

# GWRRA Chapter "E" WA

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Gold Wing Road Riders Associations:  
Big Sky, Region I & WA District



June, 2007



## Message from our Chapter Directors:

**Bob & Patty Spencer**

Another month has passed and here we are only two weeks away from many of us leaving for Wing Ding in Billings. I know most of us are staying at the Best Western Clock Tower Inn, but for those that aren't we would like to stay in touch with everyone and meet up for some of the various functions and at the very least we would like for all of us to get together at least one night for dinner. Please keep my cell number handy (206-795-5227) and get a hold of us when you get into Billings. If I don't answer I'm probably on the bike. Leave a message and I'll call you back. We will be in mid day on Wednesday and would like to put a chapter ride to Laurel together, for the fireworks on Wednesday evening. Oh...and don't forget to pack your chapter vest, wear it and get out and enjoy all that Wing Ding has to offer.

On another note, our District Director Bob Minor will be attending our meeting on Saturday, to install Dave and Sheila Chavez as our second ACD's. Please plan to attend and show your support. Patty and I are very excited and our chapter very lucky to have another quality couple backing us and Barb and John up. After the meeting John Smith has planned our ride to Hurricane Ridge, being sure not to miss a Starbucks or two. Keep in mind that there is a \$5.00 entrance fee to Olympic National Park. We will be taking the Edmonds ferry over to the peninsula and coming back via the Bainbridge/Seattle ferry. Buy your tickets on line and save the hassle at the dock. Don't forget, you need to buy a ticket for motorcycle and rider on both runs and only one single adult ticket for your co-rider going over on the Edmonds run. Co-rider is free coming back. The weather looks like it is going to cooperate so it should be a great day!

Our next meeting is:

Saturday, June 16th

Denny's

at

Canyon Park

22833 Bothell Everett Highway

Breakfast

Meeting Hours:

Breakfast at 8:00

Meeting at 8:30





# Rider Education

## Being A Good Team Member

By Jim & Karen Roberson

As we begin a new riding season, we thought it appropriate that this month's article should deal with being a good team member when riding together as a group. Being a good team member allows for more fun on the ride because you will know what others in the group are doing and by doing this the ride becomes safer and more enjoyable.

What are the characteristics of a good team member? In the GWRRA *Team Riding Manual* the following characteristics are very important.

Assumes a responsibility to ride with and work with the other team members for the safety and protection of the whole team while on the road, and especially, while in traffic.

Maintains steady speed and spacing. Yo-Yoing or straggling behind disrupts the rhythm and efforts of the other team members, and reduces the benefits of riding as a team.

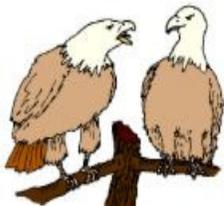
Stays alert and announces to the other team members any obstacle, condition or potential situation which could become hazardous to the team or a team member.

Will be aware of the other team members and maintain the formation (staggered) and a safe riding distance (spacing) between team members. Spacing will be determined by the road, weather conditions, and visibility.

"HOLES" left in the formation (large spacing gaps between team members) invites aggressive motorists driving at faster speeds to cut into the formation, which may result in tailgating our teammate ahead of us. This creates a very dangerous situation. Each team member must protect the other by maintaining the appropriate spacing.

**REMEMBER:** *Pace yourself 1-second stagger, and 2-seconds following distance behind the bike directly in front of you. However, during darkness or inclement weather, a 2-second stagger and a 4-second following distance should be maintained to provide an extra margin of safety.*

Each team should be separated on the expressway or highway by no less than 15 seconds allowing sufficient room for other vehicles to safely pass a team. Distances between teams traveling on two-lane roads may need to be greater.



Each team travels in a staggered formation within a car lane. The Lead rides at the front of the group, in the left track of the lane. The next team member positions their bike one second behind and in the right tire track of the same lane, the next team member is in the left track two seconds behind the Lead and one second behind the #2 bike in the right track, etc., etc., until all bikes have been positioned.

Anyone not wishing to Team Ride should separate themselves to a safe distance from the teams and meet at the acknowledged destination or break point.

Next month we will go over more information on riding in a group. In the meantime, Ride Safe!

## Chapter E Library

Please contact Jim & Karen Roberson if you are interested in borrowing something for your reading or viewing pleasures.

