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**CHAPTER I’S NEWSLETTER
FEBRUARY 2016
RON AND MICHELLE'S PAGE**

As I stated before, I've been getting excited about our upcoming riding season. But I still could use ideas from you, the members on where you would like to take the chapter. Sure Michelle and I have spent some time with the chapter, but we did not really keep track of all the rides since we rode with many chapters since we met. Hopefully those going to Cabin Fever can all get together and exchange some ideas to place on paper.

Cabin Fever is right around the corner and this event should just about round out Michelle's GWRRRA event profile. This is one of the only event she has not been to besides Buckeye Time Out, and I haven't been to a Buckeye Time Out in all my years.

Since getting to activities during the week are basically out of the question for Michelle and I, anyone who would like to head up a committee for dinner/ice cream rides during the week or a retiree ride schedule, please let us know.

Since I can get well winded when I talk or write, ya'll better write this date on the calendar because that's about all I have for now. I'm just hoping all of you are going to have as much fun with the chapter as we are this upcoming season.

**CHAPTER DIRECTORS
RON & MICHELLE**

Photo available soon

**CHAPTER GATHERING AT WOOSTER RYAN'S
2ND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH AT 5:00 PM**






CHAPTER I'S RIDE SCHEDULE

JAN
FEB
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MERRY
CHRISTMAS AND A
HAPPY NEW YEAR

All open rides will meet at the license bureau at 1:00 and leave the license bureau at 1:30.

February 2016						
◀ January 2016						March 2016 ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Cynthia Cline   Shari DeLisse 	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13 CHAPTER GATHERING Richard Stewart  
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	Notes:				

February Birthdays

Cynthia Cline 02/01
 Shari DeLisse 02/01
 Richard Stewart 02/13



March Birthdays

Bart Russell 03/02
 Bob Campbell 03/04
 Peggy Byler 03/28

February Anniversaries

None



happy anniversary

March Anniversaries

Rob & Sue Jester 3/20

◀ February 2016		March 2016					April 2016 ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
		1	2  Bart Russell 	3	4  Bob Campbell 	5	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 CHAPTER GATHERING	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
20   Rob & Sue Jester	21	22	23	24	25	26	
27	28   Peggy Byler	29	30	31	Notes:		



RON'S RIDER EDUCATION PAGE

Demo Rides

(Can you admit your limits?)

By: James R. Davis

Suppose you go to a motorcycle rally and a manufacturer has shown up with some demo bikes to ride. You are 'in the market' so you decide to take one of those bikes for a test ride. Your co-rider wants to go with you on that ride. Good idea?

In a previous article we discussed testing your limits. It was agreed that in order to 'grow' we must push limits, but that a responsible person will control his risks by testing no more than one limit at a time - and then only by putting his 'toes over the line' rather than stepping off the mountain. We agreed that limits include our personal skill level and preparedness, our environment, our equipment, and certain laws.

Vendors do not make a habit of letting people without a motorcycle endorsement on their licenses take a spin on their bikes. The odds are that you have years of riding experience behind you if you are at a motorcycle rally, but how relevant is that experience?

- Five years of dirt-bike experience does not relate well to handling a 750 pound touring bike out on the street.
- No matter how many years of riding a two-wheeled motorcycle, that experience does not relate well to handling a three-wheeled machine at any speed faster than about 10 MPH.
- You may well have a great deal of experience (and skill) handling city street riding, but handling a motorcycle on a freeway requires very different skills and techniques.
- Living and riding on the flatlands does not prepare you well for dealing with the streets of San Francisco or the mountains in Colorado.
- Just because you can handle a Honda with 'your eyes closed' does not mean that you will be familiar with the controls and feel of a BMW.
- If your only experience in carrying a co-rider is on a touring machine that is specifically designed for that purpose, then you should not assume that you are well prepared to carry a passenger on a sport bike.

If you intend to demo ride a new bike, **do it solo** - first! Get the feel of that bike and of the terrain you will be riding it on. Learn how to stop and start on those steep inclines/declines that you have no experience with before you put a passenger on the bike. Make the addition of a passenger the **only variable** that you are testing before you do it.

You will both come back from that demo ride, alive and healthy, if you will admit your limits and grow your skills and experience responsibly.



