



Gateway Regional Retreads® Recap

Arkansas - Kansas - Louisiana - Mississippi - Missouri - Oklahoma

www.gatewayregionalretreads.com

Mar-Apr 2023

REMINDER – The membership application for 2023 is in this newsletter. Please fill out and **sign** a new application for 2023 and send in with your check. See Page 11 of this newsletter for the new 2023 application.

Directors Note -

Hello Retreads.. I'm not sure where to start this newsletter's notes. Last year was a strange and unsettling year for our Region. We have lost a lot of our members. The drop in membership started back in the Covidi-19 days and hasn't picked up yet. We need all the members to go out and let riders in your area know about the Retreads.

We also need to find Area Reps for the Springfield area, Cuba, and up in the northern part of Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma. Area Reps would be holding the monthly meetings, organizing rides and activities for the group. We also need State Reps for Mississippi, Kansas, Oklahoma, and Arkansas. Anyone that may be interested, please contact Omar or I and we can review those responsibilities with you.

There are upcoming rally flyers posted in this newsletter. The first (as usual) is the April Fools Rally in Coffeyville, KS Mar 31 - April 1st. Their flyer and all the others are beginning on Page 4.

Keep the shinny side up...

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Anniversaries

March & April

AR	Kevin & Brenda Askland	Apr 23
AR	Garry & Celine Kingsland	Apr 11
TX	Paul & Carolyn Corbello	Mar 24
LA	Spencer & Linda Fontenot	Mar 20
OK	George & Millie Hendrix	Mar 08
KS	Charles & Betty Lee	Mar 05
LA	John & Linda Mitchell	Mar 28
KA	Roy & Linda Nixon	Mar 25



March Birthdays

Go to our website to the Home Page and then Click on "Birthday" button on the What's New page to view the card.

<http://gatewayregionalretreads.com>

AR	Julia Blanchard	Mar 13
AR	Lori Coolbeth	Mar 29
AR	Omar Crafton	Mar 29
LA	Gail Creech	Mar 20
LA	Ronald Dartez	Mar 28
KS	David Despard	Mar 16
LA	Florence Foreman	Mar 28
MO	Rich Gregory	Mar 05
AR	Sherry Herrala	Mar 17
AR	Daniel Kelley	Mar 02
AR	Sandi Moore	Mar 11

April Birthdays

LA	Lorie Bruce	Apr 09
AR	Carl Corwin	Apr 06
AR	Kathy Dillivan	Apr 15
AR	Becky Huette	Apr 26
AR	Roger Huette	Apr 09
WI	Eugene Langeberg	Apr 21
MO	James Rhow	Apr 06
AR	Steve Rogers	Apr 06
MO	Debra Scroggs	Apr 07



Salina KS Area Retreads®

Salina Ks Area Retreads Meeting

Huddle House
Salina, KS

January and February 2023

In January we had three members and one guest. We had our anniversary for our breakfast for 44 years. We received word from a former members wife who was a member for many years that Frederick Smith of Wichita, KS had passed on January 5th at the age of 91.

In February we had three members and one guest. We also received word that another former member had passed on February 8th. He was Terry Harris of Salina, KS. Terry was one of the members who helped start this breakfast 44 years ago.

We are looking forward to some warmer weather so we can get out and enjoy some traveling.

Dan and Shirley Jones
Salina KS Area Reps



North Arkansas Retreads®

North Arkansas Retreads

Jan. - Feb

We had a good turnout for the Jan. meeting. We had 22 member attend. For February, we had 18 members attend. In both meeting, we had discussions on whether or not to have a Spring Fling Rally this year. It doesn't seem feasible. We are down on membership and Omar & I aren't available to do the planning. Omar's still recovering from back surgery and I am working full time until my knee surgery April 17th.

We did decide to try to put together a "weekend" Rendezvous Ride (similar to the one we did last fall in Russellville). It will not be a rally but Retreads getting together to ride in the Ozarks. Once we get the details ironed out, we will put out a flyer for the ride and send to the other Regional Directors to pass on to their members.

Hopefully, we have some information to put out soon.

