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# **RIVERSIDE/SAN BERNARDINO GWRRA** California District

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# **January 2022**

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Chapter Meeting: Second Sunday of the month at the Pepper Steak 26589 Highland, CA Breakfast at 7:30 am – Meeting starts at 8:00 am Ride 8:30 am Activity Meeting: Flo's 5626 Van Buren Blvd. Riverside, CA (951) 352-2690 Dinner @ 6pm Meeting @ 6:30pm (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.

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Patrick Green—Newsletter Editor <u>Armorman5865@live.com</u>

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Day	Time	Chapter	Monthly Social Gathering Location	Chapter Director
1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday	Breakfast - 8:30 Social - 9:00	CA-1A	Greenhouse Café 1169 Commerce Center, Lan, Ca 93534	Ken & Jan Pedder (661)810-8398
1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	Breakfast - 7:30 <b>Social - 8:00</b>	CA-1R	Mimi's Café 4030 Barranca Pkwy, Irvine, Ca 92640	Tom & Vicki Lorenz (714)801-8664
2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 8:00 Social – 8:30	CA-1F	Ranch House Restaurant 11510 Woodside Avenue, Santee, Ca 92071	Mary Beth Brinker (619)562-5868
2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 9:00 Social – 9:30	Ca-1I	Mar Y Tierra Restaurant 1118 W. San Bernardino Road, Covina, Ca 91722	Lazlo "Bud" Budavari (626)485-5298
2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 8:00 Social – 8:30	CA-1L	IHOP Restaurant 212 Madonna Road, San Luis Obispo, Ca 93405	Kevin Herrera (805)704-6829
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	Breakfast – 7:30 Social – 8:00	CA-1M	Pepper Steak Restaurant 26589 Highland Avenue, Highland, Ca 92346	Trent Reid (909)266-6090
3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 8:00 Social – 9:00	CA-1C	Denny's Restaurant 72244 Varner Road, Thousand Palms, Ca 92276	Cindy Frazer (760)250-5866
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	Breakfast – 7:00 Social – 8:00	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
1 <sup>st</sup> Friday	Tentatively 6:00 PM	CA-2W	Location and time Varies from month to month so, please contact Steve or Teri before visting	Steve & Terri Rippe (555)298-2456
2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 7:00 <b>Social – 8:00</b>	CA2J	Country Skillet 2921 Harbor Street, Pittsburg, Ca 94565	Richard & Karen Williams (925)565-2050
2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 8:00 Social – 9:00	CA-2N	Golden Coral Restaurant 3737 Mc Henry Avenue, Modesto, Ca 95356	Denny Keeler (925)344-9487
3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 7:30 Social – 8:00	CA-2s	Omega Restaurant 90 South Park Victoria Drive, Milpitas, Ca 95035	Flip Morton (408)391-9013
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	Breakfast – 8:30 Social – 9:00	CA-C	Elks #6 6446 Riverside Blvd, Sacramento, Ca 95831	Ken Knox (916)261-1768
4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 8:30 <b>Social – 9:00</b>	CA-2A	Old Salles Café 2082 North J Street, Tulare, Ca 93274	John & Debbie Whitted (559)786-3489
4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	Breakfast – 7:30 Social – 8:30	CA-2K	Benicia Grill II 2390 North Texas Street, Fairfield, Ca 94533	Stephen & Karen Palatino (707)592-7058
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California District – Chapter Rally Dates 2022				
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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-2022-events

Visit us on the web at: <u>www.gwrra-ca.org</u>

## Jerry & Lois Cowan CA-1M Chapter Directors



Herd,

Well, I was hoping December would be my last newsletter article. Hope you all enjoyed your Christmas and New Year's. Our Christmas Party we had 31 people show up. Pepper Steak I guess is not used to having big dinner parties. People who ordered Steak were fed first and the ones who ordered fried chicken were fed last, but the chicken was hot and tasty. Overall, we got to see people we have not seen in a while and had a good time.

Our Chapter meeting was a little unusual. I arrived at 7:05 and our waitress Brenda was outside and could not get in. I think we finally got in about 7:45. We had a quick meeting and the 3 of us going on the ride, left while the others stayed for breakfast. Roger led the ride while Patrick and I followed. Roger thanks for leading a great ride.

January 29th will be our District Officer conference where we will get more information on other Chapters Rallies and activities in which we will share with you at the February meeting. See you January 9th for our next meeting.

Come Join Us For The Ride. Jerry and Lois Cowan CA1M Chapter Directors

#### ALTERNATE LEAVE LOCATIONS FOR RIDES



El Pollo Loco 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.

#### **Trent Reid**

Hello Chapter M,

For those who have been under the weather and staying safe during the last two years, Welcome back to 2022. I have been asked to become your Chapter Director yet once again and am looking forward to helping Chapter M become the most active chapter once again in the district. I wish to thank Jerry and Lois Cowan and their staff for all they have done with the chapter and look forward to working with all those who have stepped up to assist the chapter move forward into the future.