RIDE EDUCATOR

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SUNSHINE LADY

Greetings..... here's hoping that everyone had a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR! The holiday's for 2015 are over and now we're starting our 2016 holiday's -- Yep, February is about to come and you know what that means -- HAPPY VALENTINE'S Day. I'm thinking that's when the men buy a box of chocolates and take the women out for a lovely meal.....oops -- that means it's CABIN FEVER time! How many have registered and are going to have a super wonderful time. It does pay to register early as Jean and Shorty Sudimak learned recently with a call from Rudy Copeland the State Director -- their name was drawn for Early Bird Registration-- their weekend will be paid in full -- CONGRATULATIONS! 😊



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Received a "thank you" note from Sue Jester, thanking for the small tribute for her mother along with those who attended or thought of her at the time of her mother's passing. It all was very much appreciated. They are now in FL along with the Harford's of which will soon be joined with the Sudimak's -- they'll give their call to let us know their having their own gathering while we're gathering.....eating their strawberry shortcake with ice cream!

While back on the home front Chapter I would like to WELCOME Ron Marcinko and Michelle Spencer as our new Chapter Directors. With the coming of this newsletter you will find a little questioner of which Ron would appreciate hearing from each and all as to where and what locations you'd like to do, go to or eat along with any other suggestions.

Keep in your prayers George Zimmerman as he is still battling that nasty kidney stone. Hopefully the infection will have been cleared and the procedure to remove it will go as planned -- Prayers for speedy recovery. Carolyn Roesch is taking one day at a time, going the last week of January to Columbus for some testing to see what needs to be done to help with her valve situation. Helen Burchfield is still battling the recovery from her two falls in 2015. We're sending our special prayers for other Chapter I members who might be fighting a battle of which we know nothing about -- God Bless everyone! Be sure to let us know so we can send a card or give a call.

Until our next gathering February 13 at Ryan's Steakhouse....it's not too late to even make a day trip to Columbus (oops -- Mt Sterling) to Deer Creek Park Lodge just to see what's going on -- lots of fun! Be sure to get information to Ron and Michelle so we can enjoy some extra fun.....REMEMBER, this is your chapter so you have a right to say 😊 !!

Nancy Lantz -- Sunshine Lady
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NORTH CENTRAL OHIO CHAPTERS & GATHERINGS

Chapter B Mansfield - The Fun Center Wings

When: 3rd Sunday of month

Where: Leiderkrantz 1001 Silver Lane Rd.
Mansfield, Ohio

Time: Breakfast Buffet at 9:00 AM Gathering
After

CD-Randy & Linda Porter 330 345-7393

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Chapter C-3

When: 1st Saturday

Where: Kartels Kitchen

4741 Pearl Rd (SR 42 S), Strongsville, Ohio

Time: Breakfast 9:00 AM Gathering 10:00AM

CD – Dave and Barb Hicks 216- 509-4836

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Chapter / Wooster - The I's of Ohio

When: 2nd Saturday of month

Where: Ryan's Family Steakhouse

3743 Burbank Rd, Wooster, Ohio

Time: Eat 5:00 PM Gathering 6:00 PM

CD – Ron/Michelle 330 416-1460/419 602-2209

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Chapter P Medina - Wings of Pride

When: Last Sunday of month

Where Copper Top Restaurant Cherokee Golf
Course 5740 Center Rd.

Valley City, Ohio 44280

Time: 9:00 AM Breakfast 9:30 AM Gathering

CD – John & Lois Ramsier 330-723-6689

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Chapter V Ashland - Mohican Valley Wings

When: 4th Saturday of month

Where: The Mill Restaurant(inside Buehlers
Grocery)

1055 Sugarbush Drive, Ashland, Ohio

Time: 5:30 PM Meal 6:30 PM Gathering

CD – Jim & Donna Lust 419-462-5337

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Chapter Y Mt. Vernon-Colonial City Wings

When: 1st Saturday of the month

Where: Central Christian Church 17833
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Time: 6:00 PM Food 7:00PM Gathering

CD - Dave & Denise Huffman 740-263-9898

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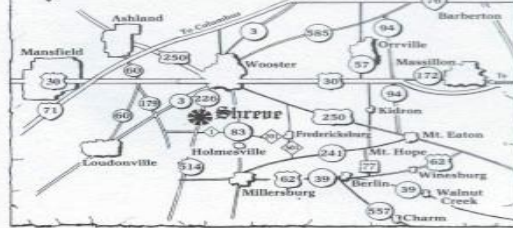


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THE I'S OF OHIO

GATHERING – SATURDAY,
2ND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

RYAN'S FAMILY STEAKHOUSE
3743 BURBANK RD
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SOCIAL TIME:
Eat at 5:00 PM
Gathering at 6:00 PM



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