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Gold Wing Road Riders Association (GWRRA) Region I WY Chapter B, Cheyenne WY

October 2007

KENN'S COMMENTS

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Hello Friends!

Many of you know **Pam McComb** from **Chapter CO-G**. She was injured in a non-motorcycle related automobile accident recently. Ron Hallam's latest email says she is home from the hospital and recuperating. Her address is 709 Main St., Windsor, Colorado, side door of the blue house.

I want to thank the **Shrine Clowns, and Head Clown, Bill Sherman**, who had originally reserved the Meeting Room in the back, but have graciously allowed us to use it for our meetings. George Anderson introduced me to Bill and a dozen other Shriners last week, so I could apologize for the confusion regarding the Meeting Room. The Country Buffet accidentally double-booked the room, but the Shriners were understanding and super about allowing us to continue to use it!

Upcoming Events

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Notes from George

George & Susann Anderson
Assistant Chapter Directors



Hi everyone,

Hope you are getting a chance to take some rides in this nice weather. I finally got released from the Dr., so I can start riding a bit. Even took the bike for a short run today to go downtown. I really wanted to just keep on going. Oh well, we all know how that goes. Don't forget to get your bikes ready for winter soon.

Also, from the other half on the family, 'Crash' (Sue) drives again! We came off I-25, then turned on to College drive, headed east. A car heading west turned in front of us, as she was trying to beat the traffic into Love's truck stop. I think Helen, George and I were all putting on the brakes before we hit. Good thing we were in the Yukon this time. But the Yukon goes in for repair work, \$\$ again! We were ok, and for the most part everyone else was ok also. However, the kids in the back seat were not seat belted in and we are not sure if the parents had theirs on either. Even though it was the other drivers fault, it is still scary to see those kids in the back seat with no belts. Also, glad that we had a lot of protection around us from the Yukon.

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Not present



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CHAPTER B MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

Monthly meeting - **2nd Saturday**

Breakfast at 8am

Meeting at 9am

Country Buffet at Frontier Mall

Dinner Run – Usually the last Friday;
location varies



Please check schedule for any changes

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

1ST Laura Segal
10th Curt Kiehl
Debbie Nielsen
13th Angela Rubright
14th Shirley Motto
20th Emily Smith
22nd Charlotte Hamilton
24th Sue Mydland
25th Phil Runyon
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On **Sunday Oct. 21** we will be joining **Colorado Chapter G for their Birthday Party!!** We will leave Flying J / McDonald's parking lot at 7am to join the fun!!

The District fall meeting will be on **October 27th** in Casper. Please let me know if there is anything you would like passed on to the new District Staff.

On **Sunday Oct. 28** we will have our **Chapter WY-B Halloween Party**. It will be a **Potluck social**. **Costumes are encouraged**, but not necessary! 6-8pm at Kenn & Nicole's house at 2813 Dillon Ave. Drop in to say hi, or stay for the fun, food and visiting!

The last **Wild West Ford Club Social** was great fun with terrific weather and many beautiful automobiles. Culver's back lot was nearly full! They will start them up again next year. Special thanks to Larry & Barbara Kuzma for inviting us!

Kenn & Nicole Harvey

Chapter Directors WY-B



Notes from George (continued from page 1)

Side note from Sue: Today, on my way downtown to run some errands, at the intersections of Pershing and Morrie, Carey and Pershing, Converse and Dell Range and Ridge Road and Nationway, someone ran the red light. This was all within 45 minutes. Also, on a 4 lane street one 'lady' was in the right hand lane and I was in the left, she cut across in front of me and proceeded to make a left turn. These were all cars or trucks. The bikers were obeying the laws.

Please be really careful and don't trust anyone when you are driving. People are in too much of a hurry and do not have their minds in gear!

(I think I am going to park the vehicles and take up walking, but someone would probably run me over.)

Ride Safe and Have Fun, George and Susann

Let Us Introduce You To.....

The Dolwicks!!!

