

# TN-M - Foothills Wings



## December 2022

Tennessee District  
Chapter TN-M, Lenoir City



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### Monthly gathering

We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month, eat at 6pm, gathering at 6:30pm.

Lenoir City Shoney's  
1100 Highway 321 North  
Lenoir City, TN  
Just off I-75, exit 81.

Please join us at 6pm for dinner before the gathering, in the Shoney's back dining room.

We hope to see you at our monthly gathering, and all are welcome.

### TN-M Team

#### Chapter Directors

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#### Chapter Clothing

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#### 2022 Couple of the Year

Mel & Renee McInerney

#### Ride Team

Ken Gray, Randy Kinney & Mel McInerney

#### Phone Tree Committee

Frank Balzer, Ken Gray, Burl McCammon, Mel McInerney

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#### Chapter Store

VACANT - Interested???

#### 2022 Individual of the Year

Ken Gray

**Chapter TN-M website:** [www.ewmatn-m.org/](http://www.ewmatn-m.org/)

TN District website: [www.gwrratn.org/](http://www.gwrratn.org/)

Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association website:  
[www.eaglewingsmotorcycleassociation.com](http://www.eaglewingsmotorcycleassociation.com)

# Friends for Fun, Safety & Riding

## Chapter Director's Spiel



Well, I guess it is safe to say that we are firmly into the winter portion of our riding year, cold days and colder nights. Brrrr! Anyway, I know that some of us will still be riding, hurray for heated gear. Even with the heated gear, it is good to dress in layers, we've been on one ride that we started out with the heated gear on and keeping us warm, then it warmed up slightly and we turned the gear off but still wore it, then it warmed some more, and it was time to take that layer off entirely, etc. SO be sure to be prepared if you're out on a ride.

December is the LAST month we will be a GWRRA chapter. At Wing Ding's opening ceremonies this year we were told that while the home office and most of GWRRA officially closed at the end of July, certain aspects would remain through the end of the year. Starting the new year, we will be functioning as a chapter in the newly formed Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association (EWMA). We received the official charting document at the TN District Winter Event. There will obviously be some changes in the way we do things, and we will coordinate everything we can, so no one gets blind-sided. One strong note ... NO ONE has to stop wearing any of their chapter gear that has "GWRRA" on it, there will not be any "clothing police" citing you for wearing something with GWRRA. You can continue to wear any of your existing TN-M shirts. If you want to get new shirts, I know some of our own chapter shirts have been worn and washed so many times they are getting a tad wore out, so we're replacing them with new shirts with the EWMA logo and using the newly selected chapter shirt color of purple. There are two sources of gear with the new EWMA logo. First is our own TN source of EWMA logo'd gear, Terri Brown at [www.mysticalmoment.info](http://www.mysticalmoment.info) click the EWMA logo to be taken to where all the currently available specific EWMA gear is displayed, and she knows all the required information for the purple shirts, OR, you can go to the official EWMA website ([www.eaglewingsmotorcycleassociation.com](http://www.eaglewingsmotorcycleassociation.com)) and click on the "Eagle Wings Store" link-box. As a side note, EWMA gear is also available from George & Brenda Murphy at 304-669-7572.

Don't forget to plan for the TN District "Spring Fling" rally, at Johnson City, April 27-29. The flyer/registration form is below. Please plan on joining us, it's sure to be a great time with friends.

Loretta and I want to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year. We hope everyone enjoys a happy and carefree holiday season, and joins us on our new adventure in 2023.

**Brian & Loretta Richards, TN-M Chapter Directors**



**Merry Christmas to All!**

**Assistant Chapter Director**



I hope you are finding a way to stay warm now that cooler temperatures have arrived. It was a mere 26F on my ride to work the other day. I was sweating with all my gear on until I arrived at work. I hope everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving. I wish all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I hope to see everyone at our Christmas Party.

**Russ Woolls, TN-M Assistant Chapter Director**

## Chapter TN-M 2022 Couple Of the Year



Hi All; Renee & I wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. It was a pretty good year. Not as many miles or rides as we would like to have made but the rides we went on were all very good and enjoyable.

Thank you all for participating in the plaque chasing, dinner rides and chapter rides and we are looking forward to a better ride season next year.

See you in 2023

**Mel & Renee McInerney, TN-M 2022 Couple Of the Year**



## Chapter Clothing/Flags & Hats

Questions about chapter “shirts”? Contact either Marlene or Brian. We also have a couple options for shirts and for where to get them embroidered as desired.