- Book: Street Strategies by David L. Hough
- VHS: Co-Rider from GWRRA (2002)
- VHS: Part 1: Helmet Effectiveness (Hurt Report)
- VHS: GWRRA & Safeco present Touring & Braking / Trailering (1996)
- VHS: Basic Maintenance of the 1500 Goldwing with Andy MacDonald
- VHS: Advanced Maintenance for the 1500 Goldwing with Andrew MacDonald
- Report: Impaired Motorcycle Riding: What Motorcyclists Think About Alcohol and Motorcycling, February 2001
- Book: Proficient Motorcycling by David L. Hough
- VHS: Gary Sanford's Slow Speed Cycling Seminar
- Part 2: Co-Rider from GWRRA (Pre-2002)
- VHS: Buying Motorcycle Helmets (Snell Memorial Foundation)
- Report: Fatal Single Vehicle Motorcycle Crashes, October 2001
- Report: Drowsy Driving and Automobile Crashes





## Three Old Ladies from Florida

This is a detective story So Pay Close Attention!!!

Can you solve this puzzle?



Three elderly ladies are excited about seeing their first baseball game. They smuggle a bottle of Jack Daniels into the ball park. The game is real exciting and they are enjoying themselves immensely...mixing the Jack Daniel's with soft drinks. Soon they realize that the bottle is almost gone and the game has a lot of innings to go.

Based on the given information, what inning is it and how many players are on base?

*You're gonna love it*

# Answer:

# It's the bottom of the fifth



## Save the Date!

Friday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>

Game time will be at 7:05p.m.

**Join us for a fun! Raiser with the Everett AquaSox**

*Ride For Kids night at the Everett AquaSox baseball game!*

### TICKET ORDER FORM

Ride for Kids – August 3<sup>rd</sup> AquaSox vs. Tri-City Dust Devils

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## Cancel your Credit Cards



Be sure and cancel your credit cards before you die. This is so priceless, and so easy to see happening, customer service being what it is today. A lady died this past January, and Citibank billed her for February and March for their annual service charges on her credit card, and then added late fees and interest on the monthly charge. The balance had been \$0.00, now is somewhere around \$60.00.

A family member placed a call to Citibank:

Family Member: "I am calling to tell you that she died in January."

Bank: "The account was never closed and the late fees and charges still apply."

Family Member: "Maybe, you should turn it over to collections."

Bank: "Since it is two months past due, it already has been."

Family Member: "So, what will they do when they find out she is dead?"

Bank: "Either report her account to the frauds division or report her to the credit bureau, maybe both!"

Family Member: "Do you think God will be mad at her?"

Bank: "Excuse me?"

Family Member: "Did you just get what I was telling you - the part about her being dead?"

Bank: "Sir, you'll have to speak to my supervisor."

Supervisor gets on the phone:

Family Member: "I'm calling to tell you, she died in January."

Bank: "The account was never closed and the late fees and charges still apply."

Family Member: "You mean you want to collect from her estate?"

Bank: (Stammer) "Are you her lawyer?"

Family Member: "No, I'm her great nephew." (Lawyer info given)

Bank: "Could you fax us a certificate of death?"

Family Member: "Sure." (fax number is given)

After they get the fax:

Bank: "Our system just isn't set-up for death. I don't know what more I can do to help."

Family Member: "Well, if you figure it out, great! If not, you could just keep billing her. I don't think she will care."

Bank: "Well, the late fees and charges do still apply."

Family Member: "Would you like her new billing address?"

Bank: "That might help."

Family Member: "Odessa Memorial Cemetery, Highway 129, Plot Number 69."

Bank: "Sir, that's a cemetery!"

Family Member: "What do you do with dead people on your planet?"



### No Starbucks!!!

OK so don't panic my Washington, coffee drinking friends, recently Mark and I went to visit the Billings, MT area to see our new house. We spent a few days driving around to see what we were giving up moving from Woodinville, WA to Laurel, MT. Wouldn't you know it, not much, we were surprised to find a Lowes & Home Depot in the same parking lot with a Wal-Mart Superstore and in Laurel itself, they are building a brand new Wal-Mart Superstore.

So as we were looking around, it dawned on me that there was no Starbuck on every corner.....

I thought to myself, man a day without Starbucks could be interesting and as we turned down a new street the third day there I found it, not a small hole in the wall café, but a large inviting, come enjoy a great drink Starbucks. (located at 316 S. 24th St W, Billings).

Since returning home and running a search on the location I am happy to announce, I have found 3 more kiosk locations.....Yeah!!!!

# Motorcycle Loading Procedures



There are a couple of very good reasons to ride a motorcycle aboard a Washington State Ferry. The motorcycle & driver fare is much less than the car & driver fare.

Loading procedures often allow first on, first off privileges with an early arrival prior to departure. Motorcyclists rarely face an overload situation on busy commuter runs, weekends & sunny summer days. Once onboard, please be sure that you don't park your motorcycle in the yellow striped walkways or block vehicle access.

