



**KENTUCKY ROAD RIDERS
RIVER VALLEY RIDERS
CHAPTER G**

***"Curves-Camaraderie-
Community"***

NEXT GET-TOGETHER:

Tuesday 10/13/26 —

**Acapulco Mexican Grill & Bar,
7718 US 42, Florence, KY 41042.
Come eat starting at 5:30pm.
7pm Meeting.**



@ 2025 Kentucky Road Riders



The website now features an [Event Calendar](#) which lists dates for all social, camping and rides. Details for each type of event are located separately. Ride event details can be found [here](#) [Ride Schedule](#).

Welcome to the River Valley Riders, "The G", a local chapter of JMC Riders, located in Northern Kentucky (Florence). We welcome all brands of motorcycles

We are a group of like-minded, safety conscious motorcyclists who share a goal of safe riding and bond of ridership.



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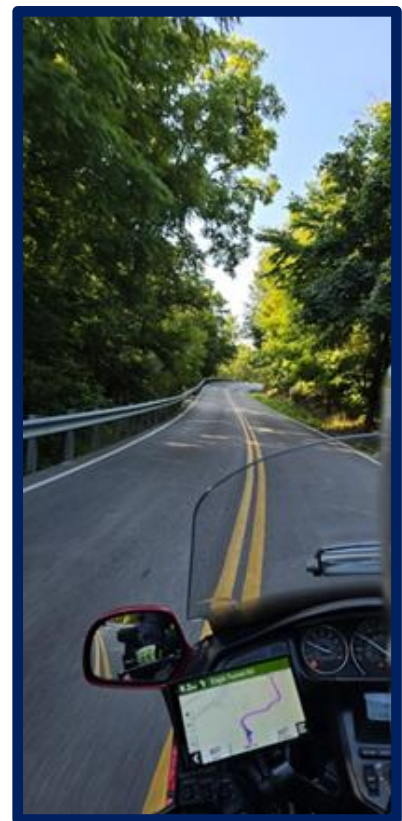
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[River Valley Riders-KyG](#)



SPONSOR'S BLOCK

I chose to sponsor October because it is the month Renzo, my husband and the love of my life, was born. 10/10 is the day, and you wouldn't believe how many times I look at a clock and see those numbers, and every time I do, I know he is with me. Although he was my second husband, and I didn't meet him until I was in my thirties and had two kids, he showed me a life that I never thought I would ever have. He was a sweet and kind gentleman who showed me that chivalry was not dead. He accepted my adventurous nature and did what he could to be a good dad to my kids.



So here is a fact that you may or may not know. If it hadn't been for him wanting to save a few bucks on gasoline by buying a motorcycle to ride to work, I never would have met ANY of you G Folk. When he bought a bike, I made him take a rider's course, but to get him to agree, I had to take it with him, and before I knew it we were a two-bike family. Then one day he got a real good deal on a Goldwing, and all it took was for a G member to see it and invite us to the party.

I tell you this love story so that I can tell you this...sometimes life doesn't give us everything we hope for. We made plans for our life, for retirement, and all the great adventures we would have together for the remainder of our years, and then cancer happened. Some of you have lost your mate, and many more are still blessed to have yours, but when I lost him, I really wasn't sure that I could go on. All plans for living were gone. But through that whole ordeal, my GWRRA family was by my side, both in Kentucky and Texas, with cards and calls, and friendship, and y'all became the rope to pull me out of that dark hole.

He's been gone 8 years now and there isn't a day I don't think about him and thank him for the greatest gift he ever could have given me.... you! I volunteer my time and energy to show my appreciation for giving me life again. You are the fuel that keeps me going and keeps the adventure alive and the only inspiration I need is your laughter and smiles. That makes it all worthwhile.



Now some of you may have noticed that Mr. Harper and I spend quite a bit of time together. After being alone for several years, we both decided that it would be mighty nice to have someone to share a meal with and maybe watch some TV, so beings we only live a mile apart, we have so many things in common, and he has a never-ending smile and twinkling eyes, we decided to be companions: riding companions, traveling companions, dinner companions, and twin couch potatoes.

