

The Evansville Bicycle Club Newsletter

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Paul Jensen

What a busy month it has been for the Evansville Bicycle Club!

We have had quite a few days of excellent riding weather. For me, warm and hot is always better than putting on extra clothes. Member Steve Gerbig, a member of the **Hoosiers** team, rode across the country (over 3,000 miles) in a week. They reset the 60-69 age group record.

Member Amy Lutzel was front and center in the Sunday Courier and Press with an article about how important health and fitness should be for all and how she has chosen her own personal lifestyle.

At the club meeting, the new "EBC kids" program has officially kicked off. Keith Weyer has set up a facebook page and is working on putting together rides especially designed for kids and families. Stay tuned!

The USI sponsored bicycle education course taught by professor Darlene Wefel also received wide spread newspaper exposure with pictures. The FINAL was scheduled for Saturday, June 26, with an open road ride.

By the time you get this newsletter, everyone that ordered a jersey should be wearing it out on the road. Remember, the Sunday rides are the "official" ride days to wear your jersey. If you haven't ordered a jersev, there are some available for purchase for both men and women. Also, extra shorts were ordered in some sizes. Check with professor/ treasurer/ fashion director Wefel for the details.

July appears to be even busier than June! We will start out on Thursday, July 1, when 130 bicycles will be given out to the most deserving students participating in the summer school camp programs sponsored by the EVSC, the Evansville Parks Board, Ivy Tech, Gerling Law, and the Evansville Bicycle Club.

Beginning on Monday, July 5th (I know it is a holiday for most,) the Lose the Training Wheels sponsored by the Evansville Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center begins. There is still a need for volunteers to assist in this program. EBC has become more involved this year by sponsoring the tuition for two future cyclists. Elsewhere in this newsletter you will find further information about times and who to contact at the center.

A bike rodeo is scheduled for the 10th of the month, and assistance is needed at this event. We would like to have EBC personnel at Stringtown School at 9:30 a.m. with the rodeo beginning at 10:00. It is for a troop of boy scouts. The rodeo should conclude at about 11:00 a.m. See Mark it Up for further information.

June has proved to be an extremely warm month for the last half. Are we beginning to set a trend here? Last year, June was the hottest month of the year (according to the weather forecasters,) and June 2010 is giving it a go for this year. Make sure you do not stretch beyond your limits while taking a ride. Take plenty of fluids with you. If on an extended ride, make sure you have rest stops where cold beverages are avail-

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Bicycle Indiana Announces 2010 Membership Campaign

Bicycle Indiana (BI) is excited to announce our 2010 membership campaign with some great new incentives in an effort to raise additional matching funds to further our cause in making Indiana a better place to bicycle. BI is a statewide advocacy organization whose efforts impact bicycle safety, recreation and transportation throughout Indiana. Here are a few facts:

- Bicycle Indiana receives 80% of its funding from federal and state grants
- The federal and state grants are matching grants every \$25 received is matched by \$100 of grant funds
- BI can receive up to \$105,000 annually, if we provide the match of \$21,000
- Bicycle Indiana needs to maximize our matching funds through increased membership

Below are some of the great benefits to new and renewing members!

Multi-year membership discount:

Current basic members can renew for three (3) years for \$50 (a \$25 savings) and have a chance to win a set of Flashpoint Wheels by Zipp (a \$1200 value).

Refer a member program:

Two (2) referrals get one-year membership free.

Bicycle Club Member Discount

Any member of an affiliated bicycle club who is currently not a member of Bicycle Indiana can get a membership for \$5 the first year – a \$20 savings.

Bicycle Indiana Discounts

BI members receive discounts on BI events and merchandise.

Retailer discount with a membership card:

Members of Bicycle Indiana will receive a membership card with discounts on bicycles and merchandise at select Indiana Bicycle retailers. For a complete list of participating retailers visit www.bicycleindiana.org.



Member Name: Nancy Tibbett Valid through: 12/31/2010

Use your card at participating Indiana bicycle retailers for discounts

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A couple of points to ponder:

Naming rides for EBC members who have made a difference. These cold be for regularly scheduled rides, centuries, etc.

A POKER RUN. Have four stops where you pick up a card and go to the next stop and pick up another.

There can be three or four routes of various distances. Everybody turns up at the end and EBC sponsors a picnic. The winners are declared with prizes to be awarded. Maybe in August?

Somewhere on the website for those who own a business or offer a service, a sort of "yellow pages" where **active** members (dues currently paid up) could post their service or business.

See ya on the road!

Cheers.

Paul

Information on **Lose the Training Wheels**

Following are particulars about the "Lose the Training Wheels" bicycle program sponsored by the Rehabilitation Center.

The program will run Monday through Friday, July 5-9.

It will be held at the New National Guard Armory just east of Roberts Stadium. It would be most desirable if the volunteer could be present for at least one session for all five days. One certainly may volunteer for more than one session. The volunteer should wear running shoes as this will be part of the procedure, to run along side of the rider—not real fast—but must be able to run.

Each session runs 1 hour 15 minutes with the first session beginning at 8:00 a.m. There is 20 minutes between each session—three sessions in the morning and two in the afternoon.

