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Chapter Gathering: 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month, at El Centinela, Winder, Georgia. Our next Gathering, scheduled for July 5, 2022, eat at 6 PM, meet at 7 PM

### CD's Corner

**I**t seems that Mother Nature has decided to forgo a gentle nudge into summer and sprung it on us all at once. Hot, hot days and stormy evenings seem to be the calling card that she left. So here we are in June, 90 degree temps and AC going full blast in our homes.

So, it is time to take stock into what you might need for riding in the warmer weather. A lighter jacket that still offers skid protection, gloves that breathe yet protect your hands, and how is the tread on your boots? Have you looked recently? Hot tar and worn soles is a drop waiting to happen at the next stop light.

Recently the chapter did a motorist awareness booth in Statham Spring Fest. I appreciate everyone that came out (including Chapter L) and showing support for GWRRA.

Ride Safe!

Janel Piper  
Chapter Director



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# Rides & Events



## Motorist Awareness Event Statham's Lion's Club Spring Festival



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Ride For America—America Legion Post 233,  
Loganville, Georgia— Memorial Day



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## Wingers-N-Waves—Alaska



Look who I've  
been playing  
with!



"I Love to  
Ride & Travel"



## Goofy's Scorecard—2022

**January—Cherie:** For forgetting to bring the ride lotto.

**February—Carlos:** Taking an hour to bring us to the restaurant across the street. (This deserves a HERO award in my book!)

**March—Cherie:** Cell phone camera button confusion  
**April—Joe:** Wearing readers while trying to walk—not a good combination.

**May—Sonya:** Shipping warm gear home

## Goofy's Adventures

Jeff and Sonya: Ok so we weren't on the bike for the first one but we felt we should include Goofy as much as possible.

Goofy: Boy oh boy, I had so much fun with Jeff and Sonya's family at the Mexican restaurant in Monroe. We laughed, talked, and I even got to try taste of ..... not really, I'm under age and we just pretended like I had some. Good times with family for sure.

So our next adventure was at WOW Motorcycle's Grand Opening in Marietta, on May 14th. It was amazing, they had music, stunt bike riders, BBQ, and tons of bikes too. Oh and I got to meet James, who sold Jeff his Vulcan last year that started all of this fun for him and Sonya. Jake (Jeff and Sonya's Son) also went with us, he drives too fast but handles his bike well and is a cool guy. We stopped buy Dairy Queen on the way home and I was able to get a pic with Sonya and the Manager of the Store.....haha that was way cool!!

On May 22nd, we headed out to the north Georgia mountains. They talked about taking me to Blue Ridge but decided to go to Ellijay instead. Once we got there, Jeff kept playing with the new GPS and ended up taking us to Chatsworth. We had lunch and then he tried to find a new way back to Ellijay. It took a few tries but he finally figured it out and we found Hwy 52 which was an amazing mountain ride back. We rode about 230 miles today. I was only in a couple pics on this ride and the pics look a little odd.....I also don't remember seeing all this but hey, I got in the pics somehow???

Closing the month out we left Friday, May 27th headed to Bryson City NC but would stay the night in Franklin NC first. We met some new bike friends around the fire pit at the Carolina Motel and had many laughs. Saturday we got up and rode up to Nantahala and then down to Andrews to do some thrift store shopping. We then headed on into Bryson City to our Motel. Sunday we got up and Jeff lead us all over the countryside to go  
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## Member's Ride—Jeff & Sonya Squires

about 25 miles to the Blue Ridge Parkway. It was amazing, once we got there!!!! I have seen some beautiful stuff in my life and this was certainly some of it! Great views and a lot of tunnels too. We rode all the way up to Asheville NC and had lunch. We headed back to Cherokee where we did a little shopping, Sonya got her a cool Cherokee hoodie and some moccasins. On to the motel and dinner back in Bryson City.

Well it's Monday morning and Jeff and Sonya have to get back home for work tomorrow. Hey wait a minute..... they are gonna take me on the Cherohala Skyway on the way back home!! Oh Boy!! It was chilly this morning 56° and they left at 7:00! What's wrong with these folks?? We made it to Tellico TN at the end of the skyway and then turned south towards Ducktown and McCaysville. We then rode into Blue Ridge for a quick bite and told the kids we would be home around 3:30. They invited us over for some smoked ribs and BBQ, we were all three tired but that sounded like good eating.....yep, we went!

