



The Texas District News

Texas District Newsletter

“Friends for Fun, Safety, and Riding”



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From the District Director

Good afternoon, and I hope you are having a wonderful summer. My electric bill says that this summer is not nearly as hot as normal, but after we hit 107 yesterday that may be up for debate. The majority of the efforts that your district team has been engaged in has been the planning for the fall ride in happening on September 26th, 27th, 28th in Lindale, Texas. This is just up the road from Tyler, Texas. We already have over 50 registrations and I'm hearing of many more to come. Jim Evans has been hard at work creating ride plans and sourcing out ride captains and tail gunners. As is customary, the goal is to make sure that we have plenty of lead rides to keep us busy during the days. Making sure that there are destinations on these rides will give you insight into the state of Texas and her history. The flyer is available in this newsletter, as well as on the district website. Each night we will be offering simple dinners, and desserts. We will have games such as 50/50 and competitions for shared photos. Everyone usually has a pretty grand time.

We are starting to plan our spring ride in with no decisions yet as to location, nor date. This can happen between March and May and our first goal is to make sure we do not conflict with any other district around us. If possible, we will choose a weekend that is open to allow more participation from EWMA as a whole. Also in September, most likely either at our fall ride in or just before we will draw a Raffle ticket (digital) that every EWMA Texas member will be automatically participating in. The number of entries you have reflect the type of membership you have (individual/family) as well as how many years you have signed up for. The winning ticket will be worth \$500, so we encourage people to either extend their membership, or join if they have not already done so. It could make you \$500 richer. The better reward is getting to know new people and creating new friends.

As always Donna and I keep you in our prayers for safe riding, good health, and good fortune.

Dan and Donna Rymarz
Texas District Directors, EWMA
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EAGLE WINGS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION



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Chapter Staff as of September 2023

Chapter	Area	Chapter Leadership	Contact Info
<u>Pine-E Woods Riders</u>	Tyler	Director = <u>Kaufman, Karen and Gene</u> Treasurer = Martin, Tom Ride Coordinator = Chuck Chestnut	314-402-8271
G	Tomball	Director = <u>Deluke, Joe and Tammy</u> Treasurer = <u>Stan Brown</u> Ride Coordinator = Greenway, David	713-498-3201
<u>Roadrunners G2</u>	Greenville	Director = <u>Wiggins, Jim and Barbara</u> Treasurer = <u>Augustas, George</u> Ride Coordinator = Wiggins, Jim and Barbara	903-217-4066
H	San Antonio	Director = <u>Griffin, Keith and Milligan, Paula</u> Treasurer = <u>Charles Fleming</u> Ride Coordinator = Charles Fleming	210-478-8928
J	Orange	Director = <u>Kimbrough, Randy</u> Treasurer = <u>Pierson, Debbie</u> Ride Coordinator = Open	409-201-1955
Hill Country Wings	Castroville	Director = <u>Michael Pineda</u> Treasurer = Charlotte F Ride Coordinator = Donna W	210-707-8411
<u>M2</u>	Spring	Director = <u>Gresak, Scott & Linda</u> Treasurer = <u>Andrew Woodward</u> Ride Coordinator = <u>Tim & Kathy Bryan</u>	281-386-7800
<u>O Capitol Wings</u>	Austin	Director = <u>Jim & Deedee Evans</u> Treasurer = <u>Sheri Altes</u> Ride Coordinator = Ken Burnett / Steven Thomas	512-576-8890
<u>“P” Pleasure Riders</u>	Granbury	Director = <u>Roberts, Christie</u> Treasurer = <u>Graham, Jeff</u> Ride Coordinator = <u>Eddie Roberts</u>	817-279-3928
Rally Cats	Dallas/ Fort Worth	Director = <u>Walker, Don & Karen</u> Treasurer = <u>Moody, Bill</u> Ride Coordinator = Rymarz, Dan	817-821-4388
<u>S2</u>	League City	Director = <u>Newman, Scott & Debbie</u> Treasurer = Karen Rudisill Ride Coordinator = Jim Denton	281-804-1181
<u>Central Texas Wings</u>	Killeen	Director = <u>Gene & Quinta Harris</u> Treasurer = <u>Brooks, Tim and Young</u> Ride Coordinator = Jim and Alvalin Woodul	254-289-6036
<u>W</u>	Ft Bend Harris County	Director = <u>Cindy Harris</u> Treasurer = Suzanne Neal Ride Coordinator = Greg Edmond	386-846-8521

