



ILLINOIS CHAPTER H-2 NEWS EAGLE WINGS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION



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and Riding**

EAGLE WINGS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION



June 2024

Monthly Social: First Tuesday of the month—Side Trax Bar and Grill, 441 E. Main St., Galesburg
(Eat 5:30-6:30 Social at 6:30 p.m.)

Coffee: Third Tues. of the month at 5:30 p.m.—check calendar for location

*All Roads
Lead Home*

June Director's Message

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The summer weather cooperated for our gathering this month holding the showers/storms off until most of us could reach homes. Three of our five scheduled coffees this year have been cancelled due to snow or severe storms! Let's hope the weather patterns settle down for the summer. It was good to see Butch at the meeting. Here's wishing you all the best as you continue with your rehab.

H-2 chapter was represented at two rallies this past month. The first being the IL EWMA District Rally in Vandalia with Fryers on their trike, Naslunds, and Andersons in 4-wheels attending. They were joined by Donna on her trike and Dennis in his car from Big River Riders for the trip down which was a nice ride until the last few miles before getting to Litchfield. A sudden down pour of rain caught us and the bikers got rather wet. Fortunately, we were just arriving at Niehaus Motorcycles, and they had a chance to dry off and warm up a bit.

After arriving in Vandalia, we checked in at the motel, unpacked and readied ourselves for the ride to Effingham for the welcome dinner. With the threat of more rain, our three bikers rode with the 4-wheeler friends.

On Friday there was a ride to Giant City State Park which is next to Shawnee National Park—a beautiful park with giant rock formations and winding trails. Dan, Alvah, and Donna rode the trikes with the group, while the Naslunds rode with us in the car starting out a few hours later. We had lunch at the beautiful old lodge, rode through the park, then headed back to Vandalia. The trip turned out to be a 200+ mile ride.

On Friday we decided to stay at the motel and play games and visit with those we hadn't seen in some time. Later we played Wingo where Ron, Ruby, Carolyn and I all won some prizes!

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In the afternoon, we played bean bag baseball. The H-2+2 team won 4th place in the tournament! (Don't ask how many teams competed.) It was really fun and exciting!

That evening after the banquet, Dan won a DQ gift card, Ruby and Alvah each won a \$50 gift card from Niehaus, and Carolyn and I won 6 gift baskets. (It pays to put at least one ticket in each of the prize sacks!)

Registration for the rally was \$25 and included a Saturday lunch and the banquet buffet plus many snacks and water throughout the rally. Nice!

The MO EWMA Rally was held on May 30-June 1 in Branson, MO. Fryers and Andersons represented H-2 at this rally. Dan and Alvah, Donna, and Dennis and Karen all rode their trikes. I visited the clinic in the morning, picked up several prescriptions, moved the luggage from the trailer to the car and then headed to Branson, arriving about 7:30 p.m. A \$25 registration fee included a \$10 food voucher to each of three different restaurants. WOW!

In addition to the rally activities, we (Fryers and Andersons) went to Top of the Rock Canyon just south of Branson. It's a beautiful forest with lots of rock walls and waterfalls. We rented one of the 4 passenger golfcarts to drive the paved paths through the trees, down into the deep valleys, through a cave that included driving behind water falls, through a long cave, over a high covered bridge on the almost 2-hour self-guided tour. There were pull offs to park to view the scenery and take pictures. It was the perfect time of year as there were many, many water falls to see.

The next afternoon we went to the Sight and Sound Theater to see the play, "Esther," a story from the Bible.

The only problem with Branson is there isn't enough time to see and do the things you would like to do, and there are too many good choices for eating.

The closing ceremonies were held at the Grace Community Assembly Church where the last awards were given.

Attendance at the rally: 167, representing 15 states and Canada

H-2 prize winners included:

--Dan: 2nd in the 50/50 drawing for \$131

\$5 gift certificate in the mall walk

--Alvah: Free registration for Branson rally 2025

--Lanny: a man pouch that attaches to belt inscribed with: "Trikin' The USA"

Donna won a round crocheted table cloth donated by Walter Pottwora in memory of his wife, Jean and also a gift certificate in the mall walk.

Be sure to check out the pictures of both events on the H-2 website www.ilh2.org. There are links to the events on the Slideshow page.

Upcoming Events:

June 18, H2 Coffee, PZ's 220 Grand Ave, 5:30 p.m.

July 2, H2 Gathering, Side Trax, 441 E. Main St, 6:30 p.m (Eat 5:30)

July 16, H2 Coffee, Tres Café, 1135 Lincoln St, 5:30 p.m.

