



GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS, REGION F, COLORADO DISTRICT, CHAPTER L

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RED ROCKS WINGS

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Greetings from Your Directors

by *Fred and Linda Fisher*

Senior Chapter Directors

Wing Ding 36 is now history and Wing Ding 37 is in Huntsville Alabama in September 2015. Linda and I have been asked to attend so we can present the IChOY banner to the 2014 winners.



Speaking of the banner, we would like to put together a scrap book of Chapter L events and have a group photo taken at the events with the banner. We took a photo on the top of Berthoud Pass on the Picnic Ride, and several photos at the Camping Weekend. It should be fun to keep a photo record of the years events.

After Wing Ding, things didn't slow down much. Since many members were still traveling after Wing Ding, we had a fairly small group at the July gathering. The following weekend, things got busy. The Chapter G Howl at the Moon Ride, Chapter L's Picnic Ride, Dinner Ride, and a Camping Weekend; all in 8 days.

Add in Chapter J's Hummer of a Summer, Chapter I's Birthday Picnic, and a Chapter L Trail Ridge ride before the next gathering on August 4th.

Next month we continue to stay busy. Our monthly gathering, a dinner ride, a ride through Poudre Canyon, the District Convention, and a weekend at Fort Robinson; all by Labor Day. Whew!! I'm tired. That's okay, keeps us young.

A reminder that I am hosting a Chapter L ride to the Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta October 3-5. I still have rooms available but I have had inquiries about the rooms from other chapters. If we don't use them, I might offer them to a few others. If you are going and camping, please let me know so I can keep a head count.

At the District Rally, Chapter L is tasked with selling 50/50 ticket on Friday and Saturday. At the next gathering we will be asking for volunteers to help out. I certainly hope many of you will be attending. After all, no better place to show off our new shirts.

Don't forget to mark your calendar for the Multi Chapter Christmas Party that has had a date change to December 20th.

With that, I'll close for this month. Looking forward to seeing you at the August 4th gathering, if not before.

Until Then, Ride Safe..... Always

Upcoming Events

Aug 3—Trail Ridge Ride
Aug 4—Chapter L Gathering
Aug 16—Dinner Ride
Aug 17—Poudre Canyon Ride
Aug 30—Sept 1—Ft Robinson Ride

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July Picnic Ride

by **Bob King**

Assistant Chapter Director



It has been another busy month for the International Chapter of the Year. A lot of members went to Wing Ding to receive the official notification of our International Chapter of the Year. It was nice to see that Chapter L had a good time at the event. A lot of you were on the road for several days and a lot of ground was covered. I am glad to see that everyone made it back safe.

I sponsored the picnic ride this month, the turnout was a lot better than I expected since everyone on the road for several days. I had seven bikes and ten members for a five hour ride through Granby, Kremmling and Silverthorne. We started the ride mid morning to avoid the afternoon rains. The weather was perfect for riding. I couldn't have asked for a better riding day. We made our first stop at the Berthoud Summit to take a picture with the GWRRA International Chapter of the Year flag.



The view from the Summit was spectacular. The sky was clear and you could see for miles. After a small break we saddled up and headed for the picnic area outside of Granby. There we ate our lunch, watched birds and enjoyed conversation.



After we ate our fill we went through Kremmling on our way to Silverthorne. The traffic was light and the scenery was again spectacular.

As soon as we merged onto I-70 to head back towards Morrison for ice cream, we met up with the Sunday traffic. It took us about two hours to get from Dillon to Morrison. We were moving slowly enough that we started looking at license plates and we noticed about half of the nation was on the road with us, we also got a lot of slow speed drivers training. When we made it to Dumont and we got off on the Frontage road to try and beat the traffic and move along a little faster we got caught up in a peddle bike event. The detour was a nice ride and we had police along the route so we didn't have to stop at all the signs. As we made it to Idaho Springs, we had to get back on the Highway and we ended up with the same cars that we left in Dumont.

Soon we ended up at our final destination ice cream in Morrison. It took over six hours to make it but it was worth every lick.