Finally back home and hope to get some rest, I had so much fun! Our trip was 680 miles total with today racking up 260 of those.

Jeff and Sonya: We did spill a little salsa on Goofy's shirt, when we took it off to clean it we were surprised to see that Goofy has "Carlos" tattooed on his chest. Anyway we got the salsa out of his shirt, Carlos, we promise not to ask about the tattoo! lol



GOOPY



## HEAT and Motorcycles

*(From GWRRA Insight Newsletter, August 2010)*

Hot summer days make a convection oven look positively chilly. Riding in hot weather presents its own challenges. However, rather than staying home and missing all the fun, with a little planning it is still possible to enjoy our favorite roads.

Dressing properly is very important. A T-shirt and shorts are not the answer. Exposed skin is not only dangerous in a crash, it's a major source of dehydration and sunburn. Add to that the long-term danger of skin cancer, covering up becomes the clear choice. Cover all exposed skin to reduce dehydration. A long-sleeve cotton shirt, cotton jeans, and gloves, all normal safety wear, are the clothing of choice. Modern riding jackets made of mesh, worn over a wick shirt that is dampened, can provide a cooling effect making the ride more enjoyable.



Start the ride well-hydrated, taking in at least a quart of liquid before departure. Contrary to logic, this will not necessitate extra pit stops. Take in at least a quart of liquid such as water or sports drinks every hour. If the temperature or heat index is very high, double that intake, since fluid loss can top a gallon an hour. Riders who do not need to make a pit stop every couple of hours are dehydrating and should sharply increase their fluid intake.

Break the ride into segments with extended cool-off periods every couple of hours. These can be refreshment stops, points of interest, or just spending 30 or 40 minutes in a cool gas station, sipping a sports drink. Caffeine tends to increase dehydration, as does alcohol.

Know the signs of heat exhaustion (profuse sweating, dizziness, flushed face, weakness, muscle cramps) and heat stroke (no sweating, pale face, shallow respiration, collapse). Riders and Co-riders should watch for them in themselves and in others. At the first signs, seek a cool place and cool the victim down as quickly as possible. In heat stroke, seek emergency medical help. With a little preparation and common sense, beating the heat is a lot more fun than staying home.

My Thanks to Jackie Vaughan for the above information.

Ride Safe, Ride Smart!

Gene D. Knutson  
International Director, Rider Education





## June

## May Birthdays

None



## June

## Anniversaries

5 Doug & Karen Kregel  
 11 Joe & Janel Piper  
 14 Mike & Sandy Burns



## Sick & Injured

## In Memory

Joe Counter  
 Jack Farabaugh  
 Carol Whitlock (GA-B2)



Mike Burns

### Flag Day Trivia

- Flag Day commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States on June 14, 1777 by resolution of the Second Continental Congress
- The United States Army also celebrates the U.S. Army birthday on this date
- In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation that officially established June 14 as Flag Day
- On June 14, 1937, Pennsylvania became the first U.S. state to celebrate Flag Day as a state holiday, beginning in the town of Rennerdale
- Perhaps the oldest continuing Flag Day parade is in Fairfield, Washington. Beginning in 1909 or

1910, Fairfield has held a parade every year since. (With one possible exception in 1918.)

- The week of June 14 (June 09–15, 2019, June 14–20, 2020, June 13–19, 2021) is designated as “National Flag Week.”



