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Meets 2nd Sundays:

NOV - MAR: 11 AM brunch

APR – OCT: Check ride calendar or call for details on meeting sites or specific ride/rendezvous plans.

Welcome Prospective Members!

Would you like to ride with an enthusiastic local WOW chapter? Call any of the names above to chat, or check our web site and events calendar and drop by a meeting point. Support Guys always welcome, too!

If you'd like to continue receiving chapter eNews, forward \$15 (check payable to Twin Rose Lady Riders) to the Treasurer. Email lynnmtrlr@comcast.net for her address It's an annual donation toward operating expenses.

Membership Policy:

Women On Wheels® members and guests are welcome to participate with any chapter. We encourage you to join the **nat'l organization, as WOW membership is required for continued chapter participation** and because members are protected under our insurance plan. Application forms are available in the WOW magazine or from any chapter officer.



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Greetings Roses & Friends,

Thank you to those who came to our last indoor meeting. Conewago Inn was lovely. Great service and food. They were so nice to host our anniversary party, we were happy to give them our business.

For International Female Ride Day on May 4, there are two choices. The "Biker Babes No Drama" group lost one of their own this winter. Sue Doremus was a lovely person. She rode with us for one of the Women's Carnival Rides a few years ago. Her group will be having a memorial for Sue on IFRD. If you are interested in participating, please contact Kathy M.

We will also be offering a ride to (hopefully) meet up with the other Women On Wheels chapters. If you are interested, please contact Dawn H or me. We'll have lunch and (of course) ice cream. Details to come.

Women on Wheels sent us a flag and brochures to recruit new members. Please let me know if this is something you would like to do.

Kathy M, Kathy R and I are going to the Lace, Grace and Gears women's rally in September at Johnson City, TN. It's been a bit since I've ridden to Tennessee and I'm excited to be going back. What beautiful scenery and wonderful motorcycle roads. Vinegar pie, anyone? We would love for any and all to accompany us.

And—last but not least—OUR FIRST RIDE IS APRIL 14! I've had little opportunity to ride this winter, so I'm hoping for great weather! I know I don't have to say it, because you are all experienced riders, but... Please be sure to check your air pressure before heading out.

Happy Birthday

CharlieApril 6 BernieApril 8 KimApril 10

Roses, if your birthday has been missed send it (mo/day) to suespittle@comcast.net

Take care and be safe!

Natalie





Twin Rose Lady Riders Meeting Minutes March 10, 2024 • Conewago Inn, Manchester

Attendance: Nat, Kathy R, Kathy M, NanC & Jon, Sue S Nat called the meeting to order at 11:15 AM on the Inn's enclosed porch.

Treasurer's Report: Lynn is working remotely, now in AL, and will forward a report to Nat soon as she can.

Old Business:

Nat reminded everyone to pay their 2024 dues - now \$15.

Chapter weekend ride to Wellsboro was discussed. We voted to open it to all female riders plus TRLR Support Guys.

New Business:

-April 14 Ice Cream Ride will either be FOO Dawn or Nat. Watch for details coming soon.

-April 28 tour of HOPE Haven with the Red Rose Riders; details on time and meeting place will come soon from Kathy M

-May 4 IFRD. We usually try to meet up with other PA chapters for lunch. Nat will look into lunch at Schells

-June 20-22 MAWMR - Rose Kathy M is Volunteer Coordinator and is on their Ride Committee. Several Roses are helping her with ride routes.

-June 25-27 WOW[®] Ride-In, Rapid City, SD - Very unusual, but no Roses are attending this year. Even Kathy R's plans have changed and she will not be doing her Big US Ride.

-Sept 26-29 Lace, Grace, & Gears - Nat, Kathy R, and Kathy M have rented a 3-bedroom house near the Johnson City, TN rally site. There is room for more. Contact them if interested.

Open Forum:

-April 21 Paint for Prevention. Contact NanC about this fun event in Middletown for the serious cause of child abuse. [See flyer in this issue.]

