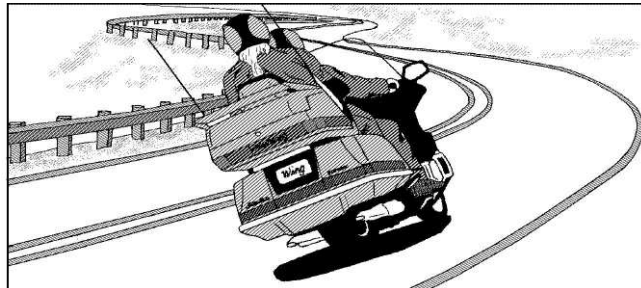


GOLD WING TOURING ASSOCIATION  
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Channel Islands Wings meets the second Saturday  
of the month at the Main Street Restaurant, 3159 E. Main Street, Ventura, CA  
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JANUARY 2010

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Chapter O  
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FROM THE CHAPTER  
DIRECTOR'S DESK:

Hello everyone and Happy January.

Leigh and I would like to thank you, again, for the vote of confidence in allowing us to be your Chapter Directors. In fact, the "staff" is unchanged. Dan Baughman has stayed on as Asst. CD, Cynthia Leyva is the Secretary, Doug Galloway is the Treasurer, and I'll stay as Newsletter Editor. If Leigh and I can be "drafted", so can the rest of last year's Cabinet. Just like I did last year.

Since this is January and if your Gold Wing's battery is close to being two years old, it's time to change the battery. A very good friend of mine who is riding those great country roads in the sky always told me "Change your battery every two years." Well, I learned the hard way a few years ago when my battery died on the club overnigher ride to Jamestown.

We did not have a Business Meeting in January because the first Friday was January 1<sup>st</sup>. So we had a quick business meeting at our Breakfast Meeting. The members present authorized the ordering of ride pins for the 2010 Straw-O-Berry Ride. After breakfast, several members rode to Jalama Beach for their famous burgers, or in my case, the Jalama Dog. Elsewhere in this issue, Marshall Throneberry will have an article on the ride. Thanks, Marshall, I appreciate the help in getting stuff for the newsletter.

The So. Cal. GWTA Web Site has been updated to show the ride calendar 2010. So, please stop by there. This web site, along with the National web site, is a great place for information.

As you look at the Chapter O riding schedule and you think of someplace

else you might like to visit after our Breakfast Meeting, please let me know. We can always change the schedule.

So until next time, Ride Safe

Chuck & Leigh

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CHANNEL ISLAND WINGS  
BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES  
JANUARY 11, 2010

Present: Chuck & Leigh Burton, Dan Baughman & Cynthia Leyva, Marshall & Teresa Throneberry, Darrell & Lee Ann Davidson, Bruce & Karla Olander, Doug Galloway, Jim Brown, Walt Charter.

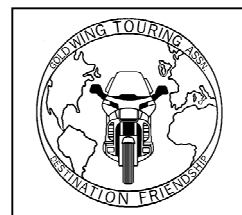
Chuck Burton called the meeting to order @ 8:03am on January 09, 2010 (The business meeting was held at the breakfast meeting because our normal date for the business meeting was New Year's Day.)

Chuck announced that our Straw-O-Berry ride soon would be here again. Quality Labels sent an e-mail regarding the ride pins. The cost of the ride pins will be about \$222.00.

Chuck motioned to order the 2010 Straw-O-Berry Ride Pins. All members present second, the motion was passed. Chuck will contact Cal-Coast to confirm the continued support they have generously extended in the past.

Breakfast ride for January 9, 2010 was to Jalama Beach. Our dinner ride for January 16, 2010 will be to Lalos in Moorpark.

50/50 winnings were \$38.00 and the lucky winner was Walt Charter.



## January Breakfast Ride

Here we are at the beginning of a new riding decade. The first breakfast ride is destined to “Jalama Beach Grill” near Lompoc. It starts early on the morning of January 9 of the year 2010. Our Chapter meets at the “Main Street” Restaurant at 8am sharp. Thirteen people for breakfast make a good start for the decade. Business was carried on during the meal and Walt was the grand winner of the 50/50. Out of the group, only six of us would be brave enough to trudge though the pleasant temperatures and partly cloudy Southern California day. As we left Ventura heading north on the 101 with a detour via Highway 1 along the Rincon, we exited at Sheffield Dr. We then took Sheffield north to E. Valley Rd. (also SR-192). We took SR-192 northerly to El Cielito Rd. Turned right on El Cielito Rd to Gibraltar Rd. Turned right on Gibraltar Rd. to E. Camino Cielo Rd. The road was in good shape mostly with new asphalt but there where some areas where you had to chose which pothole to hit.



Cruising along the new asphalt on E. Camino Cielo.



View of Lake Cachuma from atop E. Camino Cielo.

We took E. Camino Cielo Rd. to SR-154 where we stopped to take a rest break at the dam overlook of Lake Cachuma. We commented about how nice it was to see the mountains green again from recent rains. As we stretched our muscles, we could hear gunfire from a nearby ranch. Obviously some people playing with their new toys they got for Christmas.



Rest Break at the Overlook.

We then continued on SR-154 to Ballard Canyon Rd., taking Ballard Canyon Rd. south to SR-246. Turned west on SR-246 to Lompoc where we refilled our gas tanks.



Green pastures along  
Jalama Rd.

We proceeded onto SR-1 to Jalama Rd. and on into Jalama Beach campground. As we pulled in at the grill there was three Goldwings already there.



Entrance to Jalama Beach  
Park.

Chapter Q had arrived from San Luis Obispo consisting of Chapter Director Dale Smith, Henry Cullors, and Craig Deines. We then ate our lunch and visited for while until everyone was ready for the trip home. We took Highway 1 back to the 101 then stayed on the freeway until arriving back into Ventura County. We parted as we usually do saying our goodbyes over the CB radio. See you at the next ride.

Ride Safe  
Marshall Throneberry



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NAME	BIRTHDAY	ANNIVERSARY
<b>JANUARY</b>		
<b>FEBRUARY</b>		
Smale, Bruce	2/8	
Burton, Leigh	2/18	
Throneberry, Marshall & Teresa		2/18
<b>MARCH</b>		
Czernek, Linda	3/12	

<b>2010 CHAPTER O RIDE CALENDAR</b>		
MONTH	DATE	EVENT
January	1	Chapter O Business Meeting, postponed to Breakfast Meeting
	9	Chapter O Breakfast Meeting, 8 AM. Main Street Restaurant, 3159 E. Main St., Ventura Ride to Jalama Beach for Burgers
	16	Birthday/Anniversary Ride Lalo's, Moorpark Leave Ventura Community Park (Kimball Rd. @ Telephone Rd.) at 4 PM
February	5	Chapter O Business Meeting, 6 PM, Carrow's, Ventura (Telegraph @ Ashwood)
	13	Chapter O Breakfast Meeting, 8 AM. Main Street Restaurant, 3159 E. Main St., Ventura Ride to Solvang Motorcycle Museum
	20	Birthday/Anniversary Ride La Louisanne Express, Simi Valley Leave Ventura Community Park (Kimball Rd. @ Telephone Rd.) at 4 PM
March	5	Chapter O Business Meeting, 6 PM, Carrow's, Ventura (Telegraph @ Ashwood)
	13	Chapter O Breakfast Meeting, 8 AM. Main Street Restaurant, 3159 E. Main St., Ventura Ride thru Little Tujunga to Acton
	20	Birthday/Anniversary Ride Place: Tony's Restaurant, Carpinteria Leave Ventura Community Park (Kimball Rd. @ Telephone Rd.) at 4 PM