## Motorcycle Loading Procedure by Terminal:

**Anacortes:** Motorcycles must stay in line with vehicles prior to tollbooths. They will then proceed to the front of the dock. First on, first off privilege is limited to 30 motorcycles.

**Bainbridge:** If the ferry is overloading, motorcycles may drive as if "through" traffic on the left and enter the tollbooth. Motorcycles are loaded first at this terminal.

**Bremerton:** Motorcycles can bypass the traffic line and proceed to the tollbooth. They are loaded first.

**Clinton:** Motorcycles can bypass traffic and enter the ticket seller's plaza. Everyone must stop at the tollbooth. Follow instructions of the ticket seller to motorcycle holding area. Motorcycles are generally loaded first and if motorcycles arriving after loading has begun they must wait to be loaded on the stern (back) of the vessel after other vehicles have been loaded.

**Seattle/Pier 52:** Motorcycles can make a right turn into the toll plaza when coming from the north on Alaskan Way or a left when coming from the south on Alaskan Way. Motorcycles are generally loaded first and last.

**Edmonds:** Motorcycles stay in line with vehicles unless the ferry is overloading and traffic is stopped, motorcycles may drive as if "through" traffic on the left and enter the tollbooth. Motorcycles then proceed to the lower dock and are loaded first.

**Fauntleroy:** Motorcycles may bypass vehicles when overloading and are loaded first.

**Friday Harbor:** A limited number of motorcycles may bypass the traffic when the ferry is overloading.

**Keystone:** Motorcycles may bypass traffic except during the Oyster Run. Motorcycles with a sidecar or trailer, tricycles and groups may not bypass traffic.

**Kingston:** If the ferry is overloading, motorcycles may drive as if "through" traffic on the left and enter the tollbooth. You would then pay your fare and move to the head of the dock for priority loading. Motorcycles cannot bypass traffic on the highway and use the "local" lane.

**Lopez:** When the ferry is overloading, a limited number of motorcycles may bypass the line.

**Mukilteo:** pre-ticketed motorcycles may bypass the tollbooth and will stage in lane #1. For safety and to increase the efficiency of loading and offloading our passengers, queued motorcycles will be loaded near the beginning of the load, after the first few vehicles have been loaded. Motorcycles arriving after loading has begun must wait to be loaded on their stern (back) of the vessel after other vehicles have been loaded. During the summer peak times, bypass the tollbooth and proceed to the front of lane #1 or and walk over to the Passenger Ticket Booth in front of the terminal to purchase a ticket. Give tickets to the Auto Attendants on the dock as you board. Pay close attention to signage in front of & alongside the street side of the tollbooth, indicating whether or not the Passenger tollbooth is open for tickets sales.

**Orcas:** A limited number of motorcycles may bypass the traffic when the ferry is overloading.

**Point Defiance:** Motorcycles may bypass traffic when the ferry is overloading.

**Port Townsend:** Motorcycles have priority at this dock and may move ahead of traffic if the traffic is at a stand still, except during the Oyster Run. Motorcycles with a sidecar or trailer, tricycles and groups may not bypass traffic.

**Shaw:** A limited number of motorcycles may bypass traffic when the ferry is overloading, except when the ferry is off-loading.

**Sidney, BC:** Motorcycles must stay in line with vehicles and are "first come, first serve" through the tollbooth.

**Southworth:** Motorcycles may bypass traffic but must stop at the tollbooth. Motorcycles may not use the exit lane to access the dock.

**Tahlequah:** Motorcycles may bypass traffic during overloads.

**Vashon:** If traffic is moving, motorcycles must stay within the normal flow. If traffic is backed up, you may bypass and continue onto the dock.

## Best Meal in Town

"Golden Coral"

570 S. 24th St. W

Billings, MT

While in Billings, make sure you plan to visit what Mark and I have found to be the best meal in town, the choices are great and everything is made fresh in front of you.

# 4th of July Celebration Laurel, Montana

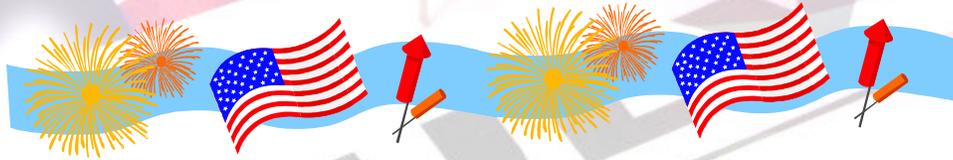
On the morning of July 4th, the Jaycees sponsor a pancake breakfast from 6:00am to 10:00am at Fireman's Park.