Omar & Dorothy Crafton
Acting N. Ark State Reps
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Coffeyville Retreads April Fools Rally

DATE: April May 31st & April 1st, 2023
TIME: Thursday Evening Early Bird
 Friday & Sat – 8 A.M.
LOCATION: Ron Stevenson Building
 Walter Johnson Park
REGISTRATION: \$20 Per Person
 After March 17th registration will be \$25

MOTEL & CAMPING INFO

Walter Johnson Park
 Campground
 620-252-6108
www.coffeyville.com/139

SureStay
 605 Northeast St
 620-251-3700

Holiday Inn Express& Suites
 701 Northeast St
 844-384-1695
 620-808-3319

Sleep Inn & Suites
 202 W 11th St
 800-424-6423
 620-688-6400

Rest-Full Inn
 820 E 11th St
 620-251-0002

For more information please contact:

Wayne Robison

EMAIL: marionrob1956@gmail.com

PHONE: 620-820-3280

If no answer, please leave a message

NAME _____

RETREAD # _____

AMA# _____

NAME _____

RETREAD # _____

AMA# _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/ST _____

PHONE _____

MAIL REGISTRATION TO:

Coffeyville Retreads
 C/O Wayne Robison
 PO Box 113
 Mound Valley, KS 67354



SWLA RETREAD RALLY, 2023

April 26, 27, 29 & 20

Pre-Register \$25.00/Person Before April 15, 2023
All individual prices increase by \$5.00 after April 15.

RIDER _____/RIDER/PASSENGER _____
Membership # _____ Membership # _____
Address: _____ City: _____
State: _____ Zip _____ Contact Phone: _____
Email: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Can your cell number be put on a group text? Yes No

Group text can be active so if you do not have unlimited text you want to circle NO.

Rally registration at \$25.00 x _____

After April 15 registration IS \$30.00 x _____

Registration: \$ _____

Check payable & mailed to "Louisiana Retreads"
3882 North Highway 171
Lake Charles, LA 70611

Accommodations:

Rally will be at

The Mulberry Hotel in Westlake, LA. This is a small private owned property. As of now there are 13 rooms on the ground floor, 2 are handicap, and 7 rooms on the second floor. Second floor rooms are suites. These rooms are a combination of double queens and single kings.

Downstairs rooms are \$99.00 + tax

Upstairs rooms are \$109.00 + tax

They will cut off the hold on rooms at the end of March. Work your best deal if you book in April. Get with me if you have any question and I feel sure they will give the same rate.

The Mulberry Hotel
917 Mulberry Street
Westlake, LA 70669
337-214-1677

There is a LaQuinta by Wyndham
1008 Sampson Street
Westlake, LA 70669
337-660-2525

RV sites will not be close. I am working to get a site in Westlake for RV sites. Follow Louisiana Retreads facebook page for updates.

You can call or text me at 337-515-2643 and let me know you will be needing a RV site and I will contact you as soon as I find something.

Anyone wanting to spend more time than the rally time let me know and I will attempt to make myself available to ride & eat before or after the rally.



2023 Mid Atlantic Retreads Rally

May 18-20 2023, - early registration Wednesday May 17 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Host Hotel – Bird-In-Hand Family Inn & Restaurant, Rt. 340, Bird In Hand, PA

800-537-2535 www.bird-in-hand.com

MENTION "RETREADS MOTORCYCLE CLUB" SPECIAL ROOM RATES WILL BE HELD UNTIL **APRIL 1**

ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATIONS:

Harvest Drive Family Inn 3368 Harvest Drive, Gordonville PA 717-768-7186
Spruce Lane Lodge & Cottages 2439 Old Philadelphia Pike Lancaster PA 866-925-8676
Country Acres Campground 20 Leven Rd Gordonville PA 866-675-4745
More hotels and campgrounds listed on our website.

Hosted by Mid Atlantic Retreads <http://www.midatlanticretreads.com/> for more details

Rally Package Includes

Wednesday evening Ice Cream Social
Door Prizes - Trophies
Hospitality Room with coffee, cookies, pretzels and ice cream
Thursday evening entertainment
Guided & Self Guided tours Thur – Sat
Retreads Breakfast Buffet, Fri or Sat
Friday Evening BBQ Dinner
Saturday Evening Banquet and awards
Rally Pins to first 150 signed in at rally

Additional Activities

Thursday evening guided ride to Shady Maple
Smorgasbord
Mini Golf Tournament with trophies
Charity Poker Run with trophies
Outlet Malls Nearby
Host Hotel permits all attendees to use pool and hot tub, even if staying somewhere else.

Valid membership card required for some trophies



Have 100% cotton shirts.
V neck for ladies, pocket for men.
Shirts must be ordered by April 8

Colors may vary due to shortages

Checks payable to Mid Atlantic Retreads. PayPal, Zelle – artgrantz@yahoo.com

Mail to: Art Grantz 87 Cold Springs Dr Manchester PA 17345 717-818-5482 artgrantz@yahoo.com

NAME(S) _____ Retread Card No(s) _____

ADDRESS _____ AMA Card No(s) _____

EMAIL _____ PHONE _____

NUMBER ATTENDING ___ X \$88 Before April 14, \$98 after April 14 =

Without Banquet number attending ___ X \$78 Before April 14, \$88 after April 14 = _____

