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District Educator discusses Team Riding with our Chapter



Gerry Kerkeslager gave our group a rundown on the proper procedures of Team Riding. More photos on pages 8-9.



**Saturday
July 20, 2024
Chapter PA-R
GUMBALL RIDE**

Meet at Comfort Inn, Sayre, PA

Chapter R Gathering meets on the 2nd Saturday of every month except Dec. - 9:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast, 10:00 a.m. Meeting.
Comfort Inn, Elmira Street, Sayre, PA

Chapter Directors



Carla's
Comments

I am getting pretty comfortable on the trike these days. A lady from church heard all about our summer adventures and asked me when I was going to take her for a ride! And I knew she meant it because she told me what days she was free! Unfortunately, I wasn't available on the days that were summer-like at the beginning of the month, so on Columbus Day our schedules matched, and even though it was only around 60 degrees, I made good on my promise. I got the insulated pants out, the heavy motorcycle jacket



and gloves, and jumped on the trike and headed down to Waverly to pick her up. She was so excited - I guess she had a motorcycle back in the day. I took her up past O'Brien's, into Chemung, up Wyncoop Creek Road, into Van Etten and back down Route 34 to Waverly. She really enjoyed the trip, and I was ready for a cup of hot coffee when I got back home!!



Speaking of those summer-like days at the beginning of the month, I had scheduled a trip up near Buffalo to visit an old friend for a couple days. I am STILL kicking myself that I didn't dare take the trike on THAT trip.

The weather was outstanding, and the trees up there at that time were much prettier than here at home. After I got off the highway in Dansville, there were some amazing back roads that would have been motorcycle-perfect. But it was a three hour trip up there all by my lonesome, and I didn't quite dare take the trike on my own. But I sure wished I had!!!

It has been a very busy month! We want to welcome a BRAND NEW MEMBER to our ranks! Peggy Bright-Berhannan has become a Wing'd Rider with Chapter R. We have been enjoying taking Peggy around to look at motorcycles. Our newest chapter member is getting pretty eager to own her own bike!!! And we just may have found the ticket - hopefully we will have good news next month!



So now our next big event is our Chapter Christmas Party!!! If you haven't signed up for it yet, you can find the reservation form on page 11. You don't want to miss it - great food at the Grille - and of course great company and lots of activities and games that are a ton of fun. Reservations are due by November 27!

So after the second summer-like weather at the end of October, it looks like the colder weather is going to settle in for real. We have to put our bikes up for the winter, so now what are we going to do? Ed certainly came up with a solution. He got involved with a bowling league at his company this fall, and now he thinks I should be joining him in all that fun. I am not joining his league, but he does want me to go out and practice with him from time to

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time, so he bought me a bowling ball! Gee - I have never owned anything like that before! So I found a ball online that had my college mascot on it - a tiger! It is super pretty, and we had the holes drilled just to fit my fingers. Guess I will be a whiz at the game now, right? WRONG! My first game was a 44.

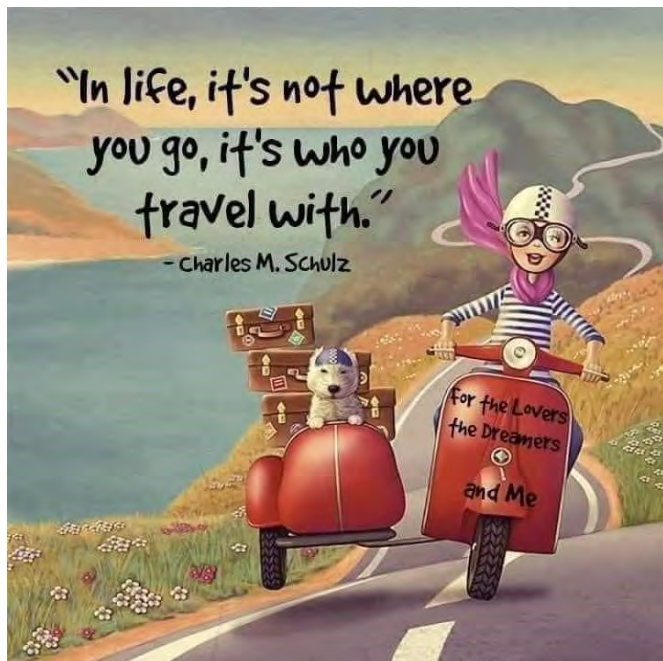
We want to thank Gerry Kerkeslager for coming to our October Gathering and teaching us all a little bit about Team Riding. We did a lot of team riding throughout the summer, and we found out all the things we had done wrong. Well, Gerry made sure he let the group know all the things CARLA had done wrong on her District ride in August!!!



We also want to welcome our USA traveler back home! Dale put thousands of miles on his bike this fall by going cross country. He returned in time to attend our October Team Meeting. Be sure to come to the November Gathering and hear all about his trip!

We are all looking forward to our annual Soup & Chili Party this coming weekend. We will have the full rundown on the event in the next newsletter. But in the meantime, we hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving.

**Ed & Carla Dawejko,
Chapter Directors
PA-R**



Finally convinced the wife to go on a cross-country motorcycle trip!



Assistant Directors



First of all we want to welcome Peggy Bright-Berhannan to our Wing'd Rider Chapter "R" group & we are looking forward to many fun times together. She has already been to a few of our meetings and some of our overnight trips.

