MARYLAND RETREADS

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Allen & Donna lead the meeting as Sharon & Ron were not able to attend. Spring is pushing in early and on this Groundhog Day, 35 members were present for breakfast and fellowship.

Young Alice pulled some winning tickets for our members. Susan won the door prize Buddy and Rick won the 50/50 drawing.

Our 2020 ride schedule is empty and there is no ride scheduled at this time for March 1st. We are in need of members to sign up to lead a ride. Please see Allen so we can provide planned rides in advance of our breakfast meetings.

Art announced dates of events for PA.

Seven Retreads gathered for Pizza and UNO at Jeff & Patsy's house, February 15th. We played a new version of the game. "UNO Flip." Find someone who was there and ask about these rules. This game has a "dark side." Maybe a new way to play dirty UNO.



On February 22nd 12 Retreads gathered for dinner out at Hoss's in Gettysburg, PA. Good food and fellowship was enjoyed by all.



Even though our meeting was a little brief, members were updated on Sharon's health and everyone will be keeping her in their thoughts and

prayers for a full recovery.

Gail advised that her brother is doing well after undergoing a kidney transplant.

Condolences were also expressed for the Dahler family due to the passing of Charlie Dahler.

Let's Go Bowling & Dinner

Augie and Lynn have set up a bowling event, on: Saturday March 14th, 1:15 pm at:

Turner Bowling Center, Dual Lanes—Route 40, Hagerstown, MD 21740.



The price is \$7.50 per person this is for 2 games and your shoe rental. Please come out and joins us for some fun, even if you choose not to bowl, come along and just have fun, we could use some encouragement.

Dinner to follow at Mission BBQ, 17301 Valley Mall Rd., Hagerstown, MD 21740

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Announcements were made for all of the Rallies scheduled for this year.

2020 Retread Rallies

Future International & other rallies being planned. Flyers will be available as we receive them.

May 14 - 16, Mid-Atlantic Rally Bird In Hand, PA Early registration May 13th.

May 14 - 16, North Arkansas Spring Fling Rally, Mountainview, AR

July 20 - 22, 4-Corners Rally, Pinetop, AZ Early registration June 19th.

June 16 - 18, International Rally, Johnson City, TN

July 20 - 22, Western PA Rally, Erie, PA.

Mark Your Calendars

1st Sunday of each month breakfast (except December) 9am, Mountain Gate Restaurant, off Rt 15 just South of Thurmont, MD.



Monthly after breakfast group rides are planned. If inclement weather, ride will be postponed until later in the year. If you have a ride you would like to lead or a suggestion for a ride, please see Allen.



Thank You For Your Support

After the February breakfast the Retreads opened their hearts and pantries to help our community. Two large collection boxes were filled with non-perishable food items to take to a local food bank.

Thanks everyone. Micah's Table Food Bank of Washington County thanks you as well. If you wish to view their website it is:

www.southcountyfoodpantry.org/micahs-backpack/

Animal Shelter item Drive

We had previously discussed collecting items for a local animal shelter.

Items such as food, old towels and blankets, multi purpose cleaner, paper towels, baby wipes, dog and cat toys are options to donate. Bring these to the March meeting.



Note: This is an abbreviated newsletter for March. For the next several editions the newsletter will be quarterly. The next newsletter will be for items April - June, 2020.

Please be sure to give Allen or Donna information no later than March 20 to be included.
