter team. I would like to welcome Tom Gajewsky who will be taking over as Chapter Educator. As many of you know Tom is a former Chapter director of C-3 and has many years of riding experience. We also have Gay Vary stepping up to take over as Chapter Treasurer. She is a great member whom I'm sure will do a fantastic job. Please thank these members when you see them.

Stay safe,

Dave





Hi Group.

Ann & I started riding with the chapter in Sept 1995. We have held just about every position available to us in C-3. Many of you may know that Ann & I were the Chapter Director's for many years with C-3. I have been riding since the 70's. We have had nothing but fun since we joined the Chapter & GWRRA. Dave asked me to be our new Chapter Educator. Well after thinking about it for a few moments, I said to my self why not? Hopefully I will be able to share riding techniques, help maintain your bike better and help us become at least a Level 1 rider and commit to riding safely. Riding safely can make the difference wether we enjoy the ride and make it home safely or not.

This month I'd like to speak about Cold Weather Riding. How many riders have gotten so cold that their fingers have gotten numb? How many have gotten so cold that their brains have gotten numb? When riding in a group early in the season, you might leave a restaurant about 4pm and the temperature may still be comfortable, so you wear a light jacket. But what time are you returning home? Will the light jacket be enough? Don't be afraid or embarrassed to tell the group that you are getting too cold. Chances are that everyone else is also getting cold also and needs a break as badly as you do. The best thing is to carry a Gerbing's liner with you at all times in the colder months. In the Spring and Fall Months I carry Gerbing's gloves, and liner as well. It will help prevent hypothermia. Hypothermia is sometimes hard to detect. It starts by shivering uncontrollably. This shaking tries to keep the body temperature up. Eventually the shivering stops and it works on your brain. By then it may be too late. A full-face helmet and using a Gerbing's heated liner will at least keep your torso warm and may prevent hypothermia from setting in. Use good judgment before you ride. Spring months can be fun to ride if properly dressed and equipped.

Ride safe & warm.

Tom



## **Sunshine Corner**

Hopefully this new month will bring warmer weather and herald the beginning of riding season, but as I write this, it is hard to imagine. Instead, memories of the leaf ride (the first 6 or 7 hours of it anyway) come to mind. At least I can cross that off my bucket list.

We don't have any anniversaries, but we do have several birthdays to celebrate this month. Please wish our friends a Happy Birthday if you see them.

### **Birthdays:**

March 9 – Sunny Maser

March 12 – Billy Curtis

March 20 – Carol Beck

March 25 – Marti Powers

March 30 – Linda Curtis

If I missed your birthday or anniversary, it is because I do not have your information. If you wish to participate, or if there are any necessary corrections, please either let me know at the gathering, or send an email to [C3sunshinecorner@gmail.com](mailto:C3sunshinecorner@gmail.com).

You may also send any joys or concerns to me at this address if you would like me to share them at the next gathering. I don't check it daily any longer as there has been low activity on the email, but I will keep checking!

We'll see you at the gathering.

Sharon

This is a pair of new style scuff cover inserts. These chrome plated ABS plastic inserts made by Add-On and are designed to fit into the openings in the original black saddlebag scuff covers. They easily snap in place in seconds and add a nice touch to the side of the bike. These will fit all Goldwing GL1800's from 2012-2013. These will **not** fit the 2001-2010 models. These should sell for around \$46.00 at your favorite Goldwing accessory store.

Thanks, Gary





**North Central Section  
Safety Sunday  
2013  
March 10, 2013 Noon- 4pm**

West Salem Head Start  
99 E. Buckeye St. (Rt. 42)  
West Salem, Ohio 44287  
Hosted by Ohio GWRRA Chapter P

Come and join us for a fun filled interactive day with our guest speakers with information to help make you a safer and better motorcycle rider. Meet fellow riders and have a chance to exchange riding stories.

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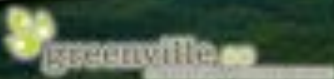


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# North Central Chapter Gatherings

Chapter B Mansfield – The fun center wings 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Sunday Of the month Leiderkrantz 1001 Silver  
Lane Rd. Mansfield, OH Breakfast 9AM  
gathering after CD Joe & Jackie Woodmansee  
419-683-3403 [jc\\_wood@hotmail.com](mailto:jc_wood@hotmail.com)  
[www.gwrraohb.org](http://www.gwrraohb.org)

Chapter C-3 Strongsville-Cross roads 1<sup>st</sup>  
Saturday Kartel's Restaurant 14741 pearl Rd.  
Strongsville, OH Breakfast 9AM gathering 10AM  
CD Dave & Barb Hicks 216-509-4836  
[littldogs1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:littldogs1@sbcglobal.net) [www.gwrraohioc3.org](http://www.gwrraohioc3.org)

Chapter F-2 Amherst-Gone with the wings 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Saturday of the month Nordson Depot corner of  
Jackson & Franklin, Amherst, OH Gathering 1PM  
CD Larry & Barb Goodrich 440-453-4453  
[Wingraider49@yahoo.com](mailto:Wingraider49@yahoo.com)  
[www.gwrraohiof2.org](http://www.gwrraohiof2.org)

Chapter I Wooster- The I's of Ohio 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday  
of the month Ryan's Family Steakhouse 3743  
Burbank Rd. Wooster, OH eat 5PM gathering  
6PM CD Bob & Becky Benjamin 330-276-5900  
[amishtrike@aol.com](mailto:amishtrike@aol.com) [www.chapteriohio.com](http://www.chapteriohio.com)

Chapter K-2 Bellevue 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month  
changes location contact Alice 6PM dinner 7PM  
gathering CD Alice & Tim Schauss 440-839-2194  
[aschauss@frotier.com](mailto:aschauss@frotier.com)

Chapter P Medina – Wings of Pride last Sunday  
of the month Panera Bread 4065 Pearl Rd.  
Medina, OH CD Ron & Carrie Marcinko 330-416-  
1460 [Blk93wing@aol.com](mailto:Blk93wing@aol.com)

Chapter V Ashland- Mohican valley Wings 4<sup>th</sup>  
Saturday of the month The Mill Restaurant  
(Inside Buehlers Grocery) 1055 Sugarbush Drive  
Ashland, OH 5:30 PM meal 6:30 PM gathering  
CD Dennis & Cathy Carpenter 419-929-8385  
[Firewings54@yahoo.com](mailto:Firewings54@yahoo.com)

Chapter W Marion – Wyandot Wings 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday  
of the month Marion Diner 1565 Marion-Waldo  
Rd. Marion, OH 6PM social 7PM gathering CD  
Jerry & Pam Newland 740-360-0228  
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