

# **GWRRA Region B New York District 2014 Dash for Cash**

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New York District GWRRA “Dash for Cash” has entered its seventh year – its purpose is to encourage Chapters to visit each other, to participate in GWRRA Programs, and to attend conventions and other functions within the Region and beyond.

The New York District will pay \$50 towards the charter fee for the year 2015 for any chapter earning 20 points. Points may be earned from January 1, 2014 through November 15, 2014. The chapter with the most points in excess of 20 at the end of the program period will also be awarded a check for \$100.00.

Detailed rules and definitions follow:



January 25, 2014

# New York District 2014 Dash for Cash Rules & Definitions

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## **A. Rules:**

- a. A minimum of 5 card-carrying GWRRA Members must attend an event or gathering to qualify for attendance points.
- b. Each participating chapter must visit at least one Chapter Gathering and attend one chapter event to qualify for the program. (See Definitions 1 and 2)
- c. Each chapter can earn a maximum of 5 points from visiting any one chapter (1 meeting per chapter + 2 activities/events = 5 pts)
- d. Hosting a District Event must be approved by and will be at the discretion of the District Director.
- e. The New York District Directors are not eligible to be counted in a chapter's 5 card-carrying members. The remainder of the New York District staff are eligible to be counted and are expected to participate in the program to the fullest extent possible.
- f. All entries shall be submitted as a complete package and emailed to ADD Gary Cork ([Dgcorkny@aol.com](mailto:Dgcorkny@aol.com)) and shall include "D4C" and the chapter name in the subject line.
- g. All entries must be received within 15 days of the event for which submitted.

## **B. Points:**

1. Attend a different Chapter Gathering/Meeting (once per chapter) 1
2. Attend a different Chapter's Event 2
3. Attend the NY/NJ Bi-State Convention 3
4. Attend a District Event other than the Convention 2
5. Host an approved District Event 2
6. Attend another District's Convention or Event within Region B 2
7. Attend another District's Convention or Event outside Region B 2
8. Attend Wing Ding 3
9. Participate in a charitable event (limited to one event per year) 2
10. Travel to pick up the Traveling Plaque (1 to 100 mi – 1 pt; 101 to 200 mi – 2 pts; 201 to 300 mi – 3 pts; greater than 300 mi – 4 pts) (See Definition 4) (Other points may apply.)

## **C. Bonus Points:**

1. Select a Chapter Couple of the Year with the NY District for 2013. 3
2. Provide assistance with the Bi-State Convention (Minimum of 5 members) ) (See Definition 3) 2
3. Be the NY Chapter with the most members attending the Bi-State Convention (more than 5 members) 1
4. Appoint a Membership Enhancement Coordinator 1
5. Submit paperwork before deadline for Chapter of the Year – 2013 (Feb 1, 2014) 2
6. Selected NY District Chapter of the Year - 2013 3
7. Be selected as GWRRA Chapter of the Year for 2013 4
8. Provide at least two GWRRA card-carrying chapter members for at least one shift at the GWRRA booth at Americade. 1

## **D. Definitions:**

1. Chapter Meeting/Gathering is defined as a regularly scheduled monthly meeting as published in the Chapter newsletter or website.
2. Chapter Event is defined as any chapter event (including a ride) other than a gathering, that is open to all chapters and advertised in Chapter's newsletter, website or District Calendar.
3. Chapter assisting with Bi-State Convention is defined as Chapter signing up for and carrying out an approved task as assigned by District Director.
4. For Traveling Plaque points, all distances are the shortest GoogleMap distances between traveling Chapter's Gathering Place displayed on District Web Page and relinquishing chapter's Gathering Place displayed on District Web Page or advertised event rendezvous (nearest town/city). Points are awarded only for full compliance with Traveling Plaque rules. (Current Traveling Plaque rules are posted on the District web page.)

## **E. Disclaimers and Legal Stuff:**

1. Complete package is defined as a photo showing all 5 (or more) visiting chapter members and the GWRRA Officer of the host chapter, listing all names as seen from left to right, and including name of event and date and time of event.
2. An acknowledgement will go to the sender once the submittal is received. If you do not receive acknowledgement, contact ADD Gary Cork.
3. Any and all disputes, ties and discrepancies will be decided by the NY District Director.
4. The NY District Director reserves the sole right to modify, suspend, or discontinue the program for any reason at any time.