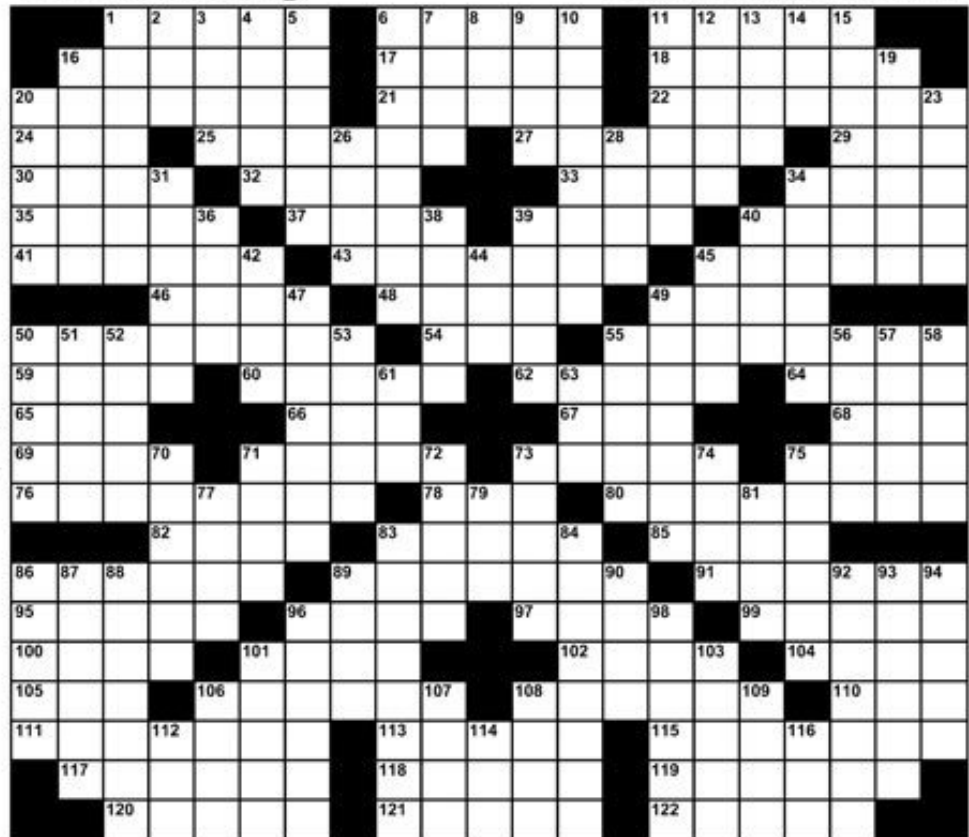
# Just For Fun

## Without a Song

Edited by Linda and Charles Preston

### ACROSS

- 1 Land area
- 6 Draws together
- 11 American saint
- 16 To shiver or shake
- 17 Desire of a sultan
- 18 Horse or car
- 20 Foreword
- 21 Student at V.M.I.
- 22 Urban trouble in USA
- 24 Single unit in German
- 25 On intimate terms
- 27 An edible root
- 29 No boys org.
- 30 Small beads, folding?
- 32 Like having a wing
- 33 Japanese liquor
- 34 Boat with outrigger
- 35 Expert
- 37 Noble
- 39 Yearn
- 40 Second prez of Russia
- 41 Retreat
- 43 Fragments
- 45 Third: L.
- 46 Coastal inlets
- 48 Weird
- 49 Cut on a \_\_\_\_\_
- 50 Flavius (Jewish historian)
- 54 Dance step
- 55 Painful inflammation
- 59 Musical composition
- 60 Rope on the pampas
- 62 To ignore
- 64 Epochal
- 65 Opposite of square
- 66 Pool implement
- 67 Unit of work or energy
- 68 Wage price agency: govt.
- 69 Directions: abbr.
- 71 Ceremonies
- 73 Jan \_\_\_\_: Dutch painter
- 75 Solar disc
- 76 Moonlight music
- 78 Honey eater: Aust.
- 80 Upright support
- 82 Rain spout: Scot.
- 83 Baker or Loos
- 85 World War I plane
- 86 Occupied by large towns
- 89 Lack of development
- 91 Plain
- 95 Bay window
- 96 A ball of yarn
- 97 True olives
- 99 City, Lake, Canal
- 100 Lincoln toys
- 101 Ogle