Coming this month will be our chapter meeting, and district meeting afterwards. I look forward to increasing our ride schedule during the months ahead. So, time to get those bikes and riding gear tuned up, checking tires, oils, fluids. Check your gear out and be ready for all types of weather from cold in the mornings to warmer in the afternoon.

We will be having more rides both scheduled, and unscheduled, yet always interesting. Just a note this is one of my goals this year, helping Russ, develop rides and ride leaders, as well as new destinations. If you are interested in learning to be a ride leader and or tail gunner, the knowledge is out there, available, and ready to assist you in becoming one of our well know ride leaders. Just let us know, our chapter has always been known for our leadership in group riding. Learn from the best.

Trent Future Chapter Director 2022

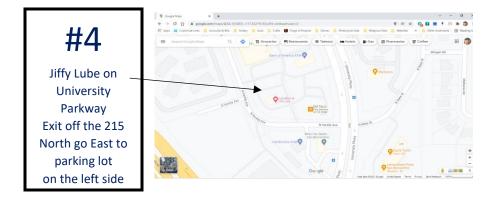


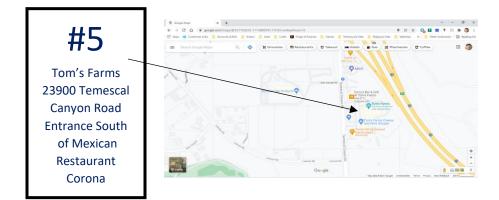
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# ALTERNATE LEAVE LOCATIONS FOR RIDES











# January Birthday

Bear B 22<sup>nd</sup> Mike L 26<sup>th</sup>







January Anniversaries

Mary & Nick 20th



#### 2022

#### Time to Rock and Roll

Sherry and I would like to begin with wishing everyone a Happy New Year! January is the time for new resolutions and thinking about our plans for the upcoming year. Chapter calendars are starting to fill up with activities and Districts are already planning their District events. Each of us has ideas as to what we would like to accomplish this year, especially if we are a GWRRA Officer in a leadership position. Operational Directors and Program Directors/Coordinators are setting goals as we think about all the possibilities that lie ahead. We may be thinking about things that we would like to try differently or perhaps some out-of-box ideas.

As your Directors of GWRRA, we are also thinking about our direction as an association and what we can do to keep the excitement and fun in the forefront. Communication is always a key and our Districts and Chapters do an outstanding job of providing fun information to membership. Social media, such as Facebook, provide us with an ideal way to communicate a spur-of-the-moment ride. GroupWorks and newsletters keep us informed in a timely manner of upcoming events as well as past good times. There is no doubt that if you participate, you will be making wonderful memories and many new friends. Our Chapters are the conduit that keeps that fun alive and our Chapter Directors are those special leaders who guide us.

After serving for many years, our Officers look forward to taking a break and turning the reins over to the next Officer. As many of us already know, there may not be a next Officer willing to step up and unfortunately, that is the beginning of a Chapter looking at closing. Sherry and I cannot think of a bigger disappointment than the closing of a Chapter. As an association, we need to do whatever is possible to keep our Chapters active and riding, because after all, we are a motorcycle association. This is an area where we need your help. Recruitment and retention are necessary for an active Chapter to remain healthy and vibrant.

One of our goals for 2022 is to see Motorist Awareness and Membership Enhancement working together to create more recruitment opportunities. This does not mean that an entire Chapter has to spend a considerable amount of time recruiting. That said, imagine if six Chapter participants set up a Motorist Awareness display in a high traffic area giving us an opportunity to also make contact with a motorcyclist who may not be riding at the time. This way, you could split up the time between your Chapter participants and no one becomes overwhelmed. This would allow us several opportunities to recruit. Now imagine all of our Chapters doing this several times a year. We are keeping the public informed on watching our for motorcycles and improving our opportunity to bring in new friends who may just be that future Officer. We are excited about 2022 and are looking forward to a "Rock and Roll Year."

Ride safe, be well and remember, fun shall be the last word—so HAVE FUN!

# Russ Johnson Chapter Ride Coordinator



# With great expectations we move into 2022 / it has to be better than 2020 & 2021!

#### The Good / the Bad / and the Ugly of the past year for me personally:

**The good**: great friendship and wonderful riding – great **FUN** at rallies & nice lunches on **spectacular rides** / the weather was typically outstanding during the drought, and we took advantage of that! Typically, the chapter had at least 2 rides per month, with additional shared rides with other chapters & retired riders of various chapters. 1M Chapter members stepped up to share & lead their favorite rides with the members – Thank You! I traded up from my 2012 Wing to the **DCT Tour**! A **spark** of new **enthusiasm** for riding!