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On the Road Training

by Sherry D. Smith

Motorists Awareness Coordinator, Chapter L



With Wing Ding behind us and the District Rally before us, it tells me that summer is in full swing. **Andy** and I had the opportunity to talk to a new couple recently about motorist awareness. They were getting ready to take a two month road trip, and had a lot of questions about the MAD program that I was only too happy to answer. After presenting the MAD seminar to our newbies, and discussing the Levels program, it felt great knowing that the knowledge they gained will make them better riders.

Hope to see you in Breckenridge ☺

“THE MORE YOU KNOW, THE BETTER IT GETS”

Sign up for some Rider Education classes!

Iron Buffalo Motorcycle Training

Iron Buffalo Motorcycle Training is putting on a special **GOLDWING TRAINING WEEKEND.**

- Saturday, September 6th will be the BRC2 Course (ARC).
There are 22 spots available.
- Sunday, September 7th will be the TRC Course (Trike).
There are 12 spots available.
- The Courses will be at Dicks Sporting Goods Park in Commerce City, CO
- Iron Buffalo is giving GWRRA members a discounted price
- Prices for the TRC Class will be \$50.00 minimum suggested donation (normal cost \$134)
- Price for BRC2 Class will be \$50.00 minimum suggested donation (normal cost \$134)
- Iron Buffalo will be giving a donation from the proceeds of these 2 classes to Ride For Kids
- All class participants need to take the written/riding tests so Iron Buffalo can be reimbursed from the State of Colorado
- To Registered, call William at Iron Buffalo at 303-751-3741 or email: wiliam@ironbuff.org



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Got Gas?

Gasoline Can Be Trouble — Depending on When You Buy It.

by **Andrew C. Smith**
Chapter Educator, CO-L

Since the bikes we ride are truly made for the open road, we get to sample many different kinds of fuel when we stop to fill up. Sometimes it just happens to be, the only gas stop before we have to start walking.

There are gas stations everywhere and you may happen to prefer a particular brand. You have always had good and consistent performance from their gasoline and always use the same grade.

Fortunately, there is a station just ahead sporting their logo.

- *Is that all you have to know?*

Usually. However, if you fill your tank at this particular station, now, are you asking for trouble in the form of bad performance and even repair bills soon?

But you have purchased gasoline from this particular station many times in the past, and will no doubt continue to do so.

- *Does that change anything?*

No. If you purchase gasoline from this station now you are asking for trouble.

You see, there is not a lot of room in the station just now as there is a tanker truck taking up a lot of space - or you just saw one leaving.

- *Space is a problem?*

No. But as you know, underground there are a set of huge tanks containing gasoline. **And Water. And silt. And other 'stuff'.**

The name brand station across the street has the same kind of underground tanks, and it would be FAR BETTER to buy your gasoline there just now.

- *Because they have the same kind of tanks?*

Nope.

- *Because they don't have water and silt and other 'stuff' in those tanks?*

No. Because a tanker truck is not sitting on the lot, or having just left.

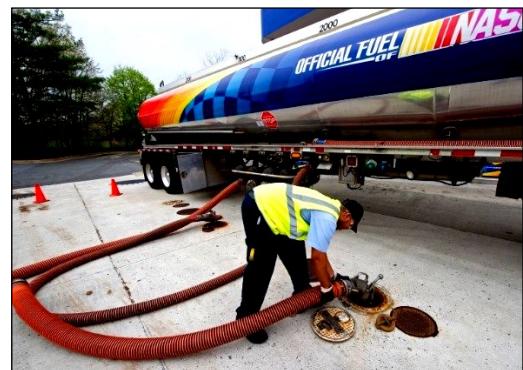
- *Huh?????*

Most of the time the extraneous water and silt and 'stuff' in those tanks is safely settled to the bottom of those underground tanks. When you pump gasoline from them you are not getting virtually any of it into the tank on your motorcycle (or car.) And, despite the fact that your motorcycle has fuel filters and screens built into them, this is very good because you would rather not have your engine stall because of a clogged fuel line, or get poor performance because of trying to burn water.

