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Rimrock Wings News & Update

The Information Newsletter for GWRRA Chapter "B" Billings, Montana

October, 2008

Deadline for newsletter articles is the Monday prior to our Thursday meeting.

We welcome you to attend our Sunday Social held at 9:00 am.

Monthly chapter meetings are on **the 1st Thursday of each month.**

Meeting time is 6:30 P. M.—(Be sure to ask for the GWRRA price).

Breakfast socials are at 9:00 A. M.

All socials and meetings are held at the Golden Corral Restaurant,

570 South 24th Street West, across from Barnes & Noble, unless specified on the calendar.

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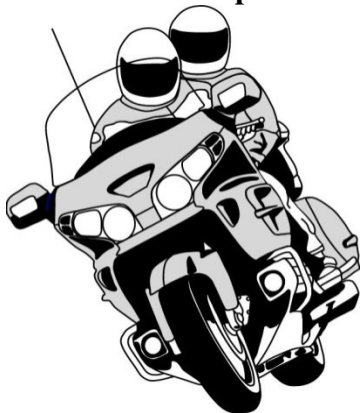
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October/November

October 2nd Meeting

October 4th BUNKO PARTY at PA CV's house
bring a desert and table and chairs 6:30PM

October 8th Bruno's on king ave 6:30 pm

October 14th Torres on South Frontage road
6:30pm

October 20th Cracker Barrel 6:30pm

October 25th Halloween Party 6:30pm Pot Luck
costumes optional.

October 30th Ribs & Chops 6:30pm

November 6th Meeting/6:30 PM @ Golden Corral

November 10th Greezy Spoon in Shepherd 6:30 PM

November 19th JB's on Grand 6:30 PM

November 28th Holiday Parade

**Note: SBB is South Billings Blvd/Mickey D's
parking lot.**

**Excerpted from "Montana
Dateline" by Ellis Roberts Parry**

October 2, 1884

Father Anthony Ravalli dies at Saint
Mary's Mission at Stevensville in
the Bitterroot Valley after almost
four decades of missionary work on
the frontier. The beloved priest is
buried behind the mission church.



Happy Anniversary

Dennis and Ruth Trimbo Oct. 9
Tom and Lisa McDowall Oct. 19
Don and Ruby Howe Nov. 20
John and Kris McCann Nov. 22
Richard and Connie Barnhart Nov. 30



Happy Birthday

Darrell Robson Oct. 1
Lester Pust Oct. 2
Bev Huggins Oct. 11
Rod Swanson Oct. 17
Joni Rubash Oct. 23
Darrell Brewer Oct. 29
Tracy Guenther Oct. 30
Henry Haagenson Oct. 30
Don Howe Nov. 12
Darlene Hess Nov. 13
LynnDee Schmidt Nov. 14
Al Koski Nov. 26

TONY'S TIDBITS

Hey Everybody!

Well, as I write this article another year of teaching motorcycle safety has gone by! Our sport is alive and well with all of the new riders joining our ranks. Someday they might even graduate up to a “Wing”!

Down to business! I will be teaching a CPR/ First Aid class in October. The date will be confirmed at the meeting but I’m shooting for October 11th. Please attend the meeting if at all possible and I will confirm that date Thursday night. In any event please look at any rider education activities that you have participated since you last updated and get those in to Tom and Lisa McDowell as soon as possible. I would like to let the rest of the region know that our rider education program is still alive and well at MT-B!

It sure sounds like our chapter participants have had a lot of fun on our dinner rides lately, Please be sure to thank our activates committee members when you see them, without their input your life wouldn’t be nearly as much fun.

So, how about a round of Bunko? If that’s right up your alley please bring your favorite dessert and some tables and chairs to Pa Seavy’s place on Saturday night the 4th of October.

How are your Halloween costumes coming? Will they be ready by the 25th for our Party! I can't wait to see what creatures will show up this year!

Tony Hoer
MT-B CD



Beautiful Ride!

