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Chapter Meeting: **Second Sunday of the month at the
Pepper Steak 26589 Highland Ave. Highland, Ca
Breakfast at 8:00 a.m. - Meeting starts at 8:30 a.m.**

Activity Meeting: **Monday after the 2nd Sunday at
Flo's 5626 Van Buren Blvd. Riverside CA 951-352-2690
Dinner @ 6 pm Meeting @ 6:30 pm**

(www.ca1m.org) (Chapter M GWRRA on Facebook)

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Remember, the newsletter is what we make it. Please submit articles that you think will be interesting or informative to other Chapter members. The articles may be about your favorite ride, bike accessory, or just a funny story relating to motorcycling.

All articles submitted may be edited at the discretion of the Newsletter Editor, depending on the space available. Controversial subject matter may not be submitted. The News Letter Editor is human and may from time to time make mistakes. This is not cause for ridicule, We are all volunteers and do our very best.

Please submit your article by e-mail to the Newsletter Editor by the **22nd of the month** to be in the next month's newsletter.

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Or talk to me at the meetings.



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California District - Chapter Rally Dates 2020

Chapters' Monthly Social Gathering Information for 2020 - GWRRA's California District -				
Day	Time	Chapter	Monthly Social Gathering Location	Chapter Director
1st Saturday	Breakfast - 08:30 Social - 09:00	CA-1A	Greenhouse Café 1169 Commerce Center Drive, Lancaster, CA 93534	Ken & Jan Pedder (661) 810-8398
1st Sunday	Breakfast - 07:30 Social - 08:00	CA-1R	Mimi's Café 4030 Barranca Pkwy, Irvine, CA 92640	Tom & Vicki Lorenz (714) 801-8664
2nd Saturday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 08:30	CA-1F	Ranch House Restaurant 11510 Woodside Avenue, Santee, CA 92071	Mary Beth Brinker (619) 562-5868
2nd Saturday	Breakfast - 09:00 Social - 09:30	CA-1I	Mar Y Tierra Restaurant 1118 W. San Bernardino Road, Covina, CA 91722	Lazlo "Bud" Budavari (626-485-5298
2nd Saturday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 08:30	CA-1L	IHOP Restaurant 212 Madonna Road, San Luis Obispo, CA 93405	Kevin Herrera (805) 704-6829
2nd Sunday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 08:30	CA-1M	Pepper Steak Restaurant 26589 Highland Avenue, Highland, CA 92346	Jerry Cowan (909) 783-1014
2nd Sunday	Breakfast - 07:30 Social - 08:00	CA-1Q	Black Bear Diner 7005 Knott Avenue, Buena Park, CA 90620	Bob Montez (784) 327-9129
3rd Saturday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 09:00	CA-1C	Denny's Restaruant 72244 Varner Road, Thousand Palms, CA 92276	Cindy Frazer (760) 250-5866
3rd Saturday	Breakfast - 07:00 Social - 08:00	CA-1Z	Richie's Diner 40651 Murrieta Hot Springs Rd, Murrieta, CA 92562	Gil & Rebecca Scotti (626) 695-3855
3rd Sunday	Breakfast - 07:00 Social - 08:00	CA-1V	Maxwell's 17772 Wika Road, Apple Valley, CA 92307	Mike Rand (760) 552-5981
Day	Time	Chapter	Monthly Social Gathering Location	Chapter Director
1st Friday	Tentatively 6:00 PM	CA-2W	Location and time varies from month to month, so, please contact Steve or Teri before visiting.	Steve & Teri Rippe (555) 298-2456
2nd Saturday	Breakfast - 07:00 Social - 08:00	CA-2J	Country Skilletts 2921 Harbor Street, Pittsburg, CA 94565	Richard & Karen Williams (925) 565-2050
2nd Saturday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 09:00	CA-2N	Golden Corral Restaurant 3737 Mc Henry Avenue, Modesto, CA 95356	Denny Keeler (925) 344-9487
3rd Saturday	Breakfast - 07:30 Social - 08:00	CA-2S	Omega Restaurant 90 South Park Victoria Drive, Milpitas, CA 95035	Flip Morton (408) 391-9013
3rd Sunday	Breakfast - 08:30 Social - 09:00	CA-C	Elks #6 6446 Riverside Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95831	Ken Knox (916) 261-1768
4th Saturday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 09:00	CA-2A	Old Salles Café 2082 North J Street, Tulare, CA 93274	John & Debbie Whitted (559) 786-3489
4th Saturday	Breakfast - 07:30 Social - 08:30	CA-2K	Benicia Grill II 2390 North Texas Street, Fairfield, CA 94533	Stephen & Karen Palatino (707) 592-7058
4th Saturday	Breakfast - 08:00 Social - 09:00	CA-2R	Country Waffles 2300 Athens Ave, Redding, CA 96001	John Severson (530) 243-1446
Updated: January 17, 2020		Locations, days & times may change - it's a good idea to contact CD before visiting.		

