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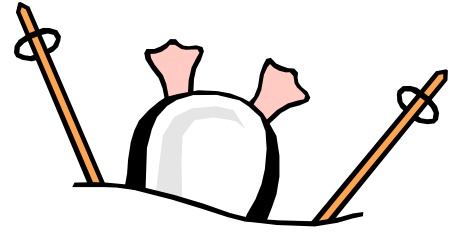
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Happy New Year!

There are a lot of changes going on everywhere in the world this year and even a couple in our own little corner of it. Gary M was re-elected president (no change there), Garry A changed positions from treasurer to club historian, and Roscoe stepped down from the merchandising chairperson. Theresa was elected treasurer and Butch took over merchandising.



Whew! Anything else? Oh, yeah, the website! This month, we are in the process of moving the whole site to another company who has unlimited space for all our photos as well as a pile of fabulous fun members-only features we can add. Best of all, the annual cost is cheaper! You'll notice some down time but don't worry, the site will be up and running soon. The main hold up will be the time it takes for manual uploading of all the files and images...we do love taking pictures, don't we! One other great feature of the new site is the opportunity for members to have a *mtrainercruisers.com* e-mail address. If you want one, e-mail Nancy at nanwj@clearwire.net with your desired e-mail name...first come – first served!

We are beginning to plan our events this year so if you have any ideas, let any of the board members know. The 2009 monthly meeting schedule will stay the same: the 1st Wednesday of the month at the Black Bear Diner in Federal Way.

Here's looking forward to a fun 2009!



Upcoming Events

1/10 Christmas Party and White Elephant Gift Exchange



Member of the Month – Joanne Way



I have been fortunate enough to have been a member of the Mt. Rainier Cruisers club for the past few years (at the invitation of two great friends, Sam and Phil) and feel lucky to have met such fun people. I actually found myself buying a PT Cruiser at the urging of my youngest son after my off-road truck was stolen a few years ago. He saw the potential in what I could do with this car and I am glad he pushed me down this path.

I have a 2002 Limited Edition that has now been converted over to my vision of a Harley Davidson edition. It's been fun adding and changing to the look and I have definitely utilized all the resources from other members and car events to my advantage.

As for myself, I am a single gal hailing originally from the Midwest (Chicago area) and have lived all over the US and in Germany thanks to the military (be born into the military and see the world - lol). I have two grown sons, one living in Tennessee, and the other living near Yakima with his wife of three years. I am a design engineer with an Aerospace company based out of North Carolina and have been in the design field for 21 years (I was a child prodigy and started at the tender age of 8 which makes me 29 - forever! LOL). Seriously, I look forward to retirement someday and plan to get a motorcycle endorsement to finally buy that Harley Davidson I so deserve. However, if any of you know of single man with a Harley, let me know...and send a picture of the bike (wink wink)!

 Birthdays		 Anniversaries			
➔	Jan Blankers	11/13	➔	Jody & Rick Rainwater	1/26
➔	Aggie Aguilar	1/2			
➔	Cindy Mattson	1/5			
➔	Roscoe Cox	1/14			
➔	Mery Luisa Raptas	1/16			
➔	Rick Hancock	1/20			
➔	Jody Rainwater	1/21			