

G2 ROADRUNNERS



December 2019

Website: <http://www.g2txroadrunner.org>

Facebook: GWRRA-ChapterTX-G2 or the direct link below:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/411645738982367/?ref=group_header

Chapter G2 Meetings:

On the first Tuesday of the month, G2 meets to discuss Chapter, GWRRA and ride information at The Buffet Palace (3202 I-30, Greenville, TX 75402) This has been the main chapter meeting historically. Dinner at 6:00pm, meeting starts at 7:00.

On the Third Tuesday of the month, folks closer to the metroplex have an opportunity to gather together at Napoli's Restaurant in Wylie. (701 N Hwy 78, Wylie, TX 75098) - (972) 442-4653. This is for passing information shared at the Greenville meeting and to enjoy the company of others we get to see less frequently. Gathering starts at 6:00 pm.



GWRRA TEXAS DISTRICT CHAPTER G2 GREENVILLE, TX

GWRRA MISSION

Dedicated to our Motto;
Friends for Fun, Safety and
Knowledge, GWRRA
Members enjoy the freedom
of belonging to a not-for-
profit, non-religious and non-
political organization.

GWRRA VISION

Gold Wing Road Riders
Association [GWRRA],
founded in 1977, is
recognized as the world's
largest single-marquee
motorcycle association in the
world. GWRRA provides
safety, technical, and
educational services to its
Members world-wide.

Words from the Wiggins

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays.

Five people were able to attend our November gathering at the Buffet Palace in Greenville and nine were able to make the gathering at Napoli's this month.

We scheduled a ride to Petty's in Lindale in late October that was cut short due to weather but was rescheduled for November 9th. Nine people were able to make the ride. Great weather and good fellowship.

Eric lead a lunch ride to Circle M Crawfish in Big Sandy on the eighteenth. Six of us enjoyed the route that Eric put together and the Cajon fare at the restaurant. The gumbo was great.

We had our Christmas gathering, Dec 3rd at Siciliano's A Taste Of Italy in Garland. Eighteen people had planned to attend but several had last minute health issues and couldn't get there. Best wishes for a speedy recovery to those feeling under the weather. We had a good time and the staff at Siciliano's did a great job. We had a wonderful dinner, a "Dirty Santa" gift exchange and a saran wrap ball contest that generated a lot of interaction. Congratulations to Bobby for being the winner of the final prize. Thanks to Shirley, David and Barbara for organizing the event and providing the décor and favors. A few pictures of the event are posted in the event photos section on the G2 website under the "Fun" tab.

<http://www.g2txroadrunner.org/Fun.html>

The TX District Mid-Winter Roundup will be on Saturday, January 25th at the Y.O Ranch in Kerrville. The roundup is primarily for doing district/chapter business, but all are invited to attend.

Chapter P is going to host their annual North Texas Bowling Challenge on Sunday, February 23rd, 2020. This is a fun event and they do a great job hosting it. The details are still in work but make sure to mark it on your calendar.

The next **Texas District Rally** will be in Kerrville at the Y.O. Ranch Hotel and Convention Center from 30 April to 2 May 2020. You can make reservations from the Texas District web page <http://gwr-ra-tx.org/>

Wing Ding 42 will be in Springfield MO. June 30 – July 4, 2020 at the Springfield Expo Center in Springfield, Missouri. The following site <http://42.wing-ding.org/> has early information but detail pages are not final. You can register for the event "early bird" packages and for notifications when updates occur. The Wing Ding link on the chapter webpage goes to the new Wing Ding 42 site. George has investigated hotels in the area. Contact George for more info if interested.

Sadly, a few folks in chapter leadership positions are stepping down for next year. David and Shirley, our Assistant Chapter Directors are taking a break and Vickie, our Newsletter Editor has decided to step down. Thanks to all of them for their help the last two years. Barbara and I will miss their help getting chapter business done. George has agreed to continue as chapter treasurer. Give me a call if you are interested in a position. **Get involved with the chapter! It's fulfilling and FUN.**

CHAPTER STAFF

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George Augustas

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Newsletter Editor



Vickie Pierce

Please email or call if you have an activity or ride you'd like to plan and we'll try to get it set up.

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Chapter Directors, Texas Chapter G2

Happy
Holidays


HAPPY BIRTHDAY

David Hale – Dec.1

Joetta Oliver – Dec.3

Bill Godwin – Dec. 4

CHRISTMAS GATHERING



Top photo (left to right): Shirley Hale, David Hale, Judy Elliott, Tommie Elliott, George Augustus, Joetta Oliver, Bobby Williams, Quinton Pierce, Vickie Pierce, Barbara Wiggins. Not pictured is Jim Wiggins.

Bottom photo: Bobby winning the grand prize in the saran wrap game. Pictured: Joetta, Bobby, and Quinton.

