

DEVIL'S ADVOCATE

DIABLO VALLEY WINGS

APRIL 2011

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NEXT MEETING

TUESDAY, April 12, 2011

Sizzlers Restaurant, Concord CA

Dinner 6:00 pm

Meeting 7:00 pm

**Chapter Director - Harry Davis
Assistant CD - Richard McMillan
Membership - Marilyn Teigen
Secretary - Elouise Brice
Treasurer - Terri Tidwell
Charities - Terri Tidwell
Newsletter - Karen Davis
Website - Judy Coons**

**Phone Tree - Bev Tidwell
Sunshine - Bev Tidwell
Photographer - Leonard Nerenberg
Special Fundraisers - Mel Teigen
Safety - Cesar Higuera
Road Captain - George Brice
Tour Director - Herb Williams**

APRIL 2011

- 9 Chili Cook-Off, Poker Run, Bike Blessing - Chapter L**
- 12 General Meeting - Chapter P**
- 16 Shriners Toy Run in Sacramento - Chapter T**
- 17 2nd Annual Delta Poker Run in Woodland - Chapter V**
- 30 12th Annual Fallen Rider Memorial Run in Redding - Chapter O**

MAY 2011

- 6-8 Cinco de Mayo at Gridley Fairgrounds - Chapter T**
- 10 General Meeting - Chapter P**
- 13-15 Mother's Day Campout at Rollins Lake - Chapter F**
- 15 Bob Reese Memorial Run at Lakeport - Chapter L**
- 21 Ronnie Lee King Memorial Run in Red Bluff - Chapter X**
- 24 Business Meeting - Chapter P - ALL MEMBERS INVITED**
- 27-30 No CA SPRING FLING - Mother Lode Fairgrounds, Sonora**

JUNE 2011

- 14 General Meeting - Chapter P**
- 18 Chapter Ride - Third Saturday - Chapter P**
- 24-26 Willits Campout - Chapter S**
- 28 Business Meeting - Chapter P - ALL MEMBERS INVITED**