I, Lynne, grew up in Cheyenne and attended Pioneer Park, Eastridge Elementary and Carey Jr. High and graduated from East High in 1978. I have two sisters, one older sister Carol, who lives in Ohio, and my older brother Ray and younger sister Karen who live in Cheyenne, also.

I didn't go to college, but took a banking course that I disliked immensely, probably cause I dislike math! I worked at several different places here in Cheyenne. I started babysitting when I was 10 and loved it so much that my jobs for the past 3 decades have been with children. I teach preschool 3 days a week, but got my full time job at CRMC Health & Fitness after they closed the daycare room. I work the front desk now full time. I've been at these jobs for over 20 years.

Health and Fitness is where I met Joe. I was attracted to him from the first time I saw him. We talked and did lunch a couple of times, but had our first date at the Owl Inn on New Year's Eve 2000 with Dave and Dawna and friends. It was nice, but the Owl Inn closed for good the very next day! We hoped it wasn't an omen! I've been a co-rider for 5 ½ years. I started when Joe came to the house on his bike, a Kawasaki Concours, and said "Let's go," and so we did. There was not much of a backrest so I held on for dear life! I was scared but found it exhilarating at the same time. Due to my travel restrictions, I'd have to say without hesitation that I love the Toy Runs. They are just awesome. Bikes as far as you can see.

Hobbies, hmmm, I'm pretty boring! I collect things on the British royal family, and I like lighthouses and sail boats. Before Joe and the Gold Wing group I was pretty much a loner. I worked a lot and rented a house where I enjoyed being home with my kitties. Now I have a wonderful husband and a group of friends that are my second family. I can't think of anything better than that!

Hi, I am Joe. I grew up in Fairborn, Ohio. I lived in the same house with two brothers and one sister until I got out of High School. By the way, I am the youngest. I graduated in 1976 from Park Hills High School. After school I worked at a heating and air conditioning place doing sheet metal work in new homes.

Was married in 1979 to my first wife while still living in Ohio, but I was laid off work so my mother-in-law helped me get a job in Wyoming. I moved here in 1982 and went to work for the City of Cheyenne in July. I still have the job but not the old wife! Got the "big D" in 1984 so there you go, single again.

I got into ham radio in 1985 to work the brain in the other direction which helps out a lot with things. Then I needed something else to do so I got into motorcycles as I always wanted one and there was nobody but me. I purchased my first one in 1987. My friend that I talk to on the radio had a motorcycle, so I rode it some around town to get my motorcycle license. Then I found some friends with the gold wing group and was enjoying myself on poker runs and traveling on the bike.

Then I meet someone I thought I would like to get together with at the gym where I was working out in 2000. Talked with her for a while at the gym, but our first date was on New Year's Eve at the Owl Inn with Dave and Dawna and some of our friends.

In July of 2003 I got married to my lovely bride. Now most of you all know the rest of my story.



OLE AND SVEN (Compliments of Wayne Brautigam)

Two Wisconsinites walk into a pet shop near Rhinelander. They head to the bird section and Sven says to Ole, "Dat's dem." The owner comes over and asks if he can help them. "Yah sure, ve'll take four of dem dere little budgies in dat cage up dere." says Sven.

The owner puts the budgies in a paper bag. Ole and Sven pay for the birds, leave the shop and get into Sven's pick-up and drive to the top of some big cliffs near Lake Winnebago.

At the cliffs, Sven looks down at the 1000 foot drop and says, "Dis looks like a grand place." He takes two birds out of the bag, puts them on his shoulders and jumps off the cliff.

Ole watches as Sven falls all the way to the bottom, killing himself dead.

Looking down at the remains of his best pal, Ole shakes his head and says: "By yumpin' yiminy, dis budgie jumping is too dangerous for me."

VAIT!!! Dere's MORE!

Moments later Knute arrives up at the cliffs. He's been to the pet shop too, and walks up to the edge of the cliff carrying another paper bag in one hand and a shotgun in the other.

"Hey, Ole. Vatch dis." Knute says.

He takes a parrot from the bag and throws himself over the edge of the cliff. Ole watches as half way down, Knute takes the gun and shoots the parrot.

