

# Gold Nuggets

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## UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **RIDE TO EAT**  
BCA JUNE 23
- **GREENHEART**  
RUN BCC 24
- **OLYMPIC PEN-**  
INSULA RIDE  
30
- **CASCADE**  
LOOP JULY 7/8

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## Letter from the Chapter A Directors

Here we are into the beginning of the summer riding season with several nice ride events under our belts. The Ride to Live event was extremely well attended with close to 1000 bikes participating. Our chapter showed up with 6 bikes in the parade along with the members of the Motorcycle Drill Team who put on a great demonstration. The weather was perfect and lots of money was raised.



Our own Memorial Ride was well attended with 29 people registered. Again, the weather was great and a good time was had by all. Sadly, we added one more name to the list of members that this ride is in memory of – John Waddington. He will be missed by all that knew him.

Going forward, our membership is growing, little by little. Alan Imankhan has joined us but because of work commitments, he can't make the Sunday meetings. If you can make a Tuesday evening coffee, Alan is always there and eager to meet the rest of the gang. Also signing up are Martin and Vivien Osborn. Please be sure to introduce yourselves and welcome them into the family when you see them.

I hope you all have a safe riding season and as always, keep the shiny side up!

Dave and Giselle

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Chapter BC-A Directors



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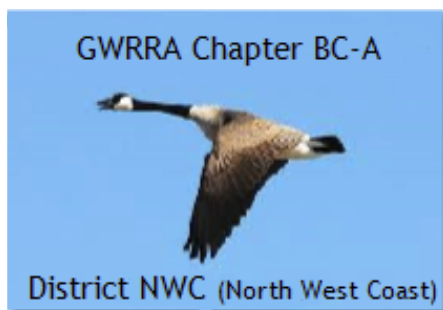
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**BC's Chapter A is located in Canada's third largest city, Vancouver British Columbia. Situated in the pristine natural beauty of the Pacific Northwest and nestled between the shores of the Pacific Ocean and the majestic peaks of the Coastal Mountain ranges. Riders and Co-riders are blessed with an abundance of some of the most scenic areas available to motorcycle touring enthusiasts anywhere.**

## **"Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge"**

*Message from the Editor:*



**WANTED!** If you are interested in taking it on or partnering with another member let us know! We would love to have a someone excited about putting together our monthly newsletter. If you love talking to people, gathering news stories or even writing a few yourself this job is for you. Contact Tracy Gowans to express your interest in this fun position.

This is your newsletter, anything you would like to contribute please send to:

**[gwrra.gowans@gmail.com](mailto:gwrra.gowans@gmail.com)**

### **2018 Chapter BC A Team**

**Chapter Directors:**

**Dave Ward & Giselle Collins**

**Treasurer:**

**Niels Jensen**

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**Kelly Parkes**

**Webmaster:**

**Keiller Gowans**

**Ride Coordinator:**

**Chuck Taylor**

**Games Coordinator:**

**Kelly Parkes**

**Membership Enhancement Coordinator: Ian McAlpine**

**Assistant Directors:**

**Stores:**

**Giselle Collins**

**Historian:**

**Ivan Armstrong**

**Newsletter Editor:**

**Tracy Gowans**

***If you are interested in holding a position on the Executive or would like to nominate someone please contact the chapter directors***

# June 2018 District Report

## North West Coast District - District Directors

### Message Pg 1 of 3



*Kevin Bramhoff is now the District Director for the new North West Coast District.*

#### 1st Quarter Report:

Here we are in May already, time is flying past quickly. It was only yesterday that Chapter BC-C went for their first ride March 11th, wasn't it? They had a great ride in the Fraser Valley that day.

As your District Director, I made some promises to you all in several communications. One was to visit each Chapter by the end of the second quarter. Well I have not made it to Prince George, White Horse or Alaska yet. I am working on it and will be very soon. I will be reaching out to all Alaska members individually as they are "Chapter-less".

Karin and I were well received and the hospitality shown to us was exceptional by all of the Chapters we have visited, thank you again to all. My first official duty was swearing in new Chapter BC-D Director Dave Truesdell. "My congratulations to you Dave, I wish you well in your new position".

We managed to get across the Ocean to Chapter BC-V. A very accommodating group, very enthusiastic and as it was January were just itching for the riding season to begin. CD Kerry Zado & Assistant CD Tony Brooks have several Island rides planned! I hope we can join in on a couple of them. Chapter BC-C showed why they were Chapter of the year in 2017. A great group that loves to ride. The memberships' enthusiasm for the upcoming 15-12 recruitment promotion was almost as great as mine. They have also planned their second annual mileage contest. Getting riders out riding is the goal of CD Karin Young.

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# June 2018 District Report

## North West Coast District - District Directors Message Continued

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Karin & I were received warmly by the Chapter BC-G group. They were all just "thawing out" waiting for the many "snowbirds" in their group to return home. A great group of people that engaged us directly about what the new district is all about. At the time the planning for the Victoria Days Rally was going and the new venue looked to be a winner. Karin and I always look forward to this event. Kirk, Kathy and their team do an excellent job with this rally. Well they pulled it off once again, Victoria Days was excellent!!

Chapter BC-A has planned the "Olympic Peninsula" Ride. It looks like a great ride and a marvelous location. I look forward to this ride and meeting all the participants. Chapter BC-A's Director Dave Ward has also challenged the whole district to a mileage contest. From the responses I have received from other chapter directors it looks like "Game On"; challenge is being accepted. Anything that gets riders out "RIDING" I am good with!

The District website is up and running, thanks to Dave Ward, our District Webmaster and Assistant District Director. It's a great-looking site, check it out at <http://gwrra-nwc.com/> The District Team is in place and we are moving forward with several new projects. **We have implemented the 15 for 12 program... new members get 15 months of membership for the price of 12. A great deal and good reason amongst many to join. We all know someone that rides that has been on the fence about joining. The time is now.**

*Kevin Bramhoff is now the District Director for the new North West Coast District.*





# June 2018 District Report

## North West Coast District - District Directors Message Continued

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Our ride coordinator, Keiller Gowans has developed 2 great new district rides and they look to be good ones. One of the rides is through the scenic "Ice fields Parkway" through the Canadian Rockies. A relaxed 2000 km (1242 miles) ride. We hope to entice some Alberta riders to join up with us between Jasper and Lake Louise! Details have been made public and are included on the District webpage. Check it out <http://gwrra-nwc.com>

We want all chapters involved and more riders out... well riding! Keiller promises that the rides will be inclusive of as many chapters as want to participate. The goal is to get each group to know the others better. We are one big happy family, we ought to get to know our fellow members. It will also show potential soon to be members/riders that we are a riding group!

Planning for a District Rally in 2019 has begun. Giselle Collins is researching various rally worthy towns and our District MEC Linda Zervini has taken on the challenge of polling the various chapters for feedback about those possible locations and venues. When you see communication from her on this important issue, please respond. We want the first rally in the district to be successful.

Gavin McKenna our District Educator and yours truly have been working with chapters to set up ARC's this year and hold them in the respective areas of request. Keeping with the requirements of the GWRRA about safety we encourage everyone to take one of these courses. They are inexpensive and are a great way to tune up your riding skills for the coming season. Chapter BC-C held two this year so far with great success.

