

South Carolina District Newsletter



September 2026

Hooray!!! We are finally getting some good riding weather. I hope you've had the opportunity to get out and enjoy these cool mornings and evenings.

I'm really looking forward to our trip to Sharonville Ohio. Six of us are headed out on the 1st. We'll be spending the first night in Charleston WV. On Tuesday we're going to ride the triple nickel (Ohio's version of the Dragon); it should be a great ride. There are several groups headed to Ohio and each of them taking a different route and several days to get there. We're going to have a great time at the fourth annual Rendezvous; there is going to be a lot of people there from South Carolina and I hope you're one of them. We'll see you there.

Don't forget to register for our picnic in October at Santee State Park (Cypress View). The date is October 17th. We start at 10am and go until the last person leaves. We have lots of fun activities planned. There'll be games and food a silent auction and lots more. I promise the weather will be great this year 😊🌂. We hope to see you there.

Don't forget about our website; you can log on and find out what is happening in the District. Click on the calendar to find out what other chapters are doing, maybe even join them on a ride or just show up at a gathering.

If you have any questions please feel free to give me a call or email me.

Thank you.

Jon & Donna Horning
EWMA-SC District Directors

Donna's Two Cents Worth:

Hey everyone just a reminder the SC District Campout and Picnic is October 14-18th with the 17th being the Picnic Day. There will be a silent auction, bake good sale, games, & 50/50 drawing. Lunch will be hamburgers, hot dogs, chips with fixings and a drink for \$6.00. And there will be a table for bike parts to sale/trade or give away. Thanks,

Donna Horning



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Rendezvous is almost here. I know some of you will be headed out early this week and I pray you all have safe travels to and from the event. I know they have a good time planned for you!

I am looking forward to October and the SC District Campout & Picnic! We will again be at Santee State Park. We chose this location as it is centrally located in the state for everyone to get to. Come enjoy visiting with friends and join the fun the District Staff is planning. If you plan to attend, be sure to go to the website and print the registration form and mail it to me so we know how many people to plan for. It's always a good time, so we hope you make it part of your fall plans!

Fall also means it's time again to start working on the annual report and the Chapter Charter Fees will be due. The Financial Report is on the District Website under "Forms."

If you haven't already, remember to Register for our 2027 Rally, "The Triple Crown" in Anderson SC! Our 3 District Rally is going to be awesome. This is the perfect time to get your registration in and secure your hotel reservations.

As always if you have any questions about anything, please call, or email me. If I don't recognize the phone number I won't answer, so please leave a message and I will call you back as soon as possible.

Until next time!

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Hello All,

September is finally here, that means cooler weather will follow. I have used the heat excuse for not riding but it is time to plan some fall riding. I know a number of people are heading out to Rendezvous. If you are one of these people I wish you safe travels.

Carla and I just had a great trip through Florida. Because of the heat and planned stops we decided to do the trip in air-conditioned car. Good choice, we had a 100 degree day and rest in high 90's. Woke up to an Atlantic sunrise every morning from the hotel room. I took Carla to an alligator farm and she was in heaven. We did have to detour one day because of a motorcycle verses truck wreck. I don't think the motorcyclist made it the way they had the area taped off. Jon Horning and I did get a morning ride in this past Saturday and Carla and I did a morning ride for Breakfast this past Sunday and then rode to West Columbia to visit my cousin that is going thru cancer treatment at a rehab facility.

Again let's start planning some fall riding. Maybe even a weekend group ride to the mountains would be great. Either way, get out and ride safely.

Mike Ammons
SC District Assistant



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Hope everyone is doing well. Mike and I enjoyed an early morning ride to breakfast and visited family.

I will be attending functions as much as possible in the next few months. I have committed to being a band grandparent for the Union County Yellow Jackets, so it will be Friday night football and Saturday band competitions. I hope to see y'all soon.

Carla Ammons

SC District Assistant



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On the road again, I'm glad to be on the road again. Day 1 stay in Big Gap, VA with the great crew from Chapter G. Tomorrow it's off to Athens, Ohio and then some great back roads rides around that area. Then it's a ride to Sharonville, Ohio and my very first Rendezvous with EWMA.

After that it's home for a day or 2 while working on the 2027 Triple Crown Rally which will be right here in Anderson. Seems like a long ways off but you blink and it's here already. Don't forget to register early and just a warning, the hotel is filling up quickly so don't wait. I'm told that there are only king bed rooms left.

