GWRRA New York District

Traveling Plaque Rules

(Only Chapters assigned to the NY District can compete in the Traveling Plaque Program)

The New York District GWRRA Traveling Plaque is to encourage Chapters to visit each other, participate in fun events, and to meet new friends. This will help grow your chapter and make it more vibrant and lively. HAVE FUN WITH YOUR TRAVELS!!!

The Traveling Plaque was born on July 13, 1991. It is a historical record of the evolution of the New York District. It contains a book that must be updated with appropriate information in order to document its historic travels.

Detailed rules governing the capture and transfer of the Traveling Plaque are outlined below:



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(Only Chapters assigned to the NY District can capture the Traveling Plaque)

Rules:

- 1. To take possession of the Traveling Plaque, five (5) current GWRRA members of a visiting chapter must visit the gathering or event hosted by the chapter currently in possession of the Traveling Plaque. Capture of the Traveling Plaque can only occur at a chapter gathering or event, not at any other event, i.e., Region event, Wing Ding, etc.
- 2. The chapter taking possession of the Traveling Plaque must record the Traveling Plaque's travels in the booklet attached to the Traveling Plaque. The date, your chapter name, Chapter Director's name, and number of current GWRRA members attending the function must be entered into the book. Try to include something interesting about your chapter also.
- 3. The chapter taking possession of the Traveling Plaques must complete a Travelling Plaque Record Sheet contained in the Traveling Plaque bag. Include a group photo of these members with the Traveling Plaque Record Sheet. Ensure at least one blank Traveling Plaque Record Sheet remains in the Traveling Plaque bag.
- 4. When a chapter takes possession of the Traveling Plaque, an announcement **MUST** be made in the next edition of your Chapter's newsletter and an email sent to the District Webmaster asking him or her to update the location of the Traveling Plaque on the District webpage.
 - a. This is so other chapters will know where they should travel to capture the Traveling Plaque.
- 5. The chapter currently possessing the Traveling Plaque must have it readily available at all chapter gatherings and events.
- 6. In the case of two chapters attempting to capture the Traveling Plaque at the same gathering or event, the chapter with the most current GWRRA members present will assume possession of the Traveling Plaque.
- 7. In the case that both chapters attempting to capture the Traveling Plaque at the same chapter gathering or event have the same number of current GWRRA members present, the chapter that travelled the farthest distance will assume possession of the Traveling Plaque.
- 8. The chapter in possession of the Travelling Plaque at the time of the New York District's Annual District Meeting will bring the plaque to the meeting where it will be recaptured by the District Director. The District Director will then select a chapter from the District and allow them to capture the plaque from the District. Mileage points from the capturing chapter's gathering location to the District Meeting location will be awarded.