But when those tankers add their loads to those underground tanks they do a marvelous job of stirring and mixing up those tanks. It could take an hour or so for the adulterants to settle back to the bottom.

If you see a tanker in the lot, or one is just pulling out, go to another station for your gasoline.

But you guys are real smart, and already knew this!



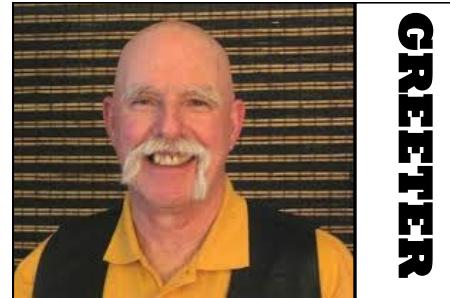
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Greetings

by **Ralph Spencer**

Chapter L Greeter

Greeter: *One who greets with some form of salutation or welcome; one who meets or receives.*



Camping – Mature Style



WOW is the first word that comes to mind when I think back to the camping weekend attended by nine hardy Chapter L members July 18-20. Swimming, miniature golf (**Fred** is obviously ready for the Champions Tour - for golfers 50 years of age and older), Hillbilly Golf, train rides, food hot off the grill, award winning chili, deluxe camping cabins, gorgeous RV's, and evening campfires – how did **Mike** make the flames turn color like that???

The Fort Collins/Lakeside KOA Campground is located at 6670 North US Highway 287 in Laporte, CO. It is isolated yet extremely close to downtown Fort Collins. The grocery store in Laporte was only about 7 minutes away and came in very handy when two of us realized that we had a brand new propane gas grill on our cabin ‘patio’ and no ground buffalo meat in our cooler! We also learned a few new words over the weekend, such as *Speedoed*. However, our mantra for the weekend quickly became, ‘*What happens at the KOA - stays at the KOA,*’ which is probably a good thing since this article would otherwise proceed directly to the dumper – especially if I went into detail about the new additions to our vocabularies!



Impromptu Trip!

Upon leaving the KOA shortly before 11:00 a.m. (check-out time), six of us headed for an impromptu tour of the New Belgium Brewery (NBB) in Fort Collins. After taking the requisite picture with our GWRRA Chapter of the Year Banner in front of the NBB sign, we signed up for the first

(11:30) tour of the day, a 90 minute jaunt into the bowels of this incredible facility. By the way, I am proud to say that every one of us on the tour enjoyed it immensely. I could go on and on about this tour but suffice to say that our vocabularies were enhanced, once again (anaerobic, Balling degrees, bung, diacetyl, ester, mead, plubic, squares, and wort), this time in beer and brewing terminology.

The most interesting factoid of the tour? “Every 3 months, Americans discard enough aluminum to completely rebuild every commercial airplane in the U.S.” The most amazing statistic of this 90 minute tour? “The NBB produces 720 bottles of beer per minute, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.” Do the math!!!

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Punsmanship

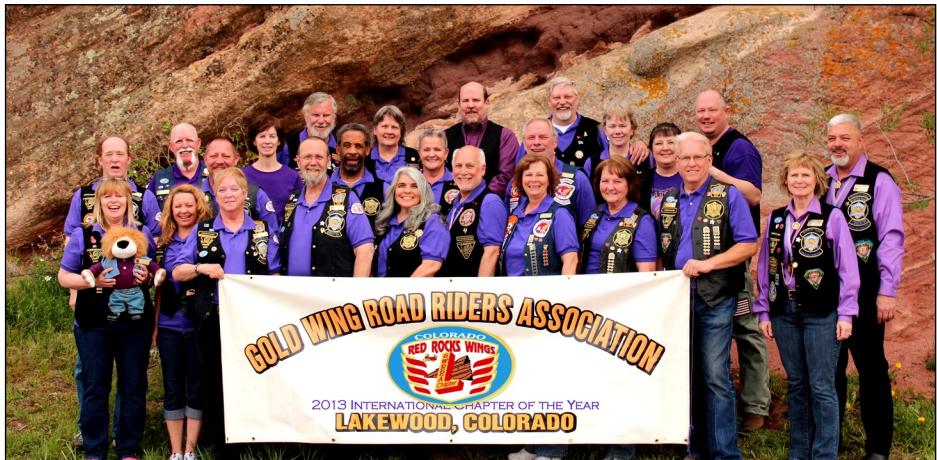
As a lover of good punsmanship, I offer you the following to activate your brain cells and recharge your grin muscles:.

"Lexophile" is a word used to describe those who enjoy a play on words, such as "you can tune a piano, but you can't tuna fish" or "to write with a broken pencil is pointless." Here are some of the best lines for lexophiles.

- ◊ When fish are in schools, they sometimes take debate.
- ◊ A thief who stole a calendar got twelve months.
- ◊ When the smog lifts in Los Angeles, U.C.L.A.
- ◊ Batteries were given out free of charge.
- ◊ A dentist and a manicurist married. They fought tooth and nail.
- ◊ A will is a dead giveaway.
- ◊ With her marriage, she got a new name and a dress.
- ◊ A boiled egg is hard to beat.
- ◊ When you've seen one shopping Center you've seen a mall.
- ◊ Police were called to a day-care center where a three-year-old was resisting a rest.
- ◊ Did you hear about the fellow whose whole left side was cut off? He's all right now.
- ◊ A bicycle can't stand alone; it is two tired.
- ◊ When a clock is hungry it goes back four seconds.
- ◊ The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine is now fully recovered.
- ◊ When she saw her first strands of grey hair she thought she'd dye.
- ◊ Those who get too big for their pants will be exposed in the end.

Now that's what I'm talkin' about!!!

Chapter L Members at Red Rocks

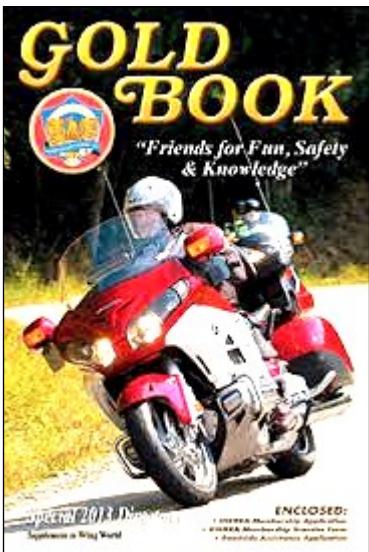


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Gold Wing Road Riders Associations – A Golden Tool

By *Mike and Rhonda Hottinger*

Membership Enhancement Coordinators



How many people actually look at the Gold Book we get mailed to us from Headquarters every year? It is a great tool and you should take a chance to look through it and understand what kind of tool it really is. To help with this I am going to break it down for all of us by the numbers.



Top 10 reasons to carry the Gold Book on your Gold Wing.

10. GWRRA group riding hand signals in photos.
9. What to do in case of an accident.
8. A listing of all of the Wing Ding 35 (Madison, WI) vendors, along with their locations and phone numbers. I know, I know, a little late for this information but at least you will know what to expect in the 2015 Gold Book, Wing Ding 36 Huntsville, AL vendors.
7. A GWRRA “transfer of membership” certificate. This transfers the balance of your GWRRA membership to the buyer of your motorcycle, thereby increasing the value of your motorcycle to the buyer.
6. Two GWRRA membership applications, including Rescue Plus options. Check out the Rescue Plus options and if you did not opt for the additional coverage, I cannot speak highly enough about the value of the Rescue Plus option. Take a moment and write your name and membership number on the applications so they are ready for you to give it to an applicant.
5. Motorcycle travel planning features – state motorcycle helmet laws, the correct tire sizes and tire pressures for the Gold Wing and Valkyrie, how to tie down a Gold Wing for transport, and how to upright a fallen Gold Wing by yourself.
4. A listing of all of the benefits of belonging to GWRRA.
3. A listing of all the Honda dealers in the United States and Canada, including the “Golden” dealers (dealers, shops and companies who have received praise for exceptional service.)
2. A listing of all of the chapters of GWRRA along with their locations.

