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SPECIAL GREAT PUMPKIN METRIC ISSUE



Our monthly club meeting is on the second Thursday of every month except JANUARY at the Pizza Chef in Newburgh Indiana at 6:30 PM.

Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. Mission Statement

The Evansville Bicycle Club Inc. is an organization formed to promote bicycling in the Tri-State area. We advocate bicycle safety and education in our local communities by participating in and supporting health, fitness and cycling activities. The club provides the opportunity for cyclist of all ages and abilities to partake in cycling activities on a regular basis by offering a variety of rides weekly.









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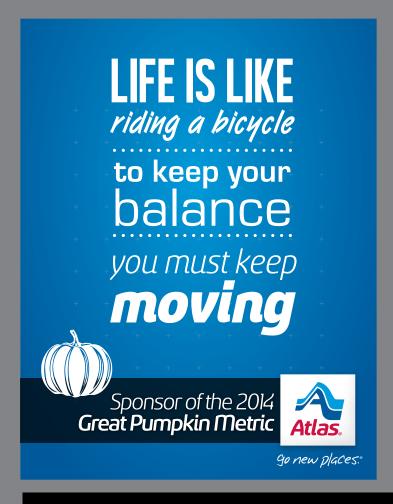
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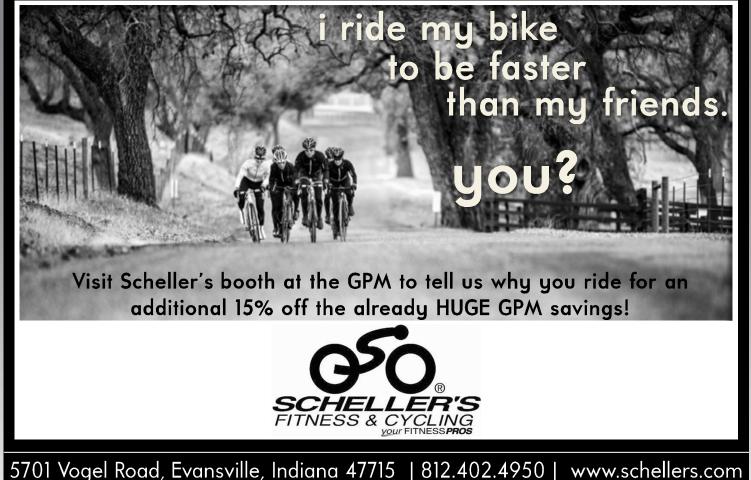


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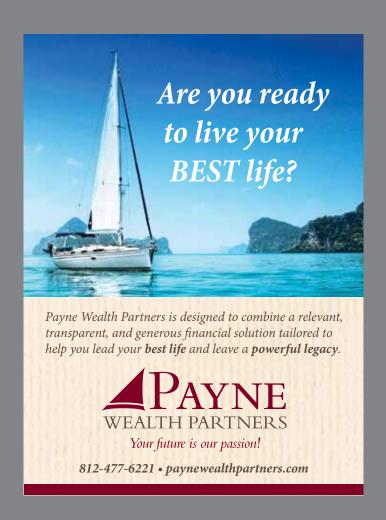


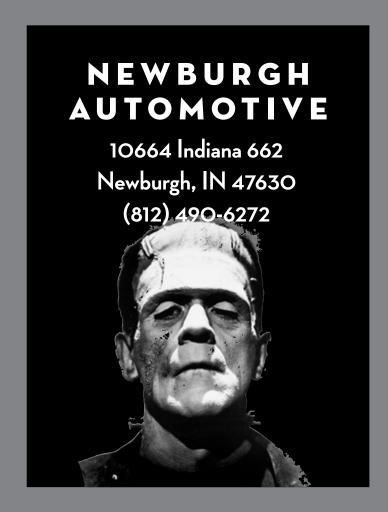
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RIDE NOTES:

October 2014

We are down to weekday, weekend, and Wednesday night rides. Please consider joining us on a ride of your choice soon!

BEWARE!! Because of the season change, we have also changed the start time of many of our rides. Please consult the schedule for details.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT Circuit Rides with Dinner After Ride

Circuit rides may seem boring in concept but it is really a great ride! We ride circles around the parks. The great part is that even if you can't keep up with the other riders or if you want to go a bit faster, it isn't far to the next rider at any time. You must have head lights and tail lights but they are cheap at discount stores and very reasonable at bike shops. There is minimal traffic in the parks at night also.

Please note we have added dinner after our Wednesday night rides. Everyone is welcome to join in on the ride or even just come for dinner. JOIN US FOR FUN! This is a great opportunity to enjoy the company of fellow bikers.

October 9 Evansville Bicycle Club Meeting

We meet monthly on the second Thursday of the month at Pizza Chef in Newburgh on the east side of Highway 261 between Sharon Rd. and Lincoln Ave. All members are welcome and encouraged to come. This is your club, come see what is being discussed and add you opinion. We want you! Dinner during the meeting is an option! Why cook, just come to the meeting and eat at Pizza Chef.

October 11 and 12 Hilly Hundred Weekend

If you like hills this is the ride for you. On Saturday the route is 56 miles and only 43 on Sunday. I did look at the route and Mt. Tabor and Beanblossom hills are both on Sunday's route. What fun! Check out the website for more info! www.hillyhundred.org

October 17 and 18 Silver Comet Trail Ride Weekend

This is a new event being put on by the Fuller Center for Housing. We will get on the trail in Atlanta, GA., ride 64 or 100 miles with sag stops about every 15 or 18 miles, then camp overnight before riding back for 64 miles on Sunday. Diane Bies is working on arrangements for Friday night lodging near the trail head. It will be cheap to free. Dinner is provided on Saturday night and Sunday breakfast. The cost is

\$20 by Oct. 3 or \$30 after, plus \$100 in donations. You also get a t-shirt included. Contact Diane Bies if you have questions. We hope to carpool and or caravan down on Friday. www.fullercenter.org/bikeadventure/silvercomet

October 25 Club NO DROP Ride

Our No Drop Rides will end for the winter after October. Please join us for a social ride from the Dogtown Boat Ramp to the bridge and back. This is a great way to promote cycling by being friendly and supportive of our guests. Be there a bit before our 9:00 start time, please. Bring your friends and children! This is a fun ride.

Stay around for the additional 23 mile ride if you can.

Wear your EBC Jersey on Sunday Club Rides

Remember to wear your EBC jersey on Sundays if possible! If you still need one, we have them available. Club Jerseys In Stock – contact Diane Bies through the EBC Connections page. Just tag her on a post or catch her at a ride. Short Sleeved Jersey's \$60, Sleeveless Jersey \$60 (limited quantities), Long Sleeved \$65, and Bike Shorts \$50. We have both women's and men's in stock.

Hosted Rides

Ride Hosts needed. Anyone interested in hosting a ride, please contact Diane Bies, at Biesdi@aol.com to get the ride on the calendar. It would be great to have more hosted rides. They are fun to sponsor and fun to ride. If possible, please contact Diane by the middle of the preceding month so the calendar can be built around your ride.

Watch for Ashley's Ride on Nov. 16 and the Pumpkin Pie Ride on Nov. 22.

Don't let a little cool weather keep you off your bike!

There are several club members who ride all winter and survive even the coldest nastiest weather. Actually the fall is the best time to ride as the leaves are beautiful and the air is clear and so much easier to breath! Just ask anyone at a ride if you need help with how to dress and what gear you need. Think in layers and you should be fine.

No matter how far, no matter how fast, KEEP ON RIDING!!!

October 2014 E.B.C. Ride Schedule

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
At Olmstead please park on the I-164 side of the access road and PARK ON THE PAVEMENT HELMETS ARE ALWAYS MANDATORY:: EBC Jersey Sundays: Wear your EBC jersey on Sunday club rides	New riders should arrive early so you aren't left behind	PLEASE NOTICE RIDE TIME CHANGES	1 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Wesselman Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hr. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required.	2 9:00 AM @ Mes- ker Park Dr. off Wimberg Ave 23 mi	3 1:00 PM <u>@ L</u> 164 Access, Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi	4 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM @ <u>Dogtown</u> Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12,23, 45 mi
5 8:00 AM Great Pumpkin Metric @ Vanderburgh 4-H Center 16, 31, or 62 mi. \$\$ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Contact Darlene Wefel	6 1:00 PM @ 4H Fair- grounds 15, 28 mi	7 9:00 AM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds.17, 22 mi.	8 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Garvin Park on N. Heidelbach Ave. Ride 1 hour. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required	9 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:30 PM Club Meeting @ Pizza Chef New- burgh, on Hwy 261	10 1:00 PM <u>@ L</u> 164 Access, Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi	11 Hilly Hundred @ Ellettsville, IN 56 mi. \$\$ 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12,23, 45 mi
mi. \$\$ 10:00 AM @ Reitz High School on Claremont off the Ray Becker Pkwy. 21, 40 mi. 2:00 PM Come Ride With Us @ 1-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi	13 1:00 PM @ 4H Fair- grounds 15, 28 mi	14 9:00 AM @ <u>I-164 Ac-cess</u> Cess Burkhardt & Olmstead Olmstead Rds. 17, 22 mi.	Ride @ Wesselman Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hr. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required.	16 8:00 AM Club Century @ Crossroads Church 100 mi. Poseyville or Touring Route 9:00 AM @ Mesker Park Dr. off Wimberg Ave 23 mi	17 1:00 PM @ L 164 Access, Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi. Time to be determined: Leave for Silver Comet Ride Contact Diane Bies	18 8:00 Silver Comet Trail Ride.Atlaant, GA. 64, 100 mi. \$\$ 8:00 AM Club Century @ Crossroads Church 100 mi. Poseyville or Touring Route 9:00 AM & 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd.12,23, 45 mi
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26 10:00 AM @ Elite Fitness-TP Route (57 & Kansas) 23,37 mi. 2:00 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds.17, 22, 33