

Eastern Pennsylvania Retreads Newsletter August 2022



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1st Saturday. [Quakertown Breakfast](#) hosted by Kris Hoot.

There were 9 Retreads and 2 guests at the diner on Saturday the second of July. The 2 guests, Wayne, a guest of Claude Shappelle, and Connie, a guest of Charlie Boyer. We didn't have the turnout we usually do because of the July 4th holiday weekend. Because of the low attendance we did not have a 50/50 drawing. We did have a birthday that day, Rob Gunther, who turned 40 ---- again! We cancelled the planned ride to the Elmwood Park Zoo in Norristown because the forecast was for rain, which Quakertown did not get, but Norristown did get rain. We would have got soaked on the way there. We may do that ride in August or September. However Brenda Hoot did lead 3 of us on a ride anyway. We three Amigos went on a 40 mile scenic ride thru Upper Bucks and Upper Montgomery counties. With an ice cream stop at Longacres Dairy in Barto, and it wasn't crowded yet because they just opened for the day. And somehow we managed to stay dry, as the rain went around us, according to the radar. Thank you Brenda.

Hope to see you on August 6th for the next breakfast.

Ride Safe;-- *Kris*

2nd Saturday [Lancaster Breakfast](#) hosted by Harold & Linda Robinson

The theme for the Lancaster breakfast seems to be rain or bad weather. But the room was filled with plenty of laughter and conversation at the Golden Corral this morning for breakfast. We had 11 Retreads and 3 guests. Charlie brought his friend Connie and Dorene brought her son Ashley and Grandson Bentley, it was great having them join us for breakfast. The 50/50 was won by Charlie's friend Connie and the free breakfasts were won by Charlie and JoAnne Weis. The conversations lasted so long we had to take it outside, do to a bus was supposed to be arriving shortly and they needed the back room. As we were standing/talking outside under the overhang because of the rain someone said, "you realize we came in cars and don't have to wait for the rain to stop." I replied, "yes but we ride bikes and this is just what we do." Though I forgot to mention, Charlie and Connie did come on a bike, hopefully they stayed fairly dry for the ride home. Hopefully next month the weather will cooperate.

Linda and I would like to thank everyone for coming to breakfast and we will see you somewhere, sometime. - *Linda and Harold*

3rd Saturday [Shartlesville Breakfast](#) hosted by Rick & Darlene Horst.

No Breakfast in May due to the Mid Atlantic Rally. Hope to see you next month. *Rick & Darlene Horst*

[Lancaster Dinner and Ice Cream](#)

3 Retreads and one guest enjoyed a meal at Hinkel's, Good conversations lots of laughs and good food, weather was great no motorcycles in the yard.- *Charlie Boyer*

[Morgantown Dinner and Ice Cream](#)

I had my ice cream social tonight we had 11 attending and one bike John Hilton rode in all that heat the food was delicious but the group was wonderful we had a great time. - *Arlene*

Mystery Ride

It was a beautiful day for a mid week "mystery ride". However, only one other Retread showed up, Lee Blauvelt. Despite the disappointing turnout, Lee and me went on a slow scenic ride of Upper Bucks County and along the Delaware River and canal. Once we got thru Quakertown there were only 3 traffic lights and 2 stop signs on our 55 mile ride. About the halfway point we stopped for ice cream at the Canalside Cup which is on the opposite side of the road from the canal (hence the name), and took a couple of selfies. A good 2 1/2 hr ride including the ice cream stop. I might do another mid week ride later in the year. Keep checking the Retreads Facebook page for information. I only hope more riders can attend. - *Kris Hoot*

From the Reps

Hello Retreads – Just a reminder that the month of August has a lot of fun things going on within the club besides our monthly breakfast meetings – If you have not checked your calendars or now have realized that something you had planned outside of the Retreads schedule has changed or cancelled and you would like to participate in any of the fun activities and or trips please let us know there is always room for more! We are currently up to 22 new members since January with our newest members Nick and Ann Marie Depinto, Jennifer Narkavich and Steve Wiggett so when you see them at a breakfast, at a Rally or on a Trip please make sure to say Hi and welcome them to our Retread Family.