The Laurel Chamber sponsors the Laurel Chief Joseph Run. Registration begins at 6:00am at Thomson Park. The race begins at 7:00am with a 8 mile run, 4 mile run, 4 mile walk and 2 mile walk.

Craft show starts at 8:00am till 4:00pm with lots of vendors. At the Fireman's Park.

The Jaycee's kiddies parade begins at 10:00am, starting at 1st Citizens Bank and travels west to Yellowstone parking lot. All kids are welcome to participate

The Chamber's Grand parade begins at 11:00am at the Caboose Saloon and ends at the Laurel High School. Parade lineup includes Grand Marshall, Junior Marshall, Color Guard, Fire engines, antique autos, floats, clowns, horses, bands and others. Parade lasts about one hour



## Wing Dingers are Coming to Town

BY LARRY TANGLEN Outlook Staff

Move over Harley Hawg riders, the Wing Dingers are coming to Laurel.

Wing Ding is the world's largest convention of owners of Honda Gold Wing motorcycles. Wing Ding 29 will highlight the celebration of the Gold Wing Road Riders Association's anniversary. This is the association's 30th anniversary

"We're expecting 10,000 to 14,000 people to attend the 29th annual Gold Wing Road Riders National Rally in Billings, July 4-7," said Russ Parpart, Rimrock Wings Chapter Director of the Gold Wing Road Riders Association. Most of the rally activities will be conducted at MetraPark.

Parpart and his wife, Laurie, live in Laurel and expect as many as 100 people to camp out in their yard during the rally. "We expect as many as 6,000 people to attend the Laurel Fireworks Display on July 4," he said. Parpart said he hopes to also have Wing Dingers in Laurel for the Fourth of July Parade.

Parpart said all the hotels, motels and campgrounds in the area are full. "Even Red Lodge, Columbus and Big Timber are full," he said. "The last I heard, there were still some rooms available in Livingston during that time.

"One of the required events for a community to host a national rally is that they provide a fireworks display," Parpart said. "The Laurel Volunteer Fire Department's Fireworks Display will be a GWRRA sanctioned activity for those attending our rally," he said. "I've been telling everyone that I could that the best fireworks show they will ever see is right here in Laurel."

Parpart said the Laurel Chamber has designated the parking lot at the new middle school, the Avanta Federal Credit Union parking lot, and the Yellowstone Bank parking lot as areas for the Gold Wingers to park their bikes.

The Gold Wingers held their national rally in Billings in 1997 and again in 2000. This is the third time Billings has been selected for the rally. GWRRA has more than 80,000 members.

For more information on the Wing Ding rally go to the GWRRA website [wing-ding.org](http://wing-ding.org).



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### Billings, MT Points of Interest

1. Alberta Blair Theater
2. Billings Studio Theatre
3. Billings Visitor Center
4. Black Otter Trail
5. Boothill Cemetery
6. Cobb Field - Mustang baseball
7. Historic Montana avenue
8. Moss Mansion
9. Pictograph Caves State Park
10. Pompeys Pillar National Monument
11. Yellowstone Art Museum
12. Montana Zoo & Botanical Gardens

<http://www.custer.visitmt.com/>

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**Call Carey Chavez at 425-227-0775**

# National Event - Wing Ding

## GWRRA's 29th Annual Wing Ding CELEBRATION!

Join us at the world's largest Gold Wing Trade Show!

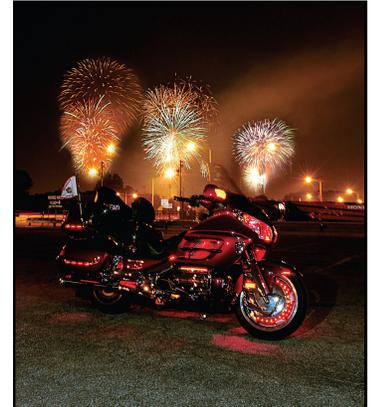
Big name entertainment, games, vendors, bike shows, parades, music, food, dances and much more!

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For more information, please visit our web site at:  
[www.wing-ding.org](http://www.wing-ding.org) or call 1-800-843-9460 or 623-581-2500  
 to register.