Knute continues to plummet down and down until he hits the bottom and breaks every bone in his body.

Ole shakes his head and says, "And I'm never trying dat parrotshooting either."

BUT VAIT!!! Dere's MORE , you betcha!!

Ole is just getting over the shock of losing two friends when Lars appears. He's also been to the pet shop and is carrying a paper bag, out of which he pulls a chicken. Lars grasps the chicken by the legs, holds it over his head, and hurls himself off the cliff and disappears down and down until he hits a rock and breaks his spine.

Once more Ole shakes his head. "First der was Sven with his budgie jumping, den Knute parrotshooting ... and now Lars, hengliding!

Ride Reviews

(Please feel free to write up your own Ride Review to be included in future issues!)

Saturday Sept. 8th – Horsetooth Reservoir Ride

After our meeting last month, at Barbara Kuzma's suggestion, seven of us rode down to the Horsetooth Reservoir near Fort Collins. The weather was nearly perfect as Larry Kuzma guided us off I-25 to CR-82, then south on CR-15 down and around Terry Lake to 287 where we stopped for lunch at Vern's in LaPorte.

After our meal we headed south along the Horsetooth Reservoir which is a beautiful ride with good roads and on this particular Saturday, traffic seemed relatively light. After following the winding roads around the southern tip of the Reservoir we rode to Masonville and stopped at the Nostalgic West Leather store and looked around at all the great leather products. I even found a couple of nice shirts for Nicole for her birthday!

After spending some time (and money) there, we crossed the street to Masonville Mercantile, a general store that sells new and used goods, and even rent tuxedos. There were a wide variety of curios and antiques along with quite a few airbrush painted items. It was a lot of fun looking through the vast assortment of treasures there.

I do not recall which road we took from there, but Larry led us through a twisty, winding roadway home that was fun to ride and filled with wonderful scenery! The entire trip, with stops for gas, lunch and shopping, took about 6 hours. --- Kenn Harvey

Saturday Sept 22 – Chapter B Snowy Range Fall Colors Ride

This ride was a pleasant surprise for Nicole and I, since we had not heard for sure, whether anyone else would be attending. We ended up with 11 **Chapter B** members and 6 **Colorado Chapter G** members (who met us in Laramie), thanks Ron and Anna Dee Hallam! There were 11 motorcycles getting mileage for their chapters!

Our route was Cheyenne to Laramie by way of Happy Jack Road, then to Encampment, WY for lunch at the Bear Trap Café. We then headed south to the Colorado border, where the Colorado crew and a couple of our members continued on to Walden, Colorado and down through the Poudre Canyon. The rest of us headed north-westerly for Mountain Home, Wyoming and on to Laramie and home. The weather was perfect and beautiful. The company was the best and the colors were certainly pretty as well. My mileage for the trip was right at 280 miles from start to finish.



This is an easy route with pretty good roads, which I would highly recommend to anyone. That being said, there was some construction for several miles that delayed us a bit in the short Colorado section heading back toward Laramie, but it was not too bad.

Thanks to the riders! Wyoming: Wayne & Myrna Brautigam, Joe Dolwick, Michael Hilla, Bob & Gloria Nelson, Paula & Marla Muirbrook, Debbie Nielsen , and Nicole & Kenn Harvey. **Colorado:** Ron & Anna Dee Hallam, Johnny & Jeannette Berndsen, and Randy Meier.

---Kenn Harvey

Motorcycle Jumper Cable Notes:

When Nicole and I came back to Laramie from the Snowy Range Fall Colors Ride, we were meeting my son, Kenny to help him get his motorcycle. He had left it at a friend's house in Laramie nearly a month ago, but had not been able to get someone to help him get it back to Cheyenne. Nicole was going to drive his car back home, while he rode his bike. This all sounded easy and good until he tried to start it. Only several months old, the 2007 Yamaha would barely turn the headlight on. I do not know if it is common to have the battery drain that much in a month or not, but it was rather annoying.

