

GSBMWR EVENTS FOR 2005 in bold (subject to change without notice)

3 rd	APRIL <i>Daylight Savings Time begins</i>		
10 th	Second Sunday Breakfast, Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45 a.m.		
24 th	Destination Ride to Peterborough Diner 10 Depot Street, Peterborough Meet at 2:00 PM at the Diner (Dave Keir)		
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1 st	MAY Kimball's, Jaffery 6:00 p.m. (Louise Bendix)	4 th	JUNE First Saturday Breakfast, Parker's Sugar Barn, Mason 9:00 a.m. (Chris Benda)
2 nd	Four Corners, New London 6:00 p.m. (Doug Long)	5 th	Kimball's, Jaffery 6:00 p.m. (Louise Bendix)
7 th	First Saturday Breakfast, Parker's Sugar Barn, Mason 9:00 a.m. (Chris Benda)	6 th	Four Corners, New London 6:00 p.m.(Doug Long)
8 th	Second Sunday Breakfast, Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45	12 th	Second Sunday Breakfast, Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45
10 th	Abercrombie and Finch Restaurant 6:00 p.m. 219 Lafayette Rd., Rt. 1, No. Hampton (Dave Keir)		<i>Bike week begins</i>
15 th	Board Meeting at Chen Lang Li, Bow 12:00 Noon	14 th	Abercrombie and Finch Restaurant 6:00 p.m. 219 Lafayette Rd., Rt. 1, No. Hampton (Dave Keir)
18 th	Pizzeria Uno, Concord 6:00 p.m. (Bob McHatton)	15 th	Pizzeria Uno, Concord 6:00 p.m. (Bob McHatton)
20-22	<i>BMWRSM Downeast Rally</i>	17-19	<i>Yankee Beemers Pemi Rally</i>
26 th	Lakes Region (Harry Pendexter) location to be determined	23 rd	Lakes Region (Harry Pendexter) location to be determined
30 th	<i>Memorial Day</i>	<hr/>	
2 nd	JULY First Saturday Breakfast, Parker's Sugar Barn, Mason 9:00 a.m. (Chris Benda)	1 st	AUGUST Four Corners, New London 6:00 p.m. (Doug Long)
3 rd	Kimball's, Jaffery 6:00 p.m. (Louise Bendix)	6 th	First Saturday Breakfast, Parker's Sugar Barn, Mason 9:00 a.m. (Chris Benda)
4 th	Four Corners, New London 6:00 p.m. (Doug Long) (Wayne sez: "maybe we should skip this date")	6-7	<i>Yankee Beemers Rally, Heath MA</i>
10 th	Second Sunday Breakfast at Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45	7 th	Kimball's, Jaffery NH, 6:00 p.m. (Louise Bendix)
12 th	Abercrombie and Finch Restaurant 6:00 p.m. 219 Lafayette Rd., Rt. 1, No. Hampton (Dave Keir)	9 th	Abercrombie and Finch Restaurant 6:00 p.m. 219 Lafayette Rd., Rt. 1, No. Hampton (Dave Keir)
20 th	Pizzeria Uno, Concord 6:00 p.m. (Bob McHatton)	14 th	Second Sunday Breakfast, Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45
21-24	<i>MOA Lima, Ohio</i>	17 th	Pizzeria Uno, Concord 6:00 p.m. (Bob McHatton)
28 th	Lakes Region (Harry Pendexter) location to be determined	21 st	Club Picnic, Winslow State Park, Wilmont (Jim and Bev Seipel)
		25 th	Lakes Region (Harry Pendexter) location to be determined
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2-4	SEPTEMBER <i>Finger Lakes Rally</i>	7-9	OCTOBER <i>RA Rally Tennessee</i>
3 rd	First Saturday Breakfast, Parker's Sugar Barn, Mason 9:00 a.m. (Chris Benda)	9 th	Second Sunday Breakfast, Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45
4 th	Kimball's, Jaffery 6:00 p.m. (Louise Bendix)	10 th	<i>Columbus Day</i>
5 th	<i>Labor Day</i>		
5 th	Four Corners, New London 6:00 p.m. (Doug Long) (Wayne sez: "maybe we should skip this date")		
9 th -11 th	PURITY SPRINGS RALLY		
11 th	Second Sunday Breakfast at Sunset Grill, West Campton 9:45 a.m.		
13 th	Abercrombie and Finch Restaurant 6:00 p.m. 219 Lafayette Rd., Rt. 1, No. Hampton (Dave Keir)		
16-18	<i>MOV Rally Vermont</i>		
21 st	Pizzeria Uno, Concord 6:00 p.m. (Bob McHatton)		
22 nd	Lakes Region (Harry Pendexter) location to be determined		



