

## CA2S News Flash:

*Thanks to all that donated items and helped out with the Chapter Garage Sale and Fundraiser. Haven't got the final report, but rumor was we did pretty well, considering... ;-)*

*Check out our "Sister Chapter", the "Springs Wings", at their web site <http://springswings.org>*

## Gold Wing Road Riders Association Region F / California District



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**Come join us Tuesday night,  
June 10 at Holders Country Inn  
998 S De Anza Blvd , Cupertino  
Dinner @ 6 PM  
Meeting @ 7 PM**

# Gold Wing Road Riders Association

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Check out our website at: <http://www.ca2s.org>



## Birthdays

Betsy Taylor	6
Larry Rossi	23
Sherry Carr	24

## Anniversaries

Ron & Betsy Taylor	22
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## OUR REGULAR MEETING PLACES

**Monthly Meetings**—The second Tuesday of each month. The meeting starts promptly at 7 PM, and is over by 9 PM. Holder's Country Inn, 998 S. De Anza Blvd, Cupertino. Business meeting, Safety Talk, 50/50 raffle, General camaraderie. Any rider of Honda Gold Wing and Valkyrie motorcycles, or anyone who just loves to ride.

**TGIF** - Friday night short ride to dinner MEET- 6:30-7  
Every Friday night at Valco shopping mall - lower parking lot behind and across the street from JC Penny's

**Rides going NorthEast** - Mervyn's parking lot on E. Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas (hwy 237 & 680)

**Rides North to SF** - Mercado Theater Santa Clara on Frontage Rd. off Great America Parkway. This is the meeting place for rides that take us North along Hwys 101 or 85 (San Francisco, Marin, Eureka).

**Rides South** - Holiday Inn at Bernal Rd and 101 South.

Please note all meeting places except (TGIF Friday night rides) are subject to change, both in location and times to meet. If you are interested in a ride or event and have questions, please call or email any staff member noted in the newsletter or on the web. <http://www.ca2s.org>.

## California Chapter Meetings and Locations

Meeting Date & Time	Chapter	Meeting Location
1st Saturday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:30 AM	Ca1A	Greenhouse Cafe, 1169 Commerce Ctr Dr., Lancaster
3rd Sunday 8:30 AM Breakfast 8:00AM	Ca1D	Elks Lodge, 8108 E. Alondra Blvd., Paramount
2nd Saturday 8:30 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca1F	Broken Yolk Café, 1851 Garnet Ave., San Diego
1st Sunday 8:30 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca1I	Covina Bowl, 1060 W. San Bernardino Rd., Covina
Last Saturday, 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:30 AM	Ca1K	Lulu's Café, 16900 Roscoe Blvd., Van Nuys
4th Saturday 8:30 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca1L	Corcoran's Restaurant, 611 E. Grand Ave., Arroyo Grande
2nd Sunday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca1M	Elks Club, 2055 Elks Drive, San Bernardino
3rd Saturday 8:00 AM Breakfast 7:00 AM	Ca1N	Gramma BB's, 539 Vista Bella, Oceanside
2nd Sunday 8:00 AM Breakfast 7:30AM	Ca1Q	Hof's Hut, 7005 Knott Ave., Buena Park
1st Sunday 8:00 AM Breakfast 7:30 AM	Ca1R	Knowlwoods Restaurant, 14952 Sand Canyon, Irvine
3rd Saturday 8:30 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca1S	Mike's Fiesta, 2350 S. Victoria, Ventura
3rd Sunday 8:00 AM Breakfast 7:30 AM	Ca1V	Johnny Reb's, 15051 7th St., Victorville
1st Sunday 8:30 AM	Ca1Y	Elk's Lodge, 905 E. Ocean Ave., Lompoc
1st Saturday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca1Z	Home Town Buffet, 40390 Margarita Rd., Temecula
1st Saturday 8:00 AM Breakfast 7:00 AM	Ca2A	Neilson's Restaurant, 137 S. M St., Tulare
3rd Sunday 8:45 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	CaC	Denny's Restaurant, 7900 Collegetown Dr, Sacramento
2nd Wednesday 7:00PM Dinner 6:30PM	Ca2E	Carrows, 1484 E. Shaw, Fresno
4th Saturday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:00AM	Ca2G	Peach Tree Restaurant, 1080 N. Beale Rd., Marysville
2nd Saturday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:30AM	Ca2J	J.J. North's, 2050 Diamond Blvd., Concord
4th Sunday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca2K	Country Waffles, 2390 N Texas St, Fairfield
2nd Saturday 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca2N	"Your Place", 14715 Mono Way, Sonora
3rd Saturday 8:30 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM	Ca2Q	Gianna's Restaurant, 833 E. Stanley Blvd., Livermore
1st Saturday 9:30 AM	Ca2R	The Cedar House, 7511 Pacheca Pass Rd., Hollister
2nd Tuesday 7:00 PM Dinner 6:00 PM	Ca2S	Holder's Country Inn, 998 DeAnza Blvd, Cupertino
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Implantable contact lenses are lenses inserted surgically into the eye over your natural lens, really cool! Everything was going perfectly and each day I was seeing a little bit better, although in 8 weeks we'll really know the results. A week later they did the left eye. Well, not all went according to plan. I had a pressure issue that they had to drain the next day, but we also noticed that my iris, the colored part of the eye, seemed to be stuck and wouldn't dilate or constrict. The Doctor was very attentive and researched what to do next and the outcome was we had to remove the lens and insert another type of lens on May 7<sup>th</sup>. The surgeries are usually 10 minutes or so; this one was an hour and 10 minutes. It was major trauma to my eye. This sounds silly, but it is amazing how you rely on your eyes. I couldn't read (which included email), couldn't drive, it was quite a challenge. I am pleased to tell you that all is going very well now and my vision is getting better and better each day.