Session 1	8:00 - 9:15
Session 2	9:35 -10:50
Session 3	11:10 -12:25
Lunch	12:30 - 1:30
Session 4	1:30 - 2:45
Session 5	3:05 - 4:20

Please contact Linda Dillon at the Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center @ 479-1411, ext. 217 or email Idillon@evansvillerehab.com



Welcome New Members

GREGG MARTIN SHERYL FLAHERTY JAMES HINCHLIFFE SUSAN RICE MATTHEW WEDDLE JACK HOGAN **ANTHONY GIBBONS** MIKE GAINES **HOWARD STEEN BRYAN TRIMBORN** NICOLE NEFF STEVE OWEN

"Lose the Training Wheels"

Sponsored by the Easter Seals

Rehabilitation Center



CHECK OUT THESE VIDEOS

http://storybridge.tv/chronicles/011

http://www.youtube.com/watch? v=5eyHg2pu9wk&feature=related



Bicycle Indiana is funded by grants and individuals and needs your support.

You can make a difference by joining. http://bicycleindiana.org/

RIDE OF SILENCE **Diane Bies**

On Wednesday May 19, 2010, the city of Evansville hosted a Ride of Silence. This is a ride that is completed in silence in remembrance of those who have lost their lives while riding a bicycle. We met at the State Hospital parking area at 6:15 p.m. It was well attended by EBC members and a good number of other people as well. There were around 30 to 40 riders. We were led by a police officer on a bicycle and guarded from behind by another. The route was mainly flat and took us from the State Hospital past UE, through downtown, past the new arena and the police office, very close to Wesselman Park, then back to the State Hospital. It was quite an experience to ride in such a large group in silence for 10 miles in one hour. As we went through town,

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The Evansville Bicycle Club - Youth Cycling Program & the Youth Cycling 1-MILE Challenge!

by Keith Weyer, 2010 Youth Cycling Program Coordinator

It gives me great pleasure to announce a New Chapter in the storied history of the Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. At our Club Meeting on Thursday, 06/10/10, the New Youth Cycling Program was approved by a unanimous vote. I encourage you to read the Program Guide below in its entirety and to participate in the Youth Cycling 1-Mile Challenge! Please DO YOUR PART to make the Youth Cycling Program a success!

- Whether you have Kids or not, if you have an interest in Youth Cycling go to Facebook Site "EBC Kids!" & click the JOIN button! You will NOT receive updates or posts by "EBC Kids!" members if you have not joined. Visit regularly to see what's new!
- While "EBC Kids!" is a great place to share stories & pictures, we know that not everyone uses Facebook. We will utilize Email & the Newsletter for updates as well.
- Identify a park, parking lot, neighborhood sidewalk roadway, or ANY other SAFE location with a quarter mile to 1-mile route that you can ride with Kids.
- If you do not have a bicycle computer, drive adjacent to the route in your car to determine the approximate mileage. It does not have to be exact. (Wesselman Park loop is .8 mile, but for ease of tracking by our Youth Cyclists, we will give 1-mile credit for every lap ridden.)

- Think of an "incentive" for your child to complete the 1-Mile Challenge! Ice Cream?
- Wap the Wii, shut down the TV, defuse the DS & kill the computer. Get your child or grandchild out the door to ride 1 mile!
- Submit the 1-Mile Ride to Rusty Yeager per the instructions in the Youth Program Guide (see page 6). Do it TODAY so your child will appear in the Newsletters Youth Mileage Log.
- Go to Facebook "EBC Kids!" and tell us your child's 1-Mile Success Story!
- If possible, take a picture of your child with the bike they rode for their 1-Mile Success Story, and upload the photo to the "EBC Kids!" Facebook site.
- Tell your Child about the Youth Cycling Achievement Award they will receive for the 1-Mile Ride! Explain how they can "upgrade" to a Youth Mileage Award at 25 miles!
- Show your Child their Name & Mileage in the next Newsletter.
- Promote the Evansville Bicycle Club Youth Cycling Program by telling nonmembers about the program! Direct them to "EBC Kids!" or give them my email address!

Our Immediate Goal is NOT to have 1 Youth Cyclist ride 20 miles, it is to have 20 Youth Cyclists Ride 1-Mile! In 2009, we had 6 Youth Cyclists receive a

Mileage Award. If 20 Kids ride 1-Mile in 2010, we will have 20 Kids qualified for a Youth Cycling Achievement Award! Let's TRIPLE our participation in 2010!

It is the objective of the Youth Cycling Committee to encourage wider participation in the Youth Cycling Program. One measure of our success will be the number of KIDS we see in the Youth Mileage Log in the Newsletter and at the Year-End Awards Banquet. We hope it is a bunch!

Youth Cycling Committee Members: Curt & Cindy Jones, Gary & Opal Gardner, Matt & Sonya Brindle, Paul Jensen, Rusty Yeager & Theresa Weyer

See page 6 for the details of the Youth Cycling Program! — Ed.



League of American **Bicyclists**

www.bikeleague.org

Mission: To promote bicycling for fun, fitness, and transportation. Work through advocacy and education for a bicycle-friendly Amer-

Membership begins at \$35.

The 29th Annual Great Pumpkin Metric Dan Krueger

The 29th Annual Great Pumpkin Metric may be two seasons away (summer and fall,) but it is never too early to start planning for the EBC's big event. In case you haven't heard, the theme for this year's ride is "A Ride for the Ages."

What kind of theme is this? Well, I thought I might try to be a little clever and use something that had a double meaning. The obvious meaning is that riding a bike truly is for all ages, but that's not what I was going for. Because all of our rest stops are decorated based on the overall theme of the ride, each one will have an era of time (or an "age") with which to work.

Some potential ideas include:

- The Ice Age
- The Age of Dinosaurs
- The Medieval Age
- The Age of Men
- Anything else? The ideas and creativity for each of our rest stops are only limited by the volunteers who work at each one.



