

Levels . . . Are you ready to take the challenge?

Each time you ride, I believe you knowingly accept risk associated with operation of a motorcycle. I also believe that most of you are looking for ways to improve your riding and safety as part of your passion for the sport. If I am judging you correctly, I know of a great way for you to help you achieve your goals; enroll in the GWRRA Levels Program.

What is the Levels Program? Simply stated, it is GWRRA's way to encourage safety through progressive experience and training to provide for a more enjoyable motorcycling experience for you and those around you.

What are the Levels?

There are four building block stages in the Levels program where each builds on the one before it to make you a better rider through training and experience.

Level I - *Safety by Commitment.* By simply signing up you are eligible to become a Level I. The action you take to sign up will create the will to be a safer rider (*statistics prove this*). Who knew that just by agreeing to do something you can improve your skills?

Level II - *Safety by Education.* To progress to the next level takes a bit more commitment. You need to be a current Level I; have no less than 5000 safe GWRRA miles and an approved Rider/Co-rider course within the last three years. At this level you are committing yourself to improving your knowledge and riding skills.

Level III – *Safety by Preparedness.* As you progress on levels road, you need to be prepared to address emergencies you may encounter while riding. This is what Level III is all about. To meet the requirements for Level III, you need to be current as a Level II (*which includes currency on a rider/co-rider course*) and you need to be CPR or First Aid trained within the last three years. Further you will commit to carrying a first aid kit on your bike whenever you are riding. Who knows, the first aid kit you bring may actually benefit you some day.

Level IV - *Master Tour Rider.* To achieve the pinnacle as a rider in GWRRA, you must ride as an example to others in the organization and the public at large. To meet the requirement for Level IV, you need to be a current Level III rider (*which includes currency in rider/co-rider course, First Aid/CPR and agree to carry a first aid kit on your bike*). Also you will have at least one year as a Level III rider and have no less than 25,000 safe GWRRA miles. Further, you will commit to wear a helmet, eye protection, gloves, attire that covers legs and arms, and over the ankle boots whenever you ride.



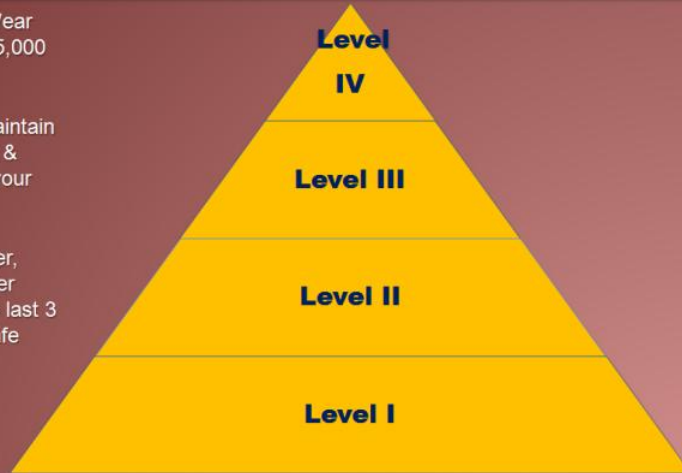
Level Requirements

Current as a Level III, Wear Proper Riding Gear & 25,000 Safe Miles in GWRRA

Current as a Level II, Maintain current First Aid or CPR & Carry a First Aid Kit on your Bike

Current GWRRA Member, Licensed, Approved Rider Education Course in the last 3 years & total of 5,000 safe miles in GWRRA

Promise - Commitment to ride Safe



Chapter WA-E Educator



How do you get started?

You need to simply let me know you are interested in starting the levels program and we will fill out a simple form to get you on the road in the program.

As an incentive to get Chapter E riders on the program, the first five riders/co-riders who sign up for Level I in the months of November and December will have their fees paid. Will you be the first to take the challenge?

Ride safe and ride well.

Bob Reagle, Chapter E Educator