



Newberry Wings



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Come Ride With Us!

Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association - South Carolina Chapter S

Hello Everyone,

September is already here. It's crazy how time is going by so fast. Hopefully the cooler weather will be coming.

We didn't really do a whole lot the month of August. I went to Michigan and a lot of you went and did other things, but September we have Rendezvous, the NC Rally, our monthly gathering and our dinner ride. Hope you can participate in some of these events.

Our Monthly Dinner Ride is going to be September 8th at the Mayberry Diner at 6 pm. Our Monthly Gathering is going to be September 19th at Roma's, eat at 12:30 and meet at 1 o'clock. The NC District Rally is September 24-26 at Silva NC. Don't forget the SC District Picnic on October 17th at Santee State Park.

We need to discuss our Chapter Christmas Party and where we should have it. If at Roma's, is the third Saturday of December (Dec 19) or do we want to have it somewhere else and do a gift exchange Christmas like in the past. I need to let Roma's know as soon as possible.

Thanks for being you,

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Newberry Riders



On August 1st
EWMA
Members
from Chapter
S & P along
with Emerald
City Wings
helped escort
bicycles in
the Flight of
the Dove
Event at
Clinton SC.



This worthy event is held annually & helps provide funds for Hospice of Laurens County.

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.

Michael Ammons



Safety/Ride Info

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

2026 EWMA SC District Events

SC District Picnic & Campout Oct 17, 2026 Santee
Santee State Park Cypress View Campground

2026 EWMA Region A Rallies

EWMA Rendezvous Sep 3-5, 2026 Sharonville OH

NC District Rally Sep 24-26, 2026 Silva
Happy Birthday America Clarion Pointe Hotel

MS District Rally Oct 15-17, 2026 Biloxi
America the Beautiful St Martin Community Center



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Friends for Fun, Safety & Riding

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.

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Sharonville, OH

SHARONVILLE CONVENTION CENTER
SEPTEMBER 3-5, 2026
SHARONVILLE, OHIO

ewma-world.org/rendezvous

Your Place Is Here. There... See more. ★ ONE FAMILY.

September Happenings:

Supper Ride – Mayberry Diner, Cross Hill, 6 pm Sept 8

Rendezvous – Sept 3-5, Sharonville OH

Chapter Gathering – Roma's, Prosperity, 12:30 eat, 1:00 meet Sept 19

NC Rally – Clarion Point Hotel, Silva NC, Sept 24-26

October Happenings:

SC District Picnic & Campout – Oct 17, Santee State Park

MS Rally – St. Martin Community Center, Oct 15-17, Biloxi MS

Upcoming Birthdays & Anniversaries

Steve – Sept 27

Pink – Oct 24

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. Later this month we're planning 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 Summer
Editor



A Monday morning in August at Little Pee Dee State Park and 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@aol.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!



SC
GA
NC



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:

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

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



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