Our District Treasurer Janet Turner says we need money, what treasurer ever says we don't need money! She has done a splendid job and we are on our way forward financially.

We have a great team, we are full of enthusiasm just waiting for many riding days to open up for us.

Thank you for being members of GWRRA, your membership and participation is what makes GWRRA the finest international riding association in North America.

Respectfully

Kevin Bramhoff

District Director – District NWC

***"The Great North West Coast"***

*Kevin Bramhoff is now the District Director for the new North West Coast District.*

### **30 of The Happiest Facts Ever by Dovas in boredpanda**

Bad news sells, so the media tends to focus on the negative things and ignores some of the things that make the world a better place. That's why we want to share this list of 30 happy facts to remind you about the bright side of life. Everything started when a Reddit user asked others to post facts that made them happy. This list grew rapidly because people couldn't get enough of random facts about people and the world that make them smile. Later, **Buzzfeed** took this list and matched it to pictures adding a couple of new facts. Now, we're having to go at improving it by adding a couple of our own finds.

What's better than knowing that somewhere out there in the world, sea otters are holding hands, cows have best friends, and that there are monkeys in Japan that buy snacks from vending machines with change? What other happy facts do you know?



1. Sea otters hold hands when they sleep to keep them from drifting apart.
2. When you were born, you were, for a moment, the youngest person on earth.
3. The elements that we are composed of were formed in the interiors of collapsing stars. We are all made of star dust.

4. Cows have best friends.

5. A prison in Washington pairs up "death row" shelter cats with select inmates as part of a rehabilitation program. It seems to be a pretty wonderful thing for both the inmates and the cats.



6. Blind people smile even though they've never seen anyone else smile.
7. Turtles can breathe through their butts.
8. The Beatles used the word "Love" 613 times in their songs.
9. Squirrels plant thousands of new trees each year simply by forgetting where they put their acorns.
10. Macaques in Japan use coins to buy vending machine snacks.



11. A BBC News program broadcast in 1957 ended claiming that spaghetti grew in trees on a farm in Switzerland. Many viewers believed the report and called the BBC asking how to grow their own trees. Their response: "Place a sprig of spaghetti in a tin of tomato sauce and hope for the best."



12. Norway knighted a penguin
13. In China, killing a Panda is punishable by death.

14. Rats laugh when tickled.

15. The voices of Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse got married in real life.

16. Spiders can't fly.

17. Sweden has a rabbit show jumping competition called Kanin-hopping.

18. Gentoo penguins propose to their life mates with a pebble. *Continued on page 7*



## Membership Draw Article submitted by Tracy Gowans

### 30 of The Happiest Facts Ever by Dovas in boredpanda

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19. Dolphins have names for each other.

20. Kissing burns 2 Calories a minute. Undressing burns 8.

21. Puffins mate for life. They make their homes on cliff sides and even leave some separate room for their toilet.

22. The Kingdom of Bhutan uses "Gross National Happiness" as an important national measurement.

23. When playing with female puppies, male puppies will often let them win, even if they have a physical advantage.



24. Pigs' orgasms last for 30 minutes.

25. A study measuring the effects of music found that cows produce more milk when listening to soothing music. They produce the most when listening to R.E.M's "Everybody Hurts."

26. There is a program that makes prison inmates responsible for training and raising seeing-eye dogs. Many reported that they felt like they were making amends for their past actions by working with the puppies.

27. Google, the periodic table, the structure of our DNA, and "Yesterday" by the Beatles are all ideas that were conceived in dreams.



28. There's a super hero with a hearing aid called "Blue Ear". He was created by Marvel Comics to encourage a little boy to wear his own!

29. Good news is more likely to be shared through social media than bad news (wink wink, nudge nudge).

30. Oops! We're missing one. What other happy facts do you know?

If you would like read the full article or see all the photos just follow the link below.

<https://www.boredpanda.com/happy-facts/>

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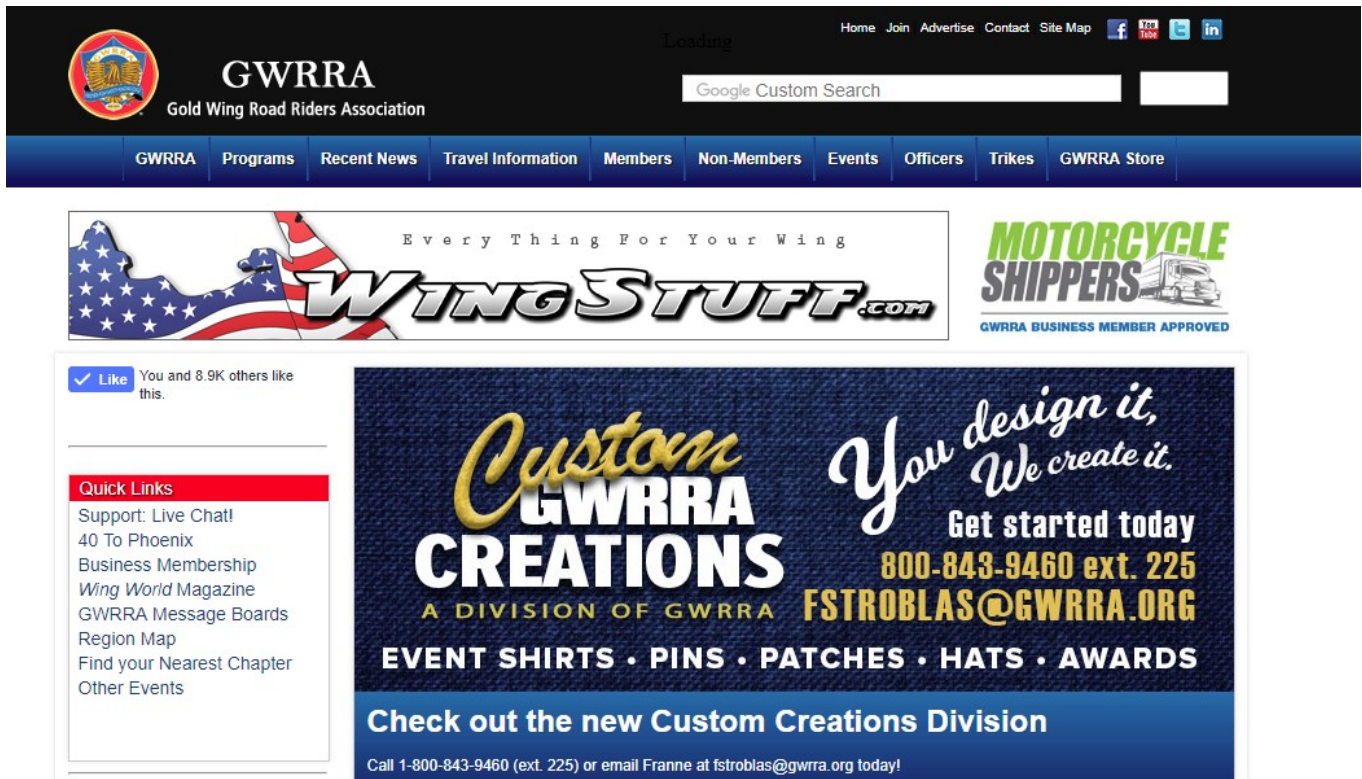
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## 50/50 Draw Article submitted by **Giselle Collins**

I am aware that the resources available from GWRRA tend to be “USA centric” however I have found many articles that cross political/geographical boundaries (safety is safety is safety).