CHAPTER CA-1M MEETING DATES 2020

MARCH 8TH APRIL CANCELLED MAY CANCELLED

JUNE 14TH JULY 12TH AUGUST 9TH

SEPT 13TH OCT 11TH NOV 8TH DEC 13TH

DATE	DAY	CHAPTER	Pre Reg.	Notes	Flyer	Reg. time
Jan 25th				District Officers Conference in Bakersfield		
February 15th		CA-1I				
March 14		CA-1F				
April 4		CA-1A	CANCELLED			
May 1-2		CA-2S	CANCELLED			
May 9th		CA-1L	CANCELLED			
May 22-25				California District Rally VISALIA	CANCELLED	
June 13th		CA-2N	CANCELLED			
June 30-July 4th		WING DING 42		Springfield, Mo	CANCELLED	
July 25		CA-C				
September 24th—27th		CA-2R				
October 3rd		CA-1V				
Nov 7th		CA-1C				

Information and Registration forms for chapter events can be found at:

<http://gwrra-ca.org/chapter-rallies>

*Information for CA-District Rally can be found at:

<http://gwrra-ca.org/district-2020-events>

Visit us on the web at: www.gwrra-ca.org

Jerry & Lois Cowan
CA-1M Chapter
Directors



Hope you all are doing okay and not going crazy staying at home all this time. As some of you know I volunteer for Lifestream (blood bank). I deliver blood products to hospitals on Thursdays in their little mini vans. The hospitals have really cracked down on who they let in (amazing that they still let me in). At least this gets me out of the house for a while. I have been bad and have gone on 3 bike rides in April. HYR had a ride a couple of weeks ago. The 24th the Drill team got together for a ride using distances and masks. We went up through Ortega Highway and looked for parking at 3 Orange County Parks in which they were all blocked off. On the 25th Seven bikes went towards and past Idlewild up to 371. All were great rides with little traffic.

It will probably be a long time before things get back to normal. I just hope they loosen things up a little, so we can get together again. For now, all activities are still canceled. Wing Ding has been canceled also.

Since we seem to have a lot of time on our hands, I tend to think about the past. In this Newsletter you will see an article from our humorous ACD, Mac Douglas, and the highlights from 20 years ago to see what we were doing then.

Ralph, our District Director, suggests we think out of the box, so we could be together, such as a video conference. Lois is thinking about doing a game such as the Family Feud and the first one to send the highest answer wins (do not know what yet). Details to follow. Just for fun, write down what you have been doing this month and send to me. I will put together and send to all so we might get some ideas on how to enjoy our time at home. If you have ideas that we could share let me know.

Normally I would sign off with “Come Join Us For The Ride” but, since we cannot ride, I will just say.

Be Safe
Jerry & Lois Cowan (Chapter Directors)



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Address: _____
(Street Address)

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

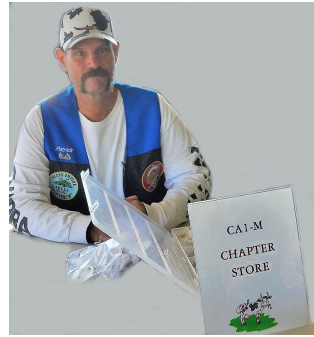
Phone: (_____) - _____
(Area Code)

Email: _____

Referred By: _____ Member Number: _____

CHAPTER M STORE

Please contact Patrick at:
armorman5865@live.com
 before the meeting to request he bring items
 to the Chapter gathering you might be
 interested in looking at or purchasing



Description

Square Cow Bell/ Round Cow Bell/ Cow coin Purse		\$1.00
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Chapter flag small 4.5x7		\$14.00
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Chapter flag large 9x13		\$19.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt Small/Med/Large/XL Large		\$14.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt 2X/3X/4XL		\$16.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt Small/Med/Large/XL Large		\$15.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt 2X/3X/4XL		\$18.00

Herd

Dear GWRRA Friends and Family,

After weeks of carefully monitoring the ongoing spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19), we have made the difficult decision to cancel Wing Ding 42, scheduled to be held June 30 through July 4, in Springfield, Missouri.