SHADY MAPLE SMORGASBORD, NUMBER ATTENDING _____ x \$22 = _____

Mens pocket T Shirts S___ M___ L___ XL___ XXL___ 3XL___ \$29 each = _____

Ladies V neck Shirts S___ M___ L___ XL___ XXL___ 3XL___ \$25 each = _____

Shirts must be ordered by April 8. Total amount enclosed (in U.S. funds please) = _____



Retread's 2023 International Rally & 4 Corners Rally

August 1st, 2023 – August 3rd, 2023

****Early Check-In at Hotel July 31st, 2023 4pm-8pm****

**Headquarters – Courtyard by Marriott Grand Junction
765 Horizon Drive
Grand Junction, CO 81506
970-263-4414**

ROOM RATE: \$135 (+ TAX) RESERVATIONS AVAILABLE BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1st, 2022
Ask for "Retreads Rally" - Cutoff Date for Room Reservations: June 30th, 2023

CAMPING ACCOMMODATIONS:

MOONDANCE RV AND CAMPGROUND
774 23 RD, GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81505
PHONE: (970) 245-0709
DISTANCE FROM HQ: 8 MINS / 5.6 MILES

JUNCTION WEST GRAND JUNCTION RV PARK
793 23 RD, GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81505
PHONE: (970) 245-8531
10 MINS / 7.3 MILES

CANYON VIEW RV RESORT
746 23 1/2 RD, GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81505
PHONE: (970) 730-2600
8 MINS / 5.7 MILES

REGISTRATION:

EARLY REGISTRATION - THRU JUNE 30th, 2023: \$55 PER PERSON

AFTER JUNE 30th, 2023: \$65 PER PERSON

RIDER _____

PASSENGER _____

ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

T-SHIRT: \$16 SM____ MED____ LG____ XL____ XXL____ 3X____ 4X____

POLO SHIRT: \$20 SM____ MED____ LG____ XL____ XXL____ 3X____ 4X____

LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT: \$18 SM____ MED____ LG____ XL____ XXL____ 3X____ 4X____

*****ANY SHIRT OVER XL = \$2 EXTRA**

CUT OFF DATE FOR SHIRT ORDER JULY 3rd, 2023

RESERVATION TOTAL: _____

SHIRT TOTAL: _____

GRAND TOTAL DUE: _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: COLORADO RETREADS, 15007 E MEXICO DRIVE, AURORA, CO, 80012

CANADIANS PLEASE REMIT IN US FUNDS

QUESTIONS: JIM MOSLEY, EMAIL: jmosley@comcast.net, PHONE: 720-381-3598



2023 Delmarva Retreads Rally Registration
"Crusin' the Coast Country Style"
September 14th, 15th, & 16th, 2023 (early registration Sept 13th)

[Join us for our 1st Annual Delmarva Retreads Rally in 2023!](#)

Host Hotel:
 Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 17271 S. DuPont Hwy., Harrington, DE 19952
 1-302-398-8800 (Mention "Delmarva Retreads" when calling)
 Hotel Rate: \$95.00 plus tax per night (with tax = \$102.60 per night) → Choices are 1 King Bed or 2 Queen Beds. Clickable link to Hotel Registration [2023DelmarvaRetreadsRallyCrusinTheCoastCountryStyle](#)

[Rally Registration is \\$75.00 per person and includes the following at the Host Hotel:](#)
 - Complimentary Breakfast at the Host Hotel from 6:30am to 9:30am
 - Hospitality Room / Heated Outdoor Pool / Indoor Exercise Room
 - Multiple Guided Rides and Planned Excursions offered each day of the Rally
 - Thursday Night Ice Cream Social & Country Themed Parking Lot Party
 - Friday Night Outdoor Taco Bar & Salad Bar w/Karaoke and Entertainment
 - Saturday Night Banquet and Awards
 - Door Prizes – Event Swag Bag
 *You must hold a valid Retread Membership Card to be eligible for awards ~ No awards for trailered bikes

- Make Checks Payable to: Delmarva Retreads
- Mail Registration Form and Check to: Ron Doucette, 75 Barratts Chapel Road, Felton, DE 19943

----- [Cut Here](#) ----- → Return bottom half with your payment ← ----- [Cut Here](#) -----

Riders Name: _____ Retread Card# _____ State: _____

Co-Rider Name: _____ Retread Card# _____ State: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

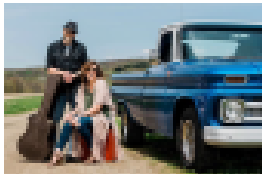
[Please share your email address so we can send a registration confirmation](#) (please print) Email: _____

Early Rally Registration Cost is \$75.00 per person x _____ people = \$ _____	Registration Cost
Rally T-Shirts:	
Men's Short Sleeve T-Shirt - \$20.00 - S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL* _____ 3XL* _____ 4XL* _____	Total = \$ _____
Women's "V" Neck T-Shirt - \$20.00 - S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL* _____ 3XL* _____ 4XL* _____	Total = \$ _____
Men's Long Sleeve T-Shirt - \$25.00 - S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL* _____ 3XL* _____ 4XL* _____	Total = \$ _____
*Add 3.00 for each shirt 2XL and over ~~~ Deadline to order Rally T-Shirts - July 15th, 2023 ~~~~	Grand Total = \$ _____
T-Shirts are Hanes 100% Cotton ~~~ Color Substitutions may be necessary due to supply shortages!	