Sunday was a great day to ride! Russ and I caught up to the first group who had stopped in Columbus for a quick break. Some had decided to leave a bit earlier so they could take the long way around to Bridger. The fall colors have begun to come out so we again took in Montana's beauty! Many of those on the ride agreed that no where any of us have been has anything on our state sights. We decided to take a "shopping" break in Red Lodge. Had to get the treats from the candy store, you know. Several others had called and were on their way so by the time we arrived in Bridger at the Garage we were a group of 24! What a great ride, great friends, and the food was wonderful! Thanks you all for another great memory!

Russ and Laurie Parpart
MT-DD

Rider Education

Is it really October already? Wow, where did the summer go. This month I would like to bring up just a few points about this time of year.

As you might have noticed in and out of town those pesky leaves are starting to fall, now that brings to my mind two things right off the bat.

- 1). Get the rake out and be ready for the onslaught of leaves.
- 2). Remember those leaves that seem to gather next to the curb and stray out into the street this time of year and how slick those little rascal seem to get? Now let's just add a little water to the mix and if you are not paying attention you might have a real wake-up call.

How about the wildlife this time of year? Now that darkness is coming earlier and earlier they seem to be out just when we are trying to get home before dark or those cooler temperatures force us to turn on that electric suit or add another layer to stay warm.

Yep, we know that white stuff will find its way here sometime so let's face it might as well get those wings washed-up and waxed. Do a very good job now and you might just spot a problem or two that can be taken care of now so that when it warms up just a touch. You and yours will know that that the bike will take care of you because you took care of it!

Last but not least take a few minutes and really think about what a fun summer you had on the bike and begin to plan for next summer and the adventures that await you!

Tony Hoer

The following is taken from an e-mail message from Bill and Sheila Hartl, participants of Chapter C in Sidney, in regards to the passing of Dick Rumsey.

Our friend Dick is "Gone with the Wing" and he would have been proud this past Friday...thank you everybody for being there for Dick and of course Eileen...it was a nice service and a nice tribute to a great guy...like the minister said-"LIVE LIFE" and Dick Rumsey LIVED LIFE.

Farewell Dick



The above photo was taken at the cemetery after Dicks service.

For sale

1999 Honda Goldwing 1500 trike.

Candy Apple Red

Home-made trailer-pulled once for a short distance.

Two helmets with intercom-one is candy apple red, and the other is white. (White one worn one time)

Bike has 37,800 miles on it.

For more information and pricing, call Ron at 406-670-4942.

District Rally T-shirts

THEY HAVE ARRIVED!

The t-shirts that were ordered after and during the Montana District Rally are here! Just give me a call and we will make arrangements to get them to you either at the meeting coming up or mail them to you. Some were ordered by Wyoming so just call me.

*Laurie Parpart
860-0206*

WANTED: GOOD USED WORK TRUCK
Late 80's early 90's F-250 or F-350 crew cab or super cab pickup.
Must be 4X4 and have long box. Needs receiver hitch if possible.

Call Dale or Donna Jennison at 406-656-6021, please leave message if nobody is home. We do go home once in awhile to check our messages :)

Thank you.



We have windshields available for the 1500's 1800's as well as Harleys and others. They are available in standard, +2', +4", with and without vents. . Please give me a call for prices.



GL1500+4



GL1800 +4
Tom & Lisa McDowall

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5	6	7	8 Bruno's on King Ave 6:30 P. M.	9 ** Dennis and Ruth Trimbo	10	11 * Bev Huggins
12	13 Columbus Day 	14 Torres Café South Frontage Rd. 6:30 P. M.	15	16	17 * Rod Swanson	18
19 ** Tom and Lisa McDowall	20 Cracker Barrel 6:30 P. M.	21	22	23 * Joni Rubash	24	25 Halloween Party 6:30 P. M. (Central Ave. Christian Church) Costumes are optional
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9	10	11 Veterans' Day	12 * Don Howe	13 * Darlene Hess	14 * LynnDee Schmidt	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 ** John and Kris McCann
23	24	25	26 * Al Koski	27 Thanksgiving 	28 Holiday Parade	29
30 ** Richard and Connie Barnhart ** Don and Ruby Howe						