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- 102 Late humorist Bombeck
- 104 ERA, e.g.
- 105 Chemical ending
- 106 Having an unpleasant smell or taste
- 108 See you \_\_\_\_\_
- 110 7th of 32 compass pt.
- 111 An appointed journey
- 113 Any article of virtue
- 115 Tending to cause destruction
- 117 Secret writing
- 118 Enhance
- 119 French name for river Scheldt
- 120 Scandinavian
- 121 Bird beds
- 122 Meter and liter
- 3 Asian nursemaid
- 4 Hot drink
- 5 High pitch: music
- 6 Sweet root flavoring
- 7 Desert tent dweller
- 8 Bounder
- 9 Central river in Germany
- 10 To discard
- 11 Score in bowling
- 12 Rub out
- 13 Short for speed counter
- 14 "Gray's Bard" for one
- 15 Old English prison
- 16 Radio tube with three elements
- 19 City in N. Korea
- 20 To sin: Sp.
- 23 Monsoons
- 26 Dozes or snoozes
- 28 French preposition
- 31 Plant cells
- 34 Younger, in law
- 36 \_\_\_\_ the light fantastic
- 38 Chink in Italy
- 39 To estimate
- 40 Outrigger canoe with sail
- 42 Wild goat
- 44 Period of time
- 45 Fatigue
- 47 Self destruction?
- 49 Plans
- 50 Alden and others
- 51 Suppose
- 52 First rate
- 53 Fry, but lightly
- 55 Discharges
- 56 Chalk or clay: L.
- 57 \_\_\_\_ ray: optical
- 58 African antelope
- 61 Place to drive from
- 63 Rent
- 70 World \_\_\_\_: sports
- 71 Follows Remington
- 72 A tendon
- 73 \_\_\_\_ voce
- 74 Small sleeps
- 75 Vipers
- 77 Carol or Wassail
- 79 Hebrew letter
- 81 NBA star Robinson
- 83 "The Ugly \_\_\_\_"
- 84 Parts of a plane control
- 86 Sickness
- 87 Comically coincidental
- 88 \_\_\_\_ your tank
- 89 Anchovy sauce
- 90 Prefix for nautical or dynamics
- 92 Pathetic
- 93 Ground ripened fruit
- 94 Kefauver
- 96 Midpoint, in Greenwich
- 98 Tacked under sail
- 101 Wild sows: Fr.
- 103 An herb
- 106 European source of coal and iron
- 107 Easterner on Western ranch
- 108 Point of compass: Scots
- 109 To tie up: waterfront
- 112 Navy noncom: abbr.
- 114 Scandinavian in Russia
- 116 Chinese pagoda

### DOWN

- 1 Between 29 & 40: Fr.
- 2 Third man in ring: abbr.



# June 2022

| Sun                      | Mon | Tue                   | Wed                             | Thu                               | Fri    | Sat                    |
|--------------------------|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|------------------------|
|                          |     |                       | 1                               | 2                                 | 3      | 4                      |
|                          |     |                       |                                 | ← South Carolina Rally—Anderson → |        |                        |
| 5                        | 6   | 7                     | 8                               | 9                                 | 10     | 11                     |
| Doug/Karen Kregel—Anniv. |     | Chapter Gathering<br> |                                 |                                   |        | Joe/Janel Piper—Anniv. |
| 12                       | 13  | 14                    | 15                              | 16                                | 17     | 18                     |
|                          |     |                       |                                 |                                   |        |                        |
| 19                       | 20  | 21                    | 22                              | 23                                | 24     | 25                     |
|                          |     |                       |                                 |                                   |        |                        |
| 26                       | 27  | 28                    | 29                              | 30                                | July 1 | 2                      |
|                          |     |                       | ← Wing Ding 43 Shreveport, LA → |                                   |        |                        |

## 2022 Schedule of Events

- 6/2-4 South Carolina District Rally, Anderson
- 6/28-7/2 Wing Ding, Shreveport, LA



- 7/5 Chapter Gathering, Winder
- 8/7 Chapter Gathering, Winder
- 9/6 Chapter Gathering, Winder
- 9/15-17 Georgia District Ride-In, Dillard



**GWRRA - Georgia District  
Presents our 4th Annual**



## **"Come Ride With Us"**

- 9/29-10/1 Alabama District Rally, Eufaula
- 10/4 Chapter Gathering, Winder
- 10/13-15 Mississippi District Rally, Gulfport
- 10/27 Fall Train Ride, Blue Ridge, GA
- 11/1 Chapter Gathering, Winder

### Public Service Announcement

Check the back of your GWRRA membership card. The number list for Rescue Plus has changed! The number on the back of your card has been disconnected.

The new number is **1-877-302-6735**

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**

#### June

Billie Jean Faust—8 years



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