



# GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

Friends for fun, safety and knowledge.



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## GREENWOOD WINGS L-2



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### L2 Monthly Meeting Information:

Chapter L2 of the Indiana District of the Gold Wing Road Riders Association meets on the 2nd Sunday of each month at MCL, 3630 S. East Street, Indianapolis, IN. Please join us to dine at 3:00p.m. and the meeting starts at 4:00p.m. Everyone is always welcome!

Hello Everyone.

WOW! We had a great turnout for our April meeting. I think we had 34 members attend. We had Chapter B and Chapter U attend. Chapter B was the one who was able to steal the Indiana District Placque from us. Now, we have to get it back soon. Thanks to everyone who attended, it was a great meeting and Harriet even bought me an Ice Tea. Yeah!! One more BINGO square marked off. Good Job and I enjoyed the tea.

I also want to thank Reggie, Sherri and Ann for going with us to Chapter D's Open House. They had a great turnout, great food and it was an enjoyable day. Thanks to Alice for inviting us. I also got a couple recipes that I have already made. YUM! (see photo)

We are getting closer to the first Spring Wing Ride-In held in Nashville on May 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> and I am looking forward to a fantastic weekend. There are a lot of rides planned and some events at the campground for anyone who wants to stop by. The Friday night ride will end back at the campground for coffee and some sweet treats. Then on Saturday night around 6:00 p.m. after the rides are done, we are having a chili dump at the Friends O Mine campground. SO, bring your best chili and dump it into the big pot over the campfire and enjoy chili until

it is gone. Then enjoy some talk around the campfire with old friends.

Our first chapter ride of the season is on Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>. We will be heading to McCormick's Creek State Park with lunch at the Inn. It is always a nice ride and a great meal. Be sure to mark your calendars and join us. We will be leaving the Chase Bank at Main Street and I65 S at 10:00 a.m.

At our April meeting I passed out the 2021 Ride Schedule. We still do have some open days, so if you would like to add a ride, please let us know and we will be happy to add it to the list. The more the merrier. Our dinners on Wednesday nights have had a great turnout of members. We keep getting a little bigger each week now that the weather is getting nicer. Keep it up.



Joe and Paula Swift

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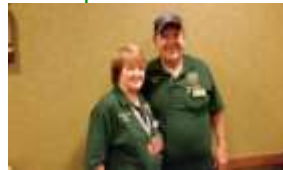
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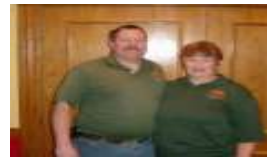
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Thank you.  
Paula Swift

**May is Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month**

With warmer weather, it's time to remind everyone to be on the alert and to share the road with motorcyclists. *Motorcycles* are vehicles with the same rights and privileges as any motor vehicle on the roadway. All motorists are reminded to safely "share the road" with *motorcycles* and to be extra alert to help keep motorcyclists safe. Motorcyclists are reminded to make themselves visible to other motorists.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration devoted the month of May to Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month. The administration is encouraging all motorists to "share the road" with each other. Incorporating safe driving techniques helps reduce fatalities and injuries resulting from crashes and accidents.

Over the past few years, the increase in motorcycle safety awareness has resulted in a decrease in motorcycle-related fatalities. Not only does safe driving decrease traffic incidents, it can also reduce insurance rates. Some companies provide qualifying safe drivers with discounts on their premiums.

Here are five motorcycle safety tips

**1. Stay focused**

Motorcyclists should never ride while distracted. This includes using a cell phone, not paying attention to the road or talking to pedestrians or other motorists.

**2. Know your rights**

Don't let other vehicles bully you on the road, since motorcyclists have the same rights, privileges and responsibilities as all other motorists on the road. Conversely, in most states, motorcyclists do not have any special privileges.

**3. Wear a helmet**

This is the one of the most crucial components of riding a motorcycle. According to the NHTSA, an estimated 1,630 motorcyclists were saved by their helmets during accidents.

**4. Check your signals**

Many motorcycles do not have self-canceling turn signals, which means your signal will continue to flash after you've made your turn. If this is the case for your motorcycle, be sure to manually turn the signal off after a turn so as not to confuse other motorists.

**5. Avoid blind spots**

Since motorcycles are smaller than normal vehicles, it's easy to get lost in a blind spot. Although it's difficult to determine whether you're riding in another driver's blind spot, by avoiding the back corners of cars you can keep yourself safer.