I am encouraging all members to visit the GWRRA website (<http://gwrro.org/>) and click through whichever topics interest you as it is my hope that this site can provide you with relevant information. If the information you are looking for is not updated, or if it is not there at all, I encourage you to let GWRRA head office know ([memberservices@gwrro.org](mailto:memberservices@gwrro.org)).



The screenshot shows the GWRRA (Gold Wing Road Riders Association) website. The header includes the GWRRA logo, the text "GWRRA Gold Wing Road Riders Association", and a navigation menu with links: Home, Join, Advertise, Contact, Site Map, and social media icons for Facebook, YouTube, and LinkedIn. Below the header is a Google Custom Search bar and a secondary navigation menu with links: GWRRA, Programs, Recent News, Travel Information, Members, Non-Members, Events, Officers, Trikes, and GWRRA Store.

Below the website header, there are two banners. The left banner is for "WINGSTUFF.COM" with the tagline "Every Thing For Your Wing" and features a graphic of a wing with an American flag motif. The right banner is for "MOTORCYCLE SHIPPERS" with the tagline "GWRRA BUSINESS MEMBER APPROVED" and features a graphic of a motorcycle.

Below the banners, there is a Facebook post. The post has a "Like" button and text indicating "You and 8.9K others like this." Below the like button is a "Quick Links" section with the following links: Support: Live Chat!, 40 To Phoenix, Business Membership, Wing World Magazine, GWRRA Message Boards, Region Map, Find your Nearest Chapter, and Other Events.

The main content of the Facebook post is an advertisement for "Custom GWRRA CREATIONS". The ad features the text "You design it, We create it." and "Get started today 800-843-9460 ext. 225 FSTROBLAS@GWRRA.ORG". Below this, it lists "EVENT SHIRTS • PINS • PATCHES • HATS • AWARDS" and "Check out the new Custom Creations Division". At the bottom, it provides contact information: "Call 1-800-843-9460 (ext. 225) or email Franne at fstroblas@gwrro.org today!"

This our group and these are resources designed to make our riding more enjoyable - we need to ensure that the information is relevant, current and of interest to all members.

Ride Safe, Play Safe!

Giselle Collins

## BC Chapter A Member Profile submitted by **Patrick Frampton**



In the beginning I was not sure if motorcycling would return to my life. You see before starting a family I had to sell my pride and joy, 1985 Kawasaki Ninja 600, which I loved. I was very much involved at the Westwood Race Track in Port Coquitlam as a corner marshal for motorcycle racing, and every race weekend and Wednesday night practices you would find me at one of the many corners directing racers and waving race flags. Life can change though and even though I'd ridden years earlier while stationed at

Work Point Barracks with the 3rd Battalion Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry while in Victoria, B.C. I don't know if you would call a Vespa a motorcycle but that was my first official ride. As the years passed my love for riding grew and after a series of different motorcycles my love affair restarted in 2007 with a 1998 GL1500 purchased from JD. Hoping like crazy my lovely wife, Rainie, would embrace riding as much as me, we both rode everywhere and later became members of GWRRA. At my second motorcycle show a gentleman named Arnie Tucker convinced me to join the BCMDT and to be honest I was a little apprehensive. Riding a 900 pound plus motorcycle very close to other bikes of the same size was scary to say the least, but with the help and encouragement of the other team members I made the grade and was voted in as the newest member of the British Columbia Motorcycle Drill Team. I later took the RCIC Program through GWRRA and became a Ride Course Instructor so I could teach ARC's. Riding with the drill team and teaching ARC's are two of the many things I love about riding a Gold Wing. In 2012 we decided to go to the Region J Rally in Anchorage, Alaska and since about 25 of us would be riding up to Alaska I decided to do something different. The group wanted the safety of taking a truck and flat deck trailer along for the trip, so I took advantage of putting our wing on the trailer so I could treat Rainie to a cruise to Alaska and then meet everyone else in Anchorage. From there we rode the rest of the trip with everyone else back to Vancouver. We also did many annual BC-D's Gold Runs and on one memorable Gold Run we visited a few wineries to which we discovered we had no room for a bottle of wine in our trunk or saddlebags. Rainie announced this would not do and the search for a cargo trailer began. Luckily JD came through again and found us a great cargo trailer I have to admit towing a trailer was different and we soon discovered has many advantages, like holding a few bottles of wine being one of many. We also discovered trips across country were more enjoyable and we took full advantage of it by riding from Montreal to Newfoundland and the Maritimes. Ok we cheated by shipping our wing and trailer via Air Canada to Montreal and with one of our best riding friends, Doug & Cathy Wilkins.



## BC Chapter A Member Profile submitted by **Patrick Frampton**



What a bucket list of an adventure. We all agreed we needed another month to see more of The Rock as the time there was amazing. We rode together down to Boston and then all the way home to Delta.

I have to admit having a wife who enjoys riding as much as I do really makes each and every ride with her, special. Rainie even encouraged me to upgrade from our 1500 to an 1800 in 2014 and after a long search all over Canada and the United States we finally found what we were looking for right here in White Rock. On February 14th, 2015 we picked up a 2013 GL1800 Airbag model with only 5200 kms from a nice gentleman who decided his riding days were over.



**We are looking to highlight our members each month in our GWRRA BC-A newsletter.**

If you have not told us your story we would love to hear from you! Tell us about your first bike, how you got into riding a motorcycle, what inspired you to join GWRRA? It does not have to be long 200 words and a photo or two.

Please send your stories and photos to [gwrri.gowans@gmail.com](mailto:gwrri.gowans@gmail.com)



# Events - **Abbotsford Air Show**

**Aug 10th, 11th, & 12th 2018**

## Patron Safety—Motorcycle (online registration)

Sandra Bater from the airshow office announced; They would like everyone to register, please read the complete email first then click on the motorcycle link in blue down below, then fill in the form. You will need a permanent password that you want (write it down somewhere) pick a password to use in the future, so use on that you will remember, you will need to click and add the days your are available to work the Air Show, then register. You will get a confirmation email from them if it works ok and you are registered. If you have a problem call Sandra Bater 604 852 8511 ext. 103 or email [Sandra@abbotsfordairshow.com](mailto:Sandra@abbotsfordairshow.com)

## Schedule of Events

### Friday Aug 10, 2018

Time	Twilight Show
1500	Gates Open Static Display, Exhibit Area and Concessions Open
1615	Opening Ceremonies & Anthems
1630	Flying Events Begin
1930	Static Display Closes
2145	Fireworks Finale
2230	Gates Close

To get started, go to the email from Ian McAlpine or to our Facebook page and click on the link proved and review the details (job description, number of volunteers needed and shifts) please note that shift start/finish times are approximate.

#### IMPORTANT UPDATE:

On Friday, Aug 10<sup>th</sup> the gates will open 30 minutes earlier than in previous years.

