



reservations. There is also plenty of nearby motels as well if you want more creature comforts.

We have tentatively scheduled a Bike Show for Saturday June 11<sup>th</sup>. The location for the bike show is still not nailed down. We will try to finalize a location at the upcoming chapter meeting.

Dinner rides will start April 28<sup>th</sup>. We are going to try something new this year on dinner rides. At the meeting we will ask everyone to put their choices for dinner rides on a piece of paper and put all the slips in our ticket barrel. We will draw a slip from the barrel for each dinner ride. We will discuss meeting place for the rides at the meeting.

Do not forget about the Blue Grass Blast Raffle tickets. We passed out several hundred tickets last chapter meeting. If you did not get tickets at that time please pick up some at the next meeting. You only need to find 10 people with \$5 each to sell 60 tickets. Remember most of the money comes back to the chapter to fund chapter events. This is the chapter's primary source of income for the year. We need your help to sell the tickets. Just think of the cookies, nuts, candy bars, and other things you have purchase from co-workers over the past year. Now it's pay back time. Go hit them up for a great cause, our chapter, your chapter... We have until Aug 1<sup>st</sup> to sell as many tickets as we can.

We selected July 23 as this year's chapter picnic. Location has not yet been decided, some of us will riding to several parks to check out the picnic facilities. Just keep July 23 open on your calendar for the picnic.

Make sure I have your email address. Best way to get the address to me is to send me an email message at [jim.rippy@insightbb.com](mailto:jim.rippy@insightbb.com). I can then reply to confirm I have your address.

## Scheduled Events for 2005

**Spring Fling**, Pigeon Forge, TN, April 22 – 25, this is a great rally, the first one of the season for many of us. We plan on reserving cabins at the KOA in Pigeon Forge as we did last year.

**Region N Rally**, Maggie Valley, NC, May 19 – 22, usually a small rally, we do expect a large turnout due to the new location in Maggie Valley. Mix beautiful scenery, great riding in the area, very large motorcycle museum (special rates for rally pre-registration) and Goldwingers from across the region and you have a formula for fun. The host hotel is already sold out... Pre-register form is available on Region Web site. I will try to print up some for the holiday party.

**Wing Ding**, Fort Wayne, IN, July 4 – 7, what can I say? This is the big one and Fort Wayne

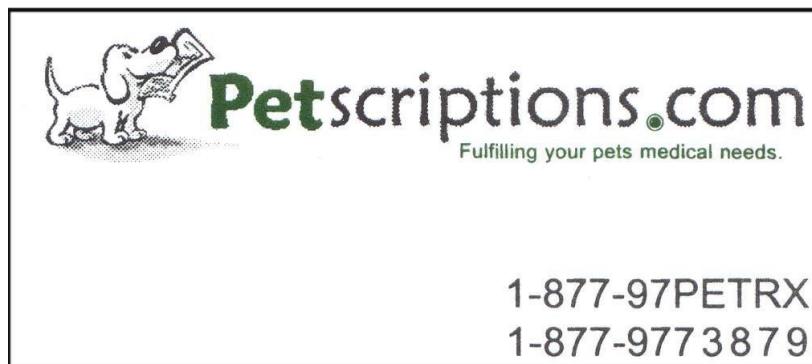
certainly turns out to support the rally. For us it's really not very far. Not many times Wing Ding will be this close.

**Blue Grass Blast**, Paducah, KY, August 26 – 27, the district staff is working

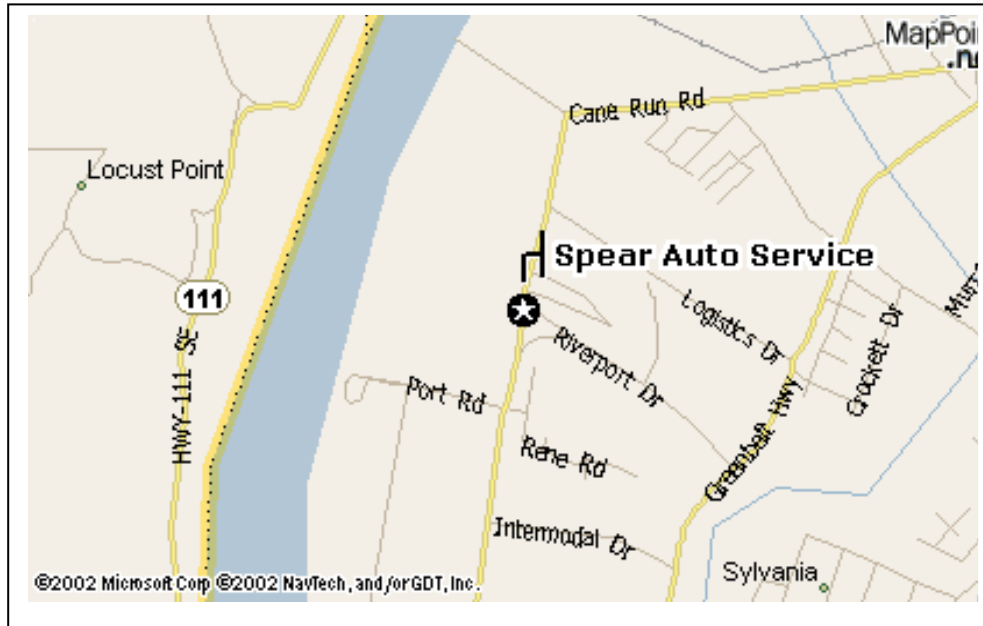
to make this of the better rallies.

## Chapter Shirts

If you want chapter shirts please be ready with your size and number of shirts at the meeting on Saturday. Shirt prices will depend on the number of shirts in the order. We can get the ringed short sleeve T-shirts, non ringed long sleeve T-shirts and sweat shirts. Ringed T-shirts are white with Navy trim on neck and sleeves. Long sleeve T-shirts can be solid white or solid grey. Sweatshirts are grey. T-shirts run a bit small so you may want to order 1 size above what you normally wear. Sweatshirts run pretty true to size. Due to quality issues with last two batches we will not order any more of the golf shirts. Best prices are to have at least 24 total shirts. We don't make any money on these so we need commitments. We cannot afford to stock extra shirts.



Map to Kenny's Shop for Maintenance Day:



Map to Ceridian for Group Riding Seminar:

