

June 16th, 2008
Chapter A, Seattle

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LAST WEEK AT A GLANCE:

It finally looks like the weather is starting to cooperate with our favorite pastime (eating ice cream), and what a great week it has been. Last Wednesdays social at XXX we had a pretty good turn out. At first the room was totally ours then we were inundated with about 4 other groups from motor car clubs to birthday celebrations. All in all, we enjoyed the evening of socializing and eating. There was no after social ride this evening. On Sunday, our Urban Legend took the lead on our Wing group visit to Chapter I breakfast in Olytown. After the somewhat short an “fun” meeting, Ken led and small but happy group of bikers to Hwy 3 past Shelton, Belfair, Holly and Seabeck before returning.

On a personal note, I had planned a quiet getaway for Yvonne and I over 20 to Winthrop on Friday. UPON DOING MY TCLOCS, discovered a 5 lb loss of air in my rear tire..upon closer examination I found a very small finish nail embedded deeply into the center of my tread. Needless to say, we caged it to EAWA. The point of my story...DO YOUR TCLOCS BEFORE EVERY RIDE. It's is far better to find any problems BEFORE you ride than to discover your problem during your ride.

No other event or ride reports were offered.

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FUTURE EVENTS: (MARK YOUR CALENDAR PLEASE)

SOCIALS:

WEDNESDAY June 18th ZOOPAS at Southcenter. I may not have my Wing back from the tire incident..so no ride has been planned. If any of you are riding to Zoopas...think about a short ride and offer it to the group. You'll probably get some takers.

WEDNESDAY June 25 will be at XXX in Issaquah again

**June 28th June Chapter A Gathering at RMC..same APE time (8am)
There will be an AFTER GATHERING RIDE..destination to be announced, but it will be good, long, and scenic. One or all of the following may be involved; BBQ, ice cream, lots of trees, salt water, twisties, laughter, u-turns, fun, songs, wildlife.**

June 28th (Sat) and June 29th (Sun) The LAWMAN 2008.

Kenny is planning on doing this event. Heading over to Lincoln City..smell the fresh salt air, dine on fresh seafood, hear the bells and whistles of your winning jackpot. Ken is heading out EARLY on the 28th and returning on the 29th via some really cool and scenic byways. He will talk more about this in the future, but since you have your calendars out...mark this one down. More info to come from Kenny.

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July 17th 18th and 19th is the WASHINGTON STATE DISTRICT RALLY IN LYNDEN WASHINGTON. Please make your hotel reservations now, or make your camping plans now. 4 1/2 weeks to go. time goes by fast, especially when we are ramping up our motorcycling activities..plan ahead so we have a great **APE** presence at the rally. Remember, Chapter A holds the honor of being the largest Chapter gathering at Wing Ding 07...and that was a thousand miles away...let's gear up for this one. **Chapter A APES** have been selected to be in charge of selling 50/50 tickets for the Washington State Rally (probably because we are WILD AND CRAZY). This will be an excellent opportunity for Chapter A to show their true (and crazy) personality and still be able to roam the rally. Stephanie Greer has graciously accepted the role as coordinator for the 50/50 event and sign up sheets. Gather your crazy hats and weird get-ups..get your noise makers and squirt guns out. If you did not register for this Rally, you NOW have to pay a few dollars more....if you do not sign up prior to July..you will again have to pay a few dollars more...please pre-register to save \$\$\$.

Anyone staying at the Scottish Inn, you had better check on your hotel status. They refunded my deposit because they closed the joint down.

“Family Reunion” t-shirts ARE DONE ! I just have to pick them up. Thanks to those of you who have already send me their payments. If you have NOT sent me your payment, TOMORROW IS A GREAT DAY to do so..there are only a couple of people that have yet to pony up....or APE up.

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the first to e-mail me with the correct number of times you see “wing or wings” will be treated to an ice cream at the next social.

July 26th Chapter A Monthly Gathering ...Same APE time...same APE place...make sure your bags are packed and your Wing is fueled, because directly after the meeting we are leaving for (see below)

Saturday July 26th and Sunday July 27th. I CERTAINLY HOPE YOU HAVE ALL SET THESE 2 DAYS ASIDE TO HAVE SOME FUN. MYSTERY CAMPOUT IS AMOST HERE. I ASKED TIM BOWMAN SOME VERY SPECIFIC DETAILS ABOUT THE LOCATION, CAMPING DETAILS AND ALL INFORMATION AND HE TOLD ME DIRECTLY, IN NO UNCERTAIN TEMS..."YES, IT MIGHT BE, IT PROBABLY IS, THEY USUALLY ARE , AND WE WILL AND AFFIRMATIVE". So there you go, it really sounds like fun! Plan your weekend to spend it with your APE family just a few weeks away.

Please sign up for the 50/50 sales for District Rally. This is not just an obligation we need to fulfill to help out our Washington State District..it is the PREMIER duty of all available. It is fun, exciting, measurable, and Chapter A **APEs get a ton recognition for our effort. Our ACD Stephanie Greer has stepped up and is taking charge of the 50/50 sales. Please contact Stephanie for the time slots you wish to have during the rally.**

August 2nd is the F and G Fun run

Aug 9th is tentatively the Chapter A "Run to Tatoosh"

Aug 16th is the Chapter O Picnic in Gorst

Aug 23rd is the Monthly Chapter A Gathering...featuring Lois Anne and Neil from sunny AZ. You got a memo earlier from Neil with the tentative times.. we will tighten up the ride plans as the date gets closer. Neil is bringing his Wing so wipe your calendars and gather behind "Ol Yeller".

August 28th is the Idaho District Rally. I sent one of Kennys memos on his plans...leaving on the 28th, and returning on the 2nd of September. Please contact Kenny directly for additional information.

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Some other APEs have expressed an interest on going over. Watch for updates on this event.

DO YOUR TCLOCS BEFORE EVERY RIDE

Stay cool, ride safe

Roll On!

Jeff and Yvonne