DATES	POSTED TIMES	GATES OPEN	GATES CLOSE
Friday Aug 10, 2018	3:00 - 10:30 PM	2:30 PM	10:30 PM
Saturday Aug 11, 2018	9:00 AM - 6 PM	8:30 AM	6:00 PM
Sunday Aug 12, 2018	9:00 AM - 6 PM	8:30 AM	6:00 PM

### Saturday & Sunday Aug 11 & 12, 2018

Time	Full Day Shows
0900	Gates Open Static Display, Exhibit Area and Concessions Open
1045	Opening Ceremonies & Anthems
1100	Flying Events Begin
1630	Flying Events End
1700	Static Display Closes
1800	Gates Close

Questions email Ian McAlpine at [mr.imca@telus.net](mailto:mr.imca@telus.net)

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## Events - **Iron Butt Ride 2018**

*June 23rd/24th 2018 3am High Road Van BMW Ducati  
3061 Grandview Hwy Vancouver BC V5M 2E4*



Ever Ridden 1000 Miles (1609.34 km) in Less Than 24 Hours? Not Many  
People Can Say they Have - Iron Butt Ride 2018

The Iron Butt Association is a world wide organization recognizing the World's Toughest Riders and organizing IBA sanctioned events for people to test their mental. With the help of the IBA and Bill Watt, we've run this event annually since 2011 from High Road Vancouver. With the right preparation, this is a daunting challenge most anyone can achieve. Go to the High Road Vancouver Website for more information or to register.  
[www.highroadvancouver.com/community/](http://www.highroadvancouver.com/community/)

Registering for the Iron Butt Ride will help them provide you with the details and information on the sanctioned IBA rides that are put on through High Road Collection.  
This does NOT force you to complete the ride.



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## Events - **Chapter BC-A Ride for Pie** Submitted by Dave Ward

*May 6th 2018*

GWRRA BC-A's ride today from MacDonald's on Boundary, around the Barnet Highway to Port Moody, then over the Pitt Meadows bridge to the old Dewdney Truck road and all the way to the park at the Stave Lake Dam. After a short break, we took some "short cuts" to Mission which added another hour, then up Hwy 7 to Hope and up the Fraser Canyon to Boston Bar. By this time it was almost 2 pm and near 30 degrees. We stopped for lunch, and of course, the reason for the trip Pie! The ride back was great until we hit the freeway at No 3 road in Chilliwack. Gridlock all the way to 232nd in Langley! It was a great day till then....



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## Events - **West Coast Motorcycle Ride to Live**

*Raising Funds and Awareness for Prostate Cancer*  
**May 27th, 2018**

This year's West coast Motorcycle Ride to Live was another huge success with our 1000 bikes in attendance. We made our way from Trev Deeley in Burnaby to Lee Valley Tools, Garibaldi Secondary, Mission Raceway to the final destination of the University of the Fraser Valley Abbotsford campus where there was lots of food, many vendors, lots of prizes and of course our very own drill team who did not disappoint. For all you who made it, wasn't it a perfect day? Nothing like taking up the whole #1 highway with a presidential police escort on a beautiful sunny day. For those of you who did not make it out, put it on the calendar for next year! It's a must do event for a very worthy cause!



## Events submitted by Dave Ward

### **GWRRA Lower Mainland Happenings June/July 2018**

Hi Everybody,

I have put together a list of all the upcoming rides that are happening within the lower mainland, including Vancouver Island, for your reference. Included is a link to the District website where you will find the details and registration information. Let's all try to participate in as much as we can to make the North West Coast District the one that rides the most.....

- June 9<sup>th</sup> – Victoria Chapter V Bare Bones Ride – a ride to Port Alberni to Bare Bones for fish and chips. Here is the link for more information.... <http://gwrra-nwc.com/blog/2018/05/23/chapter-v-bare-bones-june-9-2018/>
- June 10<sup>th</sup> - This month's Chapter A Breakfast gathering has been moved up a week because of Father's Day. It will also be at a different location – Coquitlam Grill - [2635 Barnet Hwy, Coquitlam](#). Here is the Doodle Poll created to get a head count – we made reservations for 15. There are currently 3 people who filled out the poll. If nobody else is attending, the meeting will be cancelled and we will meet at McDonalds and go for a ride.... <https://doodle.com/poll/bsp6dsxcx6a3txhk>
- June 23<sup>rd</sup> is Chapter A's "Ride to Eat" but due to a scheduling conflict it was decided that this year Chapter A would join Chapter C on their Green Heart Ride, happening the same day. If you are able to participate, please fill out the registration form found on the Chapter C website ([www.gwrra-bcc.org](http://www.gwrra-bcc.org)). They really need an accurate head count so the restaurant can have staff available. Let Chapter C Director Karin know by email if you can't fill out the form... [gwrrabcc.director@gmail.com](mailto:gwrrabcc.director@gmail.com)
- June 24<sup>th</sup> – Vancouver Island Chapter V Invitational – This is going to be a very nice ride around the "Renfrew Loop". Here is the link for more information.... <http://gwrra-nwc.com/blog/2018/05/23/chapter-v-renfrew-loop-invitational/>
- June 30-July 2 – Chapter A Olympic Peninsula Ride. We still have a couple of rooms available, so if you are a last minute type of person, now is the time to sign up – the rooms will be released June 15<sup>th</sup>. Here is the link to the registration page with hotel information.... <http://gwrra-nwc.com/blog/2018/05/23/chapter-a-olympic-peninsula-ride-june-30-july-2-2018/>
- July 7-8 – Chapter A Cascade Loop Ride. I am not sure who is organizing this one....can someone email me and let me know what has been organized, if anything....
- July 13-15 – Chapter V Gold River Run – A weekend of riding fun on Vancouver Island with overnight stops in Port Hardy and Campbell River. Click here for more information.... <http://gwrra-nwc.com/blog/2018/05/23/chapter-v-gold-river-run-july-13-2018/>
- July 14-15 – North West Coast District Island Ride. Another ride on Vancouver Island, with plans now to meet up with Chapter V in Campbell River for dinner while they are on their own Island ride....sounds like a great get together. Click here for more information.... <http://gwrra-nwc.com/blog/2018/04/08/vancouver-island-run-july-14-15/>

That's all for now – stay tuned for another edition coming in July with more rides to choose from....

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## Member Article

### John Waddington April 24th 1942- May 20th 2018

Another one of our GWRRA friends has gained his wings, he will be missed by all that knew him. Rest in Peace John.

