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Chapter NC-C2

GWRRA NC – C2 Smithfield, NC

FRIENDS for FUN, SAFETY, and KNOWLEDGE

October and November 2017
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"The Wingin' News"

Meetings held at PARKSIDE CAFÉ in Pine Level the 1st Tuesday of each month except the month of February. Meetings are held at the Annual Chili Cook-off at Smithfield Moose Lodge in February.

PARKSIDE CAFÉ' is located on Hwy 70 ALT East, I-95 Exit 97, 2 miles on the right past the Robbins Nest Restaurant. We eat at 6:30 and meet at 7:30 PM.

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Your Chapter Directors Tom and Linda Tipton



October and November 2017

Hopefully everyone had a safe and fun time at WOTS 2017!!!!!!! Linda and I had a great time at the new WOTS venue.....No problems at all.....We did not have a problem with the Parking either but know of others that did. I am sure those problems will be addressed and fixed for next year.....We really did have a Great Time!!!!!!! **Way to go Roy and Cindy!!!!!!!**

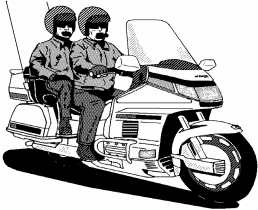
We know of a couple people that had problems with their trip up and those problems could have been avoided just by doing what we know!!!!!!! T C L O C K your MC's as often as you ride, I do! I, also, told the GWRRR members that had problems that they could have avoided their problems just by doing a T C L O C K.....there is no excuse for starting a small or long trip with worn out TIRES.....No excuse for that!!!!!!! So have a good time riding but T C L O C K your machines.....

Our Chapter participation is at a good level and hope it only gets better!!!!!!!
Thanks C2 for being involved.....

linda&tomt

C2 meets the first Tuesday of the month.....
we eat @ 6:30pm meet @ 7:30pm
at Parkside Café in Pine Level
mailing address 2176 US Hwy 70A E Selma, NC 27576

Ya'll come and see us!!!!



Ride Coordinator – Brenda Harper

Watch for an email, Brenda will send when a ride is planned during the month!



Your motor awareness "Tip".

If when you check everything and try to prepare yourself and your motorcycle, things happen that are beyond your control.....



Friends for Fun, Safety & Knowledge PARTICIPATION

We all try to do the best we can in the office position we have. We must lead by example

Motorcycle organizations and clubs throughout this great country of ours, including the Gold Wing Road Riders Association, have been conducting rides to benefit our veterans for many years. It is my belief that we can't do enough for them when they return home after serving our country, so that all of us can continue to enjoy our freedom. The charity rides we all do for our veterans, disadvantaged children and adults, and our communities, are enormously satisfying to us all.

What role you want to have in helping the Chapter be successful and FUN is completely up to you. Do you want to truly and humbly serve the Members of the Chapter as an Officer - a commitment to the success of the Chapter now and in the future? Do you want to help support the Operations of the Chapter as a TEAM Member each month? Or do you want one of the most important roles in any Chapter, being an ACTIVE Chapter participant? Which one are you and how can you help? If you are not participating, please let your Chapter know what they can do for you to join in on all the FUN! We do not want you on the sidelines, we want YOU to have as much FUN as the rest of us are having.

Its most important for you, a Chapter Member, to make the visitor feel welcome. The more comfortable they feel from the beginning with all the Members of the Chapter, the more likely they are to participate with this very friendly group of motorcycle riders.

We all want to have FUN. We all want the Chapter to be successful. And we all have a part to play in that success. What are YOU doing?



Shari and Charles "Sammy" Langdon
with Zoey (their granddaughter)

LEVELS I, II, III, & IV

Don't forget to keep a check on your levels
To keep them up to date, also to plan to update
Your levels at any GWRRA function
During all the classes they offer
Be sure to register soon & take the classes.