## **Dash for Cash Clarification**

The purpose of the D4C Program is to encourage Chapters in New York to visit other Chapters and other Chapters' events, whether they are NY chapters or those in other states. To that end, the D4C program is working quite well! Most New York chapters should be proud of the efforts they have put into the "Fun" part of our motto by participating in D4C. Some chapters are less active, and frankly, we'd love to see more activity from them.

It is important that we have a common understanding of what events are considered "District" events and what events are chapter events.

### **District Events:**

- Bi-State Convention
- District Ride-In
- District Ride-Out
- District Training Day
- Americade Elk's Breakfast
- Others, as approved specifically by the District Director and open to all Chapters in the district.

### **Chapter Events (Examples)**

- Mall Show
- The Rocco Cole Memorial Dinner (Americade)
- Chapter Breakfast, Lunch or Dinner
- Tech Day (Tire Kicks, etc.)
- Chapter Rides
- Ice Cream Rides
- Dessert Rides
- Other events listed in a Chapter newsletter, web page and/or District Calendar

And separate from those two categories is the Chapter Gathering, neither a District nor a Chapter event.

It is very important to make the following distinction: An event is either a District event or a Chapter event; it is not both.

Chapters deserve to be recognized for holding an event, such as a Mall Show, especially if it is very successful. However, the Dash for Cash Program is not the only program to do so. Credit may be taken for all chapter events through the Chapter of the Year Program. Each Chapter should seriously consider appointing a Chapter of the Year Coordinator. This person would track all Chapter activities and appointments and correlate them to the Chapter of the Year Program guidelines, so an application can be made for GWRRA recognition of their efforts.

**Dash for Cash Mileage**  
**(Traveling Plaque)**

Mileage/Points	Ch D	Ch F	Ch G	Ch H	Ch K	Ch L	Ch N	Ch T	Ch U	Ch W	Ch X	Ch Y
Ch D 4285 State Hwy 31, Clay	-- 1	74 1	147 2	161 2	298 3	178 2	163 2	37 1	216 3	94 1	223 3	100 1
Ch F 357 Elmira Road, Ithaca	74 1	-- 1	163 2	167 2	260 3	159 2	205 3	92 1	182 2	99 1	185 2	56 1
Ch G 219 Wolf Road, Albany	147 2	163 2	-- 1	297 4	180 2	40 1	43 1	119 2	349 4	228 3	94 1	117 2
Ch H 300 Lake Street, Wilson	161 2	167 2	297 3	-- 1	426 4	328 4	313 4	192 2	102 2	66 1	351 4	233 3
Ch K 881 Walt Whitman Rd, Melville	298 3	260 3	180 2	426 4	-- 1	141 2	221 3	292 3	398 4	374 4	89 1	206 3
Ch L 969 Main Street, Leeds	178 2	159 2	40 1	328 4	141 2	-- 1	82 1	151 2	345 4	259 3	57 1	113 2
Ch N 124 Main Street, Queensbury	163 2	205 3	43 1	313 4	221 3	82 1	-- 1	139 2	370 4	248 3	136 2	159 2
Ch T 2805 NY 49, Blossvale	37 1	92 1	119 2	192 2	292 3	151 2	139 2	-- 1	246 3	117 2	189 2	91 1
Ch U 7 East Main Street, Falconer	216 3	182 2	349 4	102 2	398 4	345 4	370 4	246 3	-- 1	117 2	189 2	91 1
Ch W 730 Elmgrove Road, Gates	94 1	99 1	228 3	66 1	374 4	259 3	248 1	117 2	133 2	-- 1	351 4	233 3
Ch X 1294 NY 300, Newburgh	223 3	185 1	94 1	351 4	89 1	57 1	136 2	189 2	351 4	301 4	-- 1	126 2
Ch Y 3599 NY 79, Harpursville	100 1	56 1	117 2	233 3	206 3	113 2	159 2	91 1	233 3	157 2	126 2	-- 1

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