

2018 Georgia Traveler's Plaque Rules

The purpose of the Georgia District Traveler's Plaque is to promote visitation among Chapters, to provide an incentive to get as many Chapter members as possible to participate, to instill a fun competition between Chapters, and to provide a method of having fun for all Georgia GWRRA Members. The 2018 Georgia Traveler's Plaque will begin its journey with the Chapter that surrenders the 2017 Georgia Traveler's Plaque at Wind Down 2017. The initial offering must be made within the month of January 2018. The plaque will be available for capture by attending the "captive" Chapter's announced time and place. The plaque may not be "stolen" prior to the announced offering. To allow as many members to participate as possible, the plaque must be offered on a Saturday or Sunday. Qualified participants include all current GWRRA members, with the exception of Georgia District Team Members. No minimum number of members is required to attempt a capture. All participants signing in under a Chapter's designation must depart from the same designated location within a 10-mile radius of that Chapter's regular monthly meeting place. (Please be honest!)

The miles must be computed from the Chapters monthly meeting place to the capture site by using the shortest distance as determined by MapQuest. A copy of the MapQuest calculations must be presented at the time of capture (an electronic copy is acceptable). The number of qualified participants traveling by motorcycle, trike, or sidecar (including Riders and Co-Riders) will be multiplied by 1.5 times the corresponding mileage from the MapQuest calculations. This result will be referred to as the "MC Score". The number of qualified participants traveling by car, truck, or other means will be multiplied by the corresponding mileage from the MapQuest calculations. This result will be referred to as the "Car Score". The "MC Score" and the "Car Score" will be added together to produce a "Total Score". The Chapter with the highest "Total Score" will capture the plaque. The Chapter offering the plaque for capture is to calculate the scores and document all necessary information on the Plaque Log Sheet. This Log must always accompany the plaque. The Chapter that captures the plaque must announce within 48 hours where and when the plaque will be offered, which shall not be more than 30 days from the date of capture (unless approved by the District Director). It is the responsibility of the capturing Chapter to notify District Directors Larry and Pamela at georgiadd@gwrra-ga.com or 678-525-5433 as soon as possible. The plaque must change Chapters at least once before the surrendering Chapter may capture the plaque again. i.e., B captures the plaque from A; the plaque must be captured by C before A is eligible to capture the plaque again. The 2018 Georgia Traveler's Plaque will be retired at Wind Down 2018. The Chapter in Possession of the plaque prior to Wind Down will bring the plaque to that event and exchange it for the new 2018 Georgia Traveler's Plaque. The Chapter that has captured the 2018 Georgia Traveler's Plaque the most times during the year will receive the retiring plaque and the District will pay the 2018 chartering fee for that Chapter. In the event of a tie, the Chapter with the highest sum of total points will win the award. If you have any questions regarding the Traveler's Plaque rules, please contact Larry or Pamela, or any of your District Team.