The Gold Wing Road Riders Association has been committed to observing the recommendations put forth by public health officials since the beginning of this unprecedented situation. The most current information released by government and health care officials continue with the recommendations to consider postponing meetings and limiting attendance. Therefore, the current environment makes it impossible for us to hold a safe and enjoyable event for our attendees and exhibitors.

We are all truly disappointed by having to make this decision, but the latest guidance from public officials, and continued uncertainty with the current situation makes it clear that the most responsible decision is to put the safety and well-being of our members, volunteers, exhibitors, sponsors, staff and service providers above anything else. We want to thank our members, exhibitors, sponsors, service providers, and the city of Springfield for their commitment and support during these challenging weeks. We will continue to collaborate with the city of Springfield and our service providers through this situation.

In the coming days we will be reaching out to all those who have registered for the event with further details. Please hold off on requesting refunds as we hope to have information on next year's Wing Ding soon and will give you the option to just transfer your registration to 2021. The CVB will be processing all room cancellations at one time. You should receive an email from them soon. If you do not please contact Carrie Chavez at 417-799-0408. Understand that she is working remote so please be patient. She will get back to each one of you as soon as she possibly can.

We thank all of you for your support and patience through all of these changes and uncertain times.

**Stay safe and Safe Riding,
 Gold Wing Road Riders Association**

Wing Ding 42/ Gold Wing Road Riders Association

From The Office Of The ACD

*Spring has Sprung, the grass has riz
I wonder where those Gold Wingers iz*



Well another month has gone by and it's time to write another article. I guess this article will be about me and my new job.

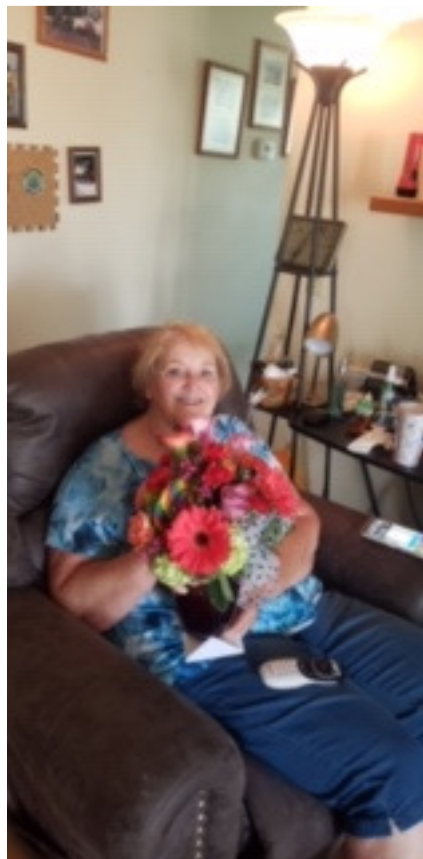
As most of you know I will be losing my job in April, unless some kind of miracle happens. I decided to take up a new skill seems this one finds me looking for jobs most of the time. Seems the only thing I know is machining and farming. Well an opportunity came up and I am going to give it a try. So here's the rest of this tall tail.

I heard of a job on a small ranch somewhere in Norco. I figure what's the difference between ranching and farming, they all have to do with cows and horses. When the boss asked me if I knew anything about ranchin of course I said yes. My first job, He asked me to go out to the back range and bring in a small herd of doggies, he figure not more than fifty. Now where I come from that meant to go out in the pasture and bring in the pack of dogs. At least that's what we call them back east. I just figured that's the way they talk here in California. So being on the ball I figured if I got about ten pounds of hamburger, I could just drive my truck out there and open the tail gate and those dogs would jump right in and that would impress my new boss. WRONG, I was out there for three days, I saw cows, horses, coyotes, lions, tigers, and bears OH MY, but not one stinkin dog. My new boss came out to see what in the world was going on. Well, needless to say he wasn't all impressed. He said that maybe I wasn't cut out for

