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**CHAPTER I'S NEWSLETTER
MARCH 2016
RON AND MICHELLE'S PAGE**

Cabin Fever 2016 is in the book and Chapter I was well represented. This was also Michelle's first Cabin Fever and one of the last GWRRA activities to experience at the district/region level. Once again, pool/hot tub time was planned, but somehow never came about.

We here in the Ohio District have a new Couple of the Year, Gary and Karen Ballou from Chapter B3 Obetz. Gary was also the Educator of the year. Chapter I had the pleasure of being the first chapter that the Couple of the Year decided to visit in as their new position. I can see them doing plenty of traveling this year!



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

Thanks to Bob Benjamin for putting together Mad Maxx, Chapter I's entry into the mousetrap car race. While making a gallant effort, we came up a bit short, but still ahead of others in the mix. Now that we have a better idea of what we are up against, we can make a few adjustments.

Congratulations to Jon Stitt and Shari DeLisse for winning the fourth quarter newsletter choice in the North Central Section.

The site for Cabin Fever 2017 will be Mohican State Park.

A few of us stayed up until the wee hours of the morning to review some dates and destinations to install into a ride schedule. After reviewing what's going on around the state, we have a few open dates. There is still time to get in your ideas on where to go.

March kicks off chapter fund raisers and Chapter Y in Mt. Vernon is one of the first to hold their White Elephant Auction on March 5th. For those who would like to attend from the north side, we'll meet at the license bureau at 2pm, and those on the south side will likely meet us there in Mt. Vernon.

March 19th is G2's Chili Cook-off and Auction in the Northeast Section, Mantua, Ohio, starting at 5pm. South siders will meet at All Seasons at 3:30, those north will meet there in Mantua.

Now that I've got those things said, on to my safety soapbox! Since that little rodent didn't see his shadow meaning an early spring, got me thinking riding season is really near. After trying to lift my leg over the safety chain dividing the shop area off at work, I began to think, "how am I going to be able to swing my leg over the bike?". I know, you're thinking 'you're out of shape old man', but I'm not out of shape, round is a shape! So right now I have a couple weeks to get back some flexibility, and that should also include the co-rider. Those of you on trikes makes it a little easier to mount and dismount due to the greater stability on the trike, but there are still those little toe bites that can be quite awkward. Oh no, don't tell me it would never happen to you! I have those co-riders would couldn't quite get their foot completely over the seat, catching a toe on the seat and nearly falling over the other side, or not getting the foot over at all and falling backward to get more clearance. Not a pretty sight, nor very graceful when this just may happen trying to mount up for a parade! Maybe we all need to do a few exercises to give us a little more flexibility, since shivering I don't think counts as exercise.

I'd start out just trying to get my arms back to a decent range of motion, just try to get them to reach above and all around. Then try to get a good reach across my body, slowly working in getting my torso to be able to twist in a good way. This will help mounting and dismounting my two wheeler.

Meanwhile between stretching out our upper body, we also need to get our lower body back working again. Being able to lift a leg over the saddle is of the utmost importance, for both the rider and co-rider. I'd begin just trying to bring my knee up as high as possible without straining. Start slowly and try to work it up little by little. Then try to do this while trying to balance yourself as well. As I've stated, nothing like throwing everyone off balance if you can't keep your balance lifting your leg up and over the saddle. Squats help building strength in your lower legs if you can handle them.

Now that we have those in our 'southern chapter' already out riding, we still have some time to 'get into shape' so we don't become a side show as we fumble and bumble trying to get on our ride. I'll bet you don't want to be that person who falls over getting on the bike

As you know, Ron had a heart attack. I don't have any information about his health situation at this time. As information becomes available, we will keep you posted. Please keep him in your prayers.