COMING EVENTS

Date	District	Event	Location	Contact/E-Mail	Phone
August 29–31	★	<u>Eagle Wings Rendezvous</u>	KI Convention Center Green Bay, Wisconsin	Patty O’Neill ewmacfo@gmail.com	408-639-0415
September 10	MI	<u>Michigan District Ride-In</u>	Brighton Airport Grounds Brighton, Michigan	Patrick and Natasha Doyle dd_pat@ewma-mi.org	517-918-1035
September 20, 21	IA	<u>Iowa District Rally</u>	Dows Community Centre Dows, Iowa	Roger Munson roxy50421@hotmail.com	563-568-1815
September 20, 21	NC	<u>North Carolina District Rally</u>	Cornerstone Conference Centre Brown Summit, NC	Libby Jennings libbyjennings@yahoo.com	919-291-1918
September 26–28	TX	<u>Texas District Ride-In</u> (see flyer in newsletter)	Comfort Suites Lindale, Texas	Dan Rymarz txdd@ewma-tx.org	469-669-9191
October 24–26	MS	<u>Mississippi District Rally</u>	St Martin Community Centre Biloxi, Miss.	KZ & Terry Kleinheitz ewmamsdd@gmail.com	228-806-0563
March 13–15, 2025	FL	<u>Florida District Rally</u>	Best Western Hotel Gainesville, FL	Frederic W. Kennedy FredandKaren@cox.net	850-232-0365
April 24–26, 2025	TN	<u>Tennessee District Rally</u>	Holiday Inn Johnson City, Tenn.	Bob Mack thunderchief452@yahoo.com	865-258-9872
May 15–17, 2025	SC	<u>South Carolina District Rally</u>	Hampton Inn Newberry, SC	Jon J. Horning jjhorning63@yahoo.com	803-924-5243
June 26–28, 2025	AL	<u>Alabama District Rally</u>	Clarion Inn Sheffield, AL	Danny Baker jdbaker1951@yahoo.com	205-936-7843

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WINGERS AND WAVES

Cruise information is for everyone that is interested in going with us in January 2025 from our Texas coast / Galveston, Texas. We are trying to save all from having that air fare to Florida. Past GWRRA members, EWMA members, Wing’d Riders, and non-bikers as well. We just want to get out of colder weather, to the Caribbeans, warmer weather. Please contact Mindy Bubar for the booking. These are Oceanview balcony cabins. The cabins are limited so contact her as soon as possible. Becky and I am hosting the cruise, we would love to see you all.!!!

Gary Wheatley - 713-859-6589 - gary@c21granbury.com CONTACT MINDY BUBAR FOR THE BOOKINGS !!!!

EAGLE WINGS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION



TEXAS DISTRICT 2024 FALL RIDE-IN



EWMA-TX.org

Lindale, TX

September 26, 27 and 28 2024

Come Join us for 3 great days of both lead and self-lead rides through the scenic North East Texas roads and cities with lots of great food along the way. Plus, fun evenings getting together with friends.

Host Hotel

Comfort Suites

200 W. Centennial Blvd.

Lindale, TX 75771

903-882-8613

For group rates, you must contact the hotel by phone and say you are with:

Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association

See next page for more Information

Electronic Registration

<https://form.jotform.com/241784237076159>

Registration Cost
Pre-Registration Ends 9/19/2024

EWMA Member PRE-REGISTRATION PER PERSON \$15
EWMA Member PRE-REGISTRATION COUPLE \$20
NON EWMA Member PRE-REGISTRATION PER PERSON \$20
NON EWMA Member PRE-REGISTRATION COUPLE \$30

Registration at the door

INDIVIDUAL \$25
COUPLE \$35

ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION

<https://form.jotform.com/241784237076159>

NIGHTLY EVENTS

Thursday Night: 50/50 Drawing, Announcements, Hot Dogs & Chips @ \$1.00 each collected at the time
Friday Night: 50/50 Drawing, Announcements, Frito Pie @ \$2.00 each collected at the time & District Provides Free Ice Cream
Saturday Night: 50/50 Drawing, Announcements, Pizza Party — all chip in, collected at the time
District will provide bottled water all nights