Sue distributed WOW[®] '24 Ride Waivers. Everyone must sign one.

Nat passed around a WOW[®] TRLR Member list for all to check for accuracy.

Nat adjourned the meeting at 12:15. Next meeting we ride! - Sue S, Secretary During Women's History Month I was thinking about my female heroes.



Denise McLuggage was an

international racer in the 50s-60s (Le Mans, Sebring, Monte Carlo...) driving Ferraris and Porsches and winning in a man's sport. Here she is surrounded by a who's who in racing including Fangio, Moss, Gurney.... And she dated Steve McQueen before he became a star!





I've always idolized **Michele Mouton**, a French international rally driver. In 1981 she ran the Monte Carlo Rally with a female navigator and all female crew. Here she is winning at Pikes Peak.



Then there is **Wendy Crockett**, the first female to win the Iron Butt. She also earned a Guinness World Record in 2022 riding 100,000 miles in 150 days facing epic odds where "everything that could possibly go wrong went spectacularly wrong."

Her diary of the odyssey, *Pushing Miles*, is well worth the read! I've never aspired to long distance

riding but admire her resourcefulness, stamina, and grit.

Who are your female heroes? - Sue S





A Couple of Roses in the Big Easy by Nat

So, one thing everyone knows about me is that if you invite me – or even mention you are going somewhere and sort of, kind of invite me – I'll probably show up. So, when Lynn mentioned that she would be camping in Alabama for a month in February, I may have done just that!

I was on 4 wheels and my first stop was Panama City for a great visit visit with my nephew and family. Dinner was at a local restaurant and included milkshakes served to your table by robot!

In true southern style, Lynn and I met up at Buckee's. If you haven't visited one of these establishments, I highly recommend it. I can attest that their 3-meat barbecue (turkey, sausage and brisket) sandwich is absolutely amazing!

Tuesday morning, we headed to New Orleans. Lynn has visited there before and convinced me that to truly experience the French Quarter, we needed to stay over. I am so glad she did. Not only did we do every tourist activity we could in 26 hours, but we also got to experience the area during every time of day. Trust me, New Orleans in late morning is very different from New Orleans in late night.

We started our experience by boarding a streetcar, rode the green line through the city and departed near the St Louis Cemetery. I was amazed at how different their cemeteries are.

Lunch was a Hurricane drink, gumbo, and a po'boy. Everything I could think of that screamed New Orleans' cuisine.

After we checked into our beautiful room at the St Marie, I headed out to explore the French Quarter. I enjoyed wandering through some shops, seeing the street musicians, and happened upon a parade

complete with stilt walkers!



Our Historic Ghost Tour did not reveal any ghosts, but I never knew how old or interesting New Orleans is! The French Quarter by moonlight is really different than the French Quarter by daylight. Lights, aggressive bouncers, friendly pizza workers, and amazing music coming out of the bars and nightclubs. Completely magical!

I spent the next morning drinking coffee and reading in the hotel's beautiful courtyard. No visit to the big easy would be complete

without Café Du Mond's café au lait and beignets. We left covered in powdered sugar and quite full. While I visited the local fountain pen store (sigh), Lynn secured a carriage for a tour of the city.



A lovely, sweet, smart horse named Liz and her handler told us even more about the history of New Orleans. I found her insights on the



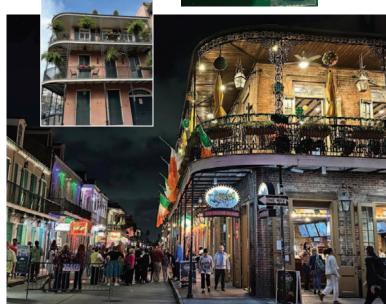
architecture interesting and appreciated that the city is dedicated to preserving their history.

