

## CHAPTER N2 GATHERING AGENDA & MINUTES

April 23, 2016

### Pledge

### Moment of Silence

George Stich – continued cancer treatments and Linda, as caregiver.

Linda Stich – recently laid off from work

### Introduce Guests

### Guest speakers & announcements

Monthly Social Dinner sign-ups. August still available.

### Birthdays

Steve Seligman Apr-20

Jim Flourney Apr-24

### Wedding Anniversaries

David & Kathy Southwell Apr-24

### GWRRR Anniversaries

Randy & Sharon Rainwater 2003

Steve & Linda Seligman 2005

### Month's Events

Lousiana District Rally

Breakfast – Skeeter's

Impromptu Ride – T-Bone Toms in Kemah

Ride for the Bear fundraiser

Blessing Hotel ride

Social Dinner – Julio’s Mexican, Splendora

Ride for Kids Training

Ride for Kids Setup

Monthly Gathering

Maintenance Day on April 30

**Chapter Educator** – *Kenny Shults*

**Homework from last month – how much does your helmet weigh?**

**Average was about 4 pounds.**

For Kenny’s safety talk he asked for scary times on the motorcycle and lessons learned from those scary times.

Kenny also announced the Yeti package that is being given away by Riders Education at the Texas District Rally. See Kenny if you would like to buy tickets. You do not need to be in attendance to win and you do not need to be a GWRRA member to purchase tickets. Sharon purchased the last 8 tickets that Kenny had.

**MEC** – *Steve & Linda Seligman*

Texas District Rally – May 19-21, 2016 - Temple, TX – events to be entered into. We also discussed the design of our stick horse entry.

**Chapter of the Year** – *Linda Seligman*

**Ways and Means** – *Randy Rainwater*

No announcements.

**Newsletter** – *Sharon Rainwater*

The deadline for articles May-16 Newsletter is Monday, April 25th, so we can distribute the newsletter before the first of the month.

### **Camping Coordinator – Rex & Ann Nix**

Looking for a one-night camping facility in the area for those going to Billings and that will be camping on the trip.

### **Chapter member input & discussion**

We discussed a Memorial Day weekend ride, with several possibilities:

- three day rides starting from the Valero each morning
- Grapevine, TX – Near Irving airport \$88.20/night plus tax
- New Braunsfels, TX - \$98/night plus tax
- Bastrop, TX - \$90/night plus tax
- Kerrville, TX - \$76/night plus tax
- Boerne, TX - \$84/night plus tax
- Poteau, OK - \$75/night plus tax
- Waco, TX - \$53/night plus tax
- Paris, TX - \$67/night plus tax

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY OF THESE LOCATIONS FOR A THREE DAY WEEKEND RIDE PLEASE LET US KNOW WHERE YOU WOULD RATHER GO.**

### **Upcoming Events**

Calendars for May & June

### **Suggested future rides**

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| Vicksburg, MS    | Dairy Queen – gift card                          |
| Painted Churches | Blueberry Festival – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat in June |

Newman's Castel

Picnic Ride/Huntsville Prison Museum

**Participation & 50/20/30 drawings**

Dee Eames – 30%

Kenny Shults – 20%