SPONSOR'S BLOCK

He has the wisdom of the ages, and the stories of his adventures always bring me back for more. Ironically, many of his greatest adventures have also been with G folk! Despite the fact that he is “vintage G”, I’m still amazed at his ability to prepare and lead rides, camp like a champ, and be such a good sport no matter how I dress him up. It’s all in good fun and laughter truly is the best medicine.

So, where is all this headed? I just want y’all to know, life happens and you can’t control it, so take what you get and keep moving forward. The hard hits will take you off your feet but get right back on that bike and ride for all it’s worth. Today is a gift and tomorrow is never guaranteed. We are all getting older and nobody gets out of this life alive, so don’t sit back and watch it end. We have lots of fun events, impromptu rides can happen anytime you plan them, and if there is something you’d really like to see RVR do, don’t be afraid to bring it up! And, if you believe that the G family has made a positive impact on your life, maybe consider volunteering some of your time to give back to it. I promise it will be worthwhile.

IS IT TIME TO SAY GOODBYE?

Well, is it? There comes a point in most organizations when that time comes. What was always a fun-loving group has dwindled down to almost nothing. There are many reasons why this happens: some die, some just get old, some have health problems and some just lose interest.

This past weekend our once fun-loving, thriving motorcycle group held its final outdoor get-together of the Summer. What once was a time when most members could not wait for it to happen, seems to be a happening of the past. Only seventeen G members, and 7 members from Chapter A Louisville attended.

I see all the work a few members put into making every get-together a success. Seeing how many show up is a miserable showing for all the hours spent making it fun.

So, I ask, "Is it time to say goodbye?" I for one say absolutely not. I have been here for 23 years and do not want or plan on going anywhere. I encourage you to think about this chapter and what it has meant and done for you in the past. I feel we have had a good thing going and to say goodbye would be a tragedy.

Sincerely Ron

CHAPTER DIRECTORS REPORT

Fall Leaf Peeping Ride

Are you planning to join the **Fall Leaf Peeping Ride**? I've heard it's an amazing ride, filled with beautiful scenery and a great opportunity to connect with fellow Kentucky Road Riders from across the state.

You should have already received the agenda and GPX files in an email from me, but you can also find ride information and updates on the [Kentucky Road Riders website](#).

Here's a look at the ride schedule. You're welcome to participate in the entire ride or join for just a portion of the route. **Chapter G's leg of the ride begins in Dry Ridge and continues to Paris, Kentucky**, earning you Passport credit along the way.

If you love winding roads, fall colors, and spending time with great riding friends, this is a ride you won't want to miss.

Route Directions	Miles	Travel Time (minus stops)
Henderson to Bloomfield	165	3 hours
Bloomfield to Dry Ridge	85	2 hours
Dry Ridge to Paris	60	1.5 hours
Paris to Barbourville	240	5 hours
Barbourville to Mayfield	342	7 hours
Mayfield to Henderson	140	3 hours

Holiday Party

Chapter G's next event is our annual **Holiday Party**, taking place on **December 5th**. This year, we'll be enjoying a delicious **Taco Bar**, along with great food, fun, and fellowship.

If you would like to participate in the gift exchange, please bring an **unwrapped \$25 gift card** instead of a traditional gift. We also ask everyone to bring an appetizer, side dish, or dessert to share.

- **Cost:** \$10 per person
- **Location:** Affinity of Union Clubhouse

We hope you'll join us. This is always a wonderful evening filled with laughter, good food, and great company!

Dirty Santa Bingo

Start gathering your treasures for our **Dirty Santa Bingo** game at the **December 8th gathering** at the Boone County Main Library. To participate, bring **five wrapped items from around your home that you no longer need or use**. The mystery is part of the fun! Please also bring an appetizer or dessert to share with the group.

This event is always full of laughs, surprise steals, and plenty of friendly competition as members trade and "steal" packages without knowing what's inside. You never know what hidden gems might be waiting for you!

Don't miss this fun-filled evening with your Chapter G friends!

