

RKMC — Mass 2 — 2006 Ride Schedule



Saturday, February 4. **Northeast Motorcycle Expo in Boston.**
A guy's day out via train to Boston for the Motorcycle Show.

Sunday, February 19. **Winter Pot-luck and sledding party.**
Join us in Ashby for some fun in the snow. (1:00 p.m.)
Call Linda S. for more info, to RSVP, and for directions. (978) 386-7915

Sunday, March 5. **Americade Pot-luck Planning Meeting.**
Are you planning on going to Americade in June? Then join us at the Kilhart's in Athol at 1:00 p.m. to have some *planning* for the week's events. Bring some food to share too. (The food planning meeting for the Americade trip will be on May 24 at 6:00 p.m. at Peg's house).

Saturday, April 8. **Athol "River Rat Race Parade" and RK Brunch afterward**
Weather permitting we'll have the Red Knights lead the Fire Engines down Athol's Main Street for their annual River Rat Race Parade... and then head out for brunch afterward. **Bring your Fire Helmet!**
Meet in Westminster at 8:00 a.m. and we'll re-group at Athol High School at 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, April 29. **A Trip to Boston with some Medieval Flare...and fare.**
We'll be traveling to Boston for an evening dinner and a show at the **Medieval Manor**.
You'll meet the court jester, the king and his court, and have a six course dinner.
Since this is by reservation only, call Kevin Martin to RSVP. www.medievalmanor.com

Friday, May 5 – Sunday, May 7. **Cape Cod Dutch Treat Weekend**
Meet at **Westminster FD** at 9:00 am on Friday, **May 5** (we'll pick up more at the 140/12 intersection at 9:30). We are traveling further down the Cape to Eastham this year for our lodging. Look for further information in the newsletter and *make your reservations soon*. Anyone want to hold over to Monday too?

Saturday, May 20. **A ride around central Mass and a stop or two in Worcester.**
Join us for a ride through Central Mass with stops planned for the Higgins Armory and the Massachusetts Vietnam Memorial in Worcester. We'll also be on the lookout for ice cream. Leave WFD at 10:00 a.m.

Week of June 4-10. **Americade — Lake George, N.Y.**
Varying departure times and staying times throughout week.
The largest group is leaving Sunday, June 4.
*Red Knights are hosting the Wednesday evening three-course Dinner,
RK meeting Thursday evening at Lake George FD — Parade on Saturday morning.*

Sunday, June 18. **Father's Day Picnic Ride**
We'll have a leisurely day of riding with plans for a picnic lunch on the way.
Meet at the Westminster FD for 10:00 a.m.

June 23-25. **New England Fire Chief's Show**
The Red Knights will have an information booth at the Fire Chief's Show. Anyone interested in spending time in the booth contact State Rep Steve Mickle.

Tuesday, June 20. **Annual Club Raffle Drawing at the Ice Cream Ride**

Tuesday, July 4. **4th of July Pot-luck BBQ.**
Come enjoy some time with friends at a holiday pot-luck. We'll be in Petersham at the Laford's. Bring a dish to share and something to throw on the grill. See you around 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 15. **Scavenger Hunt**
Vice-president Kevin Martin has been toiling to prepare a scavenger hunt for our chapter to ride. Come see what surprises he has in store for us. Meet at WFD at 9:00 a.m.

Red Knights' Breakfast Club

Join us for Breakfast on the 3rd Saturday in the cold weather months.

- January 21
- February 18
- March 18
- April 15
- October 21
- November 18*
- December 16

*Mohegan Sun follows November's Breakfast!

Meet at the Westminster Fire Station at 8 am

Ice Cream Rides

Ice cream is always popular so we will meet on the 3rd Tuesday of ice cream months and leave WFD at 6:30 p.m.

- Tuesday, May 16
- Tuesday, June 20
- Tuesday, July 18
- Tuesday, August 15
- Tuesday, September 19

If you hear of other rides... or just have free time and want to go for a ride — let others know — there's always someone who will be able to go!

