

# GWRRA Chapter D DULUTH, MINNESOTA



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## From the Director



### Fun at the District Rally By Paul Howard

Ya gotta love summer. Riding in the sunshine. What could be better. Jim Lemmerman joined Jamie and me for the weekend in Fargo for this year's District Rally. Boy was it hot. Plenty of social time with others that we do not see during the year. Also made a "new" friend with an interesting gentleman from Canada. We joined a guided ride north to a deactivated missile control center. We saw some of the secrets that our government used to protect our security. So many opportunities.

For those who have not been to a rally, please check the next one out. For another event this past month we were hosted by Mark & Cherri Stevenson for a kayak trip on the Kettle River. Three hours relaxing on a lazy river.

Please join us for rides, socials or whatever event you choose. Keep on riding.

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## Where to Find Us

### Chapter D Web Site

<http://www.gwrra-mnd.org/>

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## District Safety Message

### Take advantage of our new MN District Course Instructors!

By Joy Mattson

The MN & ND rally is now a fond memory. Thank you to Bob and Renae Hicks, our District Directors. They did a fabulous job and I know that the rally was a great success!! I've heard many positive comments about the rally this year and the fact that many of our members are really looking forward to next year in Worthington. Congratulations are in order!!

While at the Wisconsin District Rally in June, Bob Hicks became certified as a Trike Course Instructor, along with our Wisconsin friends Bruce Gephard and Jerry Hempe. Great job to the three of them!! A huge thank you to Bob Hicks for having confidence in Scott and I and agreeing to let us use his Trike to become certified as Trike Course Instructors on July 21<sup>st</sup>. Minnesota now has three GWRRA Rider Course Instructors certified to instruct both two-wheel and three-wheel classes. Woo Hoo!!!

I also need to extend a THANK YOU to Dan Davis from Illinois for giving his time to come and certify the Instructors from both Minnesota AND Wisconsin. Without Dan, his flexible schedule and his understanding wife, this wouldn't have been accomplished. Dan Davis and Kris Andre (both from Illinois) are the very reason that I decided I wanted to do this for our Members. As former District Directors and now District Educator, Scott and I have been involved with several Trike Rider Courses instructed by Dan and Kris over the years. They both encouraged Scott and me to consider the position. Well, we took the plunge and Bob Hicks was right there with us!

One more thank you. Thank you to the members that put their faith in Bob, Scott and me and attended our class. You also made this possible and I hope you took at least one thing away from the class with you. At this point, it's late in the season and I'm not sure we can do another TRC until next year. A minimum of six trikes are a must in order to hold the course. It's not our intent to make money, just cover the costs associated with the classes.

Till next time, keep the rubber down and the shiny side up!

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## Motorcycle News

### Goldwings on the WABDR (Washington Backcountry Discovery Route)

You may have already spotted this while surfing the internet. The video definitely went viral. 2 guys took their goldwings on a route that are usually reserved for off-road and adventure bikes.

This is something I'm definitely not doing with my bike, but it sure put a smile on my face. I think one of them was Dale. It's hard to miss his coffee mug holder flopping in the breeze!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sRFS729qK80>



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## Michelle's Menu



### Peach Crumble Bars

1. For crust: Preheat oven to 350°F. Line a 13x9-inch baking pan with foil, extending foil over edges; coat with nonstick cooking spray. In a bowl stir together flour, brown sugar, powdered sugar and salt. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs; press into bottom of prepared pan. Bake 15 minutes.
2. For filling: In a medium saucepan combine granulated sugar and cornstarch. Stir in peaches and lemon juice. Cook over medium heat until thickened and bubbly, stirring occasionally. Spoon over partially baked crust.
3. For topping: Stir together flour and brown sugar. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Stir in nuts and coconut.
4. Crumble topping filling. Bake 20 to 25 minutes or until golden brown and filling is bubbly. Let cool in pan 10 minutes. Using foil, lift from pan. Cut into squares.

### Ingredients

#### Crust

- 2¼ cups all-purpose flour
- ¼ cup + 2 Tbsp. packed brown sugar
- ¼ cup + 2 Tbsp. powdered sugar
- ¼ tsp. salt
- 1 cup + 2Tbsp. cold butter, cut into pieces

#### Filling

- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 Tbsp. + 1 tsp. cornstarch
- 6 large peaches, peeled and chopped (about 6 cups)
- 2 Tbsp. lemon juice

#### Topping

- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- ¾ cup packed brown sugar
- ¾ cup cold butter, cut into pieces
- ¾ cup chopped toasted hazelnuts
- ½ cup shredded coconut

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## Upcoming Events

Date	Event	Leave From	Destination
<b>August 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Chapter Ride	!!! Rest Area WI Hwy 53/2 South !!! Rest area is about 5 miles south of Superior <b>(9:45 AM)</b>	Manypenny Bistro Bayfield, WI <b>(Noon)</b>
<b>August 17<sup>th</sup></b>	Dinner Social	Thompson Hill Information Center <b>(10:15 AM)</b>	Ganley's Family Restaurant & Malt Shop 25396 Main St, Nisswa, MM <b>(1:00 PM)</b>
<b>September 7<sup>th</sup></b>	Chapter Ride	Thompson Hill Information Center <b>(9:45 AM)</b>	
<b>September 21<sup>st</sup></b>	Dinner Social	N/A	Pot Luck at the Howard's

## Your Chapter Team

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