**The bad:** Constant changing pandemic issues with ongoing fear & frustration. The continuing "**aging**" of our members & friends resulting in fewer physical opportunities for riding for some members; the lack of enthusiasm for motorcycle riding by the upcoming generations resulting in **fewer new members**. The past in GWRRA looked like more FUN than the future – we need to change that.

The Ugly: 10 days prior to my wife's scheduled knee replacement, Georgina fell and broke her pelvis on Halloween Eve, plus cracked her right hip socket and fractured the right sacral ala / meaning 2-3 months of no weight on her right leg: 5 days in the hospital for blood clots in the lungs, and 20 days in skilled rehab to gain the ability to get out of bed into a wheelchair on her own, prior to returning home. This is the month she should regain the ability to walk again! I gain the freedom to ride again, at least until her rescheduled knee replacement in March (she gets priority!). 2022: Time to focus on what makes this organization great: Friends / Fun / Safety / Knowledge

History is there to learn from – let's move forward with great friends and enjoy the rides & social activities in GWRRA! It takes all members to contribute to activities to **create the FUN** – what is your favorite after meeting ride (AMR) / be ready to share at an upcoming meeting. If you like dinner or breakfast rides, lets discuss options at the gathering. Looking forward to seeing you at all the chapter functions.

#### Please contact Patrick at: <u>Armorman5865@live.com</u>

before the meeting to request he bring items to the chapter gathering you might be interested in looking at or purchasing



#### Description

Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt Small	\$14.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt Med	\$14.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt Lg	\$14.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt XL	S14.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt 2XL	\$16.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt 3XL	\$16.00
Cow Short Sleeve T-Shirt 4XL	\$16.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt Small	\$15.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt Med	\$15.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt Lg	\$15.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt XL	\$15.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt 2XL	\$18.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt 3XL	\$18.00
Cow Long Sleeve T-Shirt 4XL	\$18.00
Chapter Flag small 4.5x7	\$14.00
Chapter Flag med 6x9	\$15.00
Chapter Flag Lg 9x13	\$19.00
Cow Baseball Cap New	\$10.00
Cow Baseball Cap replace	\$7.00

#### Herd,

#### Paul is selling his bike. Please see below:

2004 Honda GL1800 Goldwing Color: Flare Red w/custom pinstriping Engine: 1832 cc horizontally opposed 6-cylinder Transmission: 5-speed manual Fuel system: Electronic fuel injection Mileage: 179,459 miles

#### Hondaline accessories:

AM/FM/Intercom/Weather/Auxiliary audio system CB radio, CB antenna and passenger audio controller Rear speakers Color matched trunk and saddlebag spoiler

#### Misc. accessories:

Garmin Zumo 665 GPS with XM Radio Baker Built Hand wings, Wind Wings and Foot Wings Utopia Driver backrest Air Rider seat cushion Ride-off center stand Vertical trailer hitch with trailer wiring Handlebar mounted drink holder Trunk rack with flag poles Trunk, Trunk Lid and Saddlebag organizers

#### Kuryakin accessories:

Front wheel rotor covers w/LED ring of fire Chrome valve cover covers Driver highway pegs Heel-toe shifter Boomerang frame cover Side panel covers Chrome exhaust shields Passenger Transformer floorboards Passenger armrests w/drink holder ISO grips and chrome levers Shark gills and radiator grilles LED saddlebag and trunk lights LED saddlebag and trunk trim lights Exhaust turndowns

#### Much more chrome....

#### All kinds of riding gear and accessories included.

HJC full face helmet Shoei full face helmet Gerbing electric gear (jacket, gloves) Leather jackets, chaps Battery charger First aid kit Full cover

This motorcycle runs strong and smooth. Many miles left to ride. Professionally maintained. Tires and brakes recently replaced. K&N air filter installed. The paint is in excellent condition. Looks outstanding!! Current California

registration and clean title. Selling due to health conditions that prevent riding. Price may be negotiable.

KBB - \$7,725 NADA-\$7,880

# NO TRADES!!!!

Contact Michael R. Douglas at Alfdude@roadrunner.com This is Paul Boucher's bike.



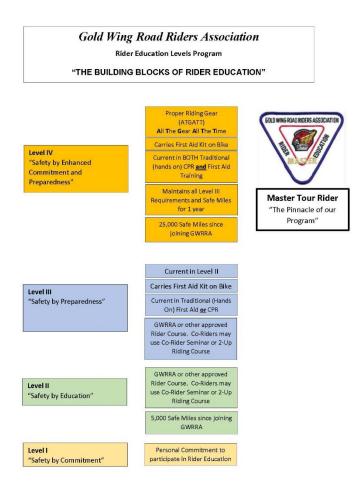




Please see Jerry for forms to send in to GWRRA when you want to update your level or begin the Rider Education Levels Program







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