All unsold chapter raffle tickets must be back in to Bob by **MAY 31 so we can take them (and sell them) at Americade!**

Weekend of July 21-23. **Down-east in Wells, Maine**

Back to Wells this year with the possibility of a variety of lodging options for the weekend.
...and we'll visit with our snow birds in their northern summer home!

Sunday, July 30. **Come watch the boys of summer as the Worcester Tornadoes take the field**

Meet at WFD at 11:00 a.m. and we'll head south to watch Worcester's semi-pro baseball team.

Saturday, August 5. **A ride to the North-Shore**

Come join us for a ride to the seacoast in and around Gloucester... maybe even a stop at the Hammond Castle. Meet at Westminster FD at **8:30 a.m.**

August 10-13. **Red Knights' Convention in NYC**

Many events planned by this year's hosts, the NYC Fire-riders.

Saturday, August 12. **Breakfast Ride**

Not heading to the convention? Then join us for a breakfast ride and we can celebrate the VP's birthday! Meet at WFD at 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, August 26. **Vermont Covered Bridges**

We'll head out to the Covered Bridge Museum in Bennington and take a look at the bridges in the area. Meet at WFD at 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 2. **Labor Day Weekend Cookout at the Mickle's in Nashua**

Meet at WFD at 10:00 a.m. and we'll have a ride into southern New Hampshire and enjoy Steve and Deb's hospitality. Bring a dish to share and something to throw on the grill.

September 6-10. **Killington Classic in Killington, VT**

The rally that is quickly becoming *the one* to attend in the fall!
The Red Knights have space at the *Inn at Six Mountains*. Call for your reservation. www.killingtonclassic.com

Saturday, September 16. **Find your way through the Maze at the Davis' Farm**

What makes Sterling famous... it's the corn maze constructed on the Davis Farm each year. Join us at WFD at 9:00 a.m. and we'll see how well the Red Knights do when they are put to the (stress) test.

Sunday, October 8: **Breakfast and Apple Pie**

This year the Jaffrey Breakfast and the Apple Pie Ride are on the same day. So it's breakfast first (to support our brethren at the Jaffrey FD) and then off to Vermont for dessert!
Leave WFD at 8:00 a.m.

Saturday, October 21. **Breakfast Club & Salem Witches**

Our first Saturday Breakfast Club for the Fall will also have us heading to Salem to celebrate the season. Meet at WFD at 8 am

Saturday, October 28. **Halloween Costume Party & Pot Luck**

Who will be the winner of this year's best costume?
Bring some food, and we'll have a great time at Kevin and Lori's in Gardner, 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 5. **Polar Bear Ride and Annual Meeting and Election of Officers**

What will the weather bring in '06? Meet at WFD at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, November 18. **Monthly Breakfast Club and then head to the CASINO!**

After our monthly breakfast gathering we'll regroup and head to Connecticut and Mohegan Sun Casino to try our luck. Meet at WFD at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, December 10. **Red Knights Christmas Party and Yankee Swap**

We're back at the Apple Hill Farm in Leominster for our dinner, party, and gift swap. 1:00 p.m.

Other Rides:

Molly's Ride for Missing Children

Sunday, June 25.

This charity ride is to raise money for the Molly Bish Foundation for missing and exploited children. Registration at Quabog Regional High School. www.mollybish.org/

Ride for the Children

Saturday, July 8.

The North-Quabbin Child and Family Services' annual charity ride in and around the towns of the Quabbin region with live entertainment, food, and fun.

DAKIN Animal Shelter's Ride for the Animals

Saturday, July 22.

www.dakinshelter.org

Ride for Kids

Sunday, August 20.

Come join us and participate in one of the most rewarding benefit rides there is. Meet on the Petersham Common for 7:30 a.m. and we'll go help raise money for the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation.

If you can't go, consider sending a donation along with us!