[Register Early! After August 1st, the cost is \\$85.00 per person ~~~ NO Refunds after August 13th](#)

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RETREAD RALLY 2023



50 Miles to Empty

July 17th - 19th

Early Registration Check-in on July 16th

New Location for 2023

Quality Inn & Conference Center

1411 Liberty St, Franklin, PA 16323

814-437-3031 Mention RETREADS for special room rates



Come unwind and relax in Historic Downtown Franklin PA. Enjoy riding and fellowship with friendly RETREADS from many states and Canada. Lots to see and do, or just relax at the hotel with other Retreads

\$102.99/night + taxes. Includes hot breakfast bar

Nearby hotels: Knights Inn 814-432-2101

Several B&B's—Check the Franklin, PA website

RALLY PACKAGE INCLUDES

Sun. Aft: Early Registration 3-5pm

Guided & Self Guided
Rides and Walking Tours

Camping Available at:

Two Mile Run County Park 814-676-6116 (9.5 miles)

Mon. Eve: On Your Own—There will likely be some longer rides scheduled for Monday.



50/50 & Chinese Auction

(donations are welcome
for the Chinese auction
and doorprizes)



Tues. Eve: Music by: 50 Miles to Empty & Ice-Cream Sundaes 7:00-10:00pm

Wed. Eve: Banquet, Awards & Door prizes

Rally Shirt order forms will be sent out later when they are finalized.

Sun - Wed: Hospitality room snacks & beverages

Registration Room open:
Early registration...Sunday July 16th 3pm - 5pm
Monday 7:30am - 11 am
Other times will be dependant upon volunteers to staff the rooms. Times will be posted and listed in your rally packets.
Drinks and snacks will be available

More info: Darryl & Nancy Boleratz 814-332-9571

E-mail: Boleratz@hotmail.com

Make check payable to: Western Pennsylvania Retreads

Mail to: Richard White 6329 Mt. Pleasant Rd, Meadville, PA 16335

Driver _____ Passenger _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Card # _____ Card # _____

E-mail address (for confirmation of registration) _____

Retread Group you belong to: _____ Position (if any) _____

of people _____ X \$ 60.00 ea. AFTER JUNE 15TH - \$70 ea. ----- = \$ _____

of people _____ X \$ 50.00 ea. (without banquet)AFTER JUNE 15TH - \$60 ea.--- = \$ _____

ALL Payments must be in U.S. Funds Please Total \$ _____

You must have a current membership card to be eligible for awards. No awards for trailered bikes.

RETREAD GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME



Application for Membership
 Retread® Motorcycle Club International, Inc.,
 Gateway Regional Retreads®
 AMA Charter 32338

2023

New _____ **OR** **Renewal** _____ Date: _____

Name _____ Spouse _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Wedding Anniversary ____/____/____

Birthday ____/____/____ Spouse ____/____/____

(Year is *NOT* required)

American Motorcycle Membership # _____ and _____

- PLEASE READ & SIGN. IF A COUPLE - BOTH MUST SIGN -

I understand that the **Retreads®** cannot assume responsibility for any aspect of my safety and that if I participate in any event, I do so voluntarily on my own assessment of my ability, assuming all risk; and I release and hold harmless the **Retreads® Motorcycle Club** for any injury or loss to my person, property which might result there from. I understand that this means that I agree not to sue the **Retreads®** for any injury resulting to myself or my property at any such event.

Signature **X** _____ Spouse **X** _____

Current Card Number _____ Current Card Number _____

Member Donation: **\$25.00** per Couple for 1 yr. \$ _____
\$20.00 for Single for 1 yr. \$ _____

- Donation Amount (to support your local chapter) **(Optional)** \$ _____
 Chapter /Area _____

Make check out to: GATEWAY REGIONAL RETREADS®
Mail to: 36 Waterfront Circle
Lakeview, AR 72642

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE - FOR REGIONAL USE ONLY:

New Card Number _____ & _____ Date Mailed ____/____/____

GATEWAY REGIONAL RETREADS®
36 Waterfront Circle
Lakeview, AR 72642

Address Label