Luckily I had purchased some motorcycle jumper cables awhile back and I even had them on the Goldwing! Sadly, they were not a very good quality, I came to find out. Sure, they rolled up small and took very little space, and were designed to plug into a car's cigarette lighter, or use the alligator clamps on both ends for convenience. Unfortunately there was a bad connection somewhere in the cigarette lighter plug, so I cut off the plug end and stripped the wires and held the bare wires up against my battery terminals, but only for a second! The wire gauge was too thin and the moment Kenny hit the ignition, the wires got so hot it burned a nice little "z" into the end of my thumb.

Eventually we got it charged enough to start, but my recommendation is: get some good quality, decent gauge, motorcycle jumper cables if you plan to help someone, or be helped by someone in a similar situation. I am in the process of making my own with quality wire and clamps!

Kenn Harvey

Men Are Not Mind Readers (Contributed by Bob Snipes)

Learn to work the toilet seat. You're a big girl. If it's up, put it down.
We need it up, you need it down.
You don't hear us complaining about you leaving it down.

Sunday sports. It's like the full moon or the changing of the tides.
Let it be.

Crying is blackmail.

Ask for what you want. Let us be clear on this one: Subtle hints do not work!
Strong hints do not work! Obvious hints do not work! Just say it!

Yes and No are perfectly acceptable answers to almost every question.

Come to us with a problem if you want help solving it. That's what we do.
Sympathy is what your girlfriends are for.

Anything we said 6 months ago is inadmissible in an argument.
In fact, all comments become null and void after 7 days.

If you think you're fat, you probably are. Don't ask us.

If something we said can be interpreted two ways and one of the ways makes
you sad or angry, we meant the other one.

You can either ask us to do something or tell us how you want it done.
Not both.

If you already know best how to do it, just do it yourself.

Whenever possible, please say whatever you have to say during commercials..

Christopher Columbus did not need directions and neither do we.

ALL men see in only 16 colors, like Windows default settings.

Peach, for example, is a fruit, not a color. Pumpkin is also a fruit. We have no idea what mauve is.

If it itches, it will be scratched. We do that.

If we ask what is wrong and you say "nothing," we will act like nothing's wrong.. We know you are lying, but it is just not worth the hassle.

If you ask a question you don't want an answer to, Expect an answer you don't want to hear.

When we have to go somewhere, absolutely anything you wear is fine...really!

Don't ask us what we're thinking about unless you are prepared to discuss such topics as baseball or golf.

You have enough clothes.

You have too many shoes.

I am in shape. Round is a shape.

Thank you for reading this.

Yes, I know, I have to sleep on the couch tonight.

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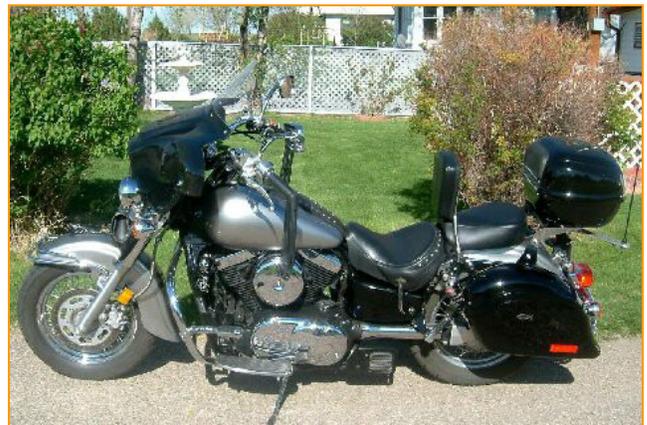
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Nov. 10 Sat.

Chapter B Meeting 8am breakfast/Meeting at 9AM Country Buffet Frontier Mall

Nov. 17 Sat.

Thanksgiving Dinner 6:30PM at Country Buffet, Frontier Mall

Dec. 8 Sat.

Chapter B Meeting 8am breakfast/Meeting at 9AM Country Buffet Frontier Mall

Dec. 15 Sat.

Christmas/ Ornament Exchange 5-10 PM Lions Park Community House

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Red=National & District Events, Blue=WY-B Events, Purple=WY-B Ride Committee Rides