This brings me to our next main issue...volunteering. We really need club members to help volunteer for this event. Last year, we had to scrounge to find people to cover our rest stops. Additionally, we were significantly short on SAG drivers. If our event is to be successful, we need to have our members step up and cover a few (or more) hours the day of the ride.

Lastly, please do not register to ride. Don't get me wrong, we like your money, but it is more important that we put on a great event for everyone else. Seeing club members out riding when we are struggling to run our event is a difficult pill to swallow. Without volunteers, the GPM cannot happen. Please sacrifice one weekend of riding for the betterment of all cyclists in the area.

If you have any questions, or want to know how to help, please contact me at <u>yesman1000@hotmail.com</u> or (812) 306-1343.

Additional Rides You Don't Want To Miss!

National Multiple Sclerosis Society Indiana State Chapter Annual Bike MS Ride

September 11 and 12, 2010

In the Carmel, Indiana, area

Get a team together and join the fun!

Contact Christine Degliumberto @

christine.degliumberto@nmss.org or Mike Harney @

812-686-2477 for more information.

2010 Knox County Cure Tour



It's time to get the ol' trusty road bike out of storage, the Knox County Cure Tour is right around the corner! Time has changed, so you'll have more time to ride after work to get in shape for the big event!

The 2010 Knox County Cure Tour Registration Form is now available at the following link - http://www.facebook.com/l/9af6d;www.vincennesymca.org/assets/files/KnoxCountyCureTourReg2010.pdf

Breaking News: The new EBC jerseys are in! Darlene will be getting jerseys (and final invoices) to those who ordered.

The Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. – Youth Cycling Program Visit our Facebook Group site: "EBC Kids!"

- The position of Youth Cycling Program Coordinator has been established in the Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. and this position will be renewed on an annual basis.
- Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. Members have the option of riding with a Child or Grandchild at ANY LOCATON DEEMED SAFE by the Parent or Grandparent and may submit those miles toward a Youth Cycling Award. Youth Miles completed on a bicycle, mountain bicycle, in a trailer, on a tag-a-long or on a tandem bicycle qualify. The opportunity for parents to ride with their kids in a SAFE & controlled environment is a cornerstone of the Youth Cycling Program.
- The determination of what constitutes a SAFE location for a Youth Ride for You and Your Child or Grandchild will be left strictly up to <u>YOU</u>. The Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. will not specifically endorse any routes or locations for that purpose.
- A Youth Cyclist must be accompanied by an EBC Member Parent or Grandparent for Youth Miles to be counted. We will not open the door to parents allowing their children to ride with inexperienced cyclists for the purpose of attaining EBC Youth Miles.
- The Youth Cyclist must be a Member of the Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. for Youth Miles to be counted. In the case of an EBC Member Grandparent wishing to ride with a non-member Grandchild, the EBC Member Grandparent will need to obtain a signed Release of Liability from the parents of the Grandchild. The Release of Liability must be submitted before the grandchild can be included in the EBC Youth Cycling Program.
- The Youth Cyclist MUST wear a Bicycle Helmet on ANY ride submitted for Youth Miles.
- As a part of our Youth Cycling Awards Program a Youth Cyclist can qualify for any one of three achievement levels:
- A Certificate of Achievement will be presented to a Youth Cyclist for <u>any</u> Youth Miles.
- A Youth Mileage Award Certificate will be presented to a Youth Cyclist for Youth Miles attained from 25 miles up to 250 Miles.
- A Youth Mileage Award Plaque (or a current year plate for an existing plaque) will be presented to a Youth Cyclist for Youth Miles attained starting at 250 Miles.
- To encourage Adult participation in Youth Cycling we will count the Adult Mileage for any EBC Member who rides with their child or grandchild.
- We will <u>NOT</u> have a Youth Mileage Leader Award. Our objective is to promote Teamwork & Cooperation among all EBC Parents to encourage All the Kids to Ride More Miles!
- To encourage Community Involvement Youth Cyclists have the opportunity to earn mileage for their help and participation in the many community outreach programs of the EBC. Mileage is awarded exactly as it is for the adults participating in those same events.
- No more than 50% of Youth Mileage Award Miles can be obtained through Community Service. While we strongly encourage Community Service, the Kids also have to get out and Ride their Bikes to achieve Mileage Level Awards. Thus, if a Youth has attained the needed mileage for a 250-Mile Award, no more than 125 of those miles can have been attained through Community Service.
- Our Youth Cyclists can transition into the Adult Mileage Awards Program when the Parents and/or Grandparents feel it is both appropriate and SAFE to do so.
- The Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. has established a Facebook Group "EBC Kids". "EBC Kids" can be utilized by parents to communicate about getting the kids together for rides, to share good ride locations, as a place to upload & share photo's of our Youth Cyclists, and to provide communication about the EBC, Inc. Youth Cycling Program to the general public.
- Our Newsletter, the "EBC Bikewriter," has a separate listing of Youth Cycling Participants. The Youth listing is sorted in Alphabetical Order rather than by mileage achieved.
- Youth Miles and the accompanying Adult Miles on a Youth Mileage Ride should be submitted via EMAIL to Rusty Yeager at: RYeager42@wowway.com
- NOTE: If you ride with a Youth on a Regularly Scheduled EBC Club Ride, <u>BOTH</u> the Adult & the Youth should Sign-In and list their mileage on the Sign-Up sheet. In this case you <u>DO NOT</u> need to send a separate email to Rusty Yeager for either the Adult or Youth Mileage.
- Miles must be submitted in increments of 1 MILE. No more than one submission can be made for any single day. If on a given day you ride with your youth 3 separate times, for 1 mile each time, you can make a SINGLE submission of 3 miles for that day.
- Mileage submissions to Rusty Yeager should include the Day, Date, Parent or Grandparent Name, Youth Cyclist Name, Miles Ridden, & the Location of the Ride. Example:

Wednesday, 5/26/10, Curt & Cindy & Cory Jones, 11 miles, Wesselman Park

Please send any comments or concerns you have about the Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. – Youth Cycling Program to Keith Weyer at: TKWeyer@SBCGlobal.netp

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First Little 500 Offers Big Finish By Amy Lutzel

After attending my first Little 500 this year, I didn't realize I would be walking away feeling like an extra in the movie "Breaking Away". That film largely inspired me to attend this event. If you haven't seen the movie, it's a coming of age story about four teenagers from Bloomington, Indiana. Dave Stoller (played by Dennis Christopher) is obsessed with bicycle racing. He and his friends decide to compete in the Little 500 as a local team called the Cutters, so named because several of their fathers worked cutting limestone in the nearby quarries.

Oh and by the way, just as in the movie, the winner of this year's Little 500 was the Cutters. Perhaps even more impres-



sive, the Cutters were the first to cross the finish line in the three previous years as well. That is no small feat considering it is the biggest intramural event on the Indiana University campus and the largest collegiate bike race in the United States. This explained why the Cutters were wearing yellow jerseys instead of the traditional white ones (like in the movie). Just as in the Tour de France, the winner of the previous race wears yellow.

Held annually in April, the "Little Five," as it is sometimes called, packs the stands of Bill Armstrong Stadium on the IU campus. More than 25,000 people attend the race every year, with proceeds used for working student scholarships at IU. While the event was well-attended again this year, heavy rain and thunder midway through the race forced an hourlong postponement. This sent many fans scrambling for the shelter of their cars.

We decided to stay and brave the heavy rains, however.

Just a bit of history about this event: The race was founded in 1951 by Howdy Wilcox, Jr., Executive Director of the Indiana University Student Foundation. He modeled the race after the Indianapolis 500, which his father had participated in and won in 1919. Racers compete in teams of four, racing relaystyle for 200 laps (100 laps for women) along a quarter-mile (440 yards) cinder track. Thirty-three teams are selected in qualifications trials to compete in the main race.

For all you die-hard bicycle enthusiasts, here are the special rules for the Little 500 race:

- To be eligible to compete in the Little 500, you must be a full-time undergraduate student at IU, have a GPA of 2.0 or better, and must be an amateur.
- All riders must use the official Little 500 bike that is provided to them for that year. There can't be any toe clips or grips, kick stands, water bottles, air pumps, untapped or unplugged handlebars, or any other add-on accessories. The bikes are identical, single-gear (46x18) coaster brake racing bicycles with 700c wheels, 28mm tires and flat rubber pedals.
- For the safety of all riders, hard helmets must be worn and buckled at all times, as well as biking gloves.
- Each team is required to complete 10 exchanges (5 for women) during the course of the race.
- At the 198th lap (98th for women), all riders not on the lead lap will be asked to move to the back or exit the pack. This is done so that all teams in contention on their last two laps can make their attempt to win the race.

Bill Colbert, of Chicago, raced in the Little 500 with his fraternity Delta Upsilon in years past. Before talking with



Bill, I had no idea how much training some of these students went through for this event. Bill stated, "For some, it's a complete lifestyle change and a 365-day a year commitment. In my three years, I probably logged close to 12,000 miles on the road and over 1,500 hours of training. We went to Malibu, California, to train over Christmas break, rode to Martinsville when it was snowing, and even raced after having reconstructive elbow surgery."

Catherine Broshears, of Evansville, participated in the Little Five from 1990 through 1992. Her first year of riding was the third running of the Women's Little 500. I asked Catherine how she got involved in this race, and she responded, "I had come to IU with the intent on playing soccer. After a few months trying to break into the squad, I decided that it wasn't working for me, so I dropped out and began working out more intently at one of the rec centers. One day, I was riding a stationary bike and a female student approached me and asked if I rode. Two weeks later, I purchased a second-hand bike for \$200 and started my Little 500 career. Since then, I have done many triathlons, half marathons, and marathons. I still ride to this day, and I can honestly say, if that student hadn't approached me, I may have never thought I could do it. My accomplishments at Little 500 are truly my favorite memories of IU!"

If you have never been to the Little 500 event, I highly recommend it. For more information about this event, be sure and check out their home page at http:// www.iusf.indiana.edu/little500/index.html.

So, in the words of Dave Stoller, Italian cycling enthusiast, Ciao!





RIDE OF SILENCE (Cont.) Diane Bies

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there was the feeling of a funeral procession. Several times the officers would stop traffic at an intersection as they do for a funeral procession. At one time, several children got excited to see us. Someone in the front of the group told them it was a ride of silence. When their friend came running up loudly the children told him to "Be quiet. This is a ride of silence!" It was really great to see the community involved in and recognizing the event.

Before we started riding, Paul Jensen informed us that there is a Ride of Silence in 295 locations worldwide. At least one is being held in each of the 50 states, 22 countries and on all the continents. In the last year alone, 700 people lost their lives in bicycle/auto accidents. We had a moment of silence for Jenny Titzer, Sam Wolf and Darryl Benefiel, victims with Evansville ties, before we rode. How great that we can hold such an event in Evansville. It was wonderful to have two Evansville Police Officers with us. Thank you, City of Evansville! I hope more of us can make it out to this ride next year. It is important to remember those victims of bicycle/auto incidents and to remind the public to Share the Road.