And the #1 reason we should all keep the GWRRA Gold Book close....

A listing of all of the GWRRA members in the world (except those who have opted out of the listing), along with their phone numbers and their capacity/willingness to render assistance to a GWRRA member in distress.

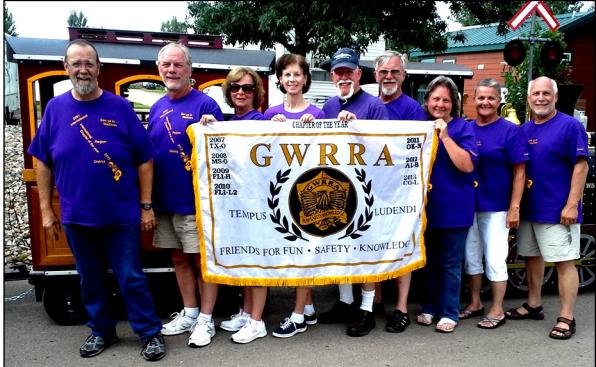
Rhonda and I hope you take a look at this valuable tool and keep it close by because you never know what you will need and when you might need it. Keep the rubber on the road and wind in your face.

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Camping Weekend

By **Mike Ackerman**

The 2014 version of the Chapter L camping weekend is over in the history books. And mind you, there were some historical events that took place.



Nine hearty Chapter L members braved the afternoon rains and the scorching heat to have a great time. Several of the early arrivers managed to get in a little 'pool time' before dinner and the arrival of the other campers.



After everyone's arrival Friday night we gathered around the camp file to watch 'Grandpa Mike' make his world famous colorful flames. Well, perhaps just in his mind and the minds of his grandchildren it is world famous.

Keeping an age old tradition alive, several of us enjoyed making and eating s'mores. Just what would camping be without s'mores!

Saturday was another beautiful Colorado summer day. After our hearty camping breakfasts, did you ever notice how much more you eat when you are camping, we all gathered for the miniature golf tournament. I'm not sure, but I suspect we had a couple of sandbaggers in the game as they said they didn't really like miniature golf but managed to do very well. What some people won't do just go a prize at the end of the game.



Once again, it is off to the swimming pool to cool down as the temperature is already over 90. It is just amazing what some people can do with a swimming pool noodle... eh **Judy**!

While everyone else sat under the shade trees with some cool refreshments, **Ralph and Janet** enjoyed a round of Hillbilly golf. That would be known as Ladder Golf to you city folks.

Too hot to much of anything.....so back to the pool. It is just too difficult for me to try and relate how everyone felt when we were all minding our own business and enjoying the pool when out of the blue, we get SPEEDED! It could take my mind years to get that image out of my head. No, I won't reveal who did it....but I'm sure it will be disclosed at some time.



Saturday night and another campfire and those great colorful flames. No s'mores tonight. Everyone was too exhausted from the busy day.

If you didn't make it this year to the camp out, you really should put on your radar for next year. It is a lot fun and a good time to just sit around and solve most of the world's problems.

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3 Days Crossing Kansas

By *Carl Williams*

Newsletter Editor

“Where is the tunnel under Kansas?” could be heard in the headset. After spending hour after hour on a Goldwing listing 30 degrees into the constant blowing wind, I swore that the next trip through Kansas would be when they build a tunnel under it! That was before our return trip from Wing Ding this year.

How did it take us three days to cross Kansas you ask? Now that we tow the Spyder with the motorhome, our touring style has changed dramatically. Whether it is traveling on back roads or the Interstate concrete ribbon, there is a remarkable amount of “Americana” waiting for you to discover. **Judy** found a new app called TripAdvisor which provides a wealth of data on local attractions that highlights everything from the famous attractions to the off-beat ones. What follows is a sampling of “3 Days Crossing Kansas”.