Ride Smart & Be Safe!
Charles Langley
C-2 Chapter Educator



Member Enhancement Program Coordinators (MEC)

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October 18 Eddie and Debbie Lewis

October 20 Jim and Linda Hairr

October 24 Kenny and Dottie Baker



October 12	Jim Hairr
October 27	Zoey Langley
October 29	Linda Hairr
November 5	Sammy Langley
November 17	Kenny Baker
November 23	Debbie Lewis



2017 NC-C2 Chapter Couple

Connie and Kerney Eason





From the Brain of your Webmaster.....C a n d i s M e d l i n

October, November, then comes December,wait wasn't it just January and we were wishing for warm days to ride. Two months till Christmas????????? No, it can't be, someone said times goes faster when you get older and I'm not older. Something is wrong here.....wait guess I am older than I was.....so now I really do understand what they meant!!! OK, Santa Claus, I really do believe and I'm wishing for a beautiful frog green trike, how about it???????

Take in as many of the fun days as you can, make each minute count. Keep your eyes on everything around you even if you aren't on a ride and if you are, enjoy your ride.

**Let's Ride – for fun, for fellowship and
keep safety on the top of your list.....
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EAT AND MEET FOR September 2017

Our C2 meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and recognizing our Veterans. Prayer was given by Sammy Langley for our meal and those sick. Tom Tipton welcomed all our guests by chapters who were the following: E Cary, F2 Garner, D Greenville, Z Rocky Mount, and S2 Sanford. Other guests from District were Assistant District Directors Alston and Peggy Gaultier, District Couple George and Brenda Harper and District MEPC's Charles and Sue Langley. We also had a visiting prospective new member Greg Baker, who we welcomed for his first time.

The couples plaque was won by Herbert from Rocky Mount. The couples meal ticket was won by Evelyn from Rocky Mount. DJ from C2 made a ginger bread cake that was won by Evelyn from Rocky Mount and she shared it with everyone. The tickets for 180 chances to win the Goldwing at WOS was won by Charles Langley. Vest drawings were won by Kathy from Garner, Dale Petzoid, Alice Manning from Greenville and Candis from C2. The all received a gift card for a dozen donuts from Krispy Kreme.

Kerney Eason spoke on the upcoming Myrtle Beach trip and passed out information sheets. C2 Chapter Educator Sammy Langley spoke on riding safely to WOS along with the benefits of the Medic First Aid Class and levels.

Sunshine Lady for C2, Connie Eason was absent but Kerney filled in and recognized all birthdays and anniversaries. A free registration to X-Toberfest on 10-14-17 was won by DJ from C2. Barbara won the Candy Jar for guessing the number in the jar. Door prizes were distributed.

Tom gave a Motor Awareness Tip about using a plastic bag to cover your boots for rain and cold weather, and told how that can also be used to help when sliding on your rain suit.

The 50/50 drawings were won by George and Brenda Harper and Linda Tipton.

Reporter,
Dottie Baker

EAT AND MEET FOR October 2017

Our October meeting was opened by Chapter C2 Director, Tom Tipton. All said the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag and all Veterans present were recognized. Sammy Langley prayed the blessing over our food. Assistant C2 Director Kerney Eason welcomed all other chapters present which were as follows: E Cary, K2 Fayetteville, F2 Garner, D Greenville, D2 New Bern, Z Rocky Mount, X2 Wilkesboro. All chapters were given the opportunity to speak about meeting days, times, and upcoming events. Also, present from district were District Directors Roy and Cindy Bryant, Assistant District Directors Austin and Peggy Gautier and District MEPCs Charles and Sue Langley. We also had a visitor and hopefully new C2 Member Bee Warner who is to take the motorcycle course soon.

The couple's plaque was won by Evelyn from chapter Z Rocky Mount. The couple's meal ticket was won by her husband Herbert. The candy jar guess was won by Pat Joyner for guessing 48 in the jar. The vests drawing was won by Sue Langley, Debbie Lewis, Kathy from Garner, Gerald Jones from Greenville, Evelyn from Rocky Mount and Dottie from C2. The carrot cake was made by Debbie Lewis was won by Vernon Dudley from Garner. A handmade cross was won by Dean from Garner and was donated by Tom and Linda Tipton.

C2 Chapter Educator Sammy Langley spoke to us on riding, near misses, blind spots and always practicing safety when riding. David from Garner shared with us that Kathy received the Medic 1st Aid Educator of the Year Award while at Wings Over Smokies. Kerney spoke on upcoming trip October 26-29, 2017 in Myrtle Beach and encouraged all to register and join C2 at the event. Tom talked on C2's Ride Pot and the drawing was won by Charles Langley. In the absence of Sunshine Lady Connie Eason, Kerney honored all birthdays and anniversaries of those present. Door Prizes were distributed by Tom, Sammy and Kerney. The three 50/50s were won by Roy Bryant, Judy Bankston and Sue Langley.