Lynn and I worked remotely for the next two days and enjoyed some fresh Gulf seafood in the evenings. Honestly, if you've ever had shrimp that was caught that morning, you might not look the same way at Red Lobster.

Lynn was a great hostess, not only sharing her camper, but the back seat of her Spyder too!

So be forewarned, if you invite me, or just even mention you're going somewhere, I might show up!





Chapter Director Nat just hit a 10-year WOW[®] milestone. Some other Twin Roses are long-time members, too:

- 31 Trish
 27 NanC, Sue S & John, Dawn H, Bernie
 25 Audrey Dawn, Sigi
 22 JonC
 16 Charlie
 14 Lynn
- 10 Nat (Congrats!)





Shopping for stuff with the TRLR logo?

Log into My-Account on the WOW® website, click on "Shop Swag on Cafe Press" and select **PA-Twin Rose Chapter**. Up will pop tees, hoodies, hats, mugs, totes... even a mouse pad with our logo.

OR just go directly to cafepress.com/womenonwheels/17128406



Suzy K and Trish enjoyed the York Motorcycle Club's PotPie supper. Sue S and John stopped in earlier for take-out. The place was jammed.



BOLD listings are Chapter Events. (Try to support some of the other clubs' charity runs, too!)

2024 Twin Rose Lady Riders Calendar of Events Must be registered and insured to participate in WOW[®] rides. Must sign 2024 insurance waiver

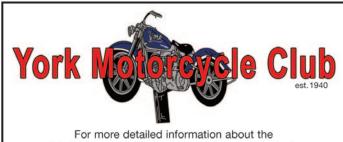
-- see Dawn H, Nat or Sue S for a form.



April 21 YMC Autism poker run, 9-2

- April 28 Join Red Rose Riders as they tour HOPE Haven, 13275 Blymire Hollow Rd, Stewartstown; MEET: Wrightsville Rutter's, 201 Cool Creek at 9AM TOUR: 10-11:30AM LUNCH: 1PM at Stewartstown Smokehouse
- May 4 Sat., International Female Ride Day; details TBD
- May 11 Sat., SoYoCo Ride; one of FOO Kathy R's famous Southern York County routes

May 18	Sat., Women's Carnival Ride, 8:30 AM
June 9	Knoebel's Grove; FOO Nat
June 20-22	MAWMR, Gettysburg
June 25-27	WOW® Ride-In, Rapid City, SD
July 13	Sat., Plum Creek Creamery, Bernville; FOO Kathy M
July 19-21	Weekend Ride to Wellsboro; leave Fri/back Sun
July 21	YMC Margaret Moul poker run, 9-2
Aug 11	Havre de Grace; FOO Dawn H
Sept 8	Check out the Ride for HOPE Route; FOO Sue S
Sept 21	Sat., 2024 TRLR Ride For HOPE, Eisenhauer's H-D
Sept 26-29	Lace, Grace & Gears rally, Johnson City, TN
Oct 13	Ice Cream Ride; TBD



For more detailed information about the York Motorcycle Club, please visit our website at www.yorkmotorcycle.com or email us at info@yorkmotorcycle.com.



Apr 7	HOPE's Basket BINGO [see flyer in this issue]
Apr 21	Paint for Prevention [see flyer in this issue]
May 2	Voices for HOPE Banquet, \$90, Bentley Farms, York
July 30	Sat., ABATE ride for Refton Fire, Lanc H-D, \$20, 11am

York Motorcycle Club Breakfast <u>3rd Sundays</u> 8:00-10:30 AM, \$5 2333 Whiteford Rd. (just west of Galleria Mall)

April 14	York MC Feed, 12-3, Union 1 Firehall, Manchester
April 21	Autism Charity Ride, 9-2
May 25	Carryout Chicken BBQ, 10:30-1
July 21	Margaret Moul Charity Ride, 9-2
July 27	Carryout Chicken BBQ, 10:30-1
Sept 21	Chicken Pot Pie Dinner
Oct 5	5 Club Run



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