Hotel Info

Comfort Suites
200 W. Centennial Blvd.
Lindale, TX 75771
903-882-8613

For Group Rates you must contact the hotel by phone and say you are with
Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association

Group Rate

1 King Bed, No Smoking, Suite \$90.00 a Night
2 Queen Beds, No Smoking, Suite \$98.00 a Night

Group Rate Cutoff 9/14/2024

For More Information. Contact One Of The Following:

Dan Rymarz dan.rymarz@outlook.com



WINGERS-N-WAVES
— The Ultimate Travel Club —

Harmony of the Seas

January 19-26, 2025

You are invited to join us on an amazing group cruise departing from Galveston, TX!
The Harmony of the Seas has won more awards than any other ship in the world.
It's the biggest, boldest ship to ever sail from the Lone Star State!



Oceanview Balcony
from \$1,036pp!

Rates are subject to change until booked.

GREAT GROUP RATES:

LIMITED SPACE The following group rate includes port tax and is based on double occupancy.

This cruise is open to all friends and family!

Becky and Gary Wheatley will host this group cruise. Please reserve with us to ensure you are invited to our private parties, special events, group dinners and more!

Deposit - Only a **\$250 refundable deposit** per person when you book at the group rate.

Final payment - due by **October 14, 2024**
*the rates are subject to change until booked or sold out.

HARMONY OF THE SEAS



Date	Port	Arrival Time	Departure Time
Jan 19 - Sunday	Galveston, Texas		4:00 PM
Jan 20 - Monday	At Sea		
Jan 21 - Tuesday	At Sea		
Jan 22 - Wednesday	Coxen Hole, Roatan, Bay Islands, Honduras	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
Jan 23 - Thursday	Costa Maya, Mexico	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
Jan 24 - Friday	Cozumel, Mexico	7:00 AM	5:30 PM
Jan 25 - Saturday	At Sea		
Jan 26 - Sunday	Galveston, Texas	7:00 AM	

*Itinerary subject to change

LIMITED SPACE - For questions and reservations, please contact
Mindy Bubar • mindy@agroupcruise.com • (904) 613-2205



A Group Cruise

CRUISE RESERVATION FORM

Fill this form using Adobe Acrobat, rename & save the completed form, then attach in an e-mail to mindy@agroupcruise.com

Passenger Information: (Current legal name that is printed on your Passport)

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Cell:(_____) _____ How many people in your cabin: _____

Email Address: _____ Nickname for social badge: _____

Date of Birth Month/Day/Year: _____ Cruise Line Loyalty Number: _____

U.S. Citizen? Yes No Group or Chapter Affiliation: _____

Additional Passenger:

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Cell:(_____) _____ Best time to contact: AM PM

Email Address: _____ Nickname for Social Badge: _____

Date of Birth Month/Day/Year: _____ Cruise Line Loyalty Number: _____

U.S. Citizen? Yes No Group or Chapter Affiliation: _____

Do you have any special needs? Please describe below: (i.e., Medical, Dietary, Limited Mobility, Allergic Reactions, CPAP, Request To Sit At Dinner With Specific Friends, Cabin Assignment Requests, Comments)

Special pricing - based on double occupancy Name of Ship: _____ Sailing date: _____

Inside Cabin Window Cabin Balcony Cabin

I would like to purchase travel insurance through the cruise line: Yes No

A deposit per person is due to reserve your cabin. **(Plus if you would like to add travel insurance.)**

PAYMENT AREA

Credit Card Type: Visa MC American Express Discover

Name on the credit card: _____

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: Month _____ Year _____ Security Code: _____

Billing Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

Approved amount to charge: \$ _____ Date of reservation: _____

Use the same credit card for the final payment? Please check one: Yes No Contact me for another credit card

Internal Use Only: Date cabin booked: _____ Final payment paid: _____ Confirmation sent: _____



EWMA Texas - Membership Drive

EWMA Texas will be drawing Raffle tickets at the Texas Fall Ride-In, Date and location TBD. Grand prize is \$500 and ALL current EWMA Texas members will automatically be eligible to Win!