**Marlene Kinney, Chapter Clothing**

## Chapter Birthdays & Anniversaries



### Happy Birthday to:

Joe Courtney	07-Dec	None	
Frank Balzer	11-Dec		
Kathy Courtney	15-Dec		
Burl McCammon	28-Dec		
Susan Atkinson	30-Dec		



### Happy Anniversary to:

## “Thoughts and Prayers”

At last contact, Robert Scott was in the hospital, he had to have a kidney removed and now they can't keep his oxygen level up

**Renee McInerney, TN-M Sunshine Lady**

## Chapter Awards & Winners from the October Chapter Gathering

**50 / 25-25**

Russ Wools & Mel McInerney

### STAR AWARD:

Randy Kinney for the ride to Carver's Apple Orchard

### WHOOPS AWARD:

Renee McInerney for complaining about seeing through the windshield when it's raining, but not realizing or telling Mel she needed new wiper blades.

### I'm proud to wear my TN-M Shirt!

Loretta Richards

## Upcoming Chapter rides & events

(For further info, please contact the CD):

- Dec 03 - TNM Christmas party, 2p
- Dec 13 - TN-M Chapter Gathering cancelled, replaced by the chapter Christmas party.
- Dec 31 - TNM New Year's Eve Get-together, details TBA

## Upcoming “District” / “Nearby” rides & events

- None



## Let's support each other, by visiting the other chapters in our Section & area!

Chapter	Eat/Meet	Location	Contact
“A2” Maryville	3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon, 6p/6:30p	Shoney's, 1021 W Lamar Alexander Pkwy, Maryville	865-376-5090
“B” Knoxville	1 <sup>st</sup> Tue, 6p/7p	Shoney's, 2405 Andersonville Hwy, Clinton	423-907-9712
“C” Kingsport	3 <sup>rd</sup> Tue, 6p/7p	Bob Evans, 2801 Boones Creek Rd, Johnson City	423-383-0339
“C2” Crossville	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thu, 6:30p/7p	La Costa Restaurant, 138 The Crossings, Crossville	985-201-3791
“L” Lebanon	1 <sup>st</sup> Mon, 6p/7p	Shoney's, 814 S Cumberland St., Lebanon	615-784-9772
“O” Cleveland	1 <sup>st</sup> Tue, 6p/7p	Gondolier Italian Restaurant, 3300 Keith St NW, Cleveland	423-310-5903



## Classifieds

If you have anything you want to have included here, "for sale" or "wanted" ads, please send the information to the Newsletter Editor. We will gladly run any member's ad in the newsletter. A new request each month is required to run in a subsequent newsletter.

For sale, contact Frank Balzer, 865-607-4219 or [balzer6509@aol.com](mailto:balzer6509@aol.com)



Gerbing insulated, waterproof, electric gloves with all the wiring, men's medium, brand new in package, MSPR \$130.00, will sell for \$70.00



Helmet cables (7), cycle cables (5), GL1800 spark plugs (6), GL1800 oil filters (2), trunk flagpole, Gold Wing blue paint, trailer gray and bike gray, windshield vent, screws (many) for GL1800 and fenders, asking \$250 for all



Gold Wing coat is a large, worn very little and exceptionally clean, asking \$40.00



Heavy black leather (Harley Type), many pockets and zippers, asking \$30.00

Gerbing heated jacket and pants (needs power cord), size large, worn about two times on rides. Absolutely like \*NEW\*, no marks of any kind. Retail is \$450, asking \$300.



Vega full-face helmet, almost new, size L, with J&M BT-03 cordless Bluetooth headset installed, \$100.00



Kuryakyn Omni Passenger Floorboard for Gold Wing 2018+, new cost \$330, only used a couple times, less than a month, wife did not like them as they forced too much pressure sideways on her bad hip muscles from when she broke her hips. Asking \$150

Items for sale, contact Brian Richards, 865-249-6173 or [barljr@att.net](mailto:barljr@att.net)



Nelson-Rigg Rain Pants, 2 pairs, with suspenders, sizes XL and M, used once, they don't fit us comfortably, asking \$25 each.

HJC ¾ helmet visor, free to whomever asks for it.