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riding the range so he would give me a chance at being a cow puncher. Now I've milk a lot of cows, cleaned them, feed them and bed them down, but I can't say that I ever had to punch a cow. Well maybe once or twice when they stepped on me or even a kick or to. But to just go out and punch a cow for nothing has to be the strangest job I've ever been ask to do. When I got down to the pen I started to understand why he wanted me to punch these cows. Seems some of the cowboys were wrestling the little cows and tying up their legs while another guy came running out with a hot iron and burned that little duffer right on the butt. I figured that my job was to smack em real hard as to slow them down so those cowboys wouldn't have to work so hard to wrestle them down. WRONG AGAIN. The boss wasn't impressed with me at all so he gave me one more job to do and that's what I'm doing now. I was told to come out to chapter M and round up some of you bikers and get you out there riding. Now it's up to you nice people whether I keep this job or not. If you don't join us in some of these functions that your staff has work so hard on they tell me I'm going to lose another job. It's pretty sad to be fired from a volunteer job, but that's what going to happen. So it's time to dig those wings out of your garages and come out riding with us.



*Hope to see you out there
Ride Safe and Be Happy*

Mac & Barb

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE APRIL MEETING

2000 (20 years ago)

There were 41 members and 8 guests. The guests were Marcel Leon and Chris Moyers, Richard Usteted, Rosemary Albeso, William Paulsen, Eileen Bayardo, and Joe Ortega.

The \$5 visitor winner was Marcel Leon.

The \$5 member winner was Jack Snyder.

***Congratulations to Jack Snyder on his new purchase of a brand new GOLDWING!!

Announcements: Anne Hill is looking for sponsors for the American Cancer Society. If you would like more information call her. (637-3788). John Reynolds is still looking for volunteers for the Tour de Cure, contact him if you are interested in helping out. (820-0509)

If you are interested in participating in the Hemet Bike Show, on May 21st contact Jack Klepper (794-5191)

There is going to be a special page in the newsletter for upcoming rides that need motel reservations.

Deb Burrows sent a letter from Wyoming, encouraging everyone to take pictures of chapter events. She is still chapter historian and will be returning the end of April. Chapter Educator—Rich Martin and John Robinson have completed the ERC class. Congratulations!

50/50 winner of \$40 - John Robinson

Door Prize winners: Barb Douglas(2), George Gulvas, Bill Paulson, Glen Laird(3), Irene Shreeve, Larry Randall, Joanne Britton, Mike Huffstutler(2), Mac Douglas, John Robinson, Larry Presser, Trent Reid, and Jerry Cowan

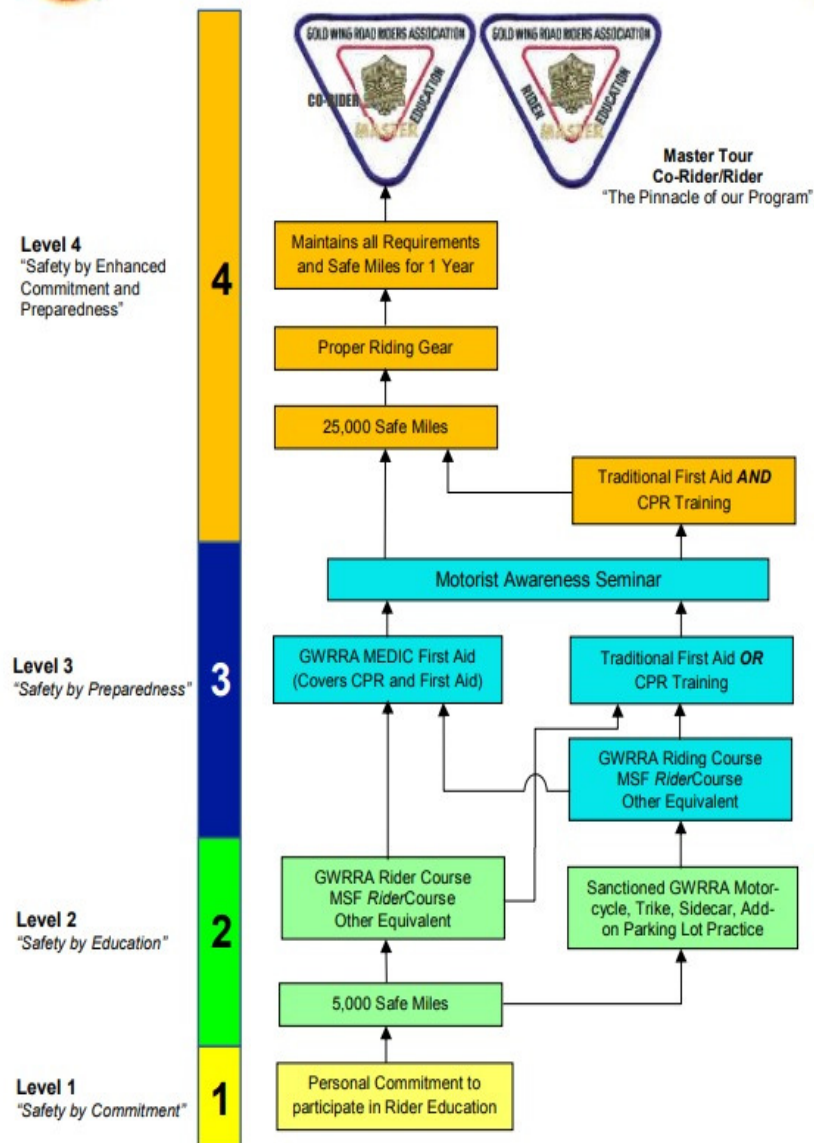
Turkey Award Winners—Trent Reid and Jerry Cowan