Praline Crunch

This crispy, crunchy, caramel Crispix snack mix is absolutely delicious and highly addictive!

Ingredients

- 1 c butter
- 2 1/4 c brown [sugar](#)
- 1/2 c corn syrup
- 1 tsp vanilla
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1 18 oz box Crispix cereal
- 1/2 lb pecan halves (about 2 cups)

Instructions

1. Preheat oven to 200°F.
2. In a large mixing bowl, add the cereal and pecans. Set aside.
3. In a medium-sized saucepan, combine the butter, brown sugar and corn syrup. Cook on medium-high heat until it comes to a boil.
4. Let the mixture boil for 5 minutes and remove from the heat.
5. Stir in the vanilla and salt.
6. Pour the mixture over the cereal and pecans and stir until the pieces are evenly coated, being careful not to crush the cereal.
7. Divide the mixture between two sheet pans and spread out evenly.
8. Bake for 1 hour, stirring each pan of praline crunch every 15 minutes.
9. Let cool and store in an airtight container.

I made this for a family gathering and everyone loved it.

The grocery store I where I shop only had 12 ounce boxes of Crispix I adjusted the recipe and used 2-12 ounce boxes. These are the adjusted ingredients:

- 1 1/3 cups butter
- 3 cups brown sugar
- 1/2 cup plus 2 2/3 tablespoons corn syrup
- 1 1/3 teaspoon vanilla

Crock-Pot Praline Pecans

Ingredients

- 4 cups pecans
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 cup [dark brown sugar](#)
- Four tablespoons unsalted butter
- Two tablespoon light corn syrup
- One egg white
- Two teaspoons vanilla

Instructions

1. In a large bowl, beat the egg white until frothy.
2. Mix the pecans in the frothy egg white.
3. Stir in the sugar and the brown sugar.
4. Add in the melted butter, corn syrup, and vanilla.
5. Spray the crock-pot with a cooking spray.
6. Add the pecan mixture.
7. Cook for 3 -1/2 hours on low.
8. Stir the pecans every 20 to 30 minutes.
9. Remove the pecans from the crock-pot and let dry on parchment paper.
10. Separate the pecans as they dry.

Whiskey (Bourbon) Praline Pecans

- 1 lb. pecan halves
- ¼ cup sugar +1 tablespoon for later
- ¼ cup brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon
- 1/8 teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 large egg white
- 2 tablespoons whiskey or bourbon
- 1 tablespoon honey
- 1 tablespoon vanilla

Preheat oven to 250 degrees. Line baking sheet with parchment paper. In large bowl combine ¼ cup sugar, brown sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg, cayenne, and salt. Set aside.

In a 2nd bowl, combine egg white, whiskey or bourbon, honey, and vanilla. Whisk together until frothy. Add pecans and stir to coat. Remove pecans with a slotted spoon and add to sugar mixture, leaving extra liquid behind. Stir until all pecans are well-coated. Sprinkle extra tablespoon of sugar over pecans and give a quick stir. Pour pecans onto parchment lined baking sheet and bake for 80 minutes, stirring every 20 minutes. Remove from oven. Pecans will be sticky until they cool.

Could substitute almonds for pecans.

Grand Prize
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Daily
50/25/25

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March 26, 27 & 28
Come Early 3/25 Stay Late 3/29
For Our SPECIAL Guided Tours



Courtyard Marriott
142 Library Dr



Houma, Louisiana 70360

985-223-8996 ask for GWRRA Rate

Special Rate of \$99 a night w/Breakfast
If Booked Through The Host Hotel Only

Mardi Gras
Costume Ball with
Costume Contest

Cookie Bar
Contest Open
to ALL

Day Ride To
New Orleans



Cooking With
Pam J

RIDES

Steak or Fish
Night

COY Selection

RIDES

Shirt Contest

Laissez les Bon Temps Rouler!

Missouri District Rally

at Angel Inn
May 29th to May 30, 2020
Branson, Missouri

'Wingin the Ozarks'

Bob & Jan Wills, District Directors
Jan's cell (720) 351-6663 Bob's cell (720)333-0153
moddirector2022@gmail.com



Photo by: Noraleen Hord Wingin the Ozarks

Host Hotels:

Southern Oaks Inn	Angel Inn	Econo Lodge
3395 Shepherd Hills Exp.	3311 Shepherd Hills Exp.	3269 Shepherd Hills Exp.
(417) 335-8108	(417) 334-2300	(417) 335-6776
\$61.99/night + tax	\$62.99/night + tax	\$59.99/night + tax
Pet friendly \$25/1X Fee	No Pets	Pet friendly - \$10/night

Campers: Willow Tree RV Park, 3381 Shepherd Hills Exp., (417) 334-8890

All Pre-Registration forms must be post marked by: April 30, 2020.
NO REFUNDS after May 15, 2020.

Full registration includes: Free lunches and 3 dinner vouchers valued at \$32.00.