The **Eisenhower Presidential Museum** located in Abilene, KS is situated on a campus like setting featuring The



Dwight D. Eisenhower Museum, Presidential Library and his boyhood home. If you are a history buff of WWII, the museum contains just about everything you ever wanted to know about world events surrounding the WWII time period. Eisenhower's modest boyhood home highlights his family's relatively poor background. While we were there about 45+ military guys assembled in the parking lot with variety of motorcycles, mostly Harleys for a group ride. I am sure that the 6,844 population of Abilene took the next two days to recover from the noise.

The **Wizard of OZ Museum** located in Wamego, KS has been one of those places that has been part of a standing family joke for years. “Someday, we are going to stop!” could be heard every time we have seen the billboards for the museum. In spite of the reviews (50% bad, 50% great with nothing in between) found using TripAdvisor, we stopped. The word *hokey* has a whole new meaning for me. One reviewer hit the nail on the head with “Most of the stuff could be purchased at....”. However, the museum houses probably the world’s largest collection of Wizard of Oz stuff with also probably 5 or 6 original items. Consider this museum crossed off my “Bucket List”.



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3 Days Across Kansas, *continued from page 9*

The **Garden of Eden and Cabin Home** located in Lucas, KS is truly “Americana” at its best. S. P. Dinsmoor, a retired schoolteacher, Civil War Vet, farmer and Populist politician began building the Garden of Eden and Cabin in 1907 at the age of 64.



After completing the 11 room “log cabin” built from limestone that he quarried and cut the stone as you would wooden logs, he proceeded to fashion 113 tons of cement into 150 political and religious statuary that fill the home’s yard. Dinsmoor built a 40 ft tall limestone log mausoleum for himself and his first wife.

At age 81, he married for a second time to a 20-year old and had two children with her! The site is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Interestingly, the tour guide we had was a descendant of Dinsmoor so we were treated with many inside stories that made the Garden of Eden come alive.



While not located in Kansas, probably the most impressive site was the **Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum** in Springfield IL. Built in 2005, it employs all the high tech features that a state-of-the-art Disney production uses. The highlight was an exhibit called the “Ghost of the Library” that utilized holographic techniques that made you feel that you were actually in the stories.



Typically, we stayed at KOA camp grounds near the above sites and rode the Spyder to the attractions. Without the pressing need to return home, we were able to enjoy many places that just caught our imagination as we traveled home. Americana is everywhere and yours to enjoy!

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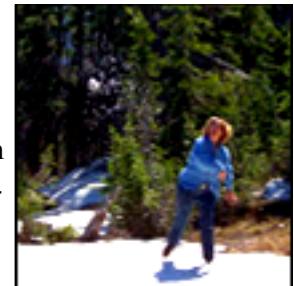
Wisconsin Cranberries

by Becky Ackerman

Ride Coordinator



On our recent trip to Madison for Wing Ding, we stumbled upon the Wisconsin Discovery Cranberry Center in Warrens, Wisconsin. After passing miles and miles of sunken fields that appeared to be grass covered, we learned they really were covered with the tiny cranberry plant, which is a perennial and actually resembles a groundcover. We also learned that Ocean Spray is owned by the Wisconsin Cranberry Growers Association. Wow! And that only 10% of the cranberries Wisconsin produces is actually sold as is. The other 90% is processed into dried fruit, juices, etc.

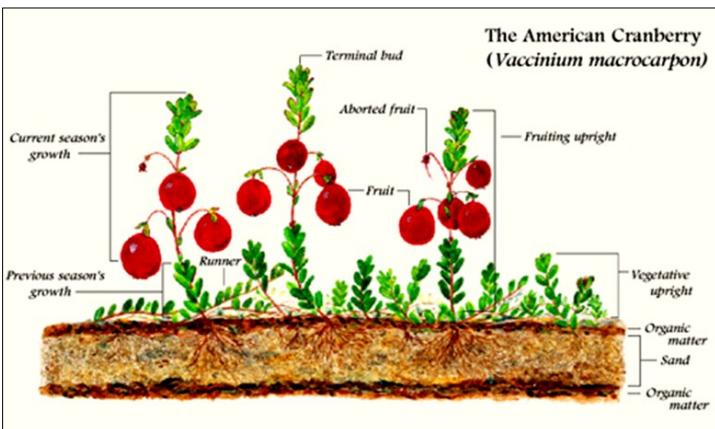


Wisconsin just happens to produce more cranberries than any other state in the U.S. In fact, it is their official state fruit. It is also the state's number one fruit crop, both in acres planted and in the industry's valuable contribution to the state's economy.

