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 **WOW: Twin Rose Lady Riders Chapter**

Greetings Roses & Friends!

We had our first indoor meeting of the fall on November 13. Thank you to those who were able to make it! We'll continue to meet at Loxley's till we can ride again!

Thanksgiving is the time of year when we reflect on what we are grateful for. I know it sounds hokie, but I really am grateful for all of you. I had only been on the road for 2 months when I arrived for my first Twin Rose ride on my little Honda Rebel. I was struck by the quiet confidence you all had. I recall somebody asked me what the range was on my gas tank. I just stared at them blinking like a brand-new puppy. I wish I could remember who explained to me what my reserve tank was and how it worked! You also explained how to ride in a group and what bread-crumbling was.

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 news, forward \$10 (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.



*Check out Penelope's odometer!
Nat says 64,000 of those great 100,000 miles are hers!*

As an eight-year member, I'm a relative newbie to the group—which speaks to the why the Roses are so important. Yes, there are many 'internet' riding groups, but they don't have what you have—longevity and history. I love when somebody brings up a story from the past and you all start talking about who was there and what you were doing. I feel privileged that I can occasionally join in! Thank you!

The ride committee will soon meet. I'll be sending out the usual questionnaire, so please start thinking about where you might like to ride in 2023. Please answer the questions honestly. If you love the idea of taking an all-day ride, but know you are only probably going to attend a local ice cream ride, that's okay. We want to accommodate as many Roses as possible. If you aren't really into riding as much anymore, we encourage you to drive or request a backseat. It's more about seeing each other than just putting miles on the bikes. We are planning on including some Saturday rides this year too. I know it breaks with tradition a bit, but hopefully it will lead to more participation. (And selfishly I'd love to try out some of those good ice cream places that are closed on Sunday!)

Happy Thanksgiving!

Natalie

Happy Birthday

TerriDecember 26

John SDecember 27

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

Twin Rose Lady Riders

South Central PA Chapter of Women On Wheels®

Election Ballot

for the Term of Jan. 2023 – Dec. 2024

Vote no later than Dec. 20:

By email: suespittle@comcast.net **(DO NOT Reply All)**

OR mail ballot to: Sue Spittle, 1729 Ridgewood Rd, York, PA 17406

PRESIDENT:

☐ NATALIE WINEGARDEN

☐ _____
(write-in candidate)

TREASURER:

☐ LYNN MARTIN

☐ _____
(write-in candidate)

SECRETARY:

(Sue S has volunteered to continue on, but if you have a craving for the job — write-in yourself)

Election results will be announced in January.



Trish and Dawn H attended an annual Old Timers Banquet and Trish once again beat out Dawn for Oldest Female Still Riding!



But Dawn was happy because she got ice cream!

Cool Cats on Bikes

Do you recognize the top cool cat?
Answer somewhere in this issue.



Twin Rose Lady Riders

Meeting Minutes

Nov. 13, 2022

Loxley's, Centerville

**Attendance:**

Nat (with Greta the groundhog), Kathy R, Sigi, Dawn H, Cheryl, Sue S

Weather: Too cold and windy to ride

Nat called the meeting to order around 11 AM
Lynn was not present so we did not have a
Treasurer's Report; Audrey Dawn is doing an audit

Old Business:

General thoughts about past and future riding season discussed —

- 2022 weather was generally poor on Second Sundays.
- Nat had put together 3 "impromptu" Saturday rides; new member Denise enjoyed that since she has Sunday obligations; Nat reminded us that anytime we feel like riding we should post on FB or contact other Roses to see if anyone would like to join up.
- Ride Committee will plan on several 2023 Saturday rides – not necessarily replacing Second Sunday rides but in addition to them.
- Ride Committee will plan at least one overnight heading west across PA – perhaps meeting Purple Roses halfway? Bedford Village, Johnstown, Quecreek area discussed.

-Kathy R said Indiantown Gap's dog-tag chime is a very moving destination.

New Business:

- We voted to keep membership "dues" at \$10/yr; the annual WOW Charter fee is only \$25 and the website is \$70-ish; we've remained in AMA but are no longer affiliated with District 6; anniversary party expenses are minimal.
- Anniversary Party will be back at Lucky Duck in Etown, Jan. 21; Committee: Kathy R, Nat, Cheryl, any other volunteers always welcome; details to come.
- Secret Sister Reveal will be at the party again; we voted to enjoy it all again in 2023.
- Nat reminded us that any sort of newsletter articles are always welcome (Where have you been? What have you been up to?); send to Sue S by the 20th of the month for that issue – or anytime for future issues.

Director and Treasurer nominations for 2023-2024 have been open but so far only the incumbents have been nominated. Ballots will go out in Nov. newsletter with space for write-in votes.

Our Ride for HOPE 2023 will be held on Sunday, Sept 24; venue to be announced; possibly Iron Valley H-D in Manheim; Kathy R says Eisenhower H-D in York is now open Sundays.

WOW Ride-In 2023 will be in Harrison, Arkansas; 2024 will be in Rapid City, SD.

Meeting adjourned at 12:15 PM

Next Meeting back at Loxley's, Dec. 11, 2022, 11 AM

- Sue S, Secretary

Nov. 6, 2022

Twin Rose Secretary Forgets that the Chapter Meets on Second Sundays (oh boy)

By Sue S

Due to some medical issues, I hadn't ridden the BMW for many months. All is well now but I am SO RUSTY. John (bless his Support Guy heart) offered to take short daily rides with me to rebuild confidence and tap into 30 years of "muscle-memory" so everything is less overwhelming.

Nov 6 was one of those glorious 2022 fall days. A little blustery, a little drizzly and a lot overcast – but so incredibly warm. I was ready and eager to take the ride across the river to Centerville on my own and meet the Roses for brunch. It was exhilarating and the smells seemed extra intense – especially the manure spread on fields before winter!

Of course, on arrival, Loxley's parking lot was pretty well empty and I soon realized that, in my excitement, I had the wrong date! But no matter. I took the back way home to avoid that gusty Rt. 30 bridge and found myself once again "becoming one with the bike."

CHATTER BOX

Lynn asks, "Where're Sue and Nikki going with those TRLR photo albums from my house?"



Can you guess whose plate this is?



Dawn H and Gracie headed out to enjoy one of those warm Nov. days.



Lynn took Guinevere camping and she ended up on a scooter with Buzz and pals.



Cheryl sez her pumpkin was actually painted on slate and she loves it.

She also received a nice bouquet for her birthday...



...AND a generous Thanksgiving treat!



Secret Sister 2022



Kathy M got home from SC to find this fun Halloween package at her door.



Nancy C was out riding and spotted this unusual (and a bit creepy) creature sculpture made of old tools.



2022 Twin Rose Lady Riders Calendar of Events

Dec 11 TRLR Indoor Mtg.
Loxley's, Centerville exit off 30, Lancaster
TIME: 11 AM
Bring ideas for 2023 rides!!

Jan 21 TRLR Anniversary Party
Lucky Duck, ETown: details to come

Bike must be registered and insured to go on WOW® rides.
Must sign 2022 insurance waiver.
(see Dawn H or Sue S for a waiver before ride begins)

Please arrive fueled & ready to ride.
KSU = Kick Stands Up; FOO = First One Out

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



"Cool Cat" answer:
That's Bruce Springsteen

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WANTED:

Fond Memories from Female Riders!

~ The good, the not-so-good, and the crazy. ~
Ever set your saddle bag on fire?
Ever inadvertently knock over a row of parked Harleys like dominoes?
Short or long. Happy endings only, please.
Send them to the editor by the 20th of each month.
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