John and Mary Eicher
Chapter Directors



ASSISTANT CHAPTER DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Summer has come and gone. Fall is in the air and within the next few months, our favorite part of the year will be over. The 2026 riding season has been challenging and slightly disappointing. We were plagued by bad weather, rain, storms, dangerous winds, and extreme heat. It seemed that all week long we would have decent weather, until the weekends when everything went wrong. We all know the joy of a nice ride on the backroads of our beautiful state, but it's still difficult to commit to going out to ride in the rain or extreme heat. Some members have been able to make trips to distant destinations where better weather was found. Kudos to them for getting in some miles. For me, the best I can hope for is some decent Fall weather and a few good rides before the cold comes.

Luckily, the Chapter has still been able to have some good times this year, and I'm so thankful for that. The off-season is hard for all riders, but spending time with my G family can make everything better. I hope you will all make plans to join us for as many events as possible. It's the people who make the events, not the planner. As any volunteer will tell you, when you spend so much time and effort planning, the reward comes only when people show up and enjoy it.

Get out and ride, have fun, and be safe!

Donita Nardi
Assistant Chapter Director' Events Coordinator



RIDE COORDINATOR REPORT

It has been a tough year weather-wise for those 2nd Saturday rides. Heat, humidity and rain, and not just rain...predicted thunderstorms! I know the Wednesday Ice Cream rides have had a tough year also with the weather. I'm sure we are all hoping for more "ride friendly" weather for next year.

If you have any ideas for destinations for 2027, please get them to Steve or myself so we can put them on the list to review.

Steve & Lesley Holder
RVR Ride Coordinators



EVENTS COORDINATOR REPORT

As I write this article, we have just crossed the official timeline into Fall. Summer has again come to an end. I can't believe how time really does fly by, but there is still plenty of fun to be had in 2026. The end of season campout and picnic can be summed up in one short word...HOT! How hot was it? It was so hot the campfire lit itself! It was possibly the hottest camping weekend I was ever on, anywhere! But despite the heat we had a good picnic on Saturday with great food, fun games, and lots of friends and fun. We were joined this year by some of our fellow KRR members who filled the hole of the G members who couldn't attend.



Our next scheduled chapter event will be the annual Holiday party on December 5th followed by our Dirty Bingo get-together on December 8th. I hope you will make plans to attend. Our annual events are always a good time, but the more folks who show up, the more fun they always are. So please make plans now to come out and have some fun with the G family.

Please keep a watch for dinner events in the riding off-season. Plans will be revealed soon.

Donita Nardi
Events Coordinator





RVR Annual Holiday Party

Saturday December 5th, 2026 6:00 to ?

3000 Affinity Flds, Union, KY 41091

Cost - \$10 per person

A Taco Bar will be provided. Please bring a Dish of your choice to share. Our dirty Santa this year will be a \$25 gift card exchange. To participate, please bring a \$25 gift card (unwrapped)for each person participating. If you would like to donate a new unwrapped toy to the Steinfeld toy foundation, we will collect and deliver them. Please come join us for a fun





River Valley Riders – KRR Chapter G

Annual Holiday Party - December 5th, 2026

Location: Affinity of Union – Clubhouse

Address: 3000 Affinity Fields, Union KY

Time: 6:00 pm - midnight

Cost: \$10.00 per person

Menu: Taco Bar (*will be provided*)

- Soft drinks, water, coffee

***Please bring any side dish, appetizer or dessert – see sign-up below or ask Donita.*

Toy Collection for Needy Kids – Steinfeld Toy Foundation (*needy families throughout NKY*)

Dirty Santa Gift Card Exchange (\$25.00 gift card) – unwrapped

*****cut here*****

Cost: \$10.00 per person

Name(s)	Phone	Cost
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
Total Amount		\$

I/We will bring the following (appetizer, side, dessert, etc.):



RIDERS EDUCATION REPORT

In March of 2018 I replaced the stock saddle on our 2004 Gold Wing with a gently used stock saddle from a 2008 Gold Wing. This saddle includes the heating elements installed by Honda. For the temperature controllers, I used Gerbing heated clothing controllers and powered them by installing a relay connected to the battery and cycled by the accessory port in the Gold Wing fuse panel. This modification has worked very well for us during the eight years and 40,000+ miles since. In late fall of 2025, I noticed the seams of the front rider's cushion were starting to separate. As the weather continued to get colder, the gap in the seams appeared to grow wider. I tried a vinyl fluid repair, which much to my surprise seemed to work acceptably on small sections, but the seams in other areas also began to split, presenting a much larger project. After searching the internet for available repair/replacement options, I chose to purchase a replacement seat cover set.

