

ACD's POINT OF VEIW

By Steve Detwiler and Pam Jeanneret

Hello All,

Hope everyone is well, at least better than I have been a little under the weather, like a lot of people this year. There seems to be a lot of ill people no matter where you go. I was doing well for most of this season until my wife decided to share with me, thanks, Dear! Enough about that, on to a new month and warmer temperatures. I'm sure if you haven't been in the garage (checking out our bikes) already you will be out there this month! Enjoying the warmer temps and sunshine helps get us into the right mind set, just as it did when we were much younger. I'm sure we can remember back when we all were in our school years – coming out of winter we all were waiting and hoping for Spring Break and Summer vacation. We got out probably for the first time with that new bike we received at Christmas. Riding anywhere and everywhere, visiting other friends. Matching up with a few friends and doing nothing just riding around. If during one of those times we stopped and our new bike was dirty or muddy, we would pull out a shirt tail and wipe it off. Then after riding all day, we would come home and wash it down. After wiping off the bike we would sit down and think about how to make it “our own”. Like no one else has – Customize it!! We would put cards in the spokes, maybe a sissy bar and a banana seat, “stuff” hanging from the handlebars, maybe even a head-light, possibly red reflectors on the back or a little red light on the rear that lights up as we pedal so we could be seen at night. Since we all rode a lot after dark as kids (yeah, right!) How many of you can remember doing any or all of these things? Isn't it ironic the older we get, the more we are like Kids!! If you did any of the items above as a Kid, your destiny in life was already set. “You have grown up to be a Gold winger!”

Upcoming Events!

Midwest Motorsports – Open House March 17th
Come support Midwest and Chapter T

Chapter G-2 Fundraiser March 31st 5:30 p.m.
Chili Cook-off and Silent Auction Mantua Civic Center. If you would like to enter some of your chili, please do so! This is open to all. Plus I hear they have a lot of nice items in the auction.

We would also like to take a minute for those that weren't at the last meeting or at Cabin Fever to inform you that Robert G. and Angela Williams, our Chapter Educators, have been selected Ohio Educators of the Year. We feel both have done a great job as Chapter Educators. So when you see Robert give him a pat on the back but when you see Angela, she definitely gets a big hug! Again, Robert and Angela job well done, Chapter T is proud to claim you as our own!!

Steve and Pam