The cranberry, once called "crane berry" by settlers because of the blossom's resemblance to the sandhill crane, is best known for its place on the Thanksgiving table. But, the fruit has become a year-round favorite and is making its way into everything from summer salads and jams, to trail mix and cookies.

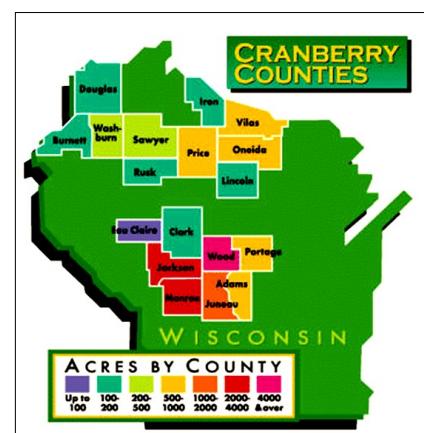
Did you know?

- Cranberries were first harvested in Wisconsin around 1860 by Edward Sacket in Berlin, Wis.
- Wisconsin cranberry growers annually harvest enough cranberries to supply every man, woman and child in the world with 26 cranberries.
- Cranberries are now grown in 20 counties throughout central and northern Wisconsin.
- And, you probably thought cranberries are grown in water. Actually, cranberries grow on low-trailing vines in sandy or peat marshes, but in Wisconsin, cranberry marshes are flooded with water to aid in harvesting. Because the tart tiny berries contain a pocket of air, when the marsh is flooded, the berries float to the surface to be picked up by harvesting



equipment.
The water
level remains
12 -14" deep
over the

plants throughout the winter to protect them from the elements. In fall, before the harvest and the fields are flooded, they may be periodically sprayed with water to protect them overnight from frost.



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"BEEN THERE FIRST IN 2014"

20 Down, 30 to Go

Stan Smetana — (3) WY, NE, KS

Kenny & Lis Simons — (3) CO, SD, IL

Dan & Vicky Kirk — (3) CO, SD, IL

Randall & Janet Drake — (2) HI, UT

Mike & Becky Ackerman — (3) TX, OK, NM

Carl & Judy Williams — (6) MO, AR, CA, NV, UT, AZ

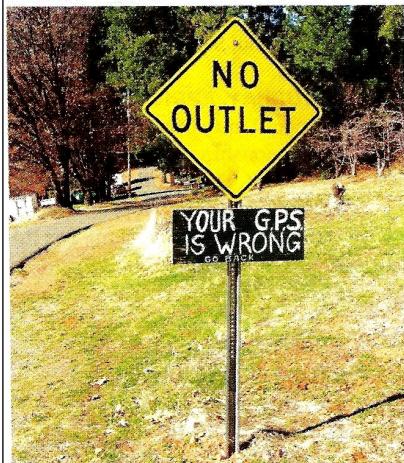
Steve & Tami Bender — (4) UT, NV, CA, AZ

Bob King — (3) NV, UT, AZ

Vernon & Deborah Pate — (5) NV, UT, AZ, IA, WS

Andy & Sherry Smith — (3) MT, ND, MN

Sign of the Times



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Chapter L Members Having Fun

August Birthdays

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Who is this Chapter L Member?



The Travels of Larry T. Lion

Translated by **Linda Fisher**
Senior Chapter Director

On June 28th Fred and Linda threw me in my travelling bag and then in the car and off we went. We traveled through 4 or 5 states on our way to the BIG SHOW in Madison, Wi. Once we arrived and set-up home base at the Comfort Inn and Suites we started to learn the lay of the land. We checked in on the rest of the Chapter L people. Making sure everyone arrived safely and without major problems.