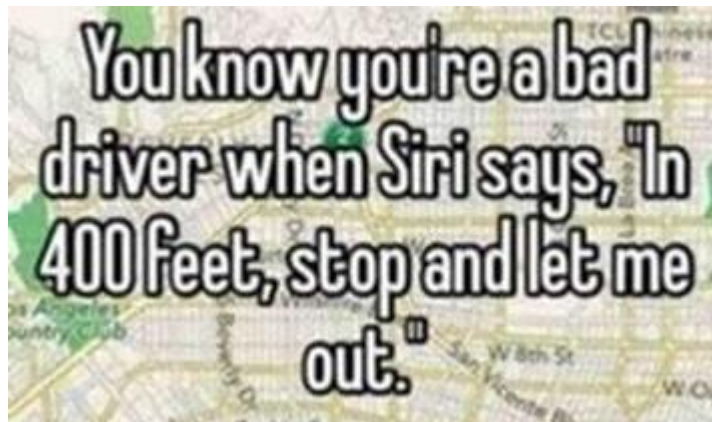
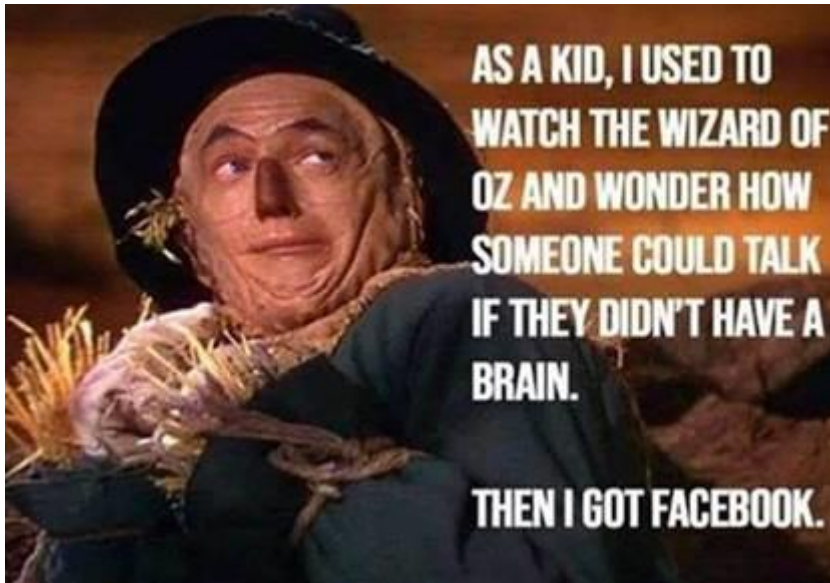
Haul Master Ball Mount Hitch, 2" drop, class III, almost new, MSRP \$16, plus Haul Master Trailer Coupler, 5/8" pin loc, almost new, MSRP \$11, asking \$15 for both

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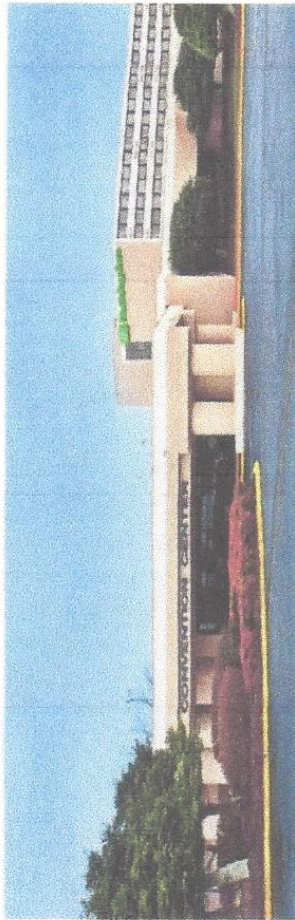
**Some "Fun" stuff to brighten your day.**



Tennessee District Spring Fling  
April 27-29, 2023, JOHNSON CITY, TN



PIRATES OF TENNESSEE GWRRA  
BE A BUCCNEER AT OUR 40<sup>TH</sup> SPRING FLING



HOST HOTEL  
HOLIDAY INN & CONVENTION CENTER  
101 WEST SPRINGBROOK DRIVE, JOHNSON CITY, TN

37604  
RESERVATIONS CALL 423-282-4611  
MENTION GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS  
RATE IS \$104.00 A NIGHT PLUS TAX FOR QUEEN OR KING ROOM. SPECIAL RATE EXPIRES MARCH 27, 2023.  
INCLUDES FULL BREAKFAST. COMPLIMENTARY WI-FI THROUGHOUT HOTEL, PET FRIENDLY (CHECK TO SEE IF ADDITIONAL FEE) FITNESS ROOM, LAUNDRY, DINE IN RESTARUANT.

## RIDES IN THE AREA

THE SNAKE RIDE  
TOP OF THE ROAN  
PLACES OF THE PAST  
THE TAIL OF THE DRAGON, IN VA.  
8<sup>TH</sup> WONDER OF THE WORLD  
MUSIC TO YOUR EARS  
CASINO IN BRISTOL  
HOWLING WOLVES, STARS HISTOR  
COUNTRY MUSIC MUSEUM IN BRISTOL  
EAST TENNESSEE HISTORY TOUR  
TWO RIVERS, ONE MOUNTAIN, AND TEN  
MILLION TROUT EGGS

SOUTHERN DOZEN RIDE <http://southerndoze.com>

THE CASINO IN BRISTOL IS ONLY TWENTY  
MINUTES FROM THE HOTEL. COME TRY YOUR  
LUCK. 700 SLOTS, 20 PLUS TABLE GAMES,  
TWO RESTAURANTS AND SPORTS BETTING.