1st 400 registrations receive a free rally pin.

Registrants before 4-30-2020 receive DUB card for \$250.00 drawing. Huge 50/50 drawings daily, give-away tickets to shows, gift baskets and much more!



Registration Form – Please print clearly

Rider: _____ State: _____ Chapter: _____ GWRRA # _____ Exp.Date: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone #s: (H) _____ (C) _____ Email: _____

Co-Rider: _____ State: _____ Chapter: _____ GWRRA # _____ Exp.Date: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone #s: (H) _____ (C) _____ Email: _____

Please complete the items you want:

GWRRA Member Registration	\$35	X	_____	=	\$	_____
GWRRA Member Registration after 4/30/20	\$40	X	_____	=	\$	_____
Non-Member Registration	\$40	X	_____	=	\$	_____
Non-Member Registration after 4/30/2020	\$45	X	_____	=	\$	_____
15 & under (w/paying adult)	\$20	X	_____	=	\$	_____
District Director, COY, IOY	\$20	X	_____	=	\$	_____
MFA Course	\$20	X	_____	=	\$	_____

	S	M	L	XL	\$13	X	_____	=	\$	_____
<u>Rally T-shirts</u>	2X				\$14	X	_____	=	\$	_____
<i>(Short sleeve, Gildan Ultra, Safety Green color, large logo on back, small logo on front, crew neck)</i>	3X				\$15	X	_____	=	\$	_____
	4X				\$16	X	_____	=	\$	_____

TOTAL (enclosed): \$ _____

Make checks payable to 'Missouri GWRRA' and send to: Carol White, 605 Della Street Versailles, MO 65084
Email: mmash23@sbcglobal.net

Liability Release (ALL registrants must sign) I agree to hold harmless GWRRA, the co-sponsoring organization, and any property owners for any loss, injury to self/property by any reason by participating in this rally.

Rider signature: _____ Date: _____
Co-rider signature: _____ Date: _____

SHIRT AND HAT SALE

The Chapter has some hats and shirts available. Designs vary a little since they were ordered at different times, but most are a variant of the front and back shown in the picture. The back is the large logo while the front has the G2 designator on the left breast. Let me know if you're interested and I'll bring to a gathering or arrange some other so you can see them or take more detailed pictures.

Jim Wiggins– contact info in the staff section

Item	Size	Qty	Price
Blue Long Sleeve Tee	M	3	\$15.00
	L	8	\$15.00
	XL	3	\$15.00
Blue Short Sleeve Tee	M	1	\$15.00
	L	1	\$15.00
	2X	1	\$15.00
Blue Polo Shirt	M	1	\$30.00
Embroidered hats		3	\$15.00
Yellow Short Sleeve Tee	M	1	\$12.00
Yellow Windbreaker	M	1	\$12.00



FOR SALE

2009 Starlight Trailer model #16 made by Neosho Fiberglass in Neosho, MO. Asking \$500.00.



Also have two NEW HJC Helmets, (never worn) aHJC 1S-33-11 silver open face size small



HJC 1S MAX 11 full face module silver size 5XL

Both with Sierra Electronic Intercom HD-1H1H1787 custom

Both helmets \$125.00

For information email Joe Holt holtjoew@gmail.com or Text 214-908-2753

TEAM GWRRA

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District Trainer	Open position	
Assistant Trainer	Jim Scholes	832-627-8423
COY Coordinator	Dale & Carleen Garrett	254-554-4123
Couple of the Year 2017-18	Tom & Dawn Sprague	858-755-6071
Chapter Of the Year Coordinators	Sheri Altes	512-897-0860
Motor Awareness Coordinator	Lynn & Cindy Harris	386-527-4416
Ride Coordinator	Butch and Marie Schmit	817-573-7763
Vendor Coordinators	Dawn Sprague	
Webmaster	Tom Sprague	858-755-6071
Newsletter Editor	Tom Sprague	858-755-6071
Activities Coordinator	Open Position	
Entertainment Coordinator	Open Position	

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, December 10

7:00pm

Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, December 17

6:00pm

Gathering at Napoli's Restaurant in Wylie

Tuesday, January 7, 2020

6:00pm

Gathering at Buffet Palace in Greenville

Tuesday, January 21, 2020

6:00pm

Gathering at Napoli's Restaurant in Wylie

Saturday, January 25, 2020

8:00am

Mid-Winter Conference - Kerrville TX

Tuesday, February 4, 2020

6:00pm

Gathering at Buffet Palace in Greenville

Tuesday, February 18, 2020

6:00pm

Gathering at Napoli's Restaurant in Wylie

Sunday, February 23, 2020

11:00am

North Texas Bowling Challenge

LOOKING AHEAD

2020

January	February	March
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Texas District Rally, Kerrville – April 30 – May2

Wing Ding, Springfield, MO – June 30 – July 4