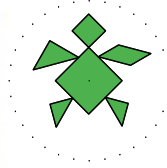


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Chapter Z Newsletter



We call ourselves the Zany Zebras of Chapter Z. Our meetings are on the second Saturday of each month at the Moose Lodge of Bloomington IN, supper at 5:30 pm and meeting at 7 pm. We enjoy rides and fun activities, including Indiana Winter Rendezvous, Spring Wing Warm-Up and Wing Ding. Come join the fun!

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Our Mission Statement:

As volunteer leaders, we recognize that service to members is our first priority. Our mission is to provide an environment in Indiana in which the ideals of GWRRA - *Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge* - can flourish and grow."

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Birthdays and Anniversaries



Birthdays

Steve Schilling 9/10
Bobby Carter 9/15
Ellen Bollinger 10/5
Bonnie Carter 10/15
Linda Schilling 10/18
Rose McFarland 10/24
Steve Brown 10/27
Debbie Juncker 10/30



Anniversaries

No Anniversaries in September
George + Carol England 10/1
Joe + Ellen Bollinger 10/21



Sick call

Steve Brown
Pat McKee

Chapter Directors



Hello Fellow Zebra's,

Well, Summer is over, sad but true. So far Fall has been good to us Riders – weather still good for riding.

The Southwest/east Gathering at Boggs was a great time. Members from Chapter L, M and Z camped. Chapter B2, M, L, K, O and Z attended the Saturday cook-out. Planning for next Year are already in progress.

Stores have Halloween Stuff out. Some even have the Christmas items out For some the best Season is to start – SHOPPING.

State Road 37 is still a mess, maybe some day it will be finished.

We had some great turnouts at our Rides, Chapter Cookout/Camping and Gatherings.

Few new Members joined the Chapter. Some members will be going South for the Winter – lucky People.

To many to name by Names: Thank you so much for all the help, you all provided when ask. We appreciate it greatly.

Next big event will be our Christmas Party in December.

Have a Happy Halloween.

Pat & Gerda McKee

IN-Z AD's

IN-SW ADD's

Ride Educator's

THE 10 ESSENTIALS EVERY RIDER SHOULD CARRY

An interactive discussion about the following topics...

- 1. Tool Kit**
- 2. Tire stuff**
- 3. Spares fuses**
- 4. Spare bulbs**
- 5. Spare key(s)**
- 6. Multi-lens touring eyewear**
- 7. Paperwork**
- 8. Smartphone**
- 9. Spare Cash & Credit Card**
- 10. Medical information**

Chuck and Chris Jacobs

Indiana District Ride Educators

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Couple of the Year 2017



Apples by the Fire

½ cup packed light brown sugar

1 teaspoon cinnamon

4 Granny Smith apples cored

Preheat grill to medium heat

Mix together sugar & Cinnamon in a bowl and rub mixture with your fingers evenly inside of apples.

Wrap each in 2 pieces of heavy-duty foil twisting and end into a tail for a handle

Grill packets, turning frequently until softened.

10 to 12 minutes, Let stand 5 to 10 Minutes.

Person, Place or thing:

1. I'm particularly popular in the summer.
2. I was born in Havana.
3. I'm minty, but I'm not a mint.
4. I involve mudding.
5. Ernest Hemingway is said to have been a big fan of mine.
6. Typically, I prefer Lime over Lemon.
7. I'll put you in high "Spirits".
8. Please, don't confuse me with a caipirinha.
9. Rum is my liquor of choice.
10. I've got a little "mojo" in me.

Order Up Guess Which Happen First, Second and Third.

1. Destiny's Child tops the chart with the hit song: Independent Women.
2. Wicked opens on Broadway.
3. Antiques Road Show debuts on PBS.

Rose McFarland

Chapter Z MEC

Meeting Notes from Gathering

August 12, 2017

Pledge...