We are also working on getting pricing for Eastern Pa Retread t-shirts and sweat shirts for those who are interested so keep an eye out for an upcoming flyer with all the information for ordering etc. We would like to alternate each year between one year ordering the denim shirts and the next year the t-shirts/sweatshirts so please keep this in mind as well.

We would also like to say THANK YOU ! to Rick and Darlene Horst who have also agreed to be our second set of Assistant Reps for the club as we look to grow and expand having extra sets of hands to divide out responsibilities makes it easier for everyone..... *Greg & Diane*

Western PA Retreads Rally

The Western PA Retreads put on another great rally. It was very enjoyable in the new location of Warren PA in the middle of the Allegheny National Forest. There were new roads to explore and new restaurants to try, two things that all Retreads like. There were 4 guided tours each day and except for some showers the first day the weather was great.

Lively entertainment was provided by the rock band Leather & Lace and a few retreads showed off their dancing skills. The banquet was delicious and plentiful and many riding awards were given out.

There were over 60 Retreads in attendance, about 15 of which were at their first Retreads Rally. We hope to see them at future rallies.

At this time the location of the 2023 Western PA Rally is not decided but they are planning to have one. Details will be posted as they become available.

NEW MEMBERS AND REJOINING MEMBERS

We would like to give a big **WELCOME** the following new members who have joined Eastern Pa Retreads during the month of June 2022 : Bette Linsenbigler, sponsored by Greg & Diane Gill, William Hake Jr, sponsored by Doug Hinton and Arthur & Kim Brett, sponsored by Dean & Shelly Wagaman. We are so happy to have you join the club as well as joining in on the fun that we all love to have when we get together for riding, eating ice cream, rallies and so much more. We hope that you are in for a good time and can not wait to see you at any of the activities, events, trips etc that we have scheduled.



Breakfast and Events Schedule

Most events have a flyer or information included in this or a previous newsletter. If you need another copy contact Art Grantz or go online at www.eparetreads.com to download or print a copy of any flyer.

- Aug 3 6:00 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream at Sunset Family Restaurant, Rt 422, Birdsboro PA.
- Aug 6 9:30 a.m. John's Plain and Fancy Diner, 50 S West End Blvd, Quakertown PA.
- Aug 6, Overnight ride to Wellsboro PA
- Aug 7 9:00 a.m. at Mountain Gate Restaurant, off RT 15 just South of Thurmont MD.
- Aug 10 5:30 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream at Hinkles Restaurant, 261 Locust St, Columbia PA
- Aug 12, 6:00 p.m. Mini Golf at The Shack, 662 South Oak St, Manheim PA
- Aug 13 8:30 a.m. at Golden Corral, 2291 Lincoln Hwy East (RT 30), Lancaster PA
- Aug 13, 6:35 p.m. Iron Pigs baseball, Coca Cola Park, Allentown PA
- Aug 17 6:00 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream, Windmill Restaurant, 2838 Main St, Morgantown PA
- Aug 20 **8:00 a.m. this month only.** Blue Mountain Family Restaurant, 24 Roadside Dr, Shartlesville PA.
- Aug 20-21 Overnight ride to Flight 93 and Que Creek Mine Leaves after breakfast at Shartlesville
- Aug 21 Western PA Retreads picnic.
- Sep 3 9:30 a.m. at John's Plain and Fancy Diner, 50 S West End Blvd, Quakertown PA.
- Sep 4 9:00 a.m. at Mountain Gate Restaurant, off RT 15 just South of Thurmont MD.
- Sep 7 6:00 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream at Sunset Family Restaurant, Rt 422, Birdsboro PA.
- Sep 9 6:00 p.m. Mini Golf at Putt U, 5201 Rt 309, Center Valley PA
- Sep 10 8:30 a.m. at Golden Corral, 2291 Lincoln Hwy East (RT 30), Lancaster PA
- Sep 14 5:30 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream at Hinkles Restaurant, 261 Locust St, Columbia PA
- Sep 17 9:00 a.m. Blue Mountain Family Restaurant, 24 Roadside Dr, Shartlesville PA.
- Sep 18 NOON – East PA Picnic, Kauffman's BBQ, 31 Gravel Pit Rd, Bethel PA
- Sep 21 6:00 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream, 'windmill Restaurant, 2838 Main St, Morgantown PA
- Sep 24, MD Retreads Picnic, Thurmont Municipal Park
- Oct 1 9:30 a.m. at John's Plain and Fancy Diner, 50 S West End Blvd, Quakertown PA.
- Oct 2 9:00 a.m. at Mountain Gate Restaurant, off RT 15 just South of Thurmont MD.
- Oct 2 2:00 p.m. Meet for Dinner at Loxley's in Lancaster
- Oct 8 8:30 a.m. at Golden Corral, 2291 Lincoln Hwy East (RT 30), Lancaster PA
- Oct 9 Boy Scout benefit ride
- Oct 12 5:30 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream at Hinkles Restaurant, 261 Locust St, Columbia PA
- Oct 15 9:00 a.m. Blue Mountain Family Restaurant, 24 Roadside Dr, Shartlesville PA.
- Oct 19, 6:00 p.m. Dinner and Ice Cream at Windmill Restaurant, 2838 Main St, Morgantown PA