Made here in North America, the cover arrived after a few days. It is made of special cold resistant outdoor 4-way stretch marine vinyl material with a cold crack rating of -65 degrees Fahrenheit. The installation instructions were relatively simple in that one must remove the existing cover and replace it using the existing fasteners just like the original cover. In reality, this process was a little bit more involved.

The original cover is fastened around the edge of the seat pan with many ½ inch staples driven directly into the plastic pan itself. These fasteners are installed to make the cover fit tightly to keep a smooth surface when not covered by a person. Removing these staples carefully is important to minimize any damage to the seat pan so that the new staples will have a good foundation to fasten the new cover securely. Next, the loops of thread that are attached to the original seat cover seams must be removed from the plastic clips that hold them after being pulled through holes in the seat

foam and the seat pan. After 18 years of weather and vibration, these clips can become fragile and require careful attention while removing them. Due to the tension from the foam of the seat, the thread loops are best cut before the clips are gently compressed and removed from their recess in the seat pan.

Installing the new seat cover was easier than I anticipated. I started in the middle by sliding the cover onto the "horns" of foam that wrap around the back of the front rider's hips. Next, I located the thread loops in the middle of the saddle and pulled them through and onto the clips, gently pressing each clip into its recess before releasing the tension of the thread loop onto the clip itself. I then alternated working forward and backward one row of loops at a time, until all the loops were pulled through and secured. The last step was to stretch the seat cover over the edge of the seat pan and fasten with new staples. I started again in the middle of the saddle and alternated sides carefully pulling the material taut and working to keep the seams along the edges of the foam beneath it. This operation is best performed with a pneumatic stapler and requires firm pressure to prevent the tool kicking back and not driving the staple fully into the seat pan.

I am pleased with the results and with the seat cover itself. The material looks good and matches the original Honda design. I think the seat feels a little bit softer, and I find that I do not slide forward so easily as I did with the original cover, perhaps due to the softer/more stretchy material. One thing I do notice is that the seat stays wet for a long time after rain. In hindsight, I think I should have treated the seams with a vinyl sealant like VLP and sprayed the backside of the seat cover with a water repellant. Maybe next time.

Rick Artmayer
KY State Educator



TREASURER REPORT

Hi Chapter G,

Congratulations to our winners on Tuesday, September 8, 2026, our Chapter Monthly Get Together!! The \$10 Membership Draw winner was Jeff Hinkle. Tim Mourning (Chapter C) won 1st place for \$18, and lucky Mary Eicher won 2nd place for \$10 and won 3rd place for \$7.

Thank you to all who participated in the September Gathering at our new location (Acapulco in Florence, KY) – it was great to be able to have dinner with our Chapter and their food is so delicious.

Also, we want to thank our Chapter G's COY, Jack and Carol Redd. They did a great job selling our 50/30/20 tickets. If it was not for Jack and Carol to sell tickets this month and our wonderful members/guests purchasing our 50/30/20 tickets, we would not have the opportunity to do the fun events that we do each year.

*Jerry & Luanne Williams KY
State/Chapter G Treasurers*



SOCIAL SECRETARY REPORT

River Valley Riders—Chapter G would like to wish a very Happy Birthday and a Happy Anniversary to our members who are celebrating in the month of October. If you have a birthday or anniversary in October that I have missed, please contact me so I can update my roster.



10/7 Janice P.
10/14 Troy R.
10/16 Howard G.
10/26 Chris D.



10/2 Randy & Kim P.
10/28 Charlie & Peggy T.

If you have any information, for anyone who is sick or passed away that needs to be forwarded to our Chapter G family, please contact me at: social@chapterg.org.

*Chris Davis
Social Secretary*

AWARDS COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Fall is here and most are still riding and looking forward to great Fall Rides. For those participating in the mileage contest and preparing your motorcycle for the winter, please record your ending odometer reading and forward it to me. If you have more than one motorcycle, record the ending odometer reading for each. If you did not participate in the mileage contest last year, please provide your beginning and ending odometer readings. Send yours and your co-rider's guess as to total Chapter mileage for the year for the SWAG Award. **The deadline to submit data is 11:59 P.M., Sunday, January 17, 2027.** You may email the information to me at awards@chapterg.org or give it to me at a meeting.