EBC Bikewriter Submissions Renee' Hanft

Thanks to everyone for all the articles submitted for the EBC Bikewriter! The more articles we receive, the more this newsletter is truly a club newsletter. If you submit an article, and you don't see it in the newsletter, please know it will be in a subsequent newsletter and the submission is appreciated.

Thanks to Jay for setting up a dedicated email address to use for the EBC Bikewriter:

New Newsletter Email Address: bikewriter@evansvillebicycleclub.org

We are seeking a new EBC Bikewriter editor. This new email will provide consistency as we make this change. If you are interested in helping out the club as the newsletter editor, please contact Paul Jensen @ 812-760-6158.

WANTED

Used Road Bikes for Youth Cyclists!

40 to 50 cm for beginning Road Cyclists Ladies bikes tend to be smaller & are welcome Contact Keith at: 812-858-7902

tkweyer@sbcglobal.net

Cycling in Volklingen, Germany Dave Flynn

My brother and I did two rides from Volklingen to Sarrlouis
— a 20 mile round trip ride. The path's just keep going! I

borrowed a MTB from my family when I was there. I also did a dirt trail ride. The path's are very wide and clean. The dirt trail paths also keep going, and you finally come back on a road trail. It was so nice to be off the road and not have to worry about cars.



You could see people running, or the whole family riding, in Germany all the way to Amsterdam. All the kids and adults had helmets also.

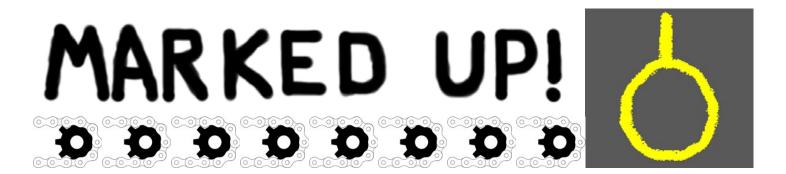


I had a great time with my family from Germany! The bike riding is on a path by itself. Each trail is marked with bike signs, no markings on the trail. The town and kms are noted on the signs as

well as the direction you are going.

If you like riding, you should go to Europe at least one time to experience it.





Ride Schedule and Website News with Tour Director and Webmaster, Jay Vercellotti

meeting, we decided to try something new for this ride this year. The official date of the Ride to New Albany is July 3rd. That is the date where we would like to see the bulk of the people riding. However, since so many people would rather ride one week be- Wednesday Night Ride: Normally in July, we would have had miles for one of the rides.

SECOND! Part of Hwy 62 might not be suitable for our road bikes. Apparently the county or state has decided to coat a long stretch of it in chip and seal. Someone who is acquainted with the roads in that area might be able to find a suitable detour, or maybe by now the surface has smoothed out enough. Here's a report from Darlene: "I just drove part of Hwy 62 from St. Meinrad to Possum Junction. The road has been resurfaced with chip & seal. It's been done well without a lot of excess gravel, but it's rough. There are roadwork signs continuing east and more chip and seal. My guess is that this will continue through to St. Croix."

Ride to New Albany: Two things. FIRST: At the last club At the very least, someone who is planning to go on that ride should investigate the road condition immediately prior to July 3rd. Hopefully by then the road surface will have smoothed out. If a detour is required, I could post a map of it if someone sends me the directions.

fore RAIN instead of two weeks before, we are putting July 10th the Castle route on the schedule for Wednesday nights. Since as an alternate date on the calendar. You can only count club there is quite a bit of traffic near the start of the Castle route around 6pm, we decided to try re-working it. Gary Gardner has marked a route that is similar to Castle, but it starts at Boonville Jr. High instead. I will be posting a link to a map for this route on the website, so check our Cue Sheets and Maps page at:

http://www.evansvillebicycleclub.org/maps.html

Breck's Bicycle Shop Rides: I've heard that the correct starting location for the Breck's rides is at the shop itself and not at the park as listed in last month's schedule.

Get out there and ride — any distance at any speed. Just be sure to enjoy yourself along the way.

Event Information

July 3: 7:00 AM Ride to New Albany @ Plaza Park MS on outer Lincoln. You must have your own SAG along the route & back to Plaza. 122 Hilly Miles.

July 3: 8:30 AM NO DROP RIDE @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12 mi. What's a No Drop Ride? It's a great opportunity to come see what the E.B.C. is all about. We ride 12 miles on a flat road at about 12 MPH. You don't need to be a member!

July 5 – 9: Lose the Training Wheels. Contact Linda Dillon at the Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center. 479-1411 ext. 217 or email Idillon @ evansvillerehab.com. See article elsewhere in this month's newsletter for requirements.

July 10: Alternate Day for Ride to New Albany. Only one of the two days will count for club miles!!!

July 10: 7:00 AM EDT Knox County Cure Tour @ Lincoln High School, 1545 S Hart Street, Vincennes, IN. Note: 6AM Evansville time!!! Proceeds will benefit Good Samaritan Hospital's Breast Care Center and Susan G. Komen Southwest Indiana Evansville Affiliates. 15, 35, or 65 mi. http://www.knoxcountycuretour.com/ 812-887-4959 \$\$

July 10: 9:30 AM Scout Troop #336 Rodeo @ Stringtown Elementary. Volunteers Needed! Contact Paul Jensen @ 479-3213.

July 17: 6:00 AM RAIN @ Terre Haute, IN 160 mi. http://www.rainride.org 812-332-6028 \$\$

July 17: 8:00 AM Fun Ride @ Gilles Cycling & Fitness 1412 S. Green River Rd. 12 mi.