#### John Dominic Waddington Obituary



John Dominic Waddington

Apr. 24, 1942- May 20, 2018

John has always enjoyed the adventure of meeting new people and visiting new places. Now on Sunday May 20 he left us to go on his ultimate journey. He was born in Chorley, England and as a child immigrated with his parents to the Brantford Ont. area where he grew up. He had a successful career with the Johns Manville Corp. but his love of flying brought him to B.C. ferrying small planes and he moved out here in the early 1970's. He met Terry, his wife of almost 39 yrs, through friends at the Pitt Meadows airport. In 1982 they moved to Fort Langley where they raised their family. He started 2 small businesses: Accurate Devices and Clean Air Services which he ran successfully for many years. He was very well read and interested in everything from the classics to science, always ready for a new adventure, challenge or opportunity to use his ingenuity. He loved his family, travel, entertaining, riding his motorbike, and would help anyone who needed it, from neighbours to someone who needed a job or buddies needing a place to fix their motorcycle. Everyone was welcome. He was predeceased by his parents Madge and Phillip Waddington and his brother Dave. John is survived by his brother Michael(Susan), his wife Terry (nee Nelson) his son Steve (Leeann), daughters Rebecca Leggatt(Nathan), Jennifer Theissen(Craig) and grandchildren Justin, Samantha, Cameron, Saraquin, Levi, Joshua and Kenzi plus many other loving family members and friends. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Fort Langley Golf Club, Monday May 28 from 1-4 PM. John has always appreciated the beauty of flowers but a donation to your favourite charity is equally appropriate.

#### Guest Book

*"Our condolences to you and your family Steve I pray that..."*  
-john johnstone family

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## BC Lower Mainland

### **Chapter BC-A Vanc Breakfast Meeting**

3rd Sunday of every Month (except Dec)  
Ricky's Restaurant, 2350 Boundary Rd. BBV

Check our website to confirm location

Breakfast at 8:00 am Meeting at 9:00 am

### **Chapter BC-A Vancouver Directors**

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### **Chapter BC-D Surrey Dinner Meeting**

1st Wednesday of every month

Ricky's Restaurant

152nd & Fraser Hwy, Surrey

Dinner 6:00 PM, Meeting 7:00 PM

### **Chapter BC-D Surrey Director**

Dave Truesdell Phone: TBD

Email: [directorsbcd@gmail.com](mailto:directorsbcd@gmail.com)

[www.gwrra-bcd.org](http://www.gwrra-bcd.org) / Facebook GWRRA BC-D

### **Chapter BC-C Chilliwack Dinner Meeting**

3rd Tuesday of every month (except Dec)

Rendezvous Restaurant 9360 Young Rd.

Chilliwack

Dinner 6:00 PM, Meeting 7:00 PM

### **Chapter BC-C Chilliwack Director**

Karin Young

Phone 604 798 3165

Email: [gwrrabcc.director@gmail.com](mailto:gwrrabcc.director@gmail.com)

[www.gwrra-bcc.org](http://www.gwrra-bcc.org)



## Upcoming Courses:

### Skills Training Anyone?

Anyone interested in getting together in a large parking lot with a few cones and practicing some riding skills? Send Kelly Parkes an email. If we get enough interested we will schedule it. [kparkes@shaw.ca](mailto:kparkes@shaw.ca)





# celebrations

## June Wedding Anniversaries

Howie Mosher & Elaine McGregor June 12th (BCC)

Patrick & Rainie Frampton June 17th

Rob & Terry Ellis June 24th

## June Birthdays

Sheila MacGregor June 21st

Patty McKenna June 25th

## GWRRA Anniversaries

Chris Maki 85

IB Mikkelsen 91

Pat Armstrong 96

Jacqueline Stuart 02

Bob Buchanan 03

Elaine McGregor 09

Tristan Meers 10

Kathlyn Meers 10

Penney Oliver 11

Gary Rainthorpe 14





# COMING SOON!



## June 2018

2	Memorial Ride	BC-A
3/17	Breakfast/Ride	BC-C
6	Dinner Gathering	BC-D
9	Duck Hunt Ride	WA-D
10	Breakfast Gathering (week earlier)	BC-A
17	<b>Happy Fathers Day</b>	
19	Dinner Gathering	BC-C
23	Ride to Eat	BC-A
24	Greenheart Run	BC-C
30,1,2	Olympic Peninsula Ride	BC-A



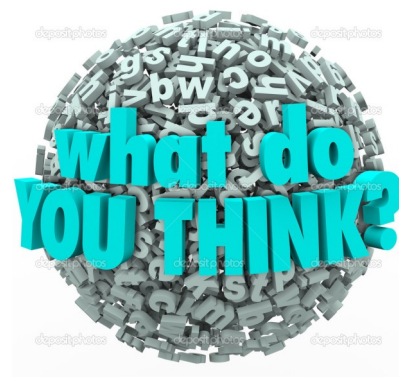
## July 2018

30,1,2	Olympic Peninsula Ride	BC-A
4	Dinner Gathering	BC-D
7-8	Cascade Loop Ride	BC-A
15/29	Breakfast /Ride	BC-C
15	Breakfast Gathering	BC-A
17	Dinner Gathering	BC-C



## August 2018

1	Dinner Gathering	BC-D
4-6	Kootenay Loop Ride	BC-D
11	Auto Museum Ride (Tacoma)	BC-A
12/26	Breakfast/Ride	BC-C
19	Breakfast Gathering	BC-A
24	Dinner Gathering	BC-C
25	Duffy Lake Loop Ride	BC-A
28-Sep 1	Wing Ding 40—Knoxville, TN	





## GWRRA North West Coast District

Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge

On the web at : [www.gwrra-nwc.com](http://www.gwrra-nwc.com)

**District Ride Coordinator** - Keiller Gowans

**District Membership Enhancement Coordinator** – Linda Zervini

**District Motorist Awareness Coordinator** – Kathy Estey

**District Educator** – Gavin Karey-McKenna

**District Treasurer** – Janet Turner

**District Webmaster** – Dave Ward

**District University Coordinator** – **Open** – Should anyone in any chapter in the district wish to “Step Up” it would be most appreciated.



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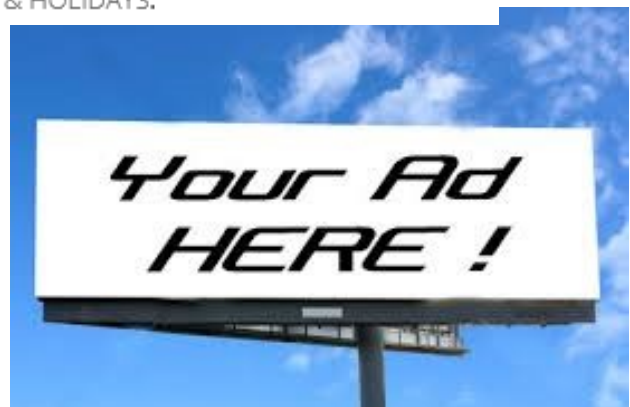


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# RIDERS WANTED

## Riders Wanted

The BCMDT is looking for you to try something interesting and it involves riding your motorcycle around mostly scenic, and interesting roads all around our area.

- June 23rd Vancouver through Richmond, This is for Cystic Fibrosis Canada. All Positions Filled
- July 22nd Valley GranFondo is now complete with 7 moto Escorts. All Positions Filled
- Sept 8th Whistler GranFondo is now complete with 2 extras.



**Stay Tuned For upcoming events.**

Contact Carl Schoten [bcmdt-moto-safety@shaw.ca](mailto:bcmdt-moto-safety@shaw.ca)  
or

**604 202 7140**

*We pay for much more than your gas, so come give it a try.*

*\*let Carl know if you would like to be a last minute extra if someone cancels out.*

**Do you have a great idea for a newsletter Article?**

**Ever thought about becoming the Newsletter Editor?**

Sounds like a daunting task to put your thoughts down on paper and send it in but really just a few lines is all it really takes. Take a few minutes and send us whatever you have.... We love photos too.

