

# GOLDWING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

## KENTUCKY DISTRICT CORNER



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**FROM THE THROTTLE HAND OF THE  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR**

Hello again all, we visited with chapter G, N, W for the month of July. We would like to thank all for your pre registrations to the rally. We are all geared up and ready to have a Blast, we have a lot of new seminars planned so try and make one, also there is a ride and cookout to be held on Saturday, so sign the sheet at registration if you plan on going. Thanks again for all your support.

Be sure and bring the Plaque and the Gorilla to the Rally, a new Plaque will be issued at closing.

Bring your ideas for a better 2010, we will have a suggestion box, please be safe and have fun at the rally.

**To all Chapter Directors a reminder to bring 4 door prizes with you to the rally. Any question contact Ray @ 859-801-4439. Thanks**

Thanks in advance to the chapter couples for your support in the selection process at the rally; Lisa will be in contact with you at the Rally. The Theme for the Blast 2010 is **RIDING INTO THE OLDIES BUT GOODIES**. Bring your complete logo to the rally for the judging. Good luck to all.

Until next time stay safe

Ray and Kathy Conrad

**Kentucky District Directors**



**FROM OUR ASST.  
DISTRICT DIRECTORS KY/WEST**

Hello for the West, Well it's hear, it's that time of year that is the KY BLAST!!!!!! Hope your planning on being there, you'll have a great time with lots of fun, friends & family along with vendors and lots of other goodies. Update on Wally the member from Ch. Y that had the wreck in Florida during the Ride In, he's doing better still in a rehab facility but doing better and talking about riding next year (can't keep a good winger down) please remember him in your prayers along with all the other sick. Randie Baldree and I had the honor to preside of a soldiers funeral for the Patriot Guard by doing a Flag Line at visitation and the funeral along with leading the precession to the grave site. I grew up with his mother so it made it especially special to me. Well we are about ready for the Blast, kids going back to school and football season starting boy where did the summer go? I know that's just another sign of getting better not older YEAH RIGHT!!! Get out and visit and ride because it won't be long before some of you start saying it's to cold to ride, I thought as long as the roads were clear it was a good time to ride. Oh well see you at the Blast and on the road!

Ride Safe and Stay Alert

Dan Bondurant

**KY West Asst. District**



## FROM OUR DISTRICT EDUCATORS

Hello all,

By the time most of you get this Blast will be over, but for those that get this in time, I want to remind you that I would like to have a meeting with all the Chapter educators on Saturday Morning. This is to be a get-to-know one another as well as a short meeting to answer questions and make sure that we are on the same page.

I want to let everyone know about something new that National has put on the Rider Education page. It is called give me 5. These are articles that can be used at chapter meetings for education. These are some great articles that would be interesting to everyone, not just educators. We have scheduled 2 seminars on Friday, and 2 more on Saturday. There will be a co-rider each day and there will be a Team-Riding and Tailoring seminar as well. If there is some other seminar that you would like to have, let me know. If there is enough interest, we have the room for others. I look forward to seeing all of you at Blast. Be safe and have a great rally.

*Ride Safe, Ride Longer*

Steve & Vicki McDuffee  
**District Educators**



### **FROM OUR ASST. DISTRICT DIRECTORS KY/ EAST**

Hello from the east side of the state. We hope that everyone is having a great summer and enjoying the riding season. I know that we have not got to do as much as we would like but go when we can. It is hard to believe that it is August already and that schools are open in a lot of areas. With that in mind, remember to watch out for the kids and buses as you travel whether it is in your car or on the bike.

I'm sure most of you have heard by now that next year we are "Meeting in the Middle" in Des Moines, Iowa, for our 32nd Annual Wing Ding. The date next year is Wednesday, June 30 - Saturday, July 3. They will be closing on Saturday next year, giving you that extra traveling day home. They will once again have the ever popular BBQ dinner. This event sold out rapidly in Tulsa, so please remember to register early to reserve your tickets.

Reminder from Member Services: When you change your address, be sure to update it in your online membership record or call Member Services. Failure to do so can delay the arrival of your *Wing World* magazine, sometimes as much as two months.

In closing, we would like to remind everyone that whether you are riding in a group or out on a ride alone, remember, make sure you do a pre-ride checklist, let someone

know where you are going and what route you are taking, and most important, ride your own bike.

Until next time, ride your own bike and be safe,

**David & Jeannie McKenzie**

**KY East Asst. District**



**FROM OUR M.E.D COORDINATORS**

No article this month.

Ride Safe & Be Safe,

Allen and Lisa Merritt

**KY District MED**  
**Coordinator**



**FROM OUR DIST.COUPLE OF THE YEAR**

No article this month.

Ralph and Sally Ulery

**2008-09 District Couple**

**Asst. District Directors  
KY/Central & District M.A.D. Coordinators**

No article this month.

Jack Dozier

**ASST. DISTRICT DIRECTORS**

**FROM OUR DISTRICT TREASURER**

No article this month.

Kristy Williams

**District  
Treasurer**



**DISTRICT NEWSLETTER EDITOR**

Hello to everyone,

It is so hard to believe that Blast is this weekend. I hope everyone has a great time. Please make sure you drive safely to and from Blast.

There are lots of things planned and I know you will have a great time. There is something for everyone to do. Enjoy yourself and make lots of friends, because that is what this organization is all about.

See you soon,

Vicki McDuffee

**DISTRICT NEWSLETTER  
EDITOR**



**Vendor Coordinator / District MAD**

No article this month.

David Hamilton

**VENDOR COORDINATOR & MAD  
COORDINATOR**

# The 2009 Schedule for the Region N District Rallies

## SPRING FLING 2009

THE TENNESSEE DISTRICT PRESENTS:  
 "1942, A USO WING TOUR" April 23 - 25, 2009  
 THE GRAND MAJESTIC THEATRE  
 PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE



## DOWN HOME RALLY 2009

THE WEST VIRGINIA DISTRICT PRESENTS  
 "IT'S A JUNGLE OUT THERE" JUNE 18 - 20, 2009  
 SUMMERSVILLE, CONFERENCE CENTER  
 SUMMERSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA



## WING DING 31

THE GWRRA NATIONAL OFFICE PRESENTS  
 "CRUISING TO THE POW-WOW", JULY 2 - 5, 2009  
 TULSA EXPO SQUARE  
 TULSA, OKLAHOMA



## THE BLAST 2009

THE KENTUCKY DISTRICT PRESENTS  
 "KENTUCKY GOES HOLLYWOOD" AUGUST 6 - 8, 2009  
 THE "CENTER" FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
 SOMERSET, KENTUCKY



## WINGS OVER THE SMOKIES 2009

THE NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT PRESENTS  
 "BACK TO THE '60's", SEPTEMBER 24 - 26, 2009  
 WESTERN AGRICULTURAL CENTER  
 FLETCHER, NORTH CAROLINA



## RALLY IN THE VALLEY 2009

THE VIRGINIA DISTRICT PRESENTS  
 "HOLLYWOOD COMES TO THE VALLEY" OCTOBER 9 - 11, 2009  
 THE SALEM CIVIC CENTER  
 SALEM, VIRGINIA



## APPALACHIAN ADVENTURE, 2009

REGION N PRESENTS  
 "WINGTOBERFEST" OCTOBER 29-31, 2009  
 APPALACHIAN FAIR GROUNDS  
 GRAY, TENNESSEE