July 24: 8:00 AM PAC Challenge @ Madisonville, KY. Start from Hopkins County YMCA, 150 YMCA Drive. 12, 22, 41, or 62 mi. http://www.pennyrileareacyclists.com 270-836-0750 \$\$

July 2010 E.B.C. Ride Schedule

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
New riders need to be ready to leave are encouraged to start with a "No I With Us" Ride. Helmets are mandatory. As always, please park on the I-164 a PARK ON PAVEMENT! SEE EVENT INFO ON BACK FOR http://www.evansvillebicycleclub.org	Orop" or "Come Ride side of the Access Road MORE DETAILS!	Ride hosts welcome for August and September To host a ride, or for general info about the rides on this calendar, call or e-mail Jay Vercellotti @ 746-9350 rides @ endlessvistas.com	Stats?: Rusty Yeager ryeager42 @wowway.com Newsletter?: Renee Hanft bikewriter@ evansvillebicycleclub.org \$\$=Registration Fee	1 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ St. Joseph Catholic Church, St. Joseph, IN. 6202 W Saint Joseph Rd. 20 mi.	2 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ St. Joseph Catholic Church, St. Joseph, IN. 6202 W Saint Joseph Rd. 20 mi.	3 7:00 AM Ride to New Albany @ Plaza Park MS on outer Lincoln. You must have your own SAG along the route & back to Plaza. 122 Hilly Miles. 8:30 AM NO DROP RIDE @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12 mi. 9:45 AM & 1:00 PM Same Place 23 mi.
4 Independence Day 8:00 AM Firecracker Ride @ Newburgh Dam Overlook SR 662 (Newburgh Rd.) 20 or 32 mi. Hosts: Bob & Darlene Wefel and Jane Buchta. Call 812-568-9828 for info. 3:30 PM Come Ride With Us @ 1-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi.	5 9:00 AM 5th of July Ride @ Elite Fitness (57 & Kansas) 16/23/35/43 mi. 6:00 PM Community Bike Ride @ Breck's Bicycle Shop Henderson, KY 12/19 mi.	6 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ <u>I-164 Access</u> Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 23 miles.	7 6:00 PM @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 21 mi.	8 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:30 PM Club meeting @ Newburgh Pizza Chef near Wesselman's on Hwy 261.	9 No Circuit Ride What's a No Drop Ride? It's a great oppor- tunity to come see what the E.B.C. is all about. We ride 12 miles on a flat road at about 12 MPH. You don't need to be a member!	10 Alt. Day for Ride to New Albany 7:00 AM EDT Knox County Cure Tour @ Lincoln High School, Vincennes, IN. Note: 6AM Evansville time!!! 15, 35, or 65 mi. 9:30 AM Scout Troop #336 Rodeo @ Stringtown Elementary. Volunteers Needed! Contact Paul Jensen @ 479-3213. 1:00 PM @ Dogtown 12/23/43 mi.
11 10:00 AM @ Elite Fitness—TP Route (57 & Kansas), 22 or 37 miles. 3:30 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi.	12 6:00 PM Community Bike Ride @ Breck's Bicycle Shop Henderson, KY 232 N. Main. 12/19 mi.	13 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 23 miles.	14 6:00 PM @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 21 mi.	15 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Scott School 20 mi. 3 mile loop.	16 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ Scott School 20 mi. 3 mile loop.	17 6:00 AM RAIN @ Terre Haute, IN 160 mi \$\$ 8:00 AM Fun Ride @ Gilles Cycling & Fitness 1412 S. Green River Rd. 12 mi. 8:30 AM & 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12/23/43 mi.
18 10:00 AM @ West Terrace School (near USI), 19 or 33 miles. 3:30 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi.	19 6:00 PM Community Bike Ride @ Breck's Bicycle Shop Henderson, KY 232 N. Main. 12/19 mi.	20 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ <u>I-164 Access</u> Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 23 miles.	21 6:00 PM @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 21 mi.	22 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 20 mi.	23 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 20 mi.	24 8:00 AM PAC Challenge @ Madisonville, KY. Start from Hopkins County YMCA, 12, 22, 41, or 62 mi. 1:00 PM @ Henderson Co. High School in Henderson, KY 24, 32, or 47 mi.
25 10:00 AM @ Castle HS on Hwy 261 in Newburgh 23 or 35 miles. 3:30 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi.	26 6:00 PM Community Bike Ride @ Breck's Bicycle Shop Henderson, KY 232 N. Main. 12/19 mi.	27 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ <u>I-164 Access</u> Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 23 miles.	28 6:00 PM @ Boon- ville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 21 mi.	29 7:00 AM Club Century @ Plaza Park MS on Outer Lincoln Ave. 100 mi. Poseyville or Touring Route 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ St. Joseph Catholic Church, St. Joseph, IN. 6202 W Saint Joseph Rd. 20 mi.	30 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ St. Joseph Catholic Church, St. Joseph, IN. 6202 W Saint Joseph Rd. 20 mi.	31 7:00 AM Club Century @ Plaza Park MS on Outer Lincoln Ave. 100 mi. Posey- ville or Touring Route 8:30 AM & 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12/23/43 mi.

