



## ILLINOIS CHAPTER H-2 NEWS EAGLE WINGS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION



Established April 14, 1991  
Visit us on the Web: [www.ilh2.org](http://www.ilh2.org)

**Friends for Fun, Safety,  
and Riding**



### April 2026

**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*

### April Director's Message



The March winds are persisting into April. We are having wind gusts up to 40 mph today making it difficult to walk in a straight line. But the temperatures are supposed to be in the 70's!

The weather was cool and windy for our April gathering, but still comfortable. We started the evening with a game with multiple-choice answers called Spring Trivia Quiz that Alvah provided. Some questions were rather obvious, and some were head scratchers. Thanks, Alvah, for getting the gray matter stirring for the evening.

Our coffee last month was on St Patrick's Day at PZ's in Galesburg where they had a special of Corned Beef & Cabbage. I did have that, and it was very good. I believe most of our other members had other specials of the night.

I have heard that several people have had their bikes out for short rides on the warm days. We haven't had ours out yet—seems on the nice days we have been working outside cleaning up the flower beds, cutting down some "weed" trees growing in our ditch, and trying to get ready for spring gardening.

Due to some conflicts, the coffee for April 21 has been cancelled. Please note this on your calendars.

On April 23, Big River Riders have planned a ride to Gator's Grill and Spirits in Burlington for a late lunch. They will meet at Love's in Davenport at 11:00 a.m. If anyone is interested in joining them, you could meet them in Davenport or meet them at Gator's in Burlington shortly after noon. Please let Donna know if you plan to attend and where you will meet them.

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<http://www.ewma-ildistrict.org/>

**IL-H2** [www.ilh2.org](http://www.ilh2.org)

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Upcoming Events Include:

April 11, Big River Riders Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9:00 a.m.

May 2, Viola Firemen’s Breakfast, Viola Fire Station (All Morning)

May 5, H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar & Grill, Galesburg, 5:30 p.m.

May 28-30, EWMA Branson, MO Rally, Angel Inn


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

**April Social**



**April 2026**



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
5 	6	7 <u>IL H-2</u> <u>Gathering, Side</u> <u>Trax Bar and</u> <u>Grill, 6:30 p.m.</u> <u>(eat 5:30)</u>	8	9	10	11 Big River Riders, Breakfast So- cial, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 <u>April Coffee</u> <u>Cancelled</u>	22 <i>Tom Smith</i>	23	24	25 <i>Larry &amp; Nita</i> <i>Gasaway</i>
26	27	28	29	30		



# May 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 Viola Firemen's Breakfast
3	4	5 <u>IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</u>	6	7	8	9 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.
10 	11 <i>Brenda Streicher</i>	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19 <u>IL H-2 Coffee, Tres Café, 1135 Lincoln, St., Galesburg, 5:30 p.m.</u>	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30 Rally, Angel Inn, Branson, MO
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**April**

**Game Winners**  
Gary Reed  
Ron Naslund  
Donna Wesolowski

**H-2 Hosts for 2026**

May—Lanny & Carolyn Anderson  
June—Ron & Ruby Naslund  
July—Dan & Alvah Fryer  
August—Need Volunteers  
September—Need Volunteers  
October—Brad & Dedra Mannon  
November—Brad & Dedra Mannon  
December—Lanny & Carolyn Anderson



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 Wings, Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association.

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

**IL-H-2's Calendar of Events—2026**  
 (Scheduled events are always subject to change  
 Always check your H-2 newsletter or website for updates)

