

# GWTA Chapter N

## Message from the Chapter Directors:

Here is some good news. Dave Wittman is making progress and is feeling better. Working to get his strength back. Still has a way to go but is looking forward to long ride in the near future. Ruth White's broken leg has healed and I have heard that she was seen dancing down the produce aisle at the grocery store.

We want to welcome Suzy Shively as our newsletter editor. It's important to remember that the editor is not responsible to create all of the content for each edition. Each of us has a responsibility to contribute in any way that we can. If you have a story about a ride or an adventure that you have been on, write it down and send it to Suzy. We'll even accept some pictures.

Gold Rush was great. Weather was great. Mardee and I wish that all of you had been there. What else can we say? See the pictures on the Web site.

When you check out our Web site, you will see that Milton White has made some changes to keep us up to date and looking fresh. Thanks Milton.

We have been through some really hot weather of late and it takes some of the fun out of riding but most of the heat is behind us and we will have more rides going as we move toward the fall months. Watch your Emails for information concerning upcoming rides and get them on your calendars.

Once again we are planning a long weekend to Springfield for the Drill Team World Championships. We will be leaving Friday afternoon August 29th and returning on Sunday afternoon August 31. Motel and hotels are filling up fast. This is becoming a very popular regional event. If you plan on making this trip please let us know.

We have some new members and several people who have been checking us out. If you see someone you don't know at a dinner ride or at the monthly meeting, remember to take the time to shake their hands and introduce yourselves.

We will be looking for each one of you at our rides and meeting this month. Hope to see you there.

Your Friends  
Dave and Mardee

August 2003

Greetings!

As many of you know, the Teer's are going to be moving soon and thus Sondra has relinquished the duties of the monthly newsletter. In her absence I have volunteered to take over the responsibility of keeping the club up-to-date. This is a new adventure for me, so please bear with me in the learning curve. I welcome any and all input!

One of the first things you will notice about this newsletter is a change in format. Sondra sent me the template for the newsletter, which my computer promptly ate! (Actually, we have had to replace the hard drive and lost everything that was on the old one.) So, I am starting simple with this first attempt and am looking for feedback – is this easier to read; do you like the look; what would you like to see or read? Please email responses to me at

[shively4@kc.rr.com](mailto:shively4@kc.rr.com).

Thank you for your patience, trust and input and many happy miles!

Suzy Shively

# RIDERS RITE

In the future, here is where club members who submit stories about rides they have taken, either with the group or vacations with their bike, can be found. These stories can be about anything - from a two-week trip back east, an overnight stop on the Friendship Tour, to a fun run to the local Dairy Queen.

We all love to hear about new places to visit and especially enjoy pictures – so email these to me at [shively4@kc.rr.com](mailto:shively4@kc.rr.com).

# MILES FOR MEALS

This space can be used for both camping recipes or for new restaurant ideas. Again, this is open to anyone with ideas.

This month's recipe was submitted by **Kay Shively**.

## Hobo Meal

Ingredients (any of these or add whatever you prefer)

Potatoes: washed and chunked

Onions: chunked

Carrots: washed and chunked

Zucchini or summer squash: washed and chunked

Sweet Peas: washed

Corn on the Cob – small quarters

Peppers: red, green or yellow – washed and chunked

Italian Sausage or Bratwurst

Vegetable Spray or Oil

Seasoned Salt, Basil, Pepper: to taste

Prepare vegetables of choice, also cut meat into chunks.

Put equal amounts into foil, wrap shut tight

Put on top of open fire with grill

This can also be done at home on outside grill.

# NEWS & NOTES

## NAME BADGES

Dave and I will be going to the Ozark Jubilee in Springfield Aug 29-31. Eagle Engraving will be a vendor there. Don & Jeanne Paxton are the owners and also members of Chapter B. They do our name badges for us. If you would like a name badge, please give us your name and \$10. We will have Don & Jeanne prepare them while we are there and bring them home to you. If you would like to go along to the Ozark Jubilee with us, that would be wonderful, but if not, there will be no charge for delivery.

Mardee

# MEMBER PROFILE



This section is pretty self-explanatory. As our club grows it is often hard to keep up with new members. And, it is hard for new members to get know those of us that don't make every dinner ride or meeting night. So... I would ask that different people volunteer each month to jot down a quick note about themselves, their bike, their family, and their interests outside of riding. If I don't get volunteers, look out – I will start randomly choosing people and pestering you until you send me information! Pictures would be nice too.

To get this started, I have volunteered JR and I to go first. Here goes....

**JR, Suzy, Ben and Austin Shively -**

**Ride:** 1986 Suzuki Cavalcade (identical to the Shively Sr.'s bike)

**GWTA Members since:** Joined in 1996 (members of Chapter B until start of Chapter N)

**Family:** Beyond Ben (age almost 9) and Austin (age 4), we are directly related to Gerry and Kay Shively. While it is great to be related to them, it sure makes finding a babysitter hard when we want to ride!

**Outside Interests:** We spend most of our time keeping up with the boys – Ben is currently a red belt in Karate, and Austin has just begun taking lessons. Ben will be in the third grade and he also takes piano lessons from his girlfriends' mom. JR and I enjoy playing cards and camping. He is into golf and I enjoy scrap booking.