Evansville Bicycle Club – 2010 Club Mileage through 6/5/2009

Overall Standings					
Club Member	Ехр.	Ride Host	100 Miles	No. of Rides	
1 Carter, Archie 2 Holland, Diana	10/1/10 11/1/10		3	55 49	1923 1606
3 Johnson, Bill	7/1/10		4	33	1240
4 Feller, Randy 5 Bies, Diane	11/1/10 6/1/10		4 1	32 40	1209 1100
6 Krueger, Dan 7 Hudson, Hank	6/1/10 6/1/10		3 1	30 31	1026 935
8 Loehrlein, Colette	10/1/10			32	932
9 Jensen, Paul 10 May, Dan	10/1/10 5/1/10			33 31	909 898
11 Ashworth, David	12/1/10		1	27	853
12 McCuiston, Dale 13 Gerbig, Steve	4/1/11 11/1/10		1 21	23 19	803 791
14 Gardner, Gary 15 Silke, Randy	4/1/11 6/1/10		20	21 26	777 727
16 Fisher, Scott	8/1/10		1	20	700
17 Pendley, Ron 18 Hanft, Renee'	6/1/10 4/1/11		1	21 24	683 679
19 Jones, Cindy	12/1/10 9/1/10		1	24 20	671 581
20 Nalley, Shane 21 Ashworth, Vicky	12/1/10			22	567
22 Yeager, Rusty 23 Janowski, Robert	6/1/10 7/1/10		7	10 20	566 560
24 Weyer, Keith	2/1/11			23	521
25 Robertson, Janet 26 Oliver, Mark	2/1/11 5/1/10	1	1	21 16	509 487
27 Gardner, Opal 28 Rold, Hope Jenkins	4/1/11 1/1/11	1		18 18	486 472
29 Willett, Bobby	5/1/11	· ·	2	8	445
30 Lonnberg, Kelly 31 Wefel, Darlene	11/1/10 11/1/10			17 17	426 420
32 Brouillard, Gene	5/1/11 4/1/11		1	17 11	370
33 Voegel, Bill 34 Conner, David	6/1/10			15	332 332
35 Brindle, Matt 36 Riley, Cody	5/1/10 6/1/10			12 12	318 287
37 Ellis, Toby	3/1/11			7	257
38 Hudson, Carol 39 Vercellotti, Jay	6/1/10 11/1/10			11 8	245 235
40 Williams, Jeff 41 Clemmer, Linda	8/1/10 11/1/10			8 8	229 227
42 Ivie, Pat	10/1/10			7	223
43 Villines, Mike 44 Pendley, Kevin	7/1/10 9/1/10			6 8	221 210
45 Watson, Craig	7/1/10			8	198
46 Pendley, Ann 47 Sotolongo, Mike	9/1/10 10/1/10			7 8	188 185
48 Myers, Dave 49 Demerly, Mike	8/1/10 7/1/10			7 8	184 176
50 Merrick, David	11/1/10			7	174
51 Flynn, David 52 Hoss, Rita	1/1/11 4/1/11			4 6	160 140
53 Jones, Curt D. 54 Niethammer, Jim	12/1/10 12/1/10			6 4	124 119
55 McCarthy, Tom	7/1/10			5	111
56 Weyer, Theresa 57 Sullivan, Patrick	2/1/11 1/1/11			6 5	107 95
58 Maurer, Terrell	7/1/10			3	88
59 Ward, Kelly 60 Reed, Robert	3/1/11 4/1/11			3 2	87 86
61 VanStone, Gene 62 Neff, Ward	11/1/10 11/1/10			4	84 80
63 Breivogel, Judy	2/1/11			3	77
64 Buchta, Jane 65 Weyer, Audrey	9/1/10 2/1/11			3 4	74 72
66 Swonder, Linda 67 Swonder, Drew	10/1/10 10/1/10			3	67 67
68 Halsey, Craig	6/1/10			3	67
69 Christ, Rick 70 Lee, Ronnie	6/1/10 8/1/10			3	67 64
71 Ligon, Brooks	8/1/10			1	62
72 Adkisson, Lindol 73 Weyer, Brett	7/1/10 2/1/11			1 4	62 61
74 Whittaker, Ashley 75 Weyer, Brock	4/1/11 2/1/11			3	57 54
76 Kennedy, Bill	4/1/11			2	52
77 Kuykendall, Dave 78 Fodstad, Bob	10/1/10 5/1/11			1 2	50 46
79 Long, Nathan 80 Bennett, John	5/1/10 5/1/10			2	44 44
81 Pendley, Nicholas	9/1/10			1	43
82 Krueger, Leandra 83 Armstrong, Dan	6/1/10 1/1/11			1 1	43 43
84 Mercer, Michelle	12/1/10			1	35
85 Kurvach, Kurt 86 Conger, Kenny	5/1/11 5/1/11			1 1	33 33
87 Reising, Kimron 88 Titzer, Sam	7/1/10 7/1/10			2	30 22
89 Osborn, Eric	7/1/10			1	17
90 Klotz, Andrea 91 Wassmer, Yvette	8/1/10 7/1/10			1 1	17 12
92 Jones, Cory	12/1/10			1	12
93 Brindle, Sonya 94 Brindle, Carson	5/1/10 5/1/10			1 1	12 12

Overdue Memberships

Club Member	Exp.	Host	Miles	Rides	Miles
Boren, Mike	3/1/10			21	570
Williams, Mary	3/1/10			19	518
Leader, Caron	3/1/10			18	508
Roll, Steve	3/1/10			9	264
Lindenschmidt, Bart	3/1/10			11	242
Corino, Mike	4/1/10			7	210
Gilbert, Jane	4/1/10			10	188
Seger, Khris	3/1/10			6	185
Lovins, Eric	3/1/10			2	91
Colvin, Tony	4/1/10			2	46
Paul, Larry	4/1/10			2	46
Woods, Larry	4/1/10			1	33
Tran, Hoang	1/1/10			1	22