### SHOPPING

THE PINNACLE IN BRISTOL  
DOWNTOWN KINGSPORT  
THE MALL IN JOHNSON CITY  
DOWNTOWN JOHNSON CITY  
HISTORIC JONESBOOROUGH



**Registration, Please Print Clearly**

Rider \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_  
 GWRRA # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position \_\_\_\_\_ Is this your first TN District Rally Y N  
 Circle all that apply: Male Female 1UP 2UP Bike Trike Sidecar Other  
 Co-Rider \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_  
 GWRRA # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position \_\_\_\_\_ Is this your first TN District Rally Y N  
 Circle all that apply: Male Female 1UP 2UP Bike Trike Sidecar Other  
 Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Distance to Rally (one way) \_\_\_\_\_

**Liability Release**

**All Registration Must Sign**

We agree to hold harmless GWRRA, the co-sponsoring organization, and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property by any reason by participating in this rally.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Must Pre-Register for Master's Breakfast**

\*\*1 Grand Prize ticket included with Pre Registration.

Day pass will be available on site for \$15<sup>00</sup> per day

Note: All refunds are subject to \$15.<sup>00</sup> handling fee. No refunds after April 15, 2023 with the District Director's approval.

**→ Early Bird Deadline March 2, 2023 ←**

Early Bird prize is \$100.<sup>00</sup> by Drawing  
 First Grand Prize is \$1000.<sup>00</sup> Second Grand Prize is \$500.<sup>00</sup>

All Pre-Registration forms must be received by April 1, 2023

All Full Registrations will increase by \$5.<sup>00</sup> after April 1, 2023

GWRRA Members \$30 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Life Members \$25 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Non-Members \$35 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 13-15 Year Old \$10 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 12 Years Old and Under FREE with a paying adult  
 \*\*Grand Prize Tickets \$1 ea or 6 for \$5.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Saturday night Buffet Dinner and Show \$32 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Registration Total** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Attending Master's Breakfast Host Hotel Guest Use Room Meal ticket  
 \*Attending Master's Breakfast Non Host Hotel Guest \$14 at door

**Shirt Orders**

**Short Sleeve Tee S, M, L, XL \$17 / 2XL & up \$20**

Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Long Sleeve Tee S, M, L, XL \$21 / 2XL & up \$24**

Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Short Sleeve Golf S, M, L, XL \$28 / 2XL & up \$30**

Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Shirt Total** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Grand Total** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make payment to TN GWRRA**

Mail Entire Page with Check or Money Order (no cash) to:

Bob Mack  
 1470 River Road  
 Kingston, TN 37763

**Please register early to help with planning**

**Color Key:** TN-M events District events Other chapter events Misc m/c TN chapter gatherings

**December 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 TNM Christmas party, 2p TNZ Columbia, 8a
4	5 TNL Lebanon, 6p	6 TNB Knoxville, 6p TNO Cleveland, 6p	7	8	9	10 TNE Smyrna, 9a
11	12	13 TNM Lenoir City, cancelled	14	15 TNF Morristown, 6p TNG Tullahoma, 6p TNC2 Crossville, 6:30p	16	17 TNY Murfreesboro, 9a TNS Portland, 1p
18	19 TNA2 Maryville, 6p	20 TNC Kingsport, 6p	21	22	23	24
Christmas 25	26 TNQ Clarksville, 6p	27 TNA Nashville, 6p	28	29	30	31 TNM New Year's Eve Get-together, Denny's, 10:30p

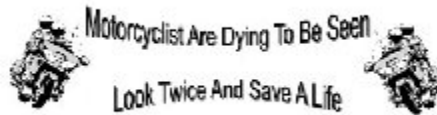
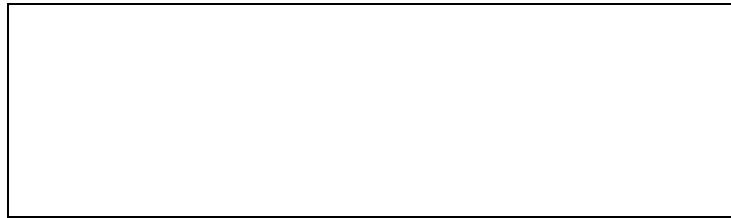
**January 2023**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
New Year's Day 1	2 TNL Lebanon, 6p	3 TNB Knoxville, 6p TNO Cleveland, 6p	4	5	6	7 TNZ Columbia, 8a
8	9	10 TNM Lenoir City, 6p	11	12	13	14 TNE Smyrna, 9a
15	16 TNA2 Maryville, 6p	17 MLK TNC Kingsport, 6p	18	19 TNG Tullahoma, 6p TNC2 Crossville, 6:30p	20	21 TNY Murfreesboro, 9a TNS Portland, 1p
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 TNQ Clarksville, 6p	31 TNA Nashville, 6p				





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