Reporter,
Dottie Baker





North Carolina District Directors Roy and Cindy Bryant

Wings Over The Smokies® 2017 is now in the history books. I hope each and everyone that came had a good time. First of all, I want to THANK every chapter member of North Carolina that sold tickets for the grand prize and also for any area you worked at the rally. This is your rally and without you it would not be the success that it is. From my heart, I would like to say THANK YOU.

The new venue this year seemed to work ok, but as always, any new place has some issues that need some attention. We were able to see what worked and what didn't so we can address these issues next year as we learn from our mistakes. Overall, everything was good and we had no major problems. What about that escort to the Street Dance in Waynesville? If you missed it, you really missed a great adventure. We were very well protected from beginning to end. The music and dancers had us all on our feet. We have already started working Wings Over The Smok-ies® 2018 and we continue to need the assistance of the members of North Carolina. Our attendance was down a little this year and maybe, we as a whole, can bring the attendance back up again. The rally will be at the same location, Haywood County Fairgrounds, Waynesville, September 27-29, 2018. The theme, "It's a Jungle Out There". Start thinking about the logo and the fun you wish to bring to the rally.

I wish to thank George and Brenda Harper for everything they have done for the North Carolina Couples' Program, 2016-2017. Soon, they will be leaving their District position as they set their sights on Region N Couple of the Year. They have worked very hard with Sue and Charles Langley (District MEPC) to help all the couples bring fun to any event. Most everyone knows they will be the last NC couple to be in the Region N selection, so we support them all the way as they move forward. Good Luck you guys and we love you!

With each WOTS rally, a new District Couple is announced. I wish to welcome Glenn and Joy Kennedy to the District Team. They are from Wake Forest, NC X, and I am sure they will do a great job.

More winners at WOTS starting with the winner of the Hartco seat, Deetra Watson, daughter of John Bryant. Thank you Mark Hart, Hartco Seats, for the donation. The next name that was announced was Cal Allen, NC A as the winner of the \$2,295.00 voucher towards a California Sidecar custom trailer. Thank you Dwight for that donation. The last prize announcement was the winner of the 2017 Goldwing, Alice Manning, CD NC D Greenville, NC. It was purchased thru Schroaders Honda who graciously convinced Kuryakyn to donate EXTRAS, which made the value of the bike \$35,000.00. Thanks to the entire Schroader family for handling everything from purchase to delivery.

Moving forward, let's don't forget about the Region N Rally coming up Nov. 2-4. This will be the LAST REGION N RALLY. Let's all join together and show our Region Director, Glenda Keough just how much we care about her.

MEMBERS ARE NUMBER ONE!!!!

Roy & Cindy Bryant
NC District Directors



NC Assistant District Directors East – Austin and Peggy Gauthier



What a Time !! Hello Everybody,
Winner — Winner — Winner — Alice Manning, Chapter Director, Greenville.
CONGRATULATIONS on your NEW MOTORCYCLE; last year she was in the hospital during WOTS's, this year she's a WINNER of a beautiful Motorcycle
She just so happened to have had a vendor paint an "Angel" on her helmet while at the rally — Yep, it will match her NEW RIDE. Congratulations Alice !!

Well another WOTS's is now behind us, As we all know Team Work — IT'S NOT WORK — when we do it all together & make it fun. A Thank you too all WHO HELPED in the Hospitality Room, your help was greatly appreciated. We made new friends, and got better acquainted with others, that's friendships for life. We feel everyone did an awesome job, there are too many to name.

Austin & I just want to thank ALL Our Eastern Chapter Directors — What a great job you guys & your members did selling tickets. Thank you, so very Much for your dedication & support for GWRRA & North Carolina; you sure make us PROUD and our job easier.

Chapter X Wake Forest, Glen & Joy Kennedy our New District Couple Of The Year — CONGRATULATIONS; Chapter X was also recognized as Winners of Chapter of the Year; there are more chapters now doing great work getting ready for the next selection, being able to display chapter pride, events attended, & your rides making memories. We're all winners, when we visit other chapters and support each other; the weather is perfect now for riding — so do it now, it's beautiful out there in October.

