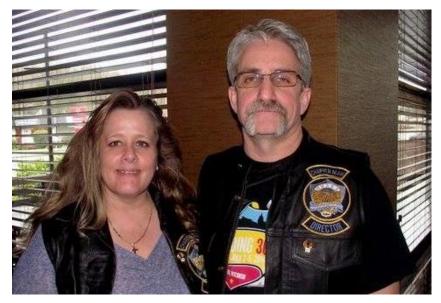


# **GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION**



Well we've been on the road a lot in June so we are a bit late getting this letter out to our editor. We started out at the Victoria Days Rally in Salmon Arm May 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> where once again the Kamloops Chapter did a great job organizing this event; even with a little rain everyone had a lot of fun. It was good to spend time with friends we have not seen in a long time. The campfire pies are always a big hit!

On June 6<sup>th</sup> we had our Chapter A memorial ride starting off at Hole Shot Motor Sports in Langley and ending at Princess Park in North Vancouver. It was a beautiful ride and there

were lots of people in attendance from Chapters A, D and C. Thanks to all those members who donated prizes and money to this event and special thanks to team members Chuck Taylor from Taylormotive and Kelly Parkes from K.R. Parkes Goldsmiths who donated the grand prizes. Money raised was donated to AIM (Association for Injured Motorcyclists) Vancouver and the District of North Vancouver Fire Department Charitable Association.

On June 12<sup>th</sup> we joined a caravan of 6 bikes, many with trailers and headed down to Montesano Washington to attend Washington Chapter D's annual Duck Hunt Rally. It was a great ride on a sunny day and although cleverly hidden we found the ducks! Surrey's Chapter D won many of the prizes. After the rally we headed down to the Reno Rendezvous along the coast discovering many new twisties along the way. Gotta love that "Avoid Highways" option on the GPS.

After a great ride with some great people we arrived in Reno safe and sound on June 17<sup>th</sup>. It kicked off with a dinner in Virginia City followed by 3 days of events and a trade show. The Canadian Dinner arranged by our Region J directors Con and Pat Williams was a resounding success with 87 proud Canadians in attendance. In case you're wondering we did sing O'Canada followed by the Star Spangled Banner for our American Friends.

We also had a fantastic show by our very own BC Drill Team lead by Rob Ellis. I would like to tell you that we won the motorcycle but sadly we did not. We did get to demo ride a Valkyrie and an automatic CTX 700 which was a lot of fun. I mentioned last month that I was hoping that this was close to the level of last year's Wing Ding in Madisen Wisconsin but it turned out to be considerably smaller. A great event all in all though. Finally on June 21<sup>st</sup> we all set out on our bikes in many different directions heading home with stops along the way. We are sending you this from Utah.

For the upcoming month Chapter A has the Triple D ride on June 27<sup>th</sup> and the Cascade Loop July 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> so not much planned but lots of good riding I'm sure.

Ride Safe Keiller & Tracy Chapter A Directors

# **UP AND COMING...**

### JULY 2015

- 1 BC-D dinner meeting
- 4-5 Princeton campout BC-C
- 11-12 Cascade loop ride BC-A
- 16-18 District rally Port Townson, Wa
- 17-19 Winthrop Blues ride
- 19 BC-A Breakfast meeting
- 21 BC-C dinner meeting
- 2 Mystery ride BC-D

## August 2015

- 1-2 Mt. St. Helens ride BC-A
- 1-3 Region J rally Cranbrook, BC
- 5 BC-D Dinner meeting
- 5-8 Region I rally
- 15 Dragon fort ride BC-D
- 16 BC-A Breakfast meeting
- 18 BC-C Dinner meeting
- 22 Duffy lake loop ride BC-A

## 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 Statutory Holidays.



## LOWER MAINLAND CHAPTERS

CB # 33 <u>3rd Sunday</u>	CB # 33 <u>3rd Tuesday</u>	CB#33 1st Wednesday
BC-A	BC-C	BC-D
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### **Birthdays JUNE**

Peter Macgregor June21st

Patty McKienna June 25th

### Anniversaries

Howie Mosher/Elaine Mcgregor June 12th

Patrick/Rainie Frampton June 17th

Rob & Terry Ellis June 24th

Congratulations to you all!

### **Birthdays July**

Kristin Maki July 04th

Patrick Frampton July 06th

Pat Armstrong July 06th

David Hawrish July 07th

Joan Maki July 12th

### Anniversaries

Joe & Lorraine Tompkins July 06th

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Chapter BC-A, Vancouver

The THIRD Sunday of each Month

### **ABC COUNTRY RESTAURANT**

Boundary Rd. & Henning Dr

2350 Boundary Rd Burnaby, BC (604) 293-1242 Breakfast at 8:00 am Meeting at 9:30 am

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

### **Tuesday Night Rides**

Coffee Social (ride in season)

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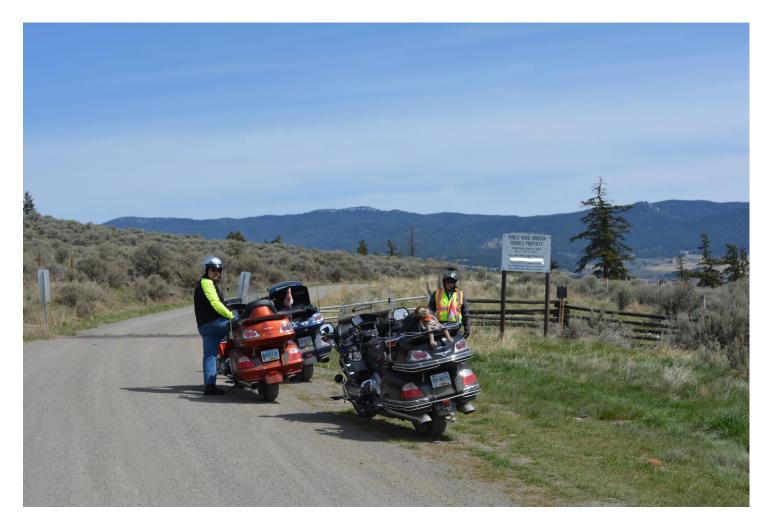


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# Wings In The Rockies



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