Men's Standings

Men's Standings					
Club Member	Exp.	Ride Host	100 Miles	No. of Rides	
1 Carter, Archie	10/1/10		3		1923
2 Johnson, Bill	7/1/10		4	33	1240
3 Feller, Randy	11/1/10		4		1209
4 Krueger, Dan	6/1/10		3	30	1026
5 Hudson, Hank	6/1/10		1	31	935
6 Jensen, Paul	10/1/10 5/1/10			33 31	909 898
7 May, Dan 8 Ashworth, David	12/1/10		1	27	853
9 McCuiston, Dale	4/1/11		1	23	803
10 Gerbig, Steve	11/1/10		21	19	791
11 Gardner, Gary	4/1/11		20	21	777
12 Silke, Randy	6/1/10			26	727
13 Fisher, Scott	8/1/10		1	20	700
14 Pendley, Ron	6/1/10		1	21 20	683 581
15 Nalley, Shane 16 Yeager, Rusty	9/1/10 6/1/10		1 7	10	566
17 Janowski, Robert	7/1/10		,	20	560
18 Weyer, Keith	2/1/11			23	521
19 Oliver, Mark	5/1/10		1	16	487
20 Willett, Bobby	5/1/11		2	8	445
21 Brouillard, Gene	5/1/11			17	370
22 Conner, David	6/1/10			15	332
23 Voegel, Bill	4/1/11		1	11	332
24 Brindle, Matt	5/1/10			12	318
25 Riley, Cody 26 Ellis, Toby	6/1/10 3/1/11			12 7	287 257
27 Vercellotti, Jay	11/1/10			8	235
28 Williams, Jeff	8/1/10			8	229
29 Ivie, Pat	10/1/10			7	223
30 Villines, Mike	7/1/10			6	221
31 Pendley, Kevin	9/1/10			8	210
32 Watson, Craig	7/1/10			8	198
33 Sotolongo, Mike	10/1/10			8 7	185
34 Myers, Dave 35 Demerly, Mike	8/1/10 7/1/10			8	184 176
36 Merrick, David	11/1/10			7	174
37 Flynn, David	1/1/11			4	160
38 Jones, Curt D.	12/1/10			6	124
39 Niethammer, Jim	12/1/10			4	119
40 McCarthy, Tom	7/1/10			5	111
41 Sullivan, Patrick	1/1/11			5	95
42 Maurer, Terrell	7/1/10			3	88
43 Reed, Robert 44 VanStone, Gene	4/1/11 11/1/10			2 4	86 84
45 Neff, Ward	11/1/10			2	80
46 Christ, Rick	6/1/10			3	67
47 Halsey, Craig	6/1/10			3	67
48 Swonder, Drew	10/1/10			3	67
49 Lee, Ronnie	8/1/10			3	64
50 Adkisson, Lindol	7/1/10			1	62
51 Ligon, Brooks	8/1/10			1	62
52 Weyer, Brett	2/1/11 2/1/11			4	61 54
53 Weyer, Brock 54 Kennedy, Bill	4/1/11			2	52
55 Kuykendall, Dave	10/1/10			1	50
56 Bennett, John	5/1/10			2	44
57 Long, Nathan	5/1/10			2	44
58 Armstrong, Dan	1/1/11			1	43
59 Pendley, Nicholas	9/1/10			1	43
60 Conger, Kenny	5/1/11			1	33
61 Kurvach, Kurt	5/1/11			1	33
62 Reising, Kimron 63 Titzer, Sam	7/1/10 7/1/10			2 1	30 22
64 Osborn, Eric	7/1/10			1	17
65 Brindle, Carson	5/1/10			1	12
66 Jones, Cory	12/1/10			i	12
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Women's Standings

	Club Member	Exp.	Ride Host	100 Miles	No. of Rides	
1	Holland, Diana	11/1/10		3	49	1606
2	Bies, Diane	6/1/10		1	40	1100
3	Loehrlein, Colette	10/1/10			32	932
4	Hanft, Renee'	4/1/11			24	679
5	Jones, Cindy	12/1/10			24	671
6	Ashworth, Vicky	12/1/10			22	567
7	Robertson, Janet	2/1/11	1		21	509
	Gardner, Opal	4/1/11			18	486
	Rold, Hope Jenkins	1/1/11	1		18	472
	Lonnberg, Kelly	11/1/10			17	426
11	Wefel, Darlene	11/1/10			17	420
	Hudson, Carol	6/1/10			11	245
13	Clemmer, Linda	11/1/10			8	227
	Pendley, Ann	9/1/10			7	188
	Hoss, Rita	4/1/11			6	140
	Weyer, Theresa	2/1/11			6	107
	Ward, Kelly	3/1/11			3	87
	Breivogel, Judy	2/1/11			3	77
	Buchta, Jane	9/1/10			3	74
	Weyer, Audrey	2/1/11			4	72
	Swonder, Linda	10/1/10			3	67
	Whittaker, Ashley	4/1/11			3	57
	Krueger, Leandra	6/1/10			1	43
	Mercer, Michelle	12/1/10			1	35
	Klotz, Andrea	8/1/10			1	17
	Brindle, Sonya	5/1/10			1	12
27	Wassmer, Yvette	7/1/10			1	12

Youth Mileage

Club Member	Exp.	Host	Rides	
Brindle, Carson	5/1/10		1	12
Jones, Cory	12/1/10		1	12
Pendley, Nicholas	9/1/10		1	43
Weyer, Audrey	2/1/11		4	72
Weyer, Brett	2/1/11		4	61
Weyer, Brock	2/1/11		3	54
Whittaker, Ashley	4/1/11		3	57

Commuting Mileage

Club Member	Miles	Month
Dave Myers	1552	April
Tom Ballard	574	April
Dan Krueger	299	March

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