Guests: Dennis and Debbie Juncker

Gary's daughter,

Birthdays: Dan 8-30

Dennis 8-15

Anniversaries: Debbie and Dennis 8-3 32 yrs

Dan and Crystal 8-13 40 yrs

Larry and Sharol 8-12

The candy jar was brought in by Crystal and Dan and in honor of their silver anniversary on Sunday, all the wrappers were silver!!

Overnight ride to Dayton Air Museum is August 26th. Deadline is Friday 18th and we need at least 5 bikes to make the trip or we will cancel it for now

We discussed going to the Ark Encounter instead for a long day ride. It is 170 miles, 2 hours 41 minutes (but not chapter Z)

Admission is \$40 for adults, seniors \$31, kids \$28.

Sept 3 is a mystery ride. Meet in Martinsville at Indy's at 2:00 leave at 2:15 Dinner at around 4:00-4-30

Last region D GWRRA is going to change things up after this year. Rick and Deb Region Couple of the Year

Sept 9 th is the next gathering. How about a short ride before the meeting?

Boggs is coming up Sept. 23. Gerda will let us know about camp sites soon.

Anita and Richard will most likely be in Texas for the winter so Anita can not be the finance officer any longer. If anyone is interested in taking this over let Pat or Gerda know.

Chapter Directors and Ass't Directors are going to be needed too by the end of the year.

Chuck gave his safety report on motorcycle accidents and causes.

Candy jar was won by

Meeting adjourned

September 9th Gathering Notes

Pledge

Birthdays Pete Shillings and Bobby Carter

No Anniversaries

No updates about Steve Brown's health.

Rose and John are not here tonight due to the death of Rose's sister.

Chuck talked about Wing Ding. Light Attendance partly due to the storm and parking issues. Everything was paid parking.

Next year it will be at Knoxville Tenn.

Chris flew down to meet Chuck and was asked to remove her shoes at the airport. That caught her by surprise.

Crystal had a little excitement at Wal-Mart with her daughter Lisa. When I picked two bottles of wine off of the shelf the display fell to the floor. It was a nice fall display but it all ended up on the floor. Bottles broke and some landed on the cooky boxes and rolled in all directions. Luckily no one was injured and I had my 2 bottles still in my hands!!

Things to remember:

Bogg's Sept 22-24 Tacos planned for dinner on Friday and Hot dogs and burger pitch-in for Saturday.

Collecting dog and cat food for an animal shelter.

Mystery ride was scheduled for Sept 3 but Gerda forgot about it so it was rescheduled for Sept.17. We meet at Indy's in Martinsville at 2:00 and rode throughout the country ending up at Mooresville to eat at Poe's and ice cream at Dairy Queen.

Next Gathering will be Oct 14th. Please keep in mind that IU has a home game that day that starts at noon.

Oct 21 is officer meeting in Lafayette.

Oct 28th ride to Nashville

Dec 9th will be the Christmas party. Debbie Knerr has volunteered to do the planning for that.

Oct 14 will also be a District meeting. There will be some changes to GW and hopefully some of those will be revealed then

Winter Rendezvous will be in Shipshewana.

Spring Wing maybe in Lebanon.

Looking for a finance officer as Anita and Richard will be in Texas for the winter.

Looking for volunteers for Chapter Directors and Assistant Chapter Directors.

One of the changes will be that there will not be a Chapter Educator after January 1st.

Talked about having a ride before meetings for next summer.

Chuck's safety discussion was about "How to be a better rider at night" make sure your vision is clear, yellow sunglasses, check your headlights. Halogen or LED lights are brightest.

Lights when cornering. Wing lights are stationary and don't follow the road because fairing doesn't move.

Speed - slow down and Be seen - wear brighter clothes.

Debbie got the candy jar.

Chapter Z Event Calendar 2017

(Subject to change)

30. 10/14/17 Chapter Gathering

32. 10/29/17 Mystery Ride

33. 11/11/17 Chapter Gathering

12/9/17 Chapter Christmas Party

