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Chapter Gathering: 1st Tuesday of the month, 7:00 PM, Little Italy, Winder, Georgia
Our next Gathering will be on March 3, 2020

CD's Corner*

February is upon us already with lots of special days to enjoy. Groundhog Day is always special to me having grown up in Pennsylvania just 30 miles from where Punxsutawney Phil resides. We also have Valentine's Day, Presidents Day, and of course, most important is my birthday. See, there are lots of reasons to get together and ride.

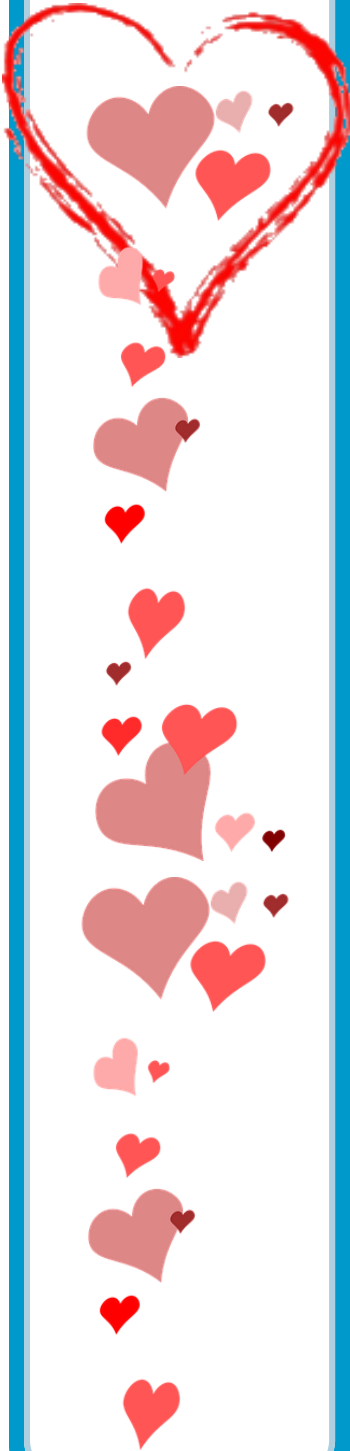
Joe will soon be ready to ride after his hip replacement. Just a few more weeks and the Bermuda Pearl will be putting some miles on her odometer. I, for one, have missed our rides and hanging out on the roads with our chapter. It is time to plan some fun places to go; so, make your list of things you would like to do, places you'd like to visit and be ready to offer up those suggestions. We will be making those plans real soon.

See you soon! Also, hugs to all that have been ill or recovering from surgeries.

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Rides & Events



January's Gathering

Look who I've
been playing
with!



“I Love to
Ride & Travel”



Goofy's Scorecard—2020

Jan: Ken—Leaving CB squelch too low!

Goofy's January Adventures

Work, work, work, work! That is all Ken seemed to do for the 1st half of January! One Saturday, since we weren't going on a ride, I was looking forward to sleeping in. But instead I was rudely awoken and whisked off to Ken's office for a day of drafting and number crunching and proposal writing! I could see that this man—and his lovely wife Traci—really needed a break!

It took a mighty bit of trying but I was able to get on the telephone with Ken's folks in the bayou's of Louisiana and schedule for them two to get away for a long weekend of visiting with family and just relaxing. And wouldn't you know, I was going to get to tag along... stuffed in a motorcycle ruck sack!

Boy oh boy did we have a good time in Belle Rose and Pierre Part! First off, we rented a 2020 Mustang GT to take us from the Airport to the bayou! What a fun ride! But Ken drove slow because was afraid of deer the whole way. Not a bad thing either cause Traci saw two herds before we reached the camp around 1 AM!

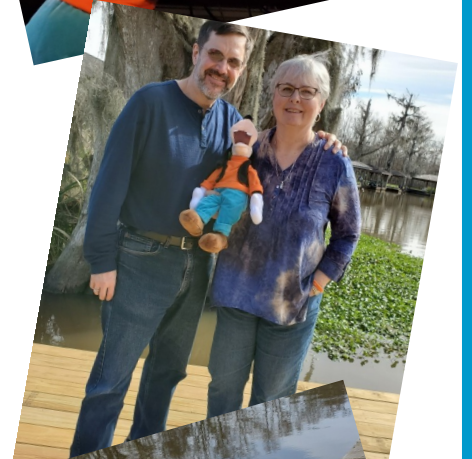
Despite the fact that Ken's folks get up before dawn every morning, we had a great time! Walking down the road near the old camp we picked at least 20-30 lemons right off the tree. Then we had a fish fry, eat some crawfish etouffee and stuff our selves sill with King Cake! And glory be, I even saw Ken take a nap! Will wonders ever cease.

After such a relaxing time, it was sad to leave. Ken did make us stop for some beignets at Café du Monde and coffee with chicory on the way home, which was a good way to end a great trip!



Till next time, your pal,

Goofy



February Birthdays

- 2 Joe Counter
- 8 Rick Brown
- 27 Janel Piper



February Anniversaries

- 22 Trish & Victor
Tireman



Sick & Injured

- Mike Burns
- Jack Farabaugh
- Joe Piper
- Vance Oakes
- Tina Thrasher (Sister-in-law
of Ken)
- TJ Martin (Son of Tommy
Martin, GA-T)
- Sue Jackson (Former Re-
gion Director)



In Memory

- Gary Rackley (GA-A)
- Hal Weeks (GA-B)
- Don Yearwood (GA-B2)
- Robby Bond (Father of
Vicky Martin (GA-T))



February 2020

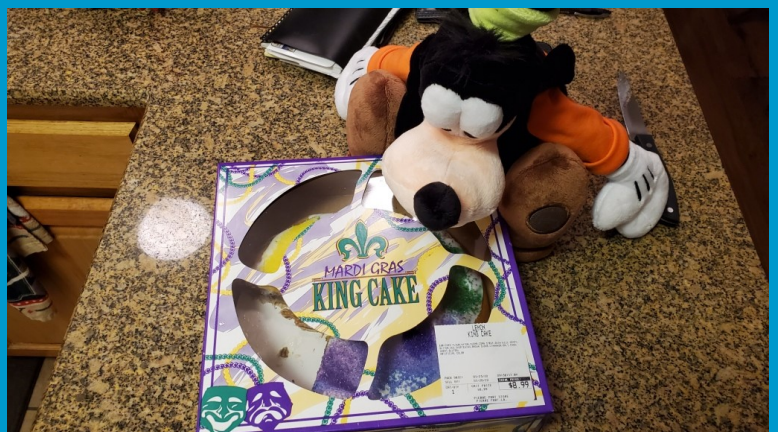
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2  Ground Hog Day Joe Counter—BD	3	4 Chapter Gathering 	5	6	7	8 Rick Brown—BD
9  National Pizza Day	10	11	12	13  National Cheddar Day	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 GA Officer's Meeting 11:30-4 PM—Perry, GA National Margarita Day Trish & Victor—Anniv.
23	24	25  Mardi Gras	26	27 Janel Piper—BD	28	29

Just for Fun

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| costumes | dancing | floats |
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| parade | party | purple |
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2020 Schedule of Events

- 2/22 Georgia Office's Conference, Perry
- 3/19-21 Florida Rally, Altamonte Springs
- 3/25-29 Louisiana Rally, Houma
- 4/16-18 South Carolina Rally, Clemson
- 4/30-5/2 Tennessee Rally, Pigeon Forge
- 6/30-7/4 Wing Ding 42, Springfield, MO
- 9/24-26 North Carolina Rally, Waynesville
- 10/1-3 Alabama Rally, Eufaula
- 10/8-10 Georgia Ride-In, Dillard**
- 10/17-19 Mississippi Rally, Gulfport

More Information coming soon!



District News

New rules for the District Traveler's Plaque has been posted to the District website! Check there for the latest information.

Here is a link to a medical information card you can print out and carry with you:

<http://www.medids.com/free-id.php#.VsnDEfHnWi4>

GWRRA Anniversaries

February

- Rob Damron—23 Years
- Robert Poorman—17 Years
- Carolyn Loggins—10 Years**
- David & Janice Cooper—11 Years

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