Chuck and Chris Jacobs  
Indiana District Ride Educators



# 2021 IN District Events!



## Spring Wing Warm Up 2021!! Parkview Church, Nashville 21-22 May, 2021 Escape Comes Naturally - Riding Rally!



Hello everyone.

Joe and I camped at the "old" Westward Ho campground in Nashville, IN recently only to find out it's been sold to a new couple. They've renamed the campground to: Friends O' Mine. The new owners are putting a lot of work into the facility but it is still a very nice and friendly place to camp. We asked them if they would hold 30 spots for Spring Wing Warm-Up 2021 and their policy is for everyone to either call 812-988-0008 or go online to: [www.friendsominecampground.com](http://www.friendsominecampground.com) and book their own spot. You can book your site now if you want to. I would suggest doing so as soon as possible because it is a very busy campground. You will need to put down a deposit when you book.

The rate is \$40.00 per night unless you are a veteran, then you get a 10% discount. There are also some small cabins available but they don't have indoor plumbing. There is a 24hr. shower house and restrooms available. There is a fishing lake and a camp store on site. It is pet friendly also.

The campsites are 30 amp or 50 amp electric service and have full water hookup. I think most of them are pull thru.

This is the same location we had booked for this years Spring Wing Warm-Up located at 4557 State Road 46, Nashville, IN.

If you have any questions, please contact Paula Swift at 317-797-1398 or [pkswift08@att.net](mailto:pkswift08@att.net).

Thank you and we are looking forward to seeing you all soon.

Paula and Joe Swift  
Assistant District Directors



## 2021 GWRRA Indiana

### Ice Cream Trail Guidelines

- Complete 9 out of 36 joints and you get a commemorative patch/pin. For each fully completed trail, you'll be included in a \$25 drawing. You can complete additional trails and be included in multiple cash drawings!
- Ice cream must be consumed at each stop on the trail.
- Trails can be done in any order.
- If a listed ice cream joint has gone out of business, substitute any ice cream joint in its place and document it on your Official Trail Sheet(s).
- Use the Official Trail Sheets to date each joint you visit. When complete write your name and chapter on your trail sheet(s). Official Trail Sheets are your submission.
- Trails open 1 April and are officially closed 31 October. Official Trail Sheet Submissions must be received by 30 November. Completed Official Trail Sheets (including your name and chapter) can be mailed or emailed to:

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## 2021 District Ferry Ride June 3-6, 2021



### District Fairy Ferry Ride - June 3-6

Come join us to ride 8 of 10 Operating Ferry's in Kentucky! Ed has a Fantastic Route Planned and Lots of Fun Will Be Had!

Leaving Columbus, IN 3 June at 9:00 am.

Spending Thursday Night in Wilder, KY; Friday Night Campbellsville, KY; and Saturday Ending in Corydon, IN.



Hotel/Ride Details Forthcoming!



Contact Ed Feldt, IN Ride Coordinator, at 765.412.4162 or elf46@comcast.net



## June 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Dinner at Cambell's Grille	3 District Ferry Ride	4 District Ferry Ride	5 District Ferry Ride
6	7	8	9 Dinner at Gray Brothers	10	11	12
13 Eddie Lawyer's B/D 	14	15	16 Dinner at Max and Erma's	17	18	19
20 Paul Crock's B/D and Siegfried's Anniversary	21	22	23 Dinner at the Oasis Diner	24	25	26
27 Wanamaker Days Ride depart at 10:00 from Bank Catt's Anniversary	28	29 Wing Ding in Missouri	30 Dinner at Sero's and Wing Ding in Missouri			

**\*\*Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. Please go directly to the restaurant.**

**\*\*\*All weekend rides depart from the Chase Bank on Main Stree, Greenwood unless otherwise stated.**

## May 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 1 <sup>st</sup> chapter ride to McCormick Creek State Park. Leaving the Bank at 10:00 a.m.
2 L2 Meeting	3	4	5 Dinner at Uno's	6	7	8 Motorist Awareness Day
9 Happy Mother's Day 	10	11	12 Dinner at Johnson BBQ	13	14	15
16	17	18 Dave Chambliss' B/D 	19 Dinner at Metro Diner	20 Martin's Anniversary 	21 Spring Wing Ride In, Brown County	22 Spring Wing Ride In, Brown County and Kelly Martin's  B/D
23	24	25	26 Dinner at Fanous Daves	27	28	29 Lunch at Putman Inn in Greencastle, Depart at 11:00
30 Indpls. 500 Race and Duane Straw's B/D 						

\*\*Dinners will be at 6:30 p.m. at the restaurant. Do not go to the bank