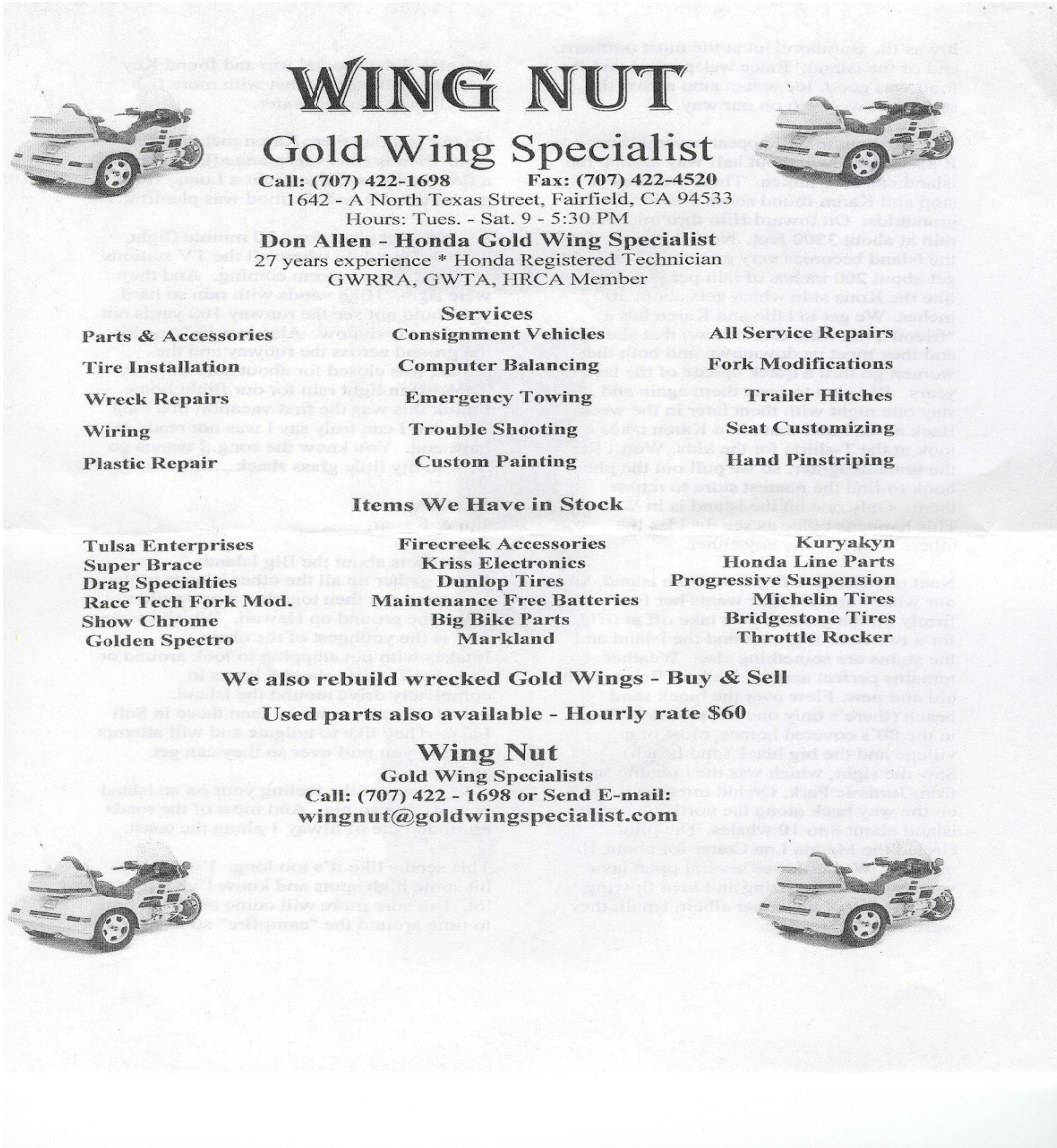
MEETING SCHEDULE – CHAPTER P

Two meetings (one is business) in January, March, May, July, September, November

One meeting in February, April, June, August, October, December

If you would like to see our chapter logo on the National Chapter logo page, click the link below and go to the bottom of the page.

http://gwta.org/logosclipart/chapter_logos.htm



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UPCOMING RIDES and Events/Campouts

- April 9 – Chili Cook-Off, Poker Run, Bike Blessing – Chapter L**
- April 16 – Shriners Toy Run – Sacramento – Chapter T**
- April 17 – 2nd Annual Delta Poker Run in Woodland – Chapter V**
- April 30 – 12th Annual Fallen Rider Memorial Run – Chapter O**
- May 6-8 – Cinco de Mayo at Gridley Fairgrounds – Chapter T**
- May 13-15 –Mother’s Day Campout at Rollins Lake – Chapter F**
- May 15 – 9th Annual Bob Reese Memorial Run at Lakeport – Chapter L**
- May 21 – Third Saturday Ride**
- May 21 – Ronnie Lee King Memorial Run in Red Bluff – Chapter X**
- May 27-30 – No CA SPRING FLING – Mother Lode Fairgrounds, Sonora**
- June 24-26 – Willits Campout – Chapter S**
- July 4 – Fourth of July Parade, Concord – Chapter P**
- July 9 – Scandia Fun Day at Cordelia – Chapter P**
- July 24-28 – GWTA Gold Rush, Michigan**
- August 19-21 – Campout by the Lake in So Lake Tahoe – Chapter S**
- August 26-28 – Weekend at Hearst Castle in San Simeon – Chapter P**
- Sept 10 – Day Ride to Yosemite National Park – Chapter P**
- Sept 16-18 – Fall Fiesta and Tortilla Toss**
- Sept 17 – State Staff Meeting**
- Oct 2 – RIDE FOR KIDS**
- Oct 16 – Taylor’s Tavern Run – Chapter L**

From Harry –

Wow, so many rides in the future! I plan to be on the trike and enjoying the good events that are coming up. Be sure to register for the Spring Fling; it will be a fun weekend. Check your bike and essential fluids, check the brakes and tires; check your insurance coverage and registration. You want to be prepared for days on the road. The State staff meeting was great, with some of you in attendance. We were fortunate that Bruce Keenon was in the area and able to give us some updates about GWTA. See you at our meetings and on our rides!

