



# The Greater Milwaukee Wings

## GWRRRA WI-"G" Region E



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### From the Chapter Director

August is that rare month in which there are no National holidays that are observed across the United States. Those Dog Days of August begin, with hot and humid days that seem to stifle activity and make people long for the beach or an air-conditioner, or their Goldwing! Doesn't matter how hot & humid it is, at least we can ride!!

The PDTF Ride For Kids 2008 in Middleton, WI had a goal. They wanted to raise \$90,000 at this years event. Well, they did that and more with the motorcycling community and riders raising over \$102,000. It was a beautiful day with a ride that was custom made for Goldwings, 50 miles thorough the surrounding countryside on back roads with a police escort. There were several hundred bikes, all makes & models and GWRRRA chapters were well represented. What a wonderful way to spend a Sunday, going on a great ride (through stop signs & stop lights) and raising money for such a worthy cause. We were treated to donuts & coffee in the morning, a bag lunch during the celebration of life program, and custard from Culvers to end the day.

As a reminder to Chapter g members, time is running out for those of you who require or just plain want an Experienced Rider Class. Each date has a maximum of twelve riders (exclusive of Co-Riders) and there are no rain dates. The charge is \$35.00 and payable upon application to reserve your spot. The MSF instructors ask that you decide and reserve a date as soon as possible. The 2008 ERC date remaining is August 9. The 2008 Trike date remaining is August 10. Questions can be forwarded to Michael Mischker. If the demand is greater than the number of dates provided, the offerings will be expanded.

Also, the date is fast approaching for the long awaited "4 wheel" PLP for motorcycles with Voyager and Tow-Pac type attachments. This is not training. It is a parking lot practice to allow these Riders and Co-Riders to meet the ERC requirement for the Rider Ed. Levels Program, or to get some riding practice. Normally these bikes are not eligible to meet the requirements for ERC or TRC training. This is because those type of kits are not recognized by GWRRRA for participation in any MSF training courses. Special approval as been secured by the Regional Educator to allow this seminar to be used for those requirements. Listed below is the information on date and time.

**Date:** July 19, 2008

**Time:** 9:30 AM

**Place:** Starlight Club/The Office Sports Bar

**Address:** W2091 Cty Rd JJ, Kaukauna, WI 54130

**Directions:** Hwy 41 to Hwy 55. West on Hwy 55 for one to two miles to Starlight Club/The Office Sports Bar.

**Cost:** FREE

Upon completion you will be issued a PLP Seminar Completion Card. Contact Terry Hughes at his email address [winger@att.net](mailto:winger@att.net) or phone number 262-547-8912 if you are planning to attend. Space is limited.

As always, remember it's not about the destination; it's about the ride, so please ride safe!

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### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

2008 ERC date: August 9 2008

2008 Trike date: August 10

Sat. Aug. 16: Dinner Ride, 5:00pm  
Blue Heron, Big Bend, WI

Thurs.-Sun. Sept. 11-14: Door County Get Away

## Calendar of Events

### Chapter G Monthly Social - 4:30pm

January 27 \* February 24 \* March 30 \* April 20 \* May 18 \* June 29 \* July 27  
August 24 \* September 28 \* October 19 \* November 30 \* December 21

Root River Center, 7220 W. Rawson Ave

*If you would like to dine during the meeting, please come early to place your food order.*

### *Did you know...*

The Motorcycle Safety Foundation, along with every major Insurance company, has compiled irrefutable scientific proof that riders and passengers who are wearing the below pictured items at the time they are involved in a motorcycle accident SIGNIFICANTLY lessen the injuries that they receive and GREATLY increase their chances of survival. Just thought that you might want to know...



#### AUGUST, 2008

Sat. Aug. 16: **Dinner Ride, 5:00pm**

Blue Heron, Big Bend, WI

Meet at the Root River Center, 7220 W. Rawson Ave, Franklin  
 Let's enjoy a nice ride to Big Bend and enjoy their wonderful Saturday Special: Surf and Turf! Contact [Noah and Lynn Borkenhagen](#) at (414) 525-9074 for more information and signup.

Sun. Aug. 24: **Chapter G Social, 4:30pm**

Root River Center, 7220 W. Rawson Ave, Franklin

Join us for our monthly Social. Refer to the [map](#) for directions. Contact [Tom Ballmann](#) at (920) 452-4779 for more information.

#### SEPTEMBER, 2008

Thurs.-Sun. Sept. 11-14: **Door County Get Away**

There are two lodging alternatives. <http://www.door-county-inn.com/> and <http://www.theparksideinn.com>, which is about 5 miles from the Door County Inn. Contact [Terry Werth](#) at (262) 971-0155 for more information.

Sat. Sept. 27: **Ladies Day Out Ride**

Guys, bring your wallets and trailers cause we ladies are going shopping! We will visit MS Motorcycle in Sheboygan Falls, the Country Craft Barn in Plymouth (for shopping & lunch), Kris Cheese to Please, Plymouth, Two Fish Gallery, Elkhart Lake, and Abler Glass Gallery, Kiel. Plans for dinner to round out our day are in the works. For details & information contact [E-Mail Tom and Kenlee](#) or call 920 452-4779.

#### Upcoming events - other chapters/district

**Chapter A - Aug. 9:** Brat Fry, Wal-mart Super Center  
 Rockton, IL

**Chapter M - Aug. 17:** Corn Roast Hallandtown Park  
 Green Bay, WI

**Aug. 29-30:** Region E Rally

**Chapter O - Sept 13:** Poker Run, Lion's shelter  
 West Salem, WI

**Chapter N - Sept. 20:** chili Dump - Ixonia Fireman's Park  
 Ixonia, WI