In ending we'd like to say what a great time we had with our friends on the district team, Thank you to Roy & Cindy for their leadership; last but not least THANK YOU TO CLIFTON & MICHAEL for all your hard work behind the scenes making us all look good. Without what you did — North Carolina would not have looked so Great.

A friendly reminder up coming event, Wake Forest X-tober fest, October 14, check the District website for pre-registration flyer.

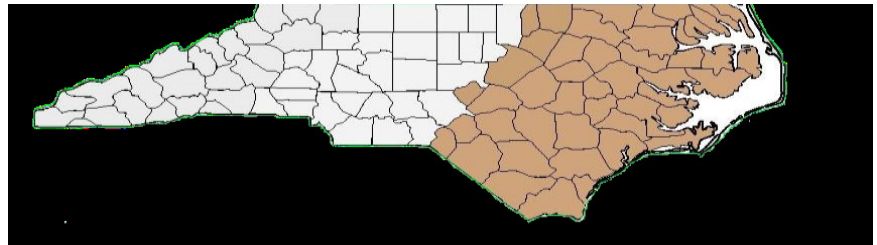
Austin & Peggy Gauthier

ADD's East

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Peggy's Cell # 252 452 5095

We're always just a call away !!



*Glenda and Alan Keough
"Region N" Directors*



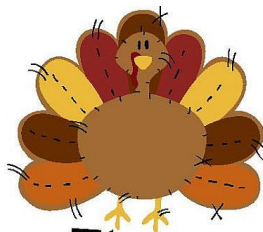
**2017 Region N Rally at Johnson City, Tennessee
Holiday Inn – November 2nd - 4th**

2017 Dates to Remember..... Flyers for events are on District Web Site

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Eastern Chapters	2	3 C2 Smithfield 730 at Parkside	4	5 G High Point 630/730 V Statesville 6/7 D Greenville 730	6	7 S2 Sanford 10/11 Y2 Matthews 10/11 G2 Waynesville 3/4
8 X Wake Forest eat 5 / mtg 6	9 W Eden 730	10 Z Rocky Mt 730 B2WinstonS730	11	12 A Greensboro 730 T2 Albemarle 730	13	14 L2 Mooresville 9/10 X2 Wilkesboro 1/2 U2 Laurinburg e2/m3
15 O2 Hickory 5/6	16 D2 New Bern 730	17 E Cary 730 L Gastonia 7 M Salisbury	18	19 F2 Garner 730 H2 Durham 730 E2 Eliz City 700	20	21 Q-Wilmington M2 Hendersonville 9 P2 BoilingSp 130/230
22 K2 Fayetteville 2	23	24 R-Thomasville 730	25	26 N Burlington 730	27	28 I Asheville 9/10 Y Morganton 6/7
29	30	31	1	2 G High Point 630/730 V Statesville 6/7 D Greenville 730 Region N	3 Rally	4 S2 Sanford 10/11 Y2 Matthews 10/11 G2 Waynesville 3/4 Nov 2- 4
5	6 W Eden 730	7 C2 Smithfield 730 at Parkside	8	9 A Greensboro 730 T2 Albemarle 730	10	11 L2 Mooresville 9/10 X2 Wilkesboro 1/2 U2 Laurinburg e2/m3
12 X Wake Forest eat 5 / mtg 6	13 D2 New Bern 730	14 Z Rocky Mt 730 B2WinstonS730	15	16 F2 Garner 730 H2 Durham 730 E2 Eliz City 700	17	18 Q-Wilmington M2 Hendersonville 9 P2 Boiling Sp130/230 N Burlington "Toys for Tots" 10 am
19 O2 Hickory 5/6	20	21 E Cary 730 L Gastonia 7 M Salisbury	22	23 N-Burlington-730	24	25 I Asheville-9/10 Y Morganton 6/7
26 K2 Fayetteville 2	27	28 R-Thomasville 730	29	30		

**"2018 Wings Over Smokies" - September 27-29, 2018 - Haywood County Fairgrounds,
758 Crabtree Road, Waynesville, NC**



Happy Thanksgiving