Names: _____

Ending Mileage: _____

SWAG guess – Rider: _____

SWAG guess – Co-Rider: _____

CAMPING COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Our annual Chapter G campout at Big Bone was a super fun weekend. But let me tell ya.....it was HOT! I can't remember when a camping trip was that hot.

Of course, we invaded the circle as we always do, but we wouldn't have it any other way. This year we had visitors from Chapter A, which added to the fun. Dean and Lora Miller, the Babb family joined in on the camping this year. I think they had so much fun they are coming back next year.

The 2027 campout will be September 17 & 18. Most go out the Thursday before, September 16th. If you haven't made your reservations, please do so. The campground fills up quickly these days.

Food was plentiful...you will never go hungry hanging out with the G. We had 2 pots of red chili and 2 pots of White Chicken Chili, hot dogs, spaghetti, corn bread, crackers and all the fixins to personalize your chili.

Unfortunately camping season is coming to an end as the weather is cooling down. But it doesn't mean we can't start dreaming of next year.

We really enjoyed our time with everyone...hope you did too!

Rick & Leah Cridlin
Camping Coordinators



RIVER VALLEY RIDES/CHAPTER EVENT SCHEDULE

October 2026

7th – Bingo-7pm-Longnecks, Richwood, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

10th – Lunch Ride – TBD.

13th – Chapter Gathering – Acapulco Mexican Grill & Bar, 7718 US 42, Florence, KY 41042. Come eat starting at 5:30pm – Meet at 7pm.

14th – Bingo-7pm-Longnecks, Hebron, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

21st – Bingo-7pm-Longnecks, Wilder, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

27th – Coordinator's Meeting – Donatos, Dixie Hwy, Erlanger. Eat at 6pm. Meet at 7pm

28th - Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Richwood, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

November 2026

3rd – Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Hebron, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

10th – Chapter Gathering – Acapulco Mexican Grill & Bar, 7718 US 42, Florence, KY 41042. Come eat starting at 5:30pm – Meet at 7pm.

11th – Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Wilder, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

18th - Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Richwood, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

25th – Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Hebron, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

December 2026

2nd– Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Wilder, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

5th – Chapter G's Holiday Party. 6:00pm - ? 3000 Affinity Flds, Union KY. Taco Bar provided. Bring dish to share. Dirty Santa - \$25 gift card exchange (unwrapped), if you want to

participate. Also, if you want to bring a new unwrapped toy for the Steinfeld Toy Foundation. Cost: \$10 per person.

8th – Chapter Gathering – Boone County main Library. Dirty Bingo – Bring 5 wrapped items from home of items you no longer need. Please bring an appetizer or dessert to share.

9th – Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Richwood KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

16th - Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Hebron, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

23rd – Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Wilder, KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.

30th – Bingo – 7pm – Longnecks, Richwood KY. Come early to eat before Bingo.



FROM THE EDITOR

Huge thanks to everyone who grabbed a month to sponsor the newsletter -we're officially covered for the whole year. Can't wait to see all the stories roll in.

Hey Chapter Members -- This Newsletter Belongs to You – If you've got something on your mind, something worth celebrating, or something the rest of the chapter should know about, send it my way. Whether it's a milestone, a member doing something awesome, or just a quick shout-out, I'm happy to help get it in front of everyone.

Share Your Riding Adventures – Got a story from the road – funny, wild, scenic, or just meaningful? We'd love to feature it. Write it up, attached a few photos, and I'll make sure it lands in the upcoming issue. Your experiences are what make this newsletter feel alive. Send your next ride story or trip photos.

Selling Gear? Let's Get It Listed – If you've got gear collecting dust, let's help it find a new home. Just Include:

Item photo – clear and well-lit

Price – firm or negotiable

Description – condition, size, details

Contact Info – how buyers should reach you

Once it sells, shoot me a quick message so I can take it down.