So it's time to be grateful for life and the adventures, family and friends that it brings. It is such a fragile thing. We have members who are fighting health issues and we send them our prayers, well wishes and love for all the strength to get better soon. We also send love and support to Virginia Hauser. Bruce and Virginia are the District Directors for Utah and were involved in an accident on their Wing that took Bruce's life and Virginia is recovering with many broken bones. They are very special friends and Bruce will be deeply missed!

So cherish life and don't let it get away from you. We will be leaving on vacation on 5/31 with our friends, Rick and Joyce, and heading our Wings north. We will be gone 10 days and are including 2J's ride on 6/7 in our plans. We are excited about our trip and maybe we'll see you on the road.

Be safe, be happy, be good to yourself, take care of your health, and most of all cherish life, family and friends!



*From our District Directors,*

We hope that all the Mother's had a great day and that all the Dad's will enjoy their day coming up. Being a parent is such a special responsibility in life and sometimes we forget to tell our parents thanks for being there for us, thanks for all you do for us. JR and I are blessed to still have our folks, my Mom and Dad just got back from 2+ weeks in Italy and we love how

they live life with enthusiasm, love, caring and generosity.

Chapter K did a great thank you to all the Mom's at their ride with a special gift for all the ladies. A thank you goes out to Nadine for putting those gifts together, what a nice thought. As planned, their ride through the Malibu hills was outstanding and if you didn't make it this year, you have to plan for this one next year as the setting is outstanding and the ride is challenging and beautiful and I hear that the Rock Store is going to play a more prominent role. This year JR and I did not make this ride as you'll understand soon.

Monty and Lucy Carpenter put on their Ride for Kids dinner, what a spread! Thanks for inviting all of us to attend and thanks to all who attended, we look forward to next year!

April and May have been interesting months for JR and me. I got very excited when I saw the piece on the Today Show that implantable contact lenses had finally made it to the USA. They have been in other countries for many years but not FDA approved here until a couple years ago. I am not a candidate for Lasik so I have been waiting for the lenses. So I scheduled to have my eyes done and on April 9<sup>th</sup> my right eye got the implant.



*Chapter Director's Message*

Greetings, "Fellow Wingers"  
Well the good weather is starting to show its self and scheduled rides are starting to show up. What we need is some "Impromptu Rides" that can fill in the gaps. We have a lot of standard rides that seem to fill in the schedule every year, but I can't help but feel that there are some "Nifty Rides" lurking in the minds of the

membership. Soooo, lets think about some new special rides. And if you are afraid to put it in front of the chapter for fear of being rejected, call or email Me, UJB and I will be happy to assist. We are always looking for new fun things to do. What might be enjoyable for you could also be enjoyable for others. So let us know if something just springs to thought.

Thanks,  
Uncle Jim Boob or Jim Carr CD CA2S GWRRA

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Mugsey here,

Can't help but agree with UJB, we need some new destinations. There has to be some new places to go, people to meet and things to do. Lets all put our thinking caps on.

Well this month should be fun. We have a workshop, PLP, CA2J's rally, and the Ride for Kids in June. That is always a kick ride as there is no stopping lots of bikes and a nice ride as well as making money for the kids.

There is a Ride this month called the Mailboat Ride. It was brought up at the annual planning meeting, but at this last planning meeting there was no one to represent it. Now UJB and I did not go on the ride and we do not know anything about this ride so, could the person or persons please let us all know about this ride. It sounds like fun.

Well I guess I better get back to work. Got lots to do before the Workshop. Need to get those Donuts & stuff.

Hope to see you all

Mugsey

# June 2008

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