- Did you go on a great ride lately?
- Did you attend a great event or meet some great people?
- Maybe find a solution to a problem others may also be trying to fix?
- Are you a techy and want to share your knowledge?
- Maybe you have a burning question we can publish in the newsletter?

**Contact Tracy Gowans at [gwwra.gowans@gmail.com](mailto:gwwra.gowans@gmail.com) with your ideas.**

**Deadline for articles for June's newsletter is June 1st 2018**



# Buy & Sell

For Sale/Want will run for 3 editions of the newsletter. Please contact the newsletter editor if you wish to extend it longer or if your item has been sold at [gwrri.gowans@gmail.com](mailto:gwrri.gowans@gmail.com) or phone Tracy Gowans 604 219 5836 Ads are free

## Riding Gear for Sale

BMW All-round Black Boots Size 38

Paid \$256.00

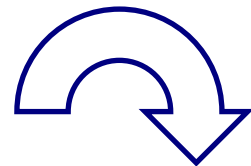
Sell for \$100.00



**Reasonable offers Considered**

**Contact Marian 778 980 2374 or Tom 778 866 7057**

Revit Ignition Jacket Black Women's  
Size 42 Paid \$534.00 Sell for



\$275.00

Revit Ventu-  
ra Pant Black Women's  
Size 38 Paid \$363.00

Sell for \$165.00



Gerbing 12V Hybrid Heated Gloves Men's XS  
\$199.95USD with 2 Hybrid Batteries and Charger  
\$99.95 USD Paid \$350.00 CAD Sell for \$200.00 CAD



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## For Sale:

Men's Black Leather Gloves, New and Never Worn. \$50.00 OBO

Contact Dave Hibbard at



(New Feb 2018)



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## For Sale:

Harley Davidson Leather Pants Waist 33, Inseam 34 New and Never Worn.

\$150.00 OBO Contact Dave Hibbard at



(New Feb 2018)



# Chapter A Stores

## Items For Sale

### Patches:

	Description	Quantity on hand 2017-Oct-14	Cost
Rocker	GWRRA BC-A Vancouver (black and gold with flags)	8	\$22.00
Rocker	The Great Northwest Region "J"	4	\$20.00
Rocker	Chapter BC-A Vancouver (white, 2 Canada flags)	1	\$22.00
Round	10" GWRRA (multi-colour with griffin)	4	\$17.00
Round	10" GWRRA (black and gold with griffin)	3	\$17.00
Round	4" GWRRA (multi-colour with griffin)	7	\$7.00
Round	4" GWRRA (black and gold with griffin)	5	\$7.00
Round	4" GWRRA BC-A (blue with Canada goose)	5	\$7.00

### Pins:

GWRRA BC district – large	2	\$5.00
GWRRA BC district – small	4	\$3.00
BC-A hangers?	80	\$3.00
PinSaver (10 pack)	4	\$7.00

### Clothing

Hat : ball	One Size	3	\$10.00
Shirt : Long Sleeve	2xl-Men	2	\$40.00
Shirt : Long Sleeve	XL-Men	1	\$40.00
Shirt : Short Sleeve	Xl-Men	1	\$40.00
Shirt : Short sleeve sport	2xl-Men	2	\$40.00



To purchase items from Chapter A's Stores contact  
Dave Ward or Giselle Collins at  
[chapteradirector@gmail.com](mailto:chapteradirector@gmail.com)

# District NWC SPECIAL

## Join GWRRA between February 13<sup>th</sup> & June 30<sup>th</sup> 2018

Receive 15 months of membership for the price of 12 months

### 3 months of GWRRA membership free

Fill out the application below and mail it to:

HOME OFFICE  
21423 N. 11th Avenue  
Phoenix, AZ 85027

OR CALL:

## 1-800-843-9460

#### GWRRA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

☐ ☐ NEW ONLY

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First  
Co-Rider Names: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Province Postal code CANADA ☐ ☐ ☐  
Telephone: Home: ( ) Work: ( ) E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Gold Book™ Directory Information (must check at least one):

A) ☐ Truck/Trailer B) ☐ Phone Calls Only C) ☐ Tent Space D) ☐ Lodging E) ☐ Tools F) ☐ Tour Guide ☐ Do Not list me in the Gold Book

GWRRA  
21423 North 11 Avenue  
Phoenix AZ 85027  
800-843-9460  
(623) 581-2500  
(877) 348-9416 Fax  
www.gwrra.org  
www.rescueplus.org



#### Member Type (Select One)

##### Individual Membership

☐ 3 yrs \$150 USD ☐ 2 yrs \$105 USD ☐ 1 yr \$55 USD

##### Family Membership (2 or more people in household)

☐ 3 yrs \$180 USD ☐ 2 yrs \$125 USD ☐ 1 yr \$65 USD

Subscription Only (Wing World™ Magazine) ☐ 1 yr \$40

☐ Exclude me from promotional email offers. Exclude

☐ me from 3rd party mail promotions.

#### Upgrade Road Riders Rescue

##### Motorcycle Plus Rescue Plus Rescue Plus Premium

☐ \$12 USD ☐ \$35 USD ☐ \$80 USD

Road Riders Rescue offers enhanced benefits and covers all registered drivers in your household while driving or riding in any non-commercial vehicle or motorcycle. Rescue Plus also covers your motorcycle trailer. Certain limitations and exclusions apply to coverage. All individuals must be registered with GWRRA to receive a membership card and coverage. Members of GWRRA must have a Family Membership to ensure multiple drivers.

New Members—Who referred you to us? Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you hear about GWRRA? (Example: magazine, website, mc dealer, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Information \_\_\_\_\_ Make  
checks payable in US Funds to GWRRA. GWRRA dues are not deductible as a charitable contribution for federal tax purposes.

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Cardholder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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GWRRA Chapter BC-A  
June 30, July 1 & 2, 2018



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**10 rooms have been blocked at:**

**Days Inn**

**891 Ocean Shores Blvd NW**

**Ocean Shores, WA**

**360-289-9570**

**Sat night US\$ 109 + tax (incl cont. bfast)**

**Sun night US\$ 89 + tax (incl cont. bfast)**

**Please call to make your own reservation**

**Rooms will be released on June 15, 2018**

**Starting: Chevron Gas Station  
1350 H Street, Blaine, WA  
(Pacific Highway Border Crossing)**

**Kickstands up: 8:00 am**

**The weekend agenda includes:**

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## Agreement

**Rider**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

GWRRA Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

GWRRA Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter or Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ PC/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

UNDERSTAND THAT CHAPTER BC-A OR GWRRA IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ACCIDENTS OR DAMAGE TO SELF OR PROPERTY, WHICH MAY RESULT BY REASON OF PARTICIPATION IN THIS EVENT.  
YOU ARE TO ASSUME APPROPRIATE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY INCIDENT IN WHICH YOU ARE INVOLVED.