After registering and finding out what was happening we went to root on our two newest members of the International family. Barb and Jon Pons were without a doubt the Best of Show.

On July 2, 2014 Chapter L was officially and for all times name “The International Chapter of the Year 2013”. Wear this honor proudly for it was hard fought.

We headed home and the finally Monday the kind loving people from Chapter I came and stuffed me back in the bag and ran South with me. August 2nd I will be waiting for my family to come and take me home.

Thank all of you in Chapter L for the love and care I receive.

Sincerely,



Larry T. Lion,
Mascot of the ICHOY 2013



Larry T. Lion



That's Me Sitting on Fred's Lap next to Mom

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Up Coming Chapter L Events for August

Sunday 3th, — Trail Ridge Ride

Hosted by **Kenny & Lis Simons**

Monday 4th — Chapter Gathering

Refreshment by **Mike & Becky Ackerman**

Saturday 16th — Dinner Ride

Hosted by **Mike and Becky Ackerman**

Sunday 17th — Poudre Canyon Ride

Hosted by **Ron Evers & Laura Hudson**

Sun & Mon 31th & 1st — Fort Robinson Overnighter

Hosted by **Mike and Becky Ackerman**

Other Events in Colorado for August

Thursday 21st thru Saturday 23th —

Colorado District Convention, Breckenridge, CO

Colorado Chapter Gatherings

Dates, Times and Locations

All of this information can be found on the District web site at <http://www.coloradogwrra.com/Chapter/ChapterMeetings.htm>.

Schedule of Nearby District, Region and National Conventions

August 7 - 9, 2014

Region I Convention
Lewiston, ID

August 21 - 23, 2014

Colorado District Convention
Breckenridge, CO

August 29 — 31, 2014

California District Convention
Agoura Hill, CA

Sept 12 – 13, 2014

Kansas District Convention
Abilene, KS

Sept 26 - 27, 2014

Iowa District Convention
Storm Lake, IA

Sept 25 – 27, 2014

New Mexico District Convention
Carlsbad, NM

Sept 25 – 27, 2014

Oklahoma District Convention
Shawnee, OK

Oct 31 — 11/2, 2014

Arizona District Convention
Tucson, AZ

Chapter L Members at Play



Photos from Chapter L July Campout

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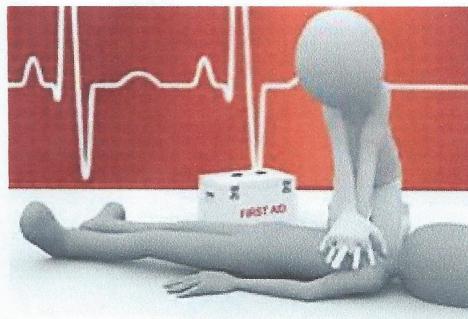
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2013 International Chapter of the Year



MFA/CPR Course

Sponsored by CO-District

**When: Saturday, August 23
8am – 1pm**

**Where: District Convention/ Rally
Beaver Run Resort
Breckenridge, CO**

Cost: \$10 for Colorado GWRRA Members

Here are the guidelines for taking the Medic First Aid/ CPR Classes to receive the special \$10.00 fee.

1. Your membership must be current and assigned to a Colorado Chapter
2. Members must be enrolled in the Levels Program
 - If Level I, show your intention to be level three within a short period.
3. Your current Medic First Aid/CPR expiration should be within 90 days, or already expired
 - Remember that Level II requires an ERC course for the rider or Co-Rider Seminar for the co-rider. Level III Requires Medic First Aid/CPR.
 - If you have any questions about where you are in the Levels program, please feel free to call or ask your Chapter Educator
 - Non-members, and any other GWRRA members who do not meet the above guidelines, will be assessed a \$20 fee.

**Reserve your seat ahead of the convention
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