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| <p><b>June</b></p> <p>2 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</p> <p>12-13 Wisconsin Rally, Monroe, WI</p> <p>13 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.</p> <p>16 IL H-2 Coffee, Genisio's, Woodhull, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>18 Big River Riders ride to Pike's Peak, Iowa</p> <p>26-27 Illinois District Summer Rally, AmericInn, Monmouth, IL</p> <p><b>July</b></p> <p>7 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</p> <p>11 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.</p> <p>21 IL H-2 Coffee, New Windsor Depot, New Windsor, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>31-Aug 1 Region E Ride-in, Microtel Inn, 200 South 3rd St., Quincy, IL</p> <p><b>August</b></p> <p>4 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</p> <p>8 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.</p> <p>9 Big River Riders ride to Ronald McDonald House, Iowa City</p> <p>18 IL H-2 Coffee, PZ's, 220 Grand Ave., Galesburg, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>20 Big River Riders ride from Hennepin to Peoria</p> | <p><b>September</b></p> <p>1 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</p> <p>3-5 Eagle Wings Rendezvous, Sharonville Convention Center, Sharonville, OH</p> <p>12 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.</p> <p>15 18-19 Iowa/Nebraska District Rally, Columbia Events Center, 1501 E. Walnut, Algona, IA</p> <p><b>October</b></p> <p>6 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</p> <p>10 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.</p> <p>20 IL H-2 Coffee, Tres Café, 1135 Lincoln, St., Galesburg, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>November</b></p> <p>3 IL H-2 Gathering, Side Trax Bar and Grill, 6:30 p.m. (eat 5:30)</p> <p>14 Big River Riders, Breakfast Social, Machine Shed, 9 a.m.</p> <p>17 IL H-2 Coffee, 156 East, 156 E. Main St., 5:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>December</b></p> <p>TBA IL H-2 Christmas Party, Location and time TBA</p> |
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## MISSOURI EAGLE WINGS IN THE OZARKS RALLY

At Angel Inn

**May 28, 29 & 30, 2026**

Branson, Missouri

Ken Lueckenotte, Director Call: (573) 680-6238 Email: [kluke45@aol.com](mailto:kluke45@aol.com) Website: [moewings.org](http://moewings.org)



Guided ride through the beautiful Ozark Mountains

### HOST HOTELS:

Howard Johnsons (formerly Southern Oaks)  
3395 Shepherd Hills Expressway  
(417) 335-8108  
\$ 69.00/night + tax (2 queen beds)  
\$ 80.00/night + tax (Jacuzzi King)  
\$101.00/night + tax (Veranda King)  
**Cut-off April 27, 2026**  
**Code for reservations: Eagle Wings**

Angel Inn by I-MAX  
3311 Shepherd Hills Expressway  
(417) 334-2300  
\$ 69.00/night + tax (2 queen beds)  
\$ 80.00/night + tax (Deluxe King)  
\$ 101.00/night + tax (King Superior)  
**Cut-off April 27, 2026**  
**Code for reservations: Eagle Wings**

### CAMPERS:

Willow Tree RV Park  
3381 Shepherd Hills Expressway. (417) 334-8890

*All pre-registration forms must be received by **April 30, 2026**. **NO REFUNDES AFTER** May 15, 2026. Each full registration (\$35.00 or more) will receive three \$10 vouchers (\$30 value) for **Billy Gail's, Danna's BBQ, and McFarlain's** restaurants. First 200 registrations will receive a free rally pen. Door prize drawings for **FREE** show tickets at various venues and cash prizes. 50/50 drawings daily. On-bike games. Attendees will receive a list of discounted tickets to various venues in Branson.*



**2026**  
**ILLINOIS DISTRICT SUMMER RIDE-IN**  
**"WINGIN WITH FRIENDS"**  
**JUNE 26TH - 27TH**  
**Host Hotel: AmericInn, Monmouth**

Bob Adams IL District Rate \$129.00  
 Phone: (309) 306-1993

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RIDER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ EWMA# \_\_\_\_\_ EXP Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 CO-RIDER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ EWMA# \_\_\_\_\_ EXP Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 District \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ Position Held \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Registration</b>	Number of Members	_____	x \$10.00	
	Number of Non-Members	_____	x \$15.00	= _____
	<b>Total Attending</b>	_____		

**Total Cost to Pay**    \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks payable to:** Illinois District  
**MAIL REGISTRATION TO:** Bob Adams  
 1600 Riverdale Rd Lot 107, Rock Falls, IL 61071

*We agree to conform and comply with the rules governing this event and further agree to hold harmless EWMA, co-sponsoring organizations, or any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property in which I/we may become involved by reason of participation in this event. I/we agree to assume responsibilities for any property which I/we damage. I/we have read this waiver and agree with all stipulations on this entry form with signature (s) below:*

**FORM MUST BE SIGNED BELOW BY ALL REGISTRANTS**

**Rider's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Co-Rider's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_