CHAPTER I'S RIDE SCHEDULE

JAN

9 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

FEB

13 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

MAR

12 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

APR

9 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

MAY

14 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

JUN

11 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

JUL

9 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

AUG

13 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

SEPT

10 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

OCT

8 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

NOV



12 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

DEC

10 - CHAPTER GATHERING, Dinner 5:00pm

**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.

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:	

March Birthdays

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



April Birthdays

Nancy Lantz 04/04
 Ken McKinley 04/14
 Don Norris 04/15
 Virgil Gunter 04/17
 Sue Jester 04/22

March Anniversaries

Rob & Sue Jester 3/20



happy anniversary

April Anniversaries

Don & Charlene Norris 04/05
 Charlie and Joyce Selzer 04/13

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4  Carl Burchfield  Nancy Lantz 	5 Don & Charlene Norris  ♥	6	7	8	9 CHAPTER GATHERING
10	11	12	13 Charlie and Joyce Selzer  ♥	14	15 Tax Day (Taxes Due) Don Norris  	16
17 Virgil Gunter  	18	19	20	21	22 Earth Day Sue Jester  	23
24	25  Larry Mohler 	26	27	28	29 Arbor Day	30

RON'S RIDER EDUCATION PAGE

Tips For Little Riders Of Big Bikes

The balls of your feet will tell

By: Cash Anthony

Most altitudinally-impaired riders learn to ride a motorcycle on something smaller than a GoldWing. Assuming you are thinking of moving up to a bigger bike, these 10 points may help you enjoy the move.

No matter how many miles you have behind you on a smaller bike, don't assume you can ride a bigger one on the street without practicing on a parking lot first. Moving up to a bigger bike is almost like starting over. (Most little riders going up to a bigger bike don't have to be told this, but you never know. Some 'little people' still have 'big brass ones'...or else they wouldn't be trying

If you can flatfoot one side and have 'ball of the foot' control on both sides of a big bike, you can probably ride it safely under most circumstances. [Most bikes can have their seats cut down about an inch to improve your ability to control it at the expense of some comfort

Since the fear of dropping a big bike needs to be overcome early, assuming your bike has sufficient guards on it to prevent damage, you may want to take it onto a grassy area and practice dropping it gently from a standstill a couple of times in order to learn the art of standing on the high peg and stepping away from the bike with your other leg, in the event you ever do. This, in order not to end up underneath it. You also may need either a reverse gear (if such is available for your model) or to ride with accommodating friends in order to get your bike out of incline trouble, now and then. Most of your fellow riders will be so impressed with your 'big brass ones' for what you're riding that they're glad to help. If not, find riders who are.

Before you take your big bike on the road for the first time, sit on it and learn where all the controls are, even the ones you don't think you will need (your 'mute' button, for example.) It can be so exciting to ride one of these beasts that should you forget to learn some of the basics early on, it may be too late when you're out there in traffic and too terrified to even move around on the seat.

When you stop a big bike on an incline across your lane, put your foot down on the HIGHER side only at first, and reach very carefully with your foot for the lower side. If you have to, you CAN hold that big bike up with one leg for a very long period - after all, its weight is on the tires, not carried by your leg. Short-legging a big bike (and dumping it) is usually a matter of absent-mindedness... but in some groups, you'll be wearing that pacifier for a while if you forget.

When turning a big bike at slow speeds, a tiny amount of pressure on the rear brake can help you maintain control of the degree of lean you want. NEVER forget to look through the turn!

To get a big bike off the side stand when it is leaning so much you can't easily pick it up, grip the front brake and clutch levers securely (whether the engine is running or not) and push the bike FORWARD as you try to bring it upright in one smooth movement. (This modestly compresses the front suspension, making the bike a little shorter.)

Be sure before you take your big bike on the road that you don't have pant-legs or chaps which will tangle on the peg as you put your feet down at a stop.



RIDE EDUCATOR

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Just because it's big doesn't mean it won't lean smartly. If your engine will dependably carry you through a curve with power, you'll be able to lean a bigger bike just as much as a turn requires, with normal skills, at prudent speed. This is a matter of confidence and parking lot practice. You can control it through the foot brake and the clutch.

If the wind seems to be buffeting a big bike more than the little bike you used to ride, try to relax and know that your wheels are securely under you. The weight of the big bike will tend to keep the rubber on the road in the absence of crisis braking, even if you have to lean. If you increase speed somewhat in a strong crosswind, this may help to give you stability (and will get you to the next stop a little sooner, where you can relax your pucker string for a while).