Rider Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Co-Rider Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Wing Ding 40 slated to be held in Knoxville, Tennessee!**

Knoxville, home of GWRRA's 40th Annual Wing Ding, is situated at the foothills of Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Three Interstates run through Knoxville making it easily accessible! The majority of the events will take place downtown at the beautiful Knoxville Convention Center.

Many exciting changes are happening including a completely revamped event schedule with less structure and more fun! To register or view the event schedule, visit [www.wing-ding.org](http://www.wing-ding.org) today!

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## **Look what's new at Wing Ding 40!**

We are going to introduce new events and ideas at Wing Ding 40. We'll feature one of the new events with each newsletter.

We want to open Wing Ding 40 with a party! We are going to move opening ceremonies to the Opening Night Party. Join us on Tuesday night, August 28<sup>th</sup> for fun, entertainment and the "official" opening. It will be a party in Knoxville.

Wednesday morning, we are offering a breakfast. During that breakfast we will present the colors for the event and announce the location for the next year. It will be a fun morning that will precede the opening of the Trade Show. So don't miss out, tickets are available for purchase now for this good breakfast and fun new way to start the day. Come join us!

You can call Customer Service to add these tickets to your existing registration, [800-843-9460](tel:800-843-9460).

If you haven't registered yet, the new registration form includes the breakfast.

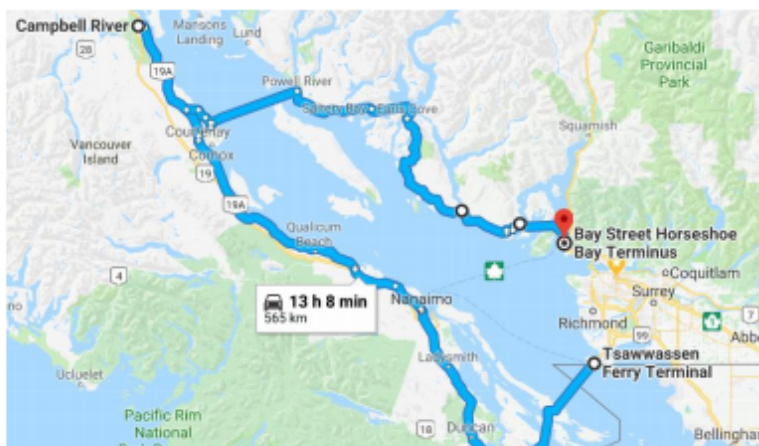
### **GOLD NUGGETS**

# NWC Island Loop



**WHEN**  
**July 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> 2018**

**WHERE**  
**Meet on the 7:00am  
Tsawwassen ferry**



## **GOLD NUGGETS**

## **All Chapters Event**

**Relaxing weekend**

**Casual pace**

**Advanced  
Registration**

**\$20 online**

<http://gwrra-nwc.com/>

**(Registration  
on the ferry \$25)**

## **Lodging**

**Rooms have been  
reserved in  
Campbell River**

## **Day 1**

**Breakfast on BC  
Ferries then over the  
Malahat and staying  
along the coast  
whenever possible  
to Campbell River.**

## **Day 2**

**Down to Comox for  
the ferry to Powell  
River. Lunch in Powell  
River and then on to  
the Earls Cove ferry.  
Take the beautiful  
twisties to Sechelt  
and on to the  
Langdale ferry**

## **NWC Ride Hotels**

### **July 14<sup>th</sup> Island Loop Ride - Campbell River Hotel**

#### **Heritage River Inn**

4-star hotel – 10 rooms Blocked off – call for reservation – Ensure you Mention **GWRRA** for the Quoted Rate and available Rooms. (A good rate was negotiated Should be under \$100.00 Inc. Taxes) There are several Restaurants nearby. There is a morning continental breakfast provided.

**Each participant / rider will call the Hotel and book their own room. You will provide a credit card upon booking your reservation.**

**You have until June 30<sup>th</sup> to book rooms from the rooms package noted above. They will be released to public sale after that date.**

**Address:** 2140 N Island Hwy, Campbell River, BC V9W 2G7

**Phone:** (250) 286-6295

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### **August Gypsy Ride Hotels**

#### **Sandman Hotel Williams Lake BC – August 17<sup>th</sup>**

10 rooms Blocked off – call for reservation – Ensure you Mention **GWRRA** for the Quoted Rate and available Rooms. **Group confirmation number 67853** Straightforward rooms in a casual venue, plus an indoor pool, an exercise room & an American diner.

Room type: Standard 2 beds

Rate: \$89.00 / night, plus taxes

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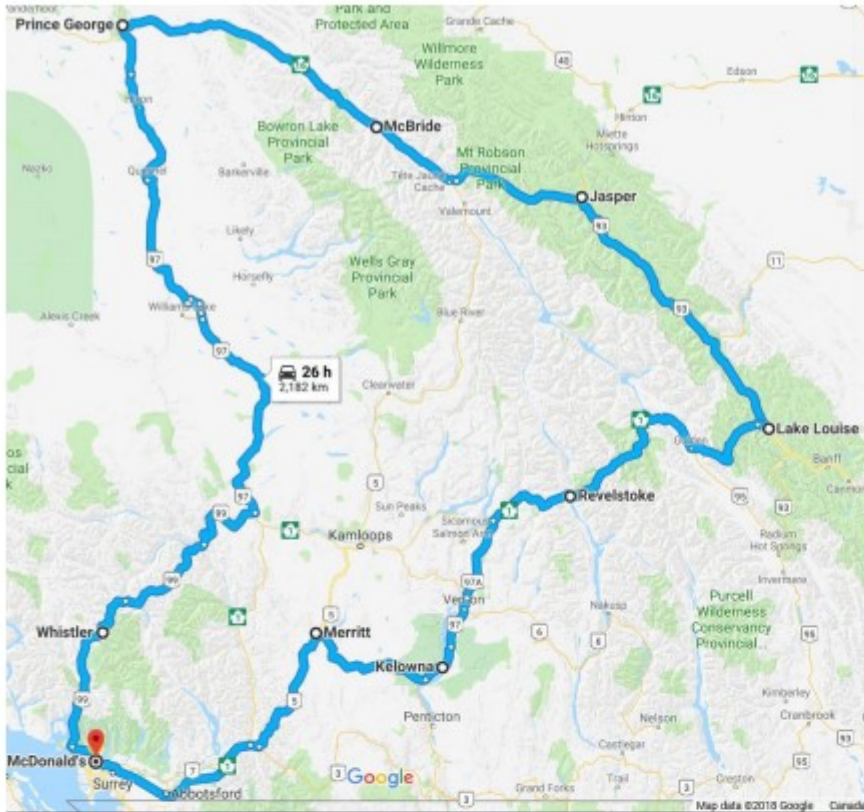
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**Address:** 664 Oliver St, Williams Lake, BC V2G 1M6

**Phone:** (250) 392-6557

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# AUG 17, 18, 19 & 20 2018 THE GYPSY RUN

## Rally on the road

The purpose of this ride is to bring as many Chapters together as possible doing what we love to do...ride. We begin in the Lower Mainland and complete a loop through Whistler, Prince George, McBride, Jasper and Kelowna. We hope to join together Chapter A-Vancouver, C-Chilliwack, D-Surrey, G-Kamloops, P-Prince George and V-Victoria all in the same ride. We would also like to entice Chapters from Alberta to join in for part of the ride.