- Aug 6-7. Overnight ride to Wellsboro PA.
- Aug 13 2022, Iron Pigs Game, Allentown PA
- Aug 20-21 Overnight ride to Flight 93 and Que Creek Mine
- Aug 21, Western PA Retreads Picnic
- Aug 30-Sept 1 2022, New England Regional Rally, Gorham NH.
- Sep 18, Eastern PA Picnic, Kauffman's BBQ, Bethel PA
- Sep 24, MD picnic, Thurmont Community Park , Thurmont MD
- Oct 2, Meet for Dinner at Loxley's, 2:00 p.m.
- Oct 20-23, Gateway Regional Retreads Ride, Russelville AR

Events by Other Organizations

- Oct 9, 2022 Ride for Camps. Benefits Boy Scouts

Looking Ahead



- 2023 International Rally, Grand Junction CO.
- 2024 International Rally, somewhere on the Gulf Coast

Get Well



Bob Hannum has esophagiocal cancer and is receiving hospice care at home.
43 Bill Drive Denver, Pa 17517

Condolences

Bob Shuey passed away on July 10. Bob and Shirley have been Retreads since 1993.

Bob's obituary can be read at

<https://www.kreamerfuneralhome.com/obituaries/Robert-D-Shuey/#!/Obituary>

Bob was a great guy, he will be missed.

Cards can be sent to Shirley Putt 1002 East Maple Street Palmyra, Pa 17078

**Come one - Come All to the 2022 Western PA Summer Picnic
Sunday August 21st - 1:00PM**

WESTERN PA PICNIC 2022

When: Sunday August 21st @ 1:00PM

What: Summer Picnic – Hot Dogs, Picnic Salad, Snacks, Drinks, plates, utensils – Provided

Please bring a dessert to share and 1-2 cups of cut-up fruit to go into a Fruit salad.

Cost: \$5.00 each – paid at picnic

Where: Wesbury Picnic Pavilion, 31 Park Ave, Meadville, PA 16335 (It will be to the left of the Cribbs Residential Center)

To see a map of Wesbury, go to: <https://wesbury.com/contact/campus-map/> The pavilion is #8 on the map

#2 on the map is Cribbs Residential Center

#8 on the map is the Picnic Pavillion

Please RSVP so we have an idea of how many hot dogs and buns to buy. You can call or text Kim 814-282-0039, or send an email to: kadocter@gmail.com

Eastern PA Picnic

Sunday Sept 18th, 2022 Meal served at 12:00 p.m.

Kauffman's BBQ under the Pavilion

\$17.50 per person, choose Chicken or Ham below



33 Gravel Pit Road
Bethel, Pa 19507
717-933-8415

Large Chicken or Baked Ham Dinner with baked potato or potato filling, your choice of pepper cabbage, cole slaw or applesauce plus roll & butter. All you can drink soda, coffee and water. Your dessert is also included.



