



GWRRA

CHAPTER R - SE NEW MEXICO

NEWS LETTER

Friends for Fun, Safety & Knowledge

August 2009



CHAPTER DIRECTORS CORNER

I would like to thank everyone for coming to the picnic in Queen. I think a good time was had by all who came. My count from the sign in sheet was 25; I think some people missed the sign in sheet. I can't thank the Kenagy's enough for having us all at their camp ground for a wonderful get together. I would like to remind everyone to sign up for the September rally in Grants NM. WE need to go to El Paso to retrieve our mascot, ET, so please, think about going down to get him back on a Thursday night and coming back on Friday morning. Keep the rubber side down and the shiny side up.

Your director
Ken Ryder

QUEEN PICNIC / MEETING

I don't know how many members didn't attend the BB-Q picnic meeting in Queens Aug.1st but if you didn't, you missed a great event.



Ken passed out a trivia game, which if you weren't over 40, you didn't have a chance. Bill Westburg from El Paso won a can of spray cleaner

by answering all 20 questions correctly.



Thief Does Dastardly Deed!

Suddenly we heard the alien cries of ET

"HELP - HELP"

There's a thief among us. I'm being stolen; don't let her take me away!

(Poor Kid!)

NEXT GATHERING

Roswell

Saturday September 5, 12:00 Noon

Golden Corral Restaurant

2624 N. Main St.

We learned it was Gayle Reynolds of El Paso who stole ET, our chapter mascot.

Now that has chapter "R" members up in arms so a revenge ride to El Paso is in the works. Call Ken & sign up today for the revenge ride to El Paso.

While Priscilla & Pauline sold tickets for the "Goody Box", I over heard someone say "Priscilla needs to wear a mask and get a gun". We had record sales, \$70.00 was won by Marvin Proctor of El Paso.

While all this was going on we could smell some good cooking going on, on the biggest BB-Q grill I ever saw.



Judy and Marvin Kenagy, owners of Queen, donated and cooked the huge steaks and hamburgers to perfection. With all the other food

items members brought, dinner was fit for Kings & Queens.



Ted Bates, district Director noted that there were four chapters represented at Queen. Chapter TX1A from El Paso, Chapter T from Las Cruces, Chapter W from Albuquerque and Chapter R from SE New Mexico. This has only

happened one other time and we hope to do it again real soon.

One couple talking about the directions given them to come to Queen said they were a little hard to follow. The reply they got was "Any directions given by a Connecticut Yankee to a group of Texans going on a trip to New Mexico has got to be confusing."

The oldest Gold Wing ridden to Queen was Cliff Barker & his 1985 Limited Edition. Newest was Ken Ryder & his 2008 Gold Wing.

UP COMING EVENTS

- 1-Aug 21-22 CO District Rally, Salida, CO.
- 2-Sept. 12th. Chrome in the Park, Carlsbad.
- 3-Sept. 25-26 NM District Rally, Grants NM.
- 4-Aug. 21-22, 2009 20th "Wingin" The Rockies Colorado District Rally, Salida, CO
- 5-Aug. 29-30, 2009 Horizon Training ERC & Tike Course Albuquerque, NM
- 6-Sept. 4 - 6, 2009 California District Rally, Bakersfield, CA
- 7-Sept. 25 & 26, 2009 New Mexico District Rally in Grants, NM
- 8-Oct. 30, 31 & Nov 1st Arizona District Rally in Lake Havasu, AZ

CHROME IN THE PARK RALLY AND BIKE SHOW

Sept. 12, 2009

At the Beach Park Band Shell

904 East Riverside Rd.

Carlsbad, New Mexico

Sponsored by the Legion Riders of Carlsbad

Who help the VA Hospital in Big Springs Texas.

Any kind of comfort items you could donate would be appreciated.

"Yummy Good Stuff!" CREAMY TOMATO SOUP

1 Tablespoon Olive Oil 1 Large Onion, chopped 1 ½ Tablespoons Italian Seasoning 2 28-ounce Cans Crushed Tomatoes 1 Teaspoon Baking Soda 2 Cups Chicken Broth 1 12-ounce Can Evaporated Milk (whole or 2%) Salt and Pepper, to taste Heat oil in a Dutch oven over medium-high heat. Add onion; sauté until tender, 5 to 7 minutes. Stir in Italian seasoning; cook until fragrant, less than a minute. Add tomatoes and baking soda, then chicken broth; bring to a simmer. Reduce heat to low and simmer, partially covered, to blend flavors, about 10 minutes. Working in batches, pour soup into a blender; puree (be sure to vent blender by removing pop-out center and draping a kitchen towel over the top) until creamy smooth, 30 seconds to a minute. Return soup to pot, stir in milk and heat to simmer, seasoning with salt and pepper. (Soup can be refrigerated up to 3 days before serving.) Ladle warm soup into bowls

and serve. MAKES 10 CUPS, SERVINGS 8 PER SERVING: 135 calories.

It's So Hot Today...

- The birds have to use pot holders to pull worms out of the ground.
- Farmers are feeding their chickens crushed ice to keep them from laying hard boiled eggs.
- The cows are giving evaporated milk.
- The trees are whistling for the dogs.
- You eat hot chilies to cool your mouth off.
- The temperature drops below 95, you feel a bit chilly.
- You discover that in August, it takes only 2 fingers to drive your motorcycle.
- You discover that you can get a sunburn through your face shield.
- You notice the best parking place is determined by shade instead of distance.
- Hot water now comes out of both taps.
- You can actually burn your hand on the clutch lever.
- No one would dream of wearing shorts and sitting on a vinyl motorcycle seat!
- Your biggest motorcycle wreck fear is, "What if I get knocked out and end up lying on the pavement and cook to death?"
- You realize that asphalt has a liquid state.
- Riding breaks are measured by bottles of water rather than the need for gas.
- Now that your yard has burnt, you do not have to spend time mowing.
- You have to chew the air properly before you can swallow it.
- The next person to ask you "Hot 'nuff for ya?" WILL receive a black eye.

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Have more fun, become a staff member!

**That's All Folks!
See you in Roswell!**