**When you travel, carry this phone number – GWTA’s Blue Line Assistance –
1-866-654-WING (9464)**

If you need assistance when you are on the road, just call the Blue Line number, use your GWTA membership number, and ask for a GWTA member in the area who could be of assistance to you. AND, be sure you have some kind of roadside service, and carry your membership card with you.

THIRD SATURDAYS of the Month -

Chapter P members are planning a Chapter ride on third Saturday of each month. (No Chapter ride if another local GWTA Chapter has a published ride.) Meeting locations and times will vary.

- April 16 – Shriners Toy Run, Sacramento**
- May 21 – Ronnie Lee King Memorial Run in Red Bluff**

GWTA GOLD RUSH XXIV in 2011 will be at Boyne Mountain, Boyne Falls, Michigan. Some Chapter P members are already registered and have reserved hotel rooms. Dates are JULY 25-28, 2011. More information is available on the GWTA National website and in Touring News.

FALL FIESTA

SEPTEMBER 16-18, 2011, YUBA SUTTER FAIRGROUNDS, YUBA CITY CA
Camping, Potluck, Breakfast, and **THE TORTILLA TOSSSSSSSSSSSS**



No CA SPRING FLING

**MAY 27-30, 2011 at MOTHER
LODE FAIRGROUNDS, SONORA**

PRE-REGISTER TO BE ENTERED IN TO A RAFFLE FOR \$100

Chapter "T" presents our Annual CINCO DE MAYO

MAY 6-8, 2011

Butte County Fairgrounds E. Gridley Road and Hwy 99, Gridley CA

Come and Join GWTA's Chapter "T"

**For FUN, Scrabble Run, Poker Walk, Evening Mexican Food Dinner,
Morning Coffee and Donuts, Costume Contest, Pinata Contest, and More.**

Pre-Register by April 15, 2011, for \$15 per person, 12 and under is free

Contact Skip & Teri Trautman (CD) Home 530-633-0857

Camping \$25 per night

Flyers and Info available at your Chapter meetings and on websites

SHRINER'S Northern California TOY - RUN



APRIL 16, 2011 9:00 a.m.

**Chapter P to leave (mtg location to be decided) at 7:30 am;
for 9:00 arrival at Ben Ali Shrine Center, Hart House, 3262
Marysville Blvd, Sacramento CA**

Then ride to the Northern California Shriner's Hospital for Children

Admission - New Soft Toy
(Please, no small buttons, that can be swallowed)

Lunch and a Ride Pin available for first 200 riders.

\$10 per person. See flyers at the meetings or on the website.

9th Annual Bob Reese Memorial Run

Sunday, May 15, 2011

Ride through beautiful Lake County

**Entry fee is \$20 per person, which includes Lunch starting
at 1:00 pm at Twin Pine Casino, Middletown.**

**Registration starts from 9:00 – 11:00 am at
Hillside Honda & Yamaha, 460 So Main St, Lakeport
Free coffee and donuts.**

Proceeds go to Pediatric Brain Tumor Research www.clearlakeroadriders.org

Nor-Cal FALLEN RIDER MEMORIAL RUN

APRIL 30, 2011

All Bikes Welcome – Rain or Shine

Starts at Lee's Honda, 2230 Larkspur Lane, Redding, CA 530-221-6788.

Sign-in starts at 8:00 am.