Be safe with your travels the rest of this year and look forward to seeing many of you at the Rendezvous.

Mike Waterhouse

SC District Assistant



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EWMA RENDEZVOUS 2026

★ SEPTEMBER 3-5, 2026 | SHARONVILLE, OHIO ★

WE'LL SAVE YOU A *Seat.*

THREE DAYS. ONE RENDEZVOUS. COUNTLESS MEMORIES.
★
YOUR SEAT IS WAITING. *Don't Miss It!*

- SHARE MEALS. SHARE STORIES.
- GREAT RIDES. NEW FRIENDS.
- BIKE SHOW & LIGHT SHOW
- LAUGH TOGETHER. EAT ICE CREAM. IT'S ALL GOOD.
- MEMORIES THAT LAST A LIFETIME.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN! *Don't Wait!*

YOUR PLACE IS HERE

REGISTER Today!

EWMA (Members of Eagle Wings Motorcycle Ass...
Sharonville Convention Center - 401 ...
September 3-5, 2026
Sharonville, Ohio
ewma-world.org/rendezvous

Your Place Is Here... See more
ONE COMMUNITY... ONE PASSION... ONE FAMILY.

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Kentucky

When you think of Kentucky mostly what comes to mind is horses, bourbon and blue grass but the big secret is motorcycle riding. It is no wonder the Native Peoples and European settlers fought so hard for the area. The eastern part of the state is a mecca for riders as we lately found out.

Jim, one of the Chapter P Camping Group, planned a trip to the Bluegrass State by finding a campground that charges tent campers \$10 a night and looked like a good riding area. This part of the state is covered by the Daniel Boone National Forest and is heavily forested and lightly inhabited. Just right for motorcycle riding.

Wednesday morning Jim, Mike, Mike and Rich met up at Hardee's in Clinton and figured out route, deciding to bypass I-40 west as it is still 2 lanes and being rebuilt after the hurricane. Our route was a mix of 2 and 4 lane roads through NC, TN and into KY. After a long day on the road we arrived just before dark and set up camp at Lago Linda Hideaway which is a ways back in the hills. 375 miles for the day.

The next two days were spent following the routes using Freeman Maps. This map has different routes already mapped out for motorcycles. This part of Kentucky is very mountainous and the roads were a joy to ride, smooth and twisty. We usually can't follow the published routes very far and end up striking out on our own but this time we stayed on route because there are many roads going in different directions and I believe it would be easy to get seriously lost. We rode the Red River Loop which went through the Red River Gorge and the Black Diamond Route which took a skinny patchy gravel route through the forest where cows, goats and guinea fowl were using the road as their pasture. Never did see a fence for them! Even the main routes are fun to ride.

Friday evening the campground had their restaurant open and we made it back in time for supper. The weather was a little warm and humid for tent camping but after all it was August but it was still fun.

Saturday morning the campground served breakfast and we sat and talked with the owners over eggs and coffee. This campground hosts The Red River Scramble which is an adventure bike type rally in October. According to the owners several hundred riders show up for the rally.

After breakfast we put it in the wind for home but the GPS's couldn't decide which way was best but finally made it to I-81 to I-40 where we rode through the area of highway that was devastated by Hurricane Helene. It is unbelievable to see the amount of mountain that was washed away by the rushing water. It will take quite a while before there are again four lanes through that gorge. It was a long ride there and back but the riding was great! We had about 1200 miles for the trip.

Richard Kitko

Safety/Ride Coordinator



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Buddy and I just spent two months campground hosting at Little Pee Dee State Park in Dillon, South Carolina. You may ask 'Why host in the two hottest months of the summer?' but this is our second year doing July and August when it's too hot to ride or just about anything else. We've found out that the first weeks of July are busy at the campground (people celebrating July 4th and getting that vacation time in), but the third week of July, everything slows down because people get focused on school starting back. There was one Monday morning when I looked out of my camper window, there was not a camper in the campground! Ghost town empty. Instead of 20+ campers arriving, we started having just four or five coming in on any day. Yes, we spent a lot of time in the camper, sucking up air conditioning and Gatorade so we'd get out every morning, get our work done cleaning campsites and bathrooms before it got scalding hot. Then we'd do lunch and a siesta. In the late afternoons we'd check on the incoming campers and make sure the bathrooms were still clean. We took it easy in the heat so we were good to go.