July 4-7, 2007  
 Billings, Montana  
 Metrapark



### GWRRA Washington District Gathering Sites

Day	Time	Chapter	Location	Day	Time	Chapter	Location
Thu	6:00 PM	"V" Auburn	Eagles of Auburn, 702 M.St. S.E., Auburn	2nd Sat	8:00 AM	"C" Everett	Petosa's Restaurant, 3121 Broadway, Everett
Fri	7:00 PM	"Q" Puyallup	O'Farrells' Family Restaurant, 1100 Meridian, Puyallup	2nd Sat	8:00 AM	"L" Kennewick	Country Gentleman Restaurant, 300 N. Ely St., Kennewick
Sat	8:00 AM	"M" Yakima	Branding Iron Restaurant, 61311 Hiway 97, Toppenish	2nd Sun	8:30 AM	"D" Aberdeen	Duffy's Restaurant, 1605 Simpson Ave., Aberdeen
Sat	8:00 AM	"R" Walla Walla	Fountain Café, 190 S. Main, Milton Freewater, OR	3rd Thu	6:30 PM	"S" Ephrata	Golden Corral, 930 N. Stratford Rd., Moses Lake
Sun	9:00 AM	"B" Bremerton	Bremerton Eagles, 205 6th, Bremerton	3rd Sat	8:00 AM	"E" Bellevue	Denny's, Canyon Park, 22833 Bothel Everett Hwy., Bothell
Tue	6:30 PM	"H" Lynden	Fairway Family Restaurant, 1726 Front St., Lynden	3rd Sat	8:30 AM	"G" Gig Harbor	Cottesmore Life Center, 2902 14th Ave. N.W., Gig Harbor
Sun	8:30 AM	"F" Tacoma	IHOP, 7445 S. Hosmer, Tacoma	3rd Sat	8:30 AM	"K" White Salmon	Charburger Country, 4100 W. Cliff Dr., Hood River, OR
Fri	6:30 PM	"Y" Enumclaw	Krain Corner Restaurant, 39929 264th S.E., Enumclaw	3rd Sat	8:00 AM	"P" Longview	Monticello Hotel, 1405 17th Ave., Longview
Sat	5:30 PM	"Z" Centralia	Denny's, Exit 82, Harrison Ave., Centralia	3rd Sun	8:30 AM	"I" Olympia	North's Grand Buffet, 2915 Harrison Ave. N.W., Suite #255, Olympia
			RMC's Full Throttle Café,				Golden Corral Buffet & Grill,



# Chapter E Ride Calendar

## June

- 16 WA-E Chapter Meeting 8:00 (Hurricane Ridge)
- 17-20 WA-S Victoria Days - Moses Lake

## July

- 4 - 8 Wing Ding - Billings
- 14 Gustin Picnic
- 19-22 Washington District Rally - Okanogan
- 21 WA-E Chapter Meeting (TBA)
- 27-29 WA-P Oyster Feed - Long Beach

## September

- 2 Labor Day Picnic
- 9 Ride for Kids
- 15 WA-E Chapter Meeting 8:00 (NW Trek)
- 22-23 Whistler Ride (BC Canada)
- 27 Dinner Social - TBA - 6:30
- 30 Oyster Run - Anacortes

## November

- 15 Dinner Social - TBA - 6:30
- 17 WA-E Chapter Meeting 8:00 (Planning Meeting)



The hugely successful country band Lonestar—with hits like “Amazed,” “I’m Already There,” and “My Front Porch Looking In”—will headline entertainment at this year’s Wing Ding. Set to perform at Billings’ MetraPark Arena on Friday, July 6, the 7:00 p.m. show is sure to be a blockbuster. Special guest comedian Kermit Apio will open for the group.

To secure your tickets, call (800) 366-8538 or visit [www.tickets.com](http://www.tickets.com). Be prepared to provide the discount code word “GL1000” (no spaces) and your GWRRA membership number to receive the special \$29.50 pricing.



## August

- 4 WA-G Mountain Run
- 5 WA-A Mystery Ride
- 11 WA-Y Riddler Run
- 18 WA-E Chapter Meeting 8:00 (Music in the Mtns & Burk’s BBQ)
- 25-26 Oregon Coast Weekend “Tillamook Cheese Factory Tour”

## October

- 6 WA Dist. Leadership Workshop - Moses Lake
- 20 WA-E Chapter Meeting 8:00 (Fall Colors Ride)
- 25 Dinner Social - TBA - 6:30
- 27 South Hill Mall Show
- 27 Smith’s Halloween Party

## December

- 2 WA-E Christmas Party
- 8 WA-D Festival of Lights - Montesano
- 9 Jingle Bell Run
- 15 WA-E Chapter Meeting 8:00

## IMPROMPTU RIDE IDEAS

(Let us know if you have something to add)

- \* Light House Tour
- \* Boulder Caves - East Side Mt Rainier
- \* Mt. St Helen’s Ride
- \* Wacky Tour
- \* Three Pass Loop
- \* “Apple” Tour by WA-V
- \* Hood Canal Loop
- \* Mount Baker
- \* Lake Chelan Loop

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