



Member of Parliament Peter Goldring has been asked to be the Parliamentary co-chair of the annual Ride to Remember which is being held in Canada for the first time in May-June 2012. He explains the significance of the event, which has the theme "Never Again!"

The Ride to Remember was started in 2005 as an annual event in which Jewish motorcyclists in the United States, Canada, Australia, the UK and Israel ride to remember those murdered in the Holocaust, so they can raise Holocaust awareness, lest the world forgets.

The Ride was started by the Jewish Motorcyclists Alliance (JMA) in the US. JMA is an umbrella organization for Jewish motorcycle clubs worldwide that was founded to bring together Jews who were as passionate about motorcycle riding as they were about the importance of promoting the memory and

history of the holocaust.

Over the years, the JMA has raised more than \$300,000 to promote and support Holocaust Centers and those who contribute to Holocaust Education.

The Toronto Motorcycle Club YOW (Yidden On Wheels) will host the R2R May 31, 2012 to June 3 2012 , where perhaps as many as, and possibly more than 1000 Bikers from across Canada, the USA, Australia and Israel will participate in the overall event.



Ride 2 Remember participants will pass by Canada's National War Memorial after the ceremony on Parliament Hill.

The R2R has usually attracted several hundred Bikers from the 46 member clubs of the JMA (with Bikers coming from the USA, Canada, Australia and Israel), but, for 2012, the R2R is being opened up to non-Jewish Motorcycle Clubs who want to participate in the pledge of NEVER

AGAIN, including the Continent-Wide Christian Motorcycle Group Mission Of Hope Bikers (M25).



The Perfect Pigs biker's club from Trenton, who are organizing Canada's Heroes Highway Ride (June 2, 2012) have also been invited to participate as a valued partner in this incredible first ever of it's kind event.

This year's fundraising efforts will be dedicated to the Holocaust Educators Study Tour of Christian Educators, who will receive a first hand eyewitness understanding of the horrors and truths of the Holocaust, enabling these Christian Educators to pass their experiences onto others, so no one should ever forget the evil that humankind is capable of inflicting upon humanity.

The focus is to ensure that tomorrow's leaders understand the horrors of genocide and the terrible consequences of indifference.

In this context, having Bikers from across the religious, cultural, and national divides shouts volumes to the importance of this common cause.

The Second World War Holocaust is absolutely unique amongst the evil of all Genocides known throughout history, making it important to continue to promote education and understanding of this horror to ensure

that such actions are not repeated in the future.

A group of JMA Bikers from the Montreal Maccabees, the Widow's Sons (Masons), Heroes Highway Riders and others have been invited by M25 to meet the Christian Bikers in Pennsylvania, to escort them back into Canada.



Many of the Riders are veterans who wish to pay their respects to Canada's fallen heroes. As such, a special ceremony is planned at Royal Canadian Air Force Base Trenton.

The number of Bikers coming into Canada will be escorted by Ontario Provincial Police from the Canadian border, until they reach their destinations at Ottawa, CFB Trenton and Toronto.

The first Canadian stop will be an overnight stay in Kingston (May 29). On the following day, May 30, the day before the Pledge of

NEVER AGAIN on Parliament Hill, the Christian Bikers and their Jewish Biker Escorts will arrive in Ottawa.

In a special ceremony on the Hill, there will be several speakers to welcome the Bikers and explain the purpose and Parliament's role in this event.

Amongst a show of flags (Canadian, American, Australian and Israeli), there will be the playing of the National An-





thems of the United States of America, Australia, Israel and Canada.

The Reverend Gary Burd of M25 will make a Benediction, followed by statements and prayers to be delivered by several Christian and Jewish Clergy. After the prayers, Government representatives will speak on the horrors of genocide, the reality of the Holocaust, and Canada's commitment to the theme of NEVER AGAIN,

Following that speech will be the Kaddish. The Kaddish, which will be delivered by a Chabad Rabbi associated with the JMA, is an ancient Hebrew Prayer that pays homage to those who have perished.

In the context of this R2R, this Kaddish is recited for the Souls of all innocent people, of all religions, of all races, of both genders, and all cultures who've perished in Global Genocides throughout history.

After the Kaddish, all in attendance will be asked to take the pledge of NEVER AGAIN.

Following the Parliament Hill ceremonies the Riders will proceed to Toronto with a

detour off Highway 401 to CFB (Canadian Forces Base) Trenton with a military escort, to pause to pay tribute to all of Canada's fallen heroes.

The Ride will then form up and ride with police escort to Toronto.

The plan is for the M25 Bikers to stay in Trenton overnight, while the JMA Bikers continue to their Toronto Host Hotel.

The following day, June 1<sup>st</sup> in Toronto, a memorial ceremony will be held by the JMA at a Toronto Synagogue.

Mr. Goldring has been an untiring advocate for truth, using his position as a Member of Parliament, making certain that history is told as it happened, and stands proudly against all attempts

to re-write the history of

the Holocaust and all acts of Genocide.

EVERYONE is invited to join the Bikers on Parliament Hill whether a Biker or not, to participate in the Pledge of NEVER AGAIN.

Attached is the itinerary of this special segment of the Ride To Remember for those who want to participate.



The Holiday Inn and Suites Hotel in Markham, Ontario where the JMA will host a weekend of R2R activities, including a special banquet and a Ride through Toronto.

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
<b>May 29</b>	<b>May 30</b>	<b>May 31</b>	<b>June 1</b>	<b>June 2</b>	<b>June 3</b>
Crossing Canada/ US Border	Overnight in Ottawa	11am – 12 pm - Parliament Hill Event	9:30 am – R2R in Toronto	12pm - Highway of Heroes Ride from Trenton	R2R Ends
Overnight in Kingston	BBQ at Ottawa Legion	5pm – CFB Trenton Event	8pm – R2R Banquet in Markham (Toronto)		
BBQ at Kingston Legion		7pm – Markham R2R Event Begins			
		BBQ at Trenton Legion			

**Update:** More information on the 2012 Ride to Remember can be obtained at [www.jewishbikersworldwide.com](http://www.jewishbikersworldwide.com) or [www.ride2remember.com](http://www.ride2remember.com).

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Q1: Do you think it is important for Christian, Jewish (and other) bikers to come together for this purpose?

Yes       No

Q2: Would you be interested in taking part in Canada's first Ride to Remember, Parliament Hill to Toronto?

Yes       No

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