Head-up on Deadline – Stories, gear listings, announcements – everything needs to be in by the **20th of the month** so I can get the issue assembled and ready to roll out on time.



Mary Eicher
Newsletter Editor

JMC RIDERS NEWS

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Looking for some JMC Riders gear, or items for you motorcycle? Check out

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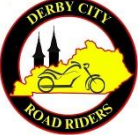
TRAVELING PLAQUE

The Traveling Plaque promotes visitation between chapters. Each chapter has a chance to capture the plaque by attending the chapter meeting of the chapter who currently holds the plaque. Points are given at each meeting that your chapter attends. At the end of the year, at the KY Blast, the chapter with the most points, is awarded the plaque.

Check on [KY State Calendar](#) for updated information on meetings.

Chapter K has the plaque. It will be available at their meeting on Saturday October 3rd.

KY CHAPTER MEETINGS

 Chapter A—Louisville	Meets the 2nd Saturday Roosters, 10430 Shelbyville Road #7 Louisville, KY 40065 Eat at 11:00 am—Meet at 12:00pm
 Chapter C—Lexington	Meets the 3rd Saturday Roosters, 2640 Richmond Rd. Lexington, KY 40509 Eat at 11:00am—Meet at 12:00pm
 Chapter G — Northern KY	Meets 2nd Tuesday Acapulco Mexican Grill & Bar, 7718 US 42, Florence, KY 41042. Come eat starting at 5:30pm—Meet at 7pm.
 Chapter K—Henderson	Meets 1st Saturday Echo Lanes 1698 Second St. Henderson, KY 42420 Meet at 12:30am (CT)— Eat at 1:00pm (CT)
 Chapter S — Elizabethtown	Meets 2nd Sunday Shoney's 1046 Executive Dr. Elizabethtown, KY 42701 Eat at 4:00pm—Meet at 5:00pm
 Chapter Y—Mayfield	Meets 1st Thursday Majestic Family Restaurant 700 S 6th St Mayfield, KY 42066 Eat at 6:00pm—Meet 7:00 (CT)

UPCOMING UNIVESITY CLASSES



Looking for a Road Course, you can sign-up on their website. Here's the [link](#).

Be sure to check out their website for updated information.
[RPM Academy](#)

UPCOMING KY STATE EVENTS

Oct—23rd—26th—Fall Ride—We be similar to last year with ride staring in Henderson. Info is on kyroadriders.org website.

January 30th, 2027 – Winter Warm Up – Burlington, KY – KRRS of the Seas – This is open to everyone.

June 4th – 5th , 2027 – Kentucky Ride-in - New Salem Baptist Church, 2775 Deatsville Rd., Cox's Creek, KY 40013. Chapter S has provided the location, and the State will be hosting.

July 29th – Aug. 1st, 2027 – The 2nd Campfire & Comforters Tour, The Breaks Interstate Park, 627 Commission Circle, Breaks, VA 24607.

Aug. 19th – 21st – 2027 KY Blast District Rally – The Time Warp Tour (A journey through Blasts of the Past). Cave City, KY. Information on the Registration form. Found in this newsletter and on kyroadriders.org. Camping and hotel blocks are available now for reservations.

COY & IOY 2026 MASCOTS



Winston

COY Mascot - Winston is currently with Dean & Cheri Brown of Chapter K. Winston will be available at the Chapter K meeting on 10/3/26. They meet at Diamond Echo Lanes, 1698 Second St, Henderson, Ky. They meet at 12:30 (Central Time) and eat following the meeting.



Bevis

IOY Mascot – Beavis will be available at the Chapter Y meeting on 10/1/26. They meet at the Majestic Family Restaurant, 700 S 6th St, Mayfield, KY. They eat at 6:00pm and meet at 7:00pm (Central Time).

2026 Kentucky Couple of the Year



Tim and Jayne Ellen Mourning

2026 Kentucky Individual of the Year

Dedre VanHoose





Kentucky Road Riders 2027 KY Blast District Rally

August 19-21, 2027

The Time Warp Tour

*A journey through
Blasts of the Past*

Join Kentucky for our 5th Annual Rally
Vendors- Games - Wingo - Ice Cream Social
Couple/Individual of the Year Selection
Daily 50/30/20 - IOY/COY Social Hour - On Bike Games
RPM Academy Classes - Team Challenges & Daily Rides
There is really something for EVERYONE!