You will soon get past the feeling that you are 'flying a 747' or that the big beast 'wants to go faster', although those are common reactions when you get on a bigger bike. Big bikes tend to have smoother engines and a somewhat different gear ratio from your smaller ride. Once you do get the hang of it, and after that magic 'click' in the mind that tells you you're really RIDING this thing, remember to relax and enjoy yourself -- and now and then, when you feel comfortable, to wave at your admirers!

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SUNSHINE LADY

Greetings -- How could this happen again -- another month has passed with many activities. Cabin Fever was a busy fun time again as usual. Shorty and Jean Sudimak won "full paid registration" for having sent in their registration early, was very elated with the room they had along with a large Teddy Bear sitting on their bed. Ron Marcinko took first place for the men's "ugly sweater" contest, while Charlie Lantz tied with others but came in first in the "Pistol Range" game. Get ready for next year as it is scheduled to be held at the Mohican State Park Lodge with Wild Wild West as the theme. Don't forget also get ready for Buckeye Rally to be held in June at Canfield Fairground with "Hobo Junction" as the theme.



Nancy Lantz
Sunshine Lady
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Things are going a little smoother with Shari DeLisse getting some therapy to ease her pain and Carolyn Roesch has been having appointments with doctors in Columbus and Wooster getting updated on her heart valve. We're sending sympathy withes out to Ron Marcinko and his family with the passing of his aunt. But, most importantly we're sending well wishes to him also as he had a bad heart attach following that news. They got him to the hospital in time to get a 100% blockage repaired and another one ballooned. Just hope he'll listen to doctor and take it a little easy.

Bob and Rosemary Campbell are moving into their new home and we'll be getting their new address soon.

Happy trails to everyone else, hoping we can stay on a healthy note -- God Bless! OH YES, Shorty and Jean Sudimak (pulling out after Cabin Fever) have now joined the Jester's and Harford's in Florida as they all are enjoying themselves.

Nancy Lantz -- Sunshine Lady
Ohio Chapter



CHAPTER V



2016 Fundraiser

Spaghetti Supper

&



Auction



Saturday, April 23rd, 2016

Eat, 4:30 PM

Auction at 5:30 PM



Spaghetti & Bread
Cole Slaw or Applesauce
Deserts & Drinks



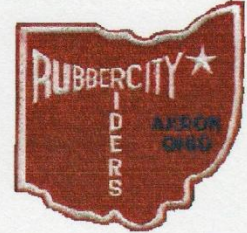
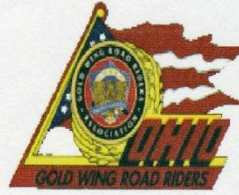
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122 E. Third St. Ashland, Ohio**

EVERYONE WELCOME!

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419-606-6314, debawolf@frontier.com





GWRRA OHIO CHAPTER T Annual Fundraiser

Spaghetti Dinner **& Silent Auction**

Bargains! Bargains!

DATE: Saturday, May 14, 2016

TIME: Meal (begin serving at 4:30) Silent Auction

PLACE: Randolph Community Center, State Route 44 (behind the public library & firehouse), Randolph, OH

PRICE: \$7.00 includes spaghetti, salad, bread & drink. Extra drinks 50 cents each. Desserts sold separately

Open to the Public - Come one, Come all!

What to expect-Good food! Good people! Good fun! And on top of that homemade items, baked goods, motorcycle gear & accessories, gift baskets, gift certificates, etc. Many new items to bid on!! See you there!!!

For more information contact

Keith Williams 330-524-9272; Andie Dorsey 330-699-6583



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April 28-30
A Smoky Mountain Roundup**



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SPRING FLING REGISTRATION FORM 2016



Qty

Please Print Clearly

Life Members \$25 each _____ \$ _____ Rider: _____
GWRRA # _____

GWRRA Members \$30 each _____ \$ _____
Age _____ Chapter _____ State _____ Officer Position _____

Non-Members \$35 each _____ \$ _____ Circle all that apply: Male Female

13-15 Yr. Olds \$10 each _____ \$ _____ 1up, 2 up, Bike, Trike, Side Car, Other _____.

