



From the Director's Chair



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Hello All

Well, I think this one is going to be short and sweet. Not a whole lot going on. Just hunkering down and staying as warm as we can until the seasons change.

Hope everyone is continuing to keep healthy. Lois had surgery but at the time of this writing it is a couple of days away. But other than that we have been able to remain healthy.

We are continuing to monitor the Covid stuff. I am pretty confident this is something we are going to have to deal with permanently, just like the flu. Get your flu shot and your Vid Shot at the same time every year. But we will see.

Yep, been at it again. Is that time of year. Over the holidays I did some lighting upgrades to the bike. Rather than writing about it I made a video of the process so you can peruse it at your leisure.

Here is the link. You may have to copy and paste it into your browser.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4r3MMkkCnQ8&t=863s>

Going to replace the front tire soon and the beast will be ready for riding season. COME ON WARM WEATHER!!!

Have you been thinking of some different locations to ride too? Don't be afraid to bring them up. We would be happy to help you plan the ride.

If you are newer to our group or maybe someone who hasn't participated before, we would love to have you join us for any of the events that we plan. If you have any questions do not hesitate to reach out to us. You can find our contact information on the Website under the "Contact" tab.

Well that's all for now.

Clarence and Lois Chapman
GWRRR MN Chapter N Directors



IT'S TIME!!

It's time to start planning Rider Courses! We have a lot in Hanover at City Hall that meets the requirements for range size for both two-wheel and three-wheel courses. I'll work on reserving the lot and setting up a course for early in May. If you're interested, please let me know so I can get an approximate head count.

If you live outside the Twin City Metro area and know of a facility with a large parking lot with no light poles in the middle, let me know. I'll go have a look and make some measurements to determine workability. I'd be happy to have different range sites available around the state and our Rider Course Instructors are willing to travel to somewhere that may be more convenient for the Members. With the new set-up of the range for the ARC being closer to that of the TRC, it's much easier for us to go to other locations if/when needed.

Once things settle a bit again.....If you're interested in doing additional training by way of seminars and/or other fun things, let either Bob & Renae Hicks or me know. One of us can help coordinate that with the University Trainers we have within the District.

Everyone stay warm and stay safe. See you all soon!

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