Accommodations:

Baymont by Wyndham Cave City - 270-775-4560
799 Mammoth Cave St, Cave City 42127
Group Name: Kentucky Road Riders
Double & King Rooms - \$70.00 per night + tax

****You must call to make your reservation****

Camping: Cave City RV Campground
270-773-4678

216 Gaunce Dr., Cave City, KY 42127
August 18th: \$50.00
August 19th - 22nd - \$57.00 per night
The lock fee is waived.

****You must call to make your reservation****

Mention Kentucky Road Riders for our block.

Grand Prize \$500.00

Tickets \$1.00 each

Pre-order with Registration

Or

Purchase on-site

Grand Prize given away at Closing Ceremonies

You must be present to win!!!

Registration Information

Rider: _____

JMC Rider# _____ Exp: _____

Rider/Co-Rider: _____

JMC Rider# _____ Exp: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

State/Chapter: _____

Miles to Rally: _____ One Up: _____ Two Up: _____

*******Pre-Registration Ends on July 31, 2027*******

For PRE-REGISTRATION and STATISTICAL AWARDS, your registration MUST be postmarked by 7/31/2027.

JMC Rider Member: \$40.00 x _____ Total: \$ _____

Non-Member: \$45.00 x _____ Total: \$ _____

2027 Rally Pin: \$5.00 x _____ Total: \$ _____

Is this your First KY Rally? _____

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Largest KY Chapter in Attendance by Percentage

Largest KY Chapter in Attendance

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Thursday, August 19, 2027

3:00pm - 3:30pm - Welcome
4:00pm - 4:30pm - Ice Cream Social
4:30pm - 6:00pm - On-Bike Games

August 20, 2027
Dinner @ 6:00pm
Blasts from the Past Party
7:30pm

Number attending _____ x \$35.00 each= _____

Dinner Includes:

Buffet Dinner:

Tossed Garden Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter,
Parmesan Crusted Chicken with Marinara on the side,
City Ham, Au Gratin Potatoes, Green Beans, Baked
Apples, Cheese Cake with topping and Mixed Berry
Cobbler
Sweet & Unsweet Tea

Registration Total: _____

Blasts from the Past Party Total: _____

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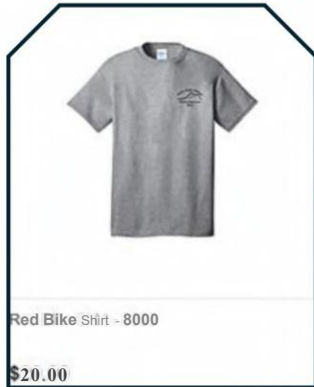
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OCTOBER FLOWERS – MARIGOLDS & COSMOS

Marigolds and cosmos are the birth flowers for October. Both of these popular flowers are easy to grow and provide color in the garden until the first frost of the fall. Their rich history and long-held symbolism make marigolds and cosmos plants meaningful in so many ways. Learn more about these two flowers!

Cosmos is a symbol of order and balance, peace and innocence. They represent luck and have many medicinal purposes.

Cosmos bloom in a number of colors, from orange, red, and yellow to pink, purple, and white. Native to Mexico, the annual flowers are daisy-like and sit atop long, thin stems that can grow up to 6 feet tall. The colorful petals radiate from a yellow center.

A member of the daisy family (Asteraceae), cosmos make a great addition to flower gardens and have naturalized along roadsides and in fields across many parts of the United States.



The Marigold

Native to the Americas, from the southwestern United States to well into South America, marigolds are popular because of their ease of growing, low maintenance, and colorful blooms from early summer through the first frost.

The Marigold in History

The marigold is a prominent element in Day of the Dead rituals, which originated in Mexico. Marigolds have been cultivated in Mexico for more than 2,000 years and are used to make floral arches, garlands, wreaths, and crucifixes. The flowers decorate gravesites and home altars, known as *ofrendas*. Thought to attract the souls of the dead, the bright colors and smells of marigolds are used to create a path from a home's front door to the *ofrenda* inside.



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