

ALCOHOL POLICY:

Women On Wheels® will not support, sanction or approve any motorcycle activity involving the sale, dispensing and/or serving of alcoholic beverages by its members. This organization does not wish to promote any activity that is detrimental to its image or contradictory to its mission.

While WOW does not proclaim to be the proverbial “Big Brother”, constantly looking over your shoulder, we do agree with the findings of the Motorcycle Safety Foundation. Their research shows that a motorcyclist who consumes even a single drink will put themselves and others at risk of having an accident. Considering the hazards inherent to our favorite sport without this additional element, we are surprised when anyone even considers drinking when they are out for a ride. As an additional issue, any insurance regarding a chapter function is null and void if an accident is determined to be alcohol related. Do you really want to jeopardize the safety of your fellow members?

We have to remember that because there are so many personalities involved, we must frequently compromise to ensure harmony within the group. Surely it would be possible for a chapter to take a ride and, at the end of the day, when the riding is done and the covers are on the bikes, have a beverage to celebrate the events of the day!

Please, enjoy the riding, fellowship and support achieved through your association with Women On Wheels®. And remember to always RIDE SAFE!

GROUP RIDES and Liability:

Note: For liability protection, no one should ever “lead” a group ride. The meeting place, destination and time of departure can be announced. Make everyone aware that even though you may be the first to leave and the others may choose to leave at the same time; all are traveling to the destination on their own and are responsible for their own safety and actions.