*****Weather—bright and sunny

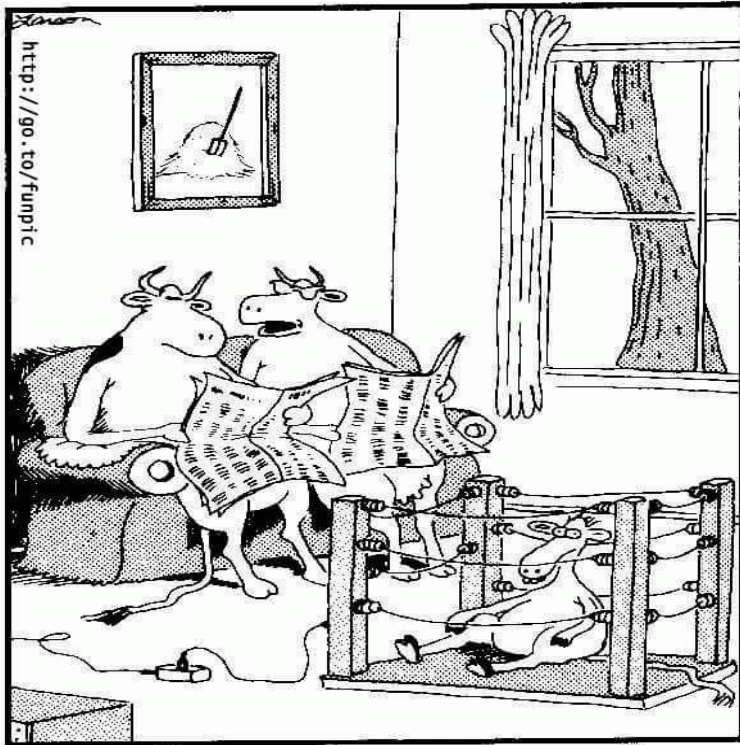
Please see Jerry, John, Tammy or Linda for forms to send in to GWRRR when you want to update your level or begin the Rider Education Levels Program



Gold Wing Road Riders Association Rider Education Levels Program "The Building Blocks of Rider Education"



(Chart Available in the Clip Art Section of the Rider Education Website)



"Ben — what d'ya say we turn the power off for a while and let the little guy roam around?"



We are definitely living in uncertain times and we are all adjusting to the new norms.

As your district director, we are holding zoom calls with the CA District Team and with the Chapter Directors trying to find ways to get back to some sense of normal. We're going to look to leaders in the chapters, primarily MECs and RCs to come up with things to do and ways to ride while we are staying home. The CDs will monitor these activities to make sure we are meeting the state requirements.

One thing we can try is to have a chapter gathering by zoom calls rather than meeting at a restaurant. All you need is a device with a camera and a microphone, like a cell phone or tablet. If we send out an announcement where we can all be at our own homes, preparing our own breakfasts, and then meet via zoom, we can all have breakfast together and see our GW friends.