Last bike out at 10:00 am (registration closes)

Lunch will be served from 12-noon to 2:00 pm

Ride includes a Poker Run (a scenic ride through our countryside), a Catered Lunch / Refreshments, a year-bar, a Nor-Cal patch (for 1st time participants)

Raffle and 50/50 tickets will be available for purchase

PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE – MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 31, 2011

No refund requests will be accepted after March 31, 2011

Pre-registration Fee: \$20.00 per person (by deadline)

On-site Registration Fee: \$25.00 per person

Pre-registrations received by the deadline will be entered into a drawing for \$100 cash

Prizes awarded for High Hand and Low Hand

Return the completed registration form below along with payment to:

Terry Owen, PO Box 645, Los Molinos, Ca 96055

Make checks payable to – FRMR

For more information contact: Terry Owen at 530-384-1407 or tndowen@yahoo.com

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1) Rider Name _____

\$ _____

2) Co-Rider Name _____ \$ _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Email _____

3) PRE-ORDER T-Shirts Only: See flyer on website or see flyers at meetings

RIVER CITY WINGS, No CA Chapter "F" invites you to a Mother's Day Campout MAY 13-15, 2011

**Campground within walking distance of Rollins Lake, 16 miles
northeast of the Gold Rush town of Auburn.**

**Saturday's pancake breakfast and dinner are included in the registration fee of \$15
per person; children 11-16 yrs are \$10 per person; 10 yrs and under are Free.**

**Gates open at noon on Friday. Take it Easy with Chapter F. Treat "mom" to a
weekend out in the pines. Contact Phil or Charlie Messer at 916-362-0431**



WOODLAND ROADRUNNERS
CHAPTER "V"

2nd Annual Delta Poker Run
APRIL 17th 2011

Entry: \$20.00

*Benefits - GWTA NATIONAL and
Woodland Wayfarer Christian Mission*

Registration: 9:00 –10:30 am

at Dutch Bros Coffee

1350 E. Main St.

Woodland, CA

Raffle & Awards: 2:00–2:30 pm

at Plainfield Station

Road 98 & 29

Woodland, CA



Raffle Prizes- Games-Food- Music by Sierra Sound- 50/50

All Bikes Welcome!

Mail Pre-Registrations to:

WOODLAND ROADRUNNERS

123 Bemmerly Way

Woodland, CA 95695

Contact Michael for more information 530-383-5637

Pre Register & Receive FREE Raffle Ticket!

SHORT STORY ABOUT A 30-DAY CRUISE

OUR TRIP 2010 - 10/18/10 to Australia (Continued) - Don Coons

10/26/2010 Tue.

At sea. Cruised through Milford Sound site seeing. Checked on money exchange for New Zealand. The ship wanted a 10% fee to change to New Zealand money and 30% to change it back to US. We decided not to change our money and just take our chances with our credit card.

10/27/2010 Wed.

Arrived at Port Chalmers, New Zealand. Had a great tour of Dunedin and the Cadbury Candy Factory (with lots of samples). Weather was cold and foggy in the AM and nice in the afternoon.

Learned that a dick aid = 10 years and a mole is a mall. When the tour guide asked if there were any questions one lady raised her hand. The tour guide asked what she wanted and she said "I thought you were asking if there were any Christians".

Gas was \$2.87 a liter = \$11.40 US gallon.

10/28/2010 Thur.

At sea. Judy spent time in the casino and I finished reading Justice Denied. Day of rest.

10/29/2010 Fri.

Arrived in Wellington, New Zealand. Wellington is cold and windy. We visited the local museum.

10/30/2010 Sat.

At sea. Judy was suffering from lack of telephone so she called Debi on ship's phone. Relaxed and read. Went to evening show. The normal pastime is eating.

10/31/2010 Sun.

We arrived in Auckland, NZ. Sunday is not a good day to visit because many of the shops are closed. We took a tour to the Glow Worm Grotto. It was a great bus ride through the countryside and then you get in a boat, ride through a dark cave and the ceiling is lit-up with thousands of glow worms. The cave is all of about maybe 500 feet long. Our boat got stuck in a shallow spot (too much good food on-board ship maybe). After that we took a short ride to a large bird farm and then to lunch with a local family. On the return trip we stopped for ice cream (hokey pokey).

Halloween on-board ship that night.

Don and Judy's Story will be continued in the next newsletter.

Belated **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO YOU!!!!**

March 14 - John & Anne Haugrud



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!!!!

April 16 – Sol Shimmel

April 24 – Melba Walker

April 30 – Tammy Musgrave

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO YOU!!!!

April 6 – Herb & Marion Williams

April 13 – Don & Melba Walker

April 19 – George & Elouise Brice

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