Children under 13 are free with payable adult. Does not in- Co-Rider _____ GWRRA # _____

Clued prize tickets.
Masters Breakfast \$12 each - _____ \$ _____ Age: _____
Chapter _____ State _____ Officer Position _____

Additional Grand Prize
Tickets \$5 per ticket _____ \$ _____ Circle all that apply: Male, Female

*****1 Grand Prize Ticket with Registration
***** 1up 2 up

Bike Trike Side Car Other _____.
Pre-registration deadline is April 15,2016. **No refund after**

Address: _____
April 15, 2016. City: _____ **State** _____
Zip _____

Price

On-site registrations are increased by \$5.00 each.

Phone: _____ E-Mail _____

Early Bird Award Deadline March 15, 2016. Direct Miles to Rally _____.

Must be pre-registered for Masters Breakfast.

Shirt Order Form Liability Release Form

T-Shirt: Short Sleeve (S,M,L,XL- \$14.00 Size _____ Qty _____ \$ _____ All Registrants Must Sign

(2XL, & UP -\$16.00 Size _____ Qty _____ \$ _____

Golf Shirt: Short Sleeve(S,M,L,XL \$22.00 Size _____ Qty _____ \$ _____

I/we agree to hold harmless GWRRA, the Co-sponsoring (2XL & up \$24.00 Size _____ Qty _____ \$ _____ organization and any property owners for any loss or injury

T Shirt Long Sleeve(S,M,L,XL \$17.00 Size _____ Qty _____ \$ _____ to self or property by reasons of participating in this rally.

(2XL & up \$19.00 Size _____ Qty _____ \$ _____

Shirts available on site in limited quantities at slightly higher Rider

Signature _____ **Date** _____

price. CO-Rider Signature _____ **Date** _____

Total Registration \$ _____ Is this your first Tennessee District Rally? _____ Yes _____ No

Total Shirt Order \$ _____ Is this the Co-Riders First District Rally? _____ Yes _____ No

Grand Total \$ _____ **Did you attend the 2015 District Rally** _____ Yes _____ No

Mail Entire Page Along with Check or Money Order Payable to TNGWRRRA
Please do not send cash.

To:
Bob Mack
1470 River Road
Kingston, TN. 37763

Spring Fling 2016
Talent Show Application

Act # _____

(to be established just prior to performance)

ALL ENTRIES TO BE TURNED IN TO MAX THOMAS BY APRIL 10, 2016

mlt1958@comcast.net

Max Thomas
200 Fieldstone Drive
Murfreesboro, TN 37127

CIRCLE ONE: MY ACT IS SERIOUS

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If you are using Accompaniment, please turn in your CD (with name of act on it) 30 minutes prior to the Talent Show.

Awards will be:

1st and 2nd place in District Serious

1st and 2nd place in District Humorous

1st and 2nd place out of District

Due to the number of total acts, each act needs to be limited to 5 minutes. Please keep in mind that GWRRA is a non-political, non-religious, family oriented Association.

When introducing you (or your group) what would you like the audience to know?

Name: _____

Name of your act: _____

Chapter/City/State: _____

Give a Brief but thorough description of your act: _____

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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

littldogs1@sbcglobal.net

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Chapter I 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

pokeyohp@aol.com

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

jlust@twc.com

Chapter Y Mt. Vernon-Colonial City Wings

When: 1st Saturday of the month

Where: Central Christian Church 17833

Gambier Rd Mt. Vernon

Time: 6:00 PM Food 7:00PM Gathering

CD - Dave & Denise Huffman 740-263-9898

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THE I'S OF OHIO

GATHERING – SATURDAY,
2ND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

RYAN'S FAMILY STEAKHOUSE
3743 BURBANK RD
WOOSTER, OH

SOCIAL TIME:
Eat at 5:00 PM
Gathering at 6:00 PM



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