July 26-27, Region E Ride-In, Anamosa. IA

**Until Next Time, Be Safe,
Lanny & Carolyn, Chapter Directors**

Pictures from IL District Rally (more pics on our website www.ilh.org under Slideshows)



Pictures from MO District Rally
(more pics on our website www.ilh.org under Slideshows)



June 2024

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|---|-----|---|-----|--|---|-----|
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14  | 15 |
| 16 <i>Lee & Judy Bagley</i>  | 17 | 18 <u>IL H-2</u> <u>Coffee, PZ'S,</u> <u>220 Grand</u> <u>Ave., Gales-</u> <u>burg, 5:30 p.m.</u> | 19 | 20  | 21 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 <i>David & Linda Pedersen</i> | | | | | | |

H-2 Hosts and Hostesses for 2024

July—Lanny & Carolyn Anderson
 August—Ken & Donna Larson
 September—Need Volunteers
 October—Ron & Ruby Naslund
 November—Need Volunteers
 December—Lanny & Carolyn Anderson

June 50/50 Winners

Alvah Fryer
 Lanny Anderson
 Ron Naslund
 Lee Bagley

Game Winners

Tom Smith
 Dennis English
 Ken Larson



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156 East Main Street
 Galesburg, IL 61401

July 2024

Don't forget to bring your food pantry donations to the July gathering! This is a great service we can do for the community.

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|--|------------------------------------|---|-----|--|-------------------------------------|-----|
| | 1 | 2 <u>IL H-2</u> Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30) | 3 | 4  | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 <i>Dan & Alvah Fryer</i> | 16 <u>IL H-2</u> Coffee, Tres Café, 1135 Lincoln St., Galesburg, 5:30 p.m. | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 Region E Ride-in, Anamosa, IA | 27 |
| 28 <i>Nita Gasaway</i> <i>Dennis & Karen English</i> | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | |

PZ's Place
& Steak House
 2320 Grand Avenue
 Galesburg, IL 61401
(309) 342-2516

Go Van Gogh's
 THE T-SHIRT FACTORY

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IL-H-2's Calendar of Events—2024
(Scheduled events are always subject to change
Always check your H-2 newsletter or website for updates)

August

- 6 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)
- 20 IL H-2 Coffee, Genisio's, Woodhull, 5:30 p.m.
- 29-31 Eagle Wings Rendezvous, KI Convention Center, Green Bay, WI

September

- 3 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)
- 17 IL H-2 Coffee, Big Catz BBQ, 221 E. Main St., Knoxville, 5:30 p.m.
- 20-21 Iowa District Rally, Dows Community Center, Dows, IA

October

- 1 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)
- 15 IL-H2 Coffee, PZ'S, 220 Grand Ave., Galesburg, 5:30 p.m.

November

- 5 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)
- 19 IL H-2 Coffee, New Windsor Depot, New Windsor, 5:30 p.m.

December

- 3 IL H-2 Christmas Party, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 5:30 p.m.



August 29, 2024 to August 31, 2024
Hyatt Regency Green Bay
333 Main St.
Green Bay, WI



**The
NEW WINDSOR
DEPOT**

309-667-2801

**110 N. 5th Avenue
New Windsor, Ill.**



**Breakfast
Lunch
Dinner**

**1135 Lincoln Street
Galesburg, IL**

309-297-4645

Open Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-8 p.m., Sun. 6 a.m.-4 p.m.


Don't forget to participate in the 2024 Illinois Fun Run "Illinois Murals"





Join us on Facebook. A FB group has been created as an additional way for H-2 members and friends of H-2 to communicate. The name of the group is Illinois H-2 Highway Wingers, Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association.

To order H-2 orange shirts or hats, contact Carolyn Anderson.




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**Region E Ride In
July 26-27, 2024
Anamosa, Iowa**

Host Hotel: AmericInn by Wyndham

Free hot breakfast each morning!
101 Harley Avenue, Anamosa, IA 52205
319-462-4119 Ask for "Eagle Wings" rate of \$94.90 +tax

Other possible accommodations:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| Super 8 - Anamosa 319-462-3888 | Wapsipinicon State Park Campground 319-462-2761 Electric hook-ups only Reservations available | Central Park (County) 563-487-3541 All hook-ups available First come / First gets |
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*Come ride beautiful East Central Iowa - The area that inspired artist Grant Wood
Curvy Roads Wonderful Scenery Art Galleries
Restaurants Prison Tour
Come ride with us Register NOW!!!*

**Register by July 1: \$10 per EWMA members / \$15 per non-members
After July 1 (including on-site): \$15 per EWMA members / \$20 per non-members
Payable to: EWMA Region E**

Rider's Name: _____ EWMA Number: _____

Co-rider's Name: _____ EWMA Number: _____

Cell phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact / Phone: _____

EWMA Chapter Affiliation: _____

Submit to: Sue Thompson, Region E Treasurer, 3500 Edgewood Road NE #217, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

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PRESENTS:

RENDEZVOUS 2024

AUGUST 29-31
GREEN BAY, WI

ALL BIKES WELCOME!

VISIT: EWMA-WORLD.ORG/RENDEZVOUS FOR INFO &
REGISTRATION

GUIDED
RIDES

BIKE
GAMES

VENDORS
& BLING



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\$110.88

Cobblestone Inns &
Suites - Clarion "Block
under EWMA Rally"
515-602-6634. \$130