Sign up by September 11th count needs in on September 12th. Make check payable to **Eastern PA Retreads.**

Mail to Greg & Diane Gill, P.O. Box 573, Saylorsburg, Pa 18353
570-369-2467 eastparetreads@live.com

We will be holding a mini golf tournament and games will be available for those who wish to participate. If you wish to bring along a door prize to donate, we thank you in advance. We will also be holding a 50/50 raffle with proceeds going to the Four Diamonds.

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PICNIC

Names (s) _____ email _____

Address _____

Number attending _____ x \$17.50 = _____ amount enclosed.

#of Chicken or Ham

Which Retread group is your home? Eastern Pa, Maryland, New Jersey? _____

If none of those listed please fill in your home group. Thank you...

MARYLAND RETREADS PICNIC

Guests are Welcome

Saturday, September 24, 2022 at 1:30 P.M.

Cold Drinks & Coffee start at 12:00 P.M.

Cost \$15.00 per person

****MENU****

Golden Brown Fried Chicken

"Pulled" Pork Barbecue on Kaiser Rolls

Baked Beans

Potato Salad

Deviled Eggs

Pickles and Olives

Fruit Salad

Potato Chips

Cup Cakes

****LOCATION****

Thurmont Community Park

Frederick Road

Thurmont, MD

Rt. 15 / Thurmont, MD

Up the street from Mountain Gate Restaurant

Pre-Registration is required

Make check payable to Maryland Retreads and mail to:

Luther Beard

4855 Lewisberry Road Dover Pa. 301-788-3177

Deadline for Registration: Sept. 11, 2022 No Refunds after Sept. 11, 2022

Count Me/Us In: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone# _____

RETREADS NIGHT AT THE LEHIGH VALLEY IRONPIGS BASEBALL GAME

SATURDAY NIGHT AUGUST 13, 2022

First Pitch 6:35PM, Gates Open at 5:30PM

PICNIC PATIO SEATS

Come join us at Coca-Cola Park for a fun evening.

Deadline to sign up is July 15th!! Any questions email Kris at kbhoot@comcast.net

Only 40 tickets available. Cost - \$28 each, includes 2hr food and soft drink buffet.

Up to 20 Retreads, with co-riders, are invited to ride their motorcycles onto the field and around the warning track before the game. We will be riding along with another club.

Tickets will be distributed after the July 15th deadline. We will share the motorcycle staging area and times when information is available.

There will be fireworks at the end of the game.

Coca-Cola Park, location 1050 Ironpigs way, Allentown.



VS.



Charlotte Knights

Baseball Game August 13,2022

Send form and payment to: Kris Hoot, 460 S. 10th St., Quakertown, PA 18951

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

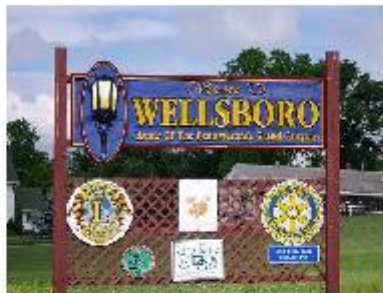
Phone#: _____ E-mail: _____

Number of tickets: _____ X \$28 each: _____

Ride on the field? Circle one YES NO

EASTERN PA RETREADS TRIP TO WELLSBORO PA & PA GRAND CANYON – LEAD BY ED CARVELL

August 6th to the 7th, 2022



We will leave from Lancaster at 8:30am on Saturday August 6th, 2022. We will meet at the Sheetz on the corner of Rt 30 and Rt 272. We will ride to Snitz Creek at Indiantown for breakfast and meet anyone who is joining us from the Lebanon area. From there we will take a scenic ride to Wellsboro, with a stop in Milton to see the Chef Boyardee statue and the Coudersport Ice Mine with a lunch stop in between. There is a \$5.00 cost for the ice mine. We will proceed to both rims of the canyon, if time permits. (if not, we will ride there the next day) We will leave the area on Sunday August 7th, 2022 for another scenic ride, with a possible stop at Hyner View. We will have lunch on the way home and stop at the Dragon in New Buffalo. Approximate mileage will be 250 miles each day.

There are currently only 8 rooms blocked at the Canyon Motel in Wellsboro. I have also negotiated a special rate of \$94.00 plus tax for a double room. Please call the Canyon Motel at 570-724-1681 to secure your room by July 23rd, 2022. After that the rooms will be released to the public.

Below is the sign up form so that we know who will be attending and participating in the weekend event. Please RSVP BELOW to Greg & Diane Gill, P.O. Box 573, Saylorsburg, Pa 18353 570-369-2467

Wellsboro trip August 6th – 7th, 2022 – Lead by Ed Carvell

Send RSVP forms to: Greg & Diane Gill, P.O. Box 573, Saylorsburg, Pa 18353
NO later than July 22nd, 2022

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____





2022 DINNER & ICE CREAM SCHEDULE

First Wednesday of June through September, Sunset Family Restaurant, 6:00 P.M.
Greg & Diane Gill hosts. 6560 Perkiomen Ave (Rt 422) Birdsboro PA

Second Wednesday of April through October, Hinkles Restaurant in Columbia PA. 6:00 P.M. Charlie Boyer,
host. 261 Locust St Columbia PA. 3rd & Locust Sts, parking entrance on 3rd St.

Third Wednesday of June through October, Windmill Restaurant, Morgantown PA, 6:00 P.M.
Arlene Kellett host. 2838 Main St, Morgantown, PA. Intersection of RT 23 and Rt 10. 6:00 P.M.

April 13, Hinkles, Columbia PA
May 4, Sunset Restaurant, Birdsboro PA
May 11 Hinkles, Columbia PA
June 1, Sunset Restaurant, Birdsboro PA
June 8, Hinkles, Columbia PA
June 15, Windmill Restaurant, Morgantown PA
July 6, Sunset Restaurant, Birdsboro PA
July 13, Hinkles, Columbia PA
Miniature golf was invented in 1916 in NC
July 20, Windmill Restaurant, Morgantown PA

August 3, Sunset Restaurant, Birdsboro PA
August 10, Hinkles, Columbia PA
August 17, Windmill Restaurant, Morgantown PA
Sept 7, Sunset Restaurant, Birdsboro PA
Sept 14, Hinkles, Columbia PA
Sept 21, Windmill Restaurant, Morgantown PA
October 12, Hinkles, Columbia
October 19, Windmill Restaurant, Morgantown PA

* * * * * Come out and join us for dinner and ice cream as often as you can. * * * * *

Eastern PA Retreads Mini Golf Nights 2022



Come out and join us for an evening of food, fun, ice cream and mini golf.
Compete for valuable prizes, or just watch the action, and join us for dinner and ice cream.

Friday June 10, 6:00 p.m. at Bear Rock Junction, New Tripoli PA
8181 Route 309, New Tripoli PA. South of RT 895

Friday July 15, 6:00 p.m. at Kauffman's BBQ in Bethel PA
31 Gravel Pit Rd, Bethel PA.
I-78 Exit 15, Grimes. Go South $\frac{1}{2}$ mi to Old Rt 22. Turn left on Old Rt 22. First right = Gravel Pit Rd.

Friday August 12, 6:00 p.m. at The Shack in Manheim PA
662 South Oak St Manheim PA - Near Kauffman Park

Friday September 9, 6:00 p.m. at Putt U in Quakertown PA
5201 PA Rt 309, Center Valley PA



EASTERN PA RETREADS TRIP TO FLIGHT 93 & QUEECREEK MINE RESCUE – LEAD BY RICK HORST

August 20 – 21, 2022



We will be leaving after the Shartlesville breakfast at approximately 9:30 am on Saturday August 20th. We will ride to the Queecreek Mine Rescue Foundation (admission fee: \$7.00 per person, \$6.00 for veterans). We will take two breaks (at Sheetz) on the way and a stop at one of our PA roadside attractions, for those who want to take a picture for the contest. We will not be stopping for lunch, so please plan accordingly. We will continue on to Somerset where we will check into our motel. We can then go as a group to have dinner and see two more of our PA roadside attractions. We will leave Sunday morning and go to the Flight 93 Memorial, allowing approximately 2 1/2 hours there to explore. For those interested you can walk from the visitor center to the memorial plaza and back to the visitor center (approximately 3 miles). On the way out we will stop at the tower of voices. We are hoping to then go to the Flight 93 Memorial Chapel and spend approximately 1/2 hour there. From there we will go for lunch before starting our ride home. Since we are planning a different route home, we will stop at a few more PA roadside attractions, if time permits. Approximate milage will be 225 - 250 miles per day.

There are currently 12 rooms (2 queen beds) blocked at the Hampton Inn in Somerset. The special group rate is \$130.00 plus tax (total cost \$144.30). They have a hot breakfast in the morning. Coffee & hot water for tea & hot chocolate are available in the lobby at all times. We are able to use the breakfast area to visit and/or play games, in the evening. Please contact the Hampton Inn at 814-445-9161 to reserve your room by August 6, 2022. After that the rooms will be released to the public. Mention you are with the Retreads when making your reservation.

Please RSVP to Darlene Horst at 717-269-5397 by August 6th if you are planning to attend.



**Eastern Pennsylvania Retreads
Membership Application/Renewal Form**
Retreads Motorcycle Club International In. AMA Charter 3233

Please type or print clearly.

Date _____

Name(s) _____

Applicant _____ Co-Applicant _____

Renewal _____ New Member _____ Sponsored by _____

We need help for the Mid Atlantic Rally held in May every year in Lancaster County.

Would you like to volunteer to help by leading or assisting a ride or help in the registration room? It's fun and we won't make you work too hard.

_____ Please check here if interested. Thank you.

Important: Must be signed by APPLICANT and CO-APPLICANT, if any.

By voluntarily applying for membership I understand that the Retreads cannot assume responsibility for any aspect of my safety. I understand that the sport of motorcycling has an inherent safety hazard. I also understand that my participation in any Retread activity is strictly voluntary and further, I release the Retreads from any loss to my person or property.

Applicant sign: _____ **Co-applicant sign:** _____

New applicants please fill entire form. If renewing you may skip any further entries that have not changed.

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

County _____ E-mail _____

Applicant's Birthdate ____/____/____ Co-applicant's Birthdate ____/____/____/

AMA Numbers, if members: Applicant _____ Co-applicant _____

Occupation _____ Co-applicant's occupation _____

Make of motorcycle(s) _____

Other MC affiliations _____

Please send entire application to: Greg & Diane Gill
PO Box 573
Saylorsburg PA 18353

Membership: Couple \$25 Single \$20 Amount Enclosed _____

Please make checks payable to: East PA Retreads MC. Check # _____

Thank you.

Cards issued _____ Date _____

BREAKFAST LOCATIONS:

1st Saturday, John's Plain and Fancy Diner, 50 South West End Blvd, **Quakertown**, Pa. Rt 309 just south of Rt 663.

2nd Saturday, Golden Corral, 2291 Lincoln Hwy East, Lancaster PA.

3rd Saturday, Blue Mountain Family Restaurant, 24 Roadside Dr, **Shartlesville** Pa. Take I-78/US 22 to exit 23, Shartlesville. At end of ramp turn South on Mountain Rd. At stop sign turn right on Old Rt 22. Take the first right, restaurant is on the right.

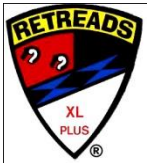
DINNER and ICE CREAM SOCIAL LOCATIONS: Seasonal.

1st Wednesday Sunset Family Restaurant, Rt 422, Birdsboro PA.

2nd Wednesday Hinkles Restaurant, 261 Locust St, **Columbia**, PA. 3rd & Locust Streets.

3rd Wednesday Windmill Restaurant, 2838 Main St, **Morgantown**, PA. Jct Rts 23 & 10.

Remember to sign up for the
picnics and other activities.



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