Think about ways and how we can be together while apart. Let your CD know your ideas and we will share those between the CDs as they meet.

**Hope all are well-
Ralph & Robynn French
CA District Directors**

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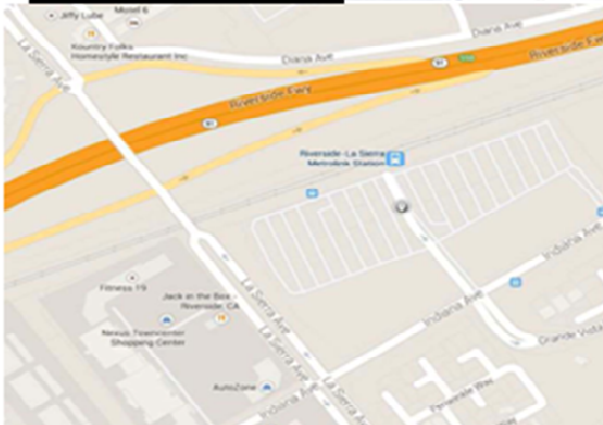
#1

North end of the Wal-Mart shopping center on Mt. Vernon and Washington off the 215 freeway Colton



#2

Riverside La Sierra Metrolink Station
10901 Indiana Ave
Riverside
South of the 91fwy
East of La Sierra



#3

Park & Ride North of the I-10 freeway, off Yucaipa Blvd. on Hampton



Zendejas is our #1 leave location. Located at the North end of the Wal-Mart shopping center on Mt. Vernon and Washington off the 215 freeway. Leave locations will be noted on the ride calendar according to number, as listed on this page. **Leave times are Fueled and ready to ride.**



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MAY BIRTHDAYS

Lois Cowan	7th
Patrick Green	8th
Sheree Tegel	18th
Mike Critzman	18th
Larry Tegel	22th
Sandy Damico	31st



MAY ANNIVERSARIES

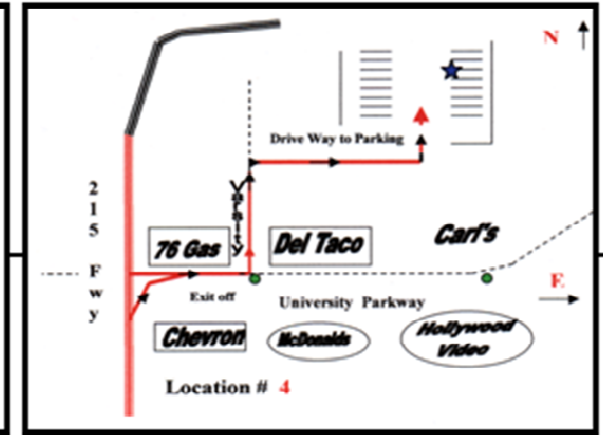
Ron & Dianne 31st



ALTERNATE LEAVE LOCATIONS FOR RIDES

#4

Del Taco on University Parkway
exit off the 215 North go East to parking lot on the left San



#5

Tom's Farms
23900 Temescal Canyon Road
Entrance South of Mexican Restaurant
Corona





March 29st, 2020
Thru May 9th, 2020



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
26 APRIL	27 Sue 	28
3	4	5
10 NO GATHERING	11 NO STAFF MEETING	12
17	18	19
24	25	26
31 Dianne & Ron  Sandy 	1 JUNE Tammy 	2 Russ 

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 No Dinner Ride	30	1 MAY	2
6 No Dinner Ride	7 Lois 	8 Patrick 	9 Sheree 
13 No Dinner Ride Mike C 	14	5	16
20 No Dinner Ride	21	22 Larry T 	23
27 No Dinner Ride	28	29	30
3 No Dinner Ride	4	5	6

LOCATION #1 PK. LOT BEHIND CARL'S JR, MT. VERNON/E SANTO DR. COLTON
 LOCATION #2 RIVERSIDE LA SIERRA METROLINK STATION INDIANA & LA SIERRA
 LOCATION #3 PARK AND RIDE, NEAR I-10 FWY & YUCAIPA BLVD. ON HAMPTON

LOCATION #4 DEL TACO, UNIVERSITY PKY, SAN BERNARDINO
 LOCATION #5 TOM'S FARMS 23900 TEMESCAL CANYON RD OFF 15

LEAVE TIMES ARE FUELED & READY TO RIDE