At our last meeting we were getting some suggestions for next year's riding season so if any of you have suggestions, we are open to hear them.

Our own exciting trip for next summer will be to Cape Girardeau, Missouri to see our son and family and onto Wichita, Kansas to visit our sister-in-law. I'm sure there will be much sight-seeing at both places.

Remember that Nov. 5 is our Soup and Chili Party at the Smouse's and that our Christmas Party is soon after on December 9. So, mark your calendars and we hope to see you there. It would be good to see some of our friends that used to be in our group and attending many of our events to come join with us again.

We can't emphasize enough about being careful when riding. They are still blowing grass onto the roads and just the other day there was a lady blowing leaves onto the road.

So stay safe in your riding.

Assistant Chapter Directors,
Bill & Janice Rowe



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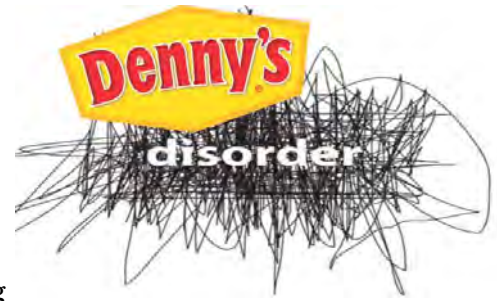
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Denny's Disorder



Another month and more babble from me! I don't have much to report on this month. I did get my wood all cut and split. Contracted with a



BEFORE

guy who has a machine. He came in and the whole tri-axle load was cut & split in six hours! Nice! Now Barb & I will be having a Wood Stacking Party sometime soon and you're all invited. Free beer!



AFTER

Who's looking forward to the Holiday Season? Who watches all the Hallmark Movies? Yeah, I know their sappy and you can predict the endings, but I like them. I do enjoy the Holiday Season as it is usually the time families get together and eat good food!

Speaking of good food, don't forget Barb's Soup & Chili on Sunday November 5th starting at 1:00. I do enjoy this for all the good food errrr I mean getting together with all our friends!

Believe it or not – that's all I got. See you at the Soup & Chili Party!

Have a Great Thanksgiving,
Dennis & Barb



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Hangoon Dynapro	4	4	7	7
General Grabber	8	8	5	6
Yokohama Geolander	8	6		

Chapter Events



The Chapter invited Gerry Kerkeslager to the October Gathering for a training on Team Riding. We can always count on Josh and Nina showing up in costume, but we were pleased to see our District Directors also dressed up for Halloween. It was a good crowd, we learned a lot, and we ended up at Mooneys in Athens for lunch.

Chapter R loves to socialize!



The Endless Mountains Riders visited the Bluestone Brewery in Sayre for the October Greater Valley Chamber of Commerce Mingle event. It is always great food and great company. It was a chilly evening, but John even rode his bike in! And Dennis lucked out by winning one of the prizes! There were some great comments on the beer and the root beer as well.

Bill Rowe led our group on a beautiful Sunday ride through the back hills toward Laceyville. There were some towns along that route that I had never heard of before!!! Bill always knows how to plan a ride! And it led us straight to this great little restaurant for lunch.



The Ice Cream Challenge is officially over!

We have had a lot of fun eating ice cream and following the photos of all you folks setting your sights on winning the 2023 Ice Cream Challenge. So who won? You will have to come to the Christmas Party to find out!

And its time to put your thinking caps on. What do we want to challenge for 2024? Will it be Hamburgers? Pizza? Fire Trucks? The sky is the limit. Tell us what you would like the challenge to be next year!



2023 Chapter Ice Cream Challenge

Just a note about ice cream shops: **Thirtytwo Below** is an ice cream shop located in Van Etten. They have indoor seating and are now open **YEAR ROUND!** It's a cute little shop with several tables, in case you all get hungry for ice cream this winter!!!



Chapter Events



Pennsylvania Chapter R

ENDLESS MOUNTAINS RIDERS

Saturday, December 9, 2023

PA-R Christmas Party

Social Hour: Noon | Dinner 1:00 p.m.

Dinner Buffet:

Tossed Salad with Ranch & Italian Dressing

Chateau blend vegetables, steamed

Sirloin Coulotte

Italian marinated select cut Sirloin Coulotte, chargrilled and served medium

Chicken Parmesan

Hand breaded chicken sauced and smothered with mozzarella cheese

Grille Lasagna

Our own homemade, with fresh ricotta and a mozzarella/provolone blend smothered in our famous pasta sauce.

Homemade bread/butter

Soda Pitchers, Coffee, Decaf, Ice Tea

Cake

The Grille at the Train Station
718 North Lehigh Ave
Sayre, PA 18840



Reservations due by Monday, November 27

Names: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Chapter _____ Phone _____

Number of Persons @ \$35.00 / person _____ Total Enclosed: \$ _____

(Please make checks payable to: Endless Mountains Riders PAR WR)

Send to: John Nutting, 126 Wesauking Drive, Towanda, PA 18848

Calendar



November

Sunday Nov 5	Chili Party	1:00 p.m.	Smouse House
Saturday Nov 11	Chapter Gathering	9:00 am Breakfast 10:00 am Meeting	Comfort Inn, Sayre
Thursday Nov 16	Team Meeting/Dinner	5:00 pm	The Grille, Sayre

December

Saturday Dec 9	Christmas Party	12:00 pm	The Grille, Sayre
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