**Just a ride around  
the block**

**Meet the neighbors**

**Beautiful scenery  
changing everyday**

**Ride at your own  
pace**

**The sunny month of  
August**

**NORTH WEST COAST  
DISTRICT**

More info and Registration  
Online at

<http://gwrra-nwc.com/>

# GreenHeart Run 2018



**GWRRRA Chapter BC-C**  
**Saturday June 23**



Chapter C is proud to be hosting its annual GreenHeart Run. Our morning registration will include Coffee/Tea and muffins, last kick stand up at 11am. We have a 3-4 hour ride that includes a poker run station, ice cream stop and lots of beautiful scenery.

Location: Duke's Country Pub

41582 Yale Rd, Chilliwack - exit 109

Registration: 10am last bike out 11am

Late Lunch: 3:00pm Roast Beef Buffet, includes Coffee/Tea and Pop

Pre-Registration: STILL ONLY \$20 per Person

Postmarked by May 15, 2018

On Site Registration: \$25 Per Person

**Make Checks Payable to: GWRRRA BC-C**

**Mail Registration to: Janet Egan**

**ATTN: GreenHeart**

**3831 Karen Drive, Cultus Lake, BC V2R 5A5**

For more information e-mail: [gwrabcc.director@gmail.com](mailto:gwrabcc.director@gmail.com)

**Prizes**  
**Roast Beef Buffet**  
**50/50 Draw**  
**Morning Coffee & Snacks**



## AGREEMENT

I/we the undersigned, agree to comply with the rules governing this event and to hold harmless GWRRRA, its officers, Representatives and event sponsors for loss or injury to person or property I/we may incur by participating in this event. I/we have read and understand this form. Registrants must sign.

Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Co-Rider: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ PC \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Pre Registration: \$20 - Postmarked by May 15, 2018

Onsite Registration: \$25

Poker Run: \$5.00

Bug Run: 3 Targets for \$5

\$20 X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$25 X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$5 X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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# Washington District Rally

## "Happy Halloween"

July 19, 20, 21, 2018



Chelan County Events Center 5700 Wescott Drive, Cashmere, WA 98815

### Registration Fees

#### Postmarked on or before July 1, 2018

GWRRRA Member	\$25.00 x	= \$
Life Member	\$20.00 x	= \$
Non Member	\$30.00 x	= \$
Vendor	\$25.00 x	= \$

#### Postmarked after July 1, 2018

GWRRRA Member	\$30.00 x	= \$
Life Member	\$25.00 x	= \$
Non Member	\$35.00 x	= \$

#### Grand Prizes \$700 & \$300

(Must be present to win)

Price per ticket \$1.00 x = \$

#### Pre-registration 50/50 Drawing

(Must be present to win)

Price per ticket \$1.00 x = \$

#### Friday Breakfast Hosted by Chapter B

Skillet Breakfast, fruit, juice, coffee

Price per ticket \$6.00 x = \$

#### Friday Night Dinner Hosted by Chapter N

All you can eat Baked Potato Bar with all the fixins

Price per ticket \$7.00 x = \$

#### Saturday Breakfast Hosted by Chapter Q

Pancakes, Sausage, juice, coffee

Price per ticket \$6.00 x = \$

#### Saturday Night "HARVEST" Dinner

Includes: Pot Roast with potatoes, carrots, celery, onion & gravy, cole slaw, roll, beverage & dessert; Will have roast chicken for those that wish.

Price per ticket (beef) \$13.00 x = \$

Price per ticket (chicken) \$13.00 x = \$

#### Camping, RV's, Tents & Tent Trailers

(Thursday, Friday, Saturday)

Tent & Tent Trailer (No power)

Price per night \$15.00 x = \$

RV, Tent, Tent Trailer (15/30/50 amp, water, sewer)

Price per night \$20.00 x = \$

Total amount enclosed = \$

Make check to: GWRRRA Washington District

#### Mail to:

Mike White – GWRRRA TREASURER  
PO BOX 151  
Allyn, WA. 98524-0151

### Motels

Village Inn, Cashmere: (\$89 to \$99) 509-782-3522 – [www.cashmerevillageinn.net](http://www.cashmerevillageinn.net)

Numerous Hotels/Motels in Leavenworth, approximately 13 miles from Fairgrounds

Numerous Hotels/Motels in Wenatchee, approximately 12 miles from Fairgrounds

### \$700 & \$300 Grand Prizes! + Lots More!!

Friday Night Ice Cream Social – Bike Games – Trike Games – Bike Show –  
ROAD CAPTAIN'S SEMINAR (classroom and road course available)  
Light Parade – Scenic Rides – Quarter Bingo – Trunk Search

Chapter and Individual Competitions – Brown Bag Auction – Silent Auction  
Halloween Themed Campsite Competition

The Gnomes of Cashmere Walking Tour in Downtown Cashmere  
Aplets and Cotlets Factory Tours

Friday Breakfast Hosted by Chapter B, Friday Dinner Hosted by Chapter N  
and Saturday Breakfast Hosted by Chapter Q

Saturday Dinner Hosted by Washington District Staff

#### For more information contact:

Garry Alexander, Washington District Director

Phone: (253) 677-7812 E-mail: [gwvt68c@gmail.com](mailto:gwvt68c@gmail.com)

Mike White, Washington District Rally Coordinator/Treasurer

Phone: (360) 340-2588 E-mail: [mikew@wavecable.com](mailto:mikew@wavecable.com)

District website: [www.gwrra-wa.org](http://www.gwrra-wa.org)

Rider \_\_\_\_\_ GWRRRA# \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Co-rider \_\_\_\_\_ GWRRRA# \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

I/we agree to conform and comply with all rules and regulations governing this event and its location and properties. I/we also agree to hold harmless GWRRRA, its affiliates, vendors, properties and all participants of this event, for any liabilities due to any injury or loss due to my participation and involvement in the event.

Rider Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Co-Rider Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### GOLD NUGGETS

# LET'S RIDE!

## Monthly Chapter Meeting

Chapter BC-A, Vancouver

The THIRD Sunday of each Month  
(except Dec)

**Ricky's Country Restaurant**

Boundary Rd at Lougheed Hwy

2350 Boundary Rd

Burnaby, BC

(604) 293-1242

Breakfast at 8:00 am Meeting at 9:00 am

Enjoy breakfast with new and old friends, or come for a cup of coffee before the meeting. See you there.

## WEEKEND / STATUTORY HOLIDAY RIDES

If there are NOT any Lower Mainland Rides/Events on our Chapter Schedule, then you can expect a ride from the McDonalds at the Boundary Road/Lougheed Highway intersection, Vancouver. Coffee from 9.00. Ride leaves at 10.00. Saturday, Sunday and all



## Chapter BC - A

### Tuesday Night Rides

Coffee Social (ride in season)

**\*We are trying out different locations in 2017. Check the website or Call Keiller 604 970 0531 to confirm**

**Coffee From 5 pm Ride Leaves between 6:30 pm and 7 pm**