- **New Members:** Every new Texas member will receive one entry for per person (Limit 2 people) per year you sign up for! Dates: September 1st, 2023 thru September 1st, 2024
- **Existing members:** Anyone Texas member who signed up for more than one year since EWMA was formed will receive one entry for each person (Limit 2 people) for each additional year you signed up for at your original joining!
- **Renewing members:** Any renewal of your EWMA Texas membership will earn you one raffle ticket for EACH member (Limit 2 people) for each year you extend your existing membership.
- **Recruiting a Member:** Any member who brings a NEW Texas membership to EWMA (Family or individual count as One entry) and new memberships can only have one recruiter. Email dan.rymarz@outlook.com with the name of your recruit.
- **The Only Texas members not eligible:** Texas District Directors – Dan and Donna Rymarz
- **Winners must be a member at the time of the drawing**
- **Drawing Date:** This will be taking place at the evening get together during the Texas Fall Ride-In on (TBD). Winner(s) do not need to be present to win.
- **What do I have to do?**
 - Visit - https://ewma-world.org/content.aspx?page_id=60&club_id=719997
 - Sign up or Renew (Existing Multi-Year members are already entered)
 - You are automatically entered! (we get reports)
 - You will get an email as we approach the Fall Ride-in confirming your numbers in the drawing.
 - Need Not Be Present to win.
- **Membership Cost and Raffle entries:**
 - **Individual Membership**
 - 1 Year – \$25 - 1 Raffle Entry
 - 2 Year – \$45 - 2 Raffle Entries
 - 3 Year – \$65 - 3 Raffle Entries
 - **Family Membership**
 - 1 Year – \$30 - 2 Raffle Entries
 - 2 Year – \$55 - 4 Raffle Entries
 - 3 Year – \$80 - 6 Raffle Entries





Eagle Wings Texas - Why Join us?

- We are an open motorcycle association that caters to a variety of riders
- We are welcoming toward owners of ANY motorcycle brand or design.
- We are made up of a diverse population of welcoming friendly people.
- We are Built on the legacy of GWRRA and have been promoting safety since 1977
- We have served generations of members with our leadership including the grandchildren of early members.
- We work to participate and serve in community events and charities and have for decades.
- We plan and sponser chapter, state, and National riding events, as well as rallies to reinforce our commitment to safety, fun and friendship.
- Our membership costs are extremely low and we make every effort to ensure money does not get in the way of riding.
- Our members share their experience, and knowledge.
- Mainenance day events can be found where folks work together to keep our bikes in safe condition.
- We visit with other chapters, states and regions to keep the scenery new, and friendships plentiful.
- The national organization works to foster relationships with vendors to provide enhance value, quality products and services for our members.

We want you to be a part of our growing family as we continue to evolve our motorcycle association.

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Membership Application

Member #: _____
For Office Use

___ New Member Application

___ Renewing Member # _____

MM/DD/YYYY

Member Name: _____ Member DOB: _____
First, Last

Member Name: _____ Member DOB: _____

Member Name: _____ Member DOB: _____

Member Name: _____ Member DOB: _____

Member Name: _____ Member DOB: _____

Primary Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ ST/PV: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

USA _____ Canada _____ Other _____

Member Phone number: _____ Member Email: _____

Select One:

Individual Membership: 3 years \$65.00, 2 years \$45.00, 1 year \$25.00

Family Membership (2 or more people in household): 3 years \$80.00, 2 years \$55.00, 1 year \$30.00

Payment Method:	Visa	Master Card	Discover	American Express
Name on Card:	Card #:			
Expiration Date:	CVV (security code) on back:		Billing Zip Code:	

I currently own the following motorcycle brands: (please select all that apply)

Honda Harley-Davidson Indian BMW Yamaha Suzuki Kawasaki Ducati Triumph
 Can Am Moto Guzzi Other: _____

Where did you hear about us? (Example: magazine, website dealer, etc.): _____

New Member - Who referred you? Name _____ Member # _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

(Note: Only two signatures required for family membership)

<p>Make check payable in U.S. funds to: Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association and mail to: 6635 W. Happy Valley RD., Suite A104-443, Glendale, AZ 85310.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Revision Date: 11/15/2023</p>