Now that we're back home, after grass cutting, cleaning, mopping and airing out the house, we can focus on motorcycle events. Sharonville, Ohio here we come. Then a short camping trip (a fun one this time) then on to the North Carolina EWMA District Rally in Silva. October is another camping trip to Santee and the SC District Picnic. Hope to see you there.

Kim & Buddy Summer

SC District Ambassadors/Editor



Not a camper in sight to spoil our lake view.

EAGLE WINGS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION
SOUTH CAROLINA DISTRICT



***CAMPOUT, PICNIC
& RIDE-IN***

CYPRESS VIEW CAMPGROUND, SANTEE STATE PARK

Saturday, OCTOBER 17, 2026

EVENT STARTS AT 10 AM

• PREPAID LUNCH AT 12 PM

251 State Park Rd, Santee SC 29142

Contact SouthCarolinaParks.com or call 803-854-2408 for camping/cabins

Costume Contest, Games, Prizes, Silent Auction of Items & Desserts,
Scavenger Hunt, Campsite Decoration Contest of RED, WHITE &
BLUE, 50/25/25

**If camping Friday, Group Breakfast at 8:30 AM, Group Supper 6:00
PM, Bring a dish to share**

Prepaid Lunch Registration for EWMA SC Picnic

RSVP to Mary Coral Not Later Than October 1, 2026 marycoral@eol.com

Send Check & Registration to: EWMA SC, 304 Silver Branch Rd, West Columbia SC 29170

Name _____ Chapter _____

EWMA Members _____ x \$6 = _____

Non-EWMA Members _____ x \$9 = _____

Total Money Enclosed: _____ = _____

Are you camping at Santee State Park? (Circle one) Yes or No

Rally Site
Hilton Garden Inn Anderson



115 Destination Blvd.
Anderson SC 29621

Host Hotel:

Room Rate \$144 +tax
Including a Private, full buffet Breakfast
1-864-964-0100

****When Booking your room at the hotel please let them know you are with EWMA to get our rates****

There are many other hotels in the area within less than a mile of the host hotel



Special Thanks to Kevin, Michelle & Blake
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TRIPLE CROWN — RALLY —



Saddle up your Steel horse and join the fun!



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Eagle Wings Motorcycle Assoc.

June 10, 11 & 12, 2027

TOTAL GRAND PRIZE DRAWINGS:

\$3000

DO NOT need to be present to win!

For Rally Information Contact:

Jon & Donna Horning, SC DD sc.ewma@gmail.com
Tommy & Vicky Martin, GA DD gadirector@ewma-ga.com
Libby Jennings, NC DD, libbyjennings@yahoo.com

2027 GA, NC, & SC DISTRICT RALLY PRE-REGISTRATION FORM



Saddle up your Steel Horse
and let's get Riding!

EWMA Members \$35 each x _____ = \$ _____

Non-EWMA Members \$40 each x _____ = \$ _____

Pre-registration deadline is May 15, 2027. No refunds after May 31, 2027
On-site registrations increased by \$5 each. Age 15 & under free with paying adult.

Pre-Registered Day Pass \$15 each x _____ = \$ _____

Pre-Registration Tickets -

Grand Prize Tickets (1 for \$1), (6 for \$5), (30 for \$20) \$ _____

Grand Prizes are \$1500, \$1000, \$500 (Do not need to be present to win!)

All Shirts must be pre-ordered: *There will be no shirt sales at the Rally*****

Short Sleeve Tee S, M, L, XL - \$22 Size(s) _____ X _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Short Sleeve Tee 2XL & up - \$26 Size(s) _____ X _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Long Sleeve Tee S, M, L, XL - \$22 Size(s) _____ X _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Long Sleeve Tee 2XL & up - \$26 Size(s) _____ X _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Polo Shirt S, M, L, XL - \$28 Size(s) _____ X _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Polo Shirt 2XL & up - \$34 Size(s) _____ X _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Chapter Affiliation: _____

Rider (1) _____ EWMA # _____ Rider (2) _____ EWMA# _____

Street Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I/We agree to hold harmless EWMA co-sponsoring organization and any property owners for any loss or injury in which I/we may become involved by reason of participation at this Rally. I/We have read this waiver and acknowledge with signature(s) below:

Rider Signature _____ Date _____ Rider Signature _____ Date _____

Make Checks payable to EWMA SC. Mail to: Mary Coral 304 Silver Branch Rd., West Columbia, SC 29170