

GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

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2017 RIDE/EVENT SCHEDULE Rev. – February 7, 2017

\*INDICATES the ride / event has not yet been confirmed\*

Date/Day	Ride/Event	Sponsor/Contact	Time/MTG Place
Apr 16	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Apr 23	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Apr 30	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sun May 7	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Fri May 11 - Tue May 15	US Annual May Ride	Bob Van Ness	Aldersyde
Sun May 14	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	TBD
Sun May 21	Highwood Pass Picnic Ride	Harvey Matthews	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sun May 28	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	Fox Hollow
Sun June 4	Two Wheel Sunday	Harvey Matthews	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Tue June 6 – Sat June 10	Cannonball 2500 Mile Ride	Brian Hooker	TBD
Sat June 10-11	Cannonball 500 Mile Ride	Brian Hooker	TBD
Sat June 10-11	Cannonball 1000 Mile Ride	Brian Hooker	TBD
Sun June 11	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sat June 17	Ride for Dad	Ron Parkinson	TBD
*Sun June 18	Horseshoe Canyon Helicopter Tour	Al Hogan	Fox Hollow
Tue June 19 - 25	Midnight Sun Show & Shine & Ride – Yellowknife NWTRA – North West Territories Riders Association	Brian Hooker	TBD
Sun June 25	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Fri June 30- Mon July 3	B.C. Loop Ride	Gord Stevenson	TBD
Sun July 2	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sun July 9	Golden Triangle	Harvey Matthews	9:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sun July 16	Atlas Coal Mine Tour - Wayne	Al Hogan	Fox Hollow
Sat July 22	Bikes & Bombers – Nanton	Harvey Matthews	10:00 AM Aldersyde
Sun July 23	Ride for Sight	Harvey Matthews	TBD
Sun July 30	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sun Aug 6	Sunshine Ride	No SPonsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Fri Aug 4 – Aug 7	J Rally – Ft. Langley B.C.		TBD
Fri Aug 4 – Mon Aug 7	U.S. Loop Ride	Gord Stevenson	TBD
Sun Aug 13	Sunshine Ride	No SPonsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sat Aug 19	Grand Fondo	Ron Syroishka	4:00 AM COP Tim Hortons
Sun Aug 20	Markerville Creamery Show & Shine – BBQ	Tracy Boyda	Fox Hollow
Sun Aug 27	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Tue Aug 29 – Sat Sept 2	WingDing 39 – Grapevine Texas		Aldersyde
Sun Sept 3	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	10:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sat Sept 2 – Mon Sept 4	Gold Run-Cache Creek		TBD
Sun Sept 10	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	TBD
Sun Sept 17	Sunshine Ride	No Sponsor	TBD
Sun Sept 24	Sask. River Crossing	No Sponsor	9:00 AM Fox Hollow
Sun Oct 15	Fall Turkey Dinner - Bearberry	Ron Syroishka	9:00 AM Fox Hollow

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##### GENERAL NOTES:

Consider this schedule to be “fluid” and with your input it will, no doubt, change as the riding season progresses.

The SCHEDULE is not “written in stone” and may change as the weather or circumstances evolve during the summer. New EVENTS may be added and ride DATES may change – with your input.

Please feel free to discuss any proposed changes with STU HART. We definitely need members who are willing to SPONSOR or facilitate a RIDE. Please consider helping to make a RIDE a good experience for all.

Sponsoring a RIDE: A few: “How To” tips.

##### Pre Ride Day”

- Plan the route - Which Highways or  
Stops: Comfort breaks  
Lunch  
Sightseeing  
Print maps (if possible) any GPS info  
Speak to Road Captains who will help

##### On Ride Day:

- Arrive early and decide the number of Riding groups
- Choose Road Captains and Drags (tail gunners)
- Briefly meet with Road Captains and Drags to make sure everyone knows the route and answer questions

Short Ride - shorter ride for those not wishing to make it a full day

Sunshine Ride – if the weather is permitting, we’ll decide at breakfast meeting

(TBD) – To Be Determined

##### 2017 Suggested Rides/Destinations:

- Reynolds Museum – Wetaskwin
- Rocky Mountain House
- Bearberry for a burger
- Della-Tea House Restaurant
- Brooks Aqueduct
- Irricana Pioneer Days / Pioneer Acres
- Stettler Train Ride (must leave Calgary early)
- Frank Slide Interpretive Centre

- Head-Smashed-In – Buffalo Jump
- Scandia EID Historic Park
- Leithch Collieries – Crowsnest Pass
- Carriage House Museum – Cardston
- Bellievue Mine
- Writing – On –Stone – Milk River