Granite Beemer

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The second board meeting of the year is in the history book. Be sure to review the minutes below. The RSVP'ing for events, via the website, passed its first milestone. A high percentage of attendees "registered" by posting a message on the website. It's nice to see increased use of the website. This month's events include:

Sunday April 10th
Second Sunday Brunch at 9:45
Sunset Grill, Campton, NH
Junction of Rt. 3 and Rt. 49, Exit 28 off I-93

Sunday April 24th
Destination ride to:
Peterborough Diner
10 Depot Street, Peterborough, NH
Meet at 2:00 PM at the Diner.
Dave Keir will be there.

I would like to thank Steve Omand for suggesting a season long event similar to last years "**Here I was**" event. Using a little Presidential discretion, I will suggest a name for Steve's 2005 event: "**Stop and Read the Signs**". (I took a little liberty with Steve's description of the event also.) If someone has a better name, let me know, and we will use some more of that discretion to change the name.

To support this event, the club will be purchasing golf towels with the club logo on the towel. The towels will be distributed to members at events. You should put your membership number on the towel. The "Ride" is to collect historical markers. There are lots of these signs all over NH. When you find a marker, you drape the towel over the sign and take a picture so that the picture becomes proof of capturing that sign (and, of course, riding to find it, or happening across it on a ride).

According to the NH Historical Markers web site (<http://www.nh.gov/markers/chrono.html>) there are 158 Historical Highway Markers in the state. In addition, there are other historical markers that have been placed that are not part of this the NH Historical Highway Marker program.

At the end of the season, we will have some awards for various levels of achievement in this pictorial rally. Along with the submission of pictures (paper prints or image file upload) each person who wants to compete for the prizes could include a brief write-up on any interesting anecdote that may have happened on the quest. The award categories may include the obvious: "Win, Place and Show on total number of signs collected", "Most Amusing Anecdote", "Funniest Snapshot", etc. We are still working out the details on the award categories.

Enjoy the spring weather, get out and ride, and don't forget to support our advertisers.
Wayne

Board Meeting Minutes – March 20, 2005

The meeting was called to order at 1:10 PM in the Library Room of Chen Yang Li Restaurant, Bow, NH. President, Wayne Davis presided.

Officers and board members in attendance to make up a quorum were:

Wayne Davis, President	Jim Seipel, VP
Bob McHatton, Secretary	Harry Pendexter, Treasurer
Ron Beckley, Board	Dave Keir, Board
Bill Mono, Board	

Also attending were 7 members and guests.

1. **Minutes:** Unread minutes from the last meeting were accepted.
2. **Treasurer's Report:** Harry gave the Treasurer's report. We have a balance of \$4892.68 in our checking and CD accounts.
3. **Advertising our Purity Spring Rally nationally:** There was much discussion as to how much to charge members and non-members to attend the rally. The cost to the club per attendee is \$57.00. A vote was taken to decide if the club should absorb some of the cost of the rally. The vote was in the affirmative. It was then decided to charge members \$35.00 and non-members \$50.00. Ads will be placed in the RA and MOA club magazines.
4. **Website:** In the interest of having members use the website it was decided that the website will be used to RSVP for all events.
5. **Rides/Events:**
 - a. **Steve Omand Event:** Steve presented an idea that essentially would replace the "Here I Was" of years past. The idea is to search out Historic Markers within NH and photograph them. Members will be provided with a GSBMWR flag (golf towel) that can be placed on the Historic Marker and photographed. The flag will have the club logo on it, and a place for the member's membership number. The cost will be free, you won't have to enter. Just do it, and at the end of the riding season whoever has photographed the most Historic Markers wins. Flags will be distributed at the Weekly Evening Meet and Eats. Steve will determine how many prizes will be awarded, and etc. Bob McHatton will get prices for 75 flags. Details by Steve Omand will be published in the newsletter.
 - b. **Tuesday Meet and Eats:** Dave Keir has made arrangements for the Second Tuesday Meet and Eat to be at the Abercrombie and Finch Restaurant located next to MAX BMW on Route 1 in North Hampton, NH.
 - c. **Ride to meet April 24, 2005:** Dave Keir will host a lunch at the Peterborough Diner in Peterborough, NH at 2:00 PM. Start from wherever, and with whomever you like and meet at the diner.
 - d. **MAX BMW:** MAX BMW is having an open house every Saturday in April. They invited the club to have a "table" set up to promote the club. A vote was held and it was agreed that we would accept their offer. Details as to who will "work" the table will be worked out. Chris Bender, Dave Keir, and Wayne Davis felt they could cover in two hour intervals. Others in attendance said they would also be available for coverage.
6. **Business Cards:** Bob McHatton will get prices for having club business cards printed. The cards would not have anyone's name on them, just club name, website URL, a note about the Second Sunday Brunch.
7. **T-shirts:** Bob McHatton will get prices for embroidered, and screened t-shirts.
8. **Next Meeting:** The next Board Meeting time and place was not established.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:15 PM.

Respectively submitted Bob McHatton, Secretary.

E-mail Address Corrections Required

Our database requires updated e-mail addresses for the following members: (your e-mail keeps getting returned)

Don Palmer
Peter Marques
Fred Hueglin
Rick Hilger
Robert Pantel

If you happen to be wondering why you never get any club e-mails or maybe you haven't been receiving your electronic newsletter this could be the reason.

Please reply to gsmwr@comcast.net

Thank you

CLUB CLASSIFIEDS

For Sale: 92 R100 converted from RS. 28k miles. Parabellum Scout fairing color-matched w/ bike . Bags, BMW Accessory plug, 3 seats: stock, Mustang, Russell Day Long. Maintained since 12K miles by BMW mechanic. \$4900. Call 603-774-6983. Steve MacDonald

For Sale" 2000 R1100 RT black with hard cases, trunk case/back rest, heated grips, MEZ6 tires, excellent condition. Call Andy Doore at 603-485-9333 after April 5th.

GSBMWR Membership Form

Please renew in April or May. Membership runs from 6/1 to 5/31. If you join after January 1st, your membership does not expire until the following year.

Date: _____ New Member _____ Renewal _____ GSBMWR No. _____ Address change: _____

I want to join/renew for 1 year _____ or 3 years _____

Member's Name: _____ Associate's Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

BMWRA # _____ BMWMOA # _____ AMA # _____ Other Clubs: _____

Year/Model Bike(s): _____ Do you want to be in the club directory? Yes ___ No ___

Please check one. Do you prefer an electronic newsletter? _____ Or a hard copy newsletter? _____

DUES: Regular member: **\$15/year**
Associate Member: **\$10/year**

Mail completed form and check payable to GSBMWR to: GSBMWR c/o McHatton, 572 Concord Street, Manchester, NH 03104

For office use only:

Amount Rec'd: _____ Entered in database _____ Card and decal sent _____ x

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FIRST CLASS



**Second Sunday Brunch
Sunday, April 10th, 2005**

**Destination Ride
Sunday, April 24th**

See inside for details