



Charm City Wings

Maryland Chapter A

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Hello,

My name is Shelley Croyle and I am writing to you because your name is listed on an area membership report sent out by the Gold Wing Road Rider's Association (GWRRA) to all of its Chapters. My Chapter Director, Andre' Bazemore, and I did not recognize your name and want to make sure that you are aware of a GWRRA Chapter in your area and that the benefits of your GWRRA membership are more than just the Gold Book and Wing World Magazine.

More specifically, my wife Penny and I are the Membership Coordinators for GWRRA, Maryland Chapter A (*Charm City Wings*) and would like to invite you, or you and your wife or significant other to our next chapter gathering. Our Gold Wing Chapter meets the first Sunday of each month at the Golden Corral Restaurant at Arundel Mills Mall, 7047 Arundel Mills Blvd., Hanover, MD 21076. We eat at 8:00AM and meet at 9:00AM.

As a GWRRA member, you are automatically a member of a Chapter of your choice with no additional dues or fees. Each Chapter has a different character, but the design is to have fun, ride safely, share all levels of knowledge in motorcycling, and experience the camaraderie of friends with the same interests.

Our Chapter (*Charm City Wings*) has approximately 75 members with 40 being very active. We are year round riders, weather permitting. In addition to rides to the major rallies (Wing Ding, Americade) we ride to local rallies in nearby states and have two group rides scheduled each month. A short ride is held after our gathering on the 1st Sunday of the month and a longer ride is scheduled for the 3rd weekend of each month. Our longer rides are always planned for lunch and possibly a dinner stop. An additional ice cream stop on the way is often a must. I dare say that our members would ride 100 miles to find a new and unique ice cream shop. These rides are generally at a modest, comfortable pace, usually staying to the back roads and traveling the scenic areas of Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Delaware, and West Virginia.

In addition to riding, we have garage meetings (3 scheduled this year) for getting maintenance items taken care of on our motorcycles. We haven't found many things that we have not been able to fix or add (from oil changes to adding chrome and goodies). We have an ice cream get-together each Wednesday from 7:00-9:00 p.m., year round, at the Ice Cream Cottage in Arbutus, Maryland.

While we are a family oriented group, individual members are considered part of the family too. We would love to have you come join us and get to know us better and make up your mind about whether we have something to offer you.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 410-309-9727 or email me at s.croyle@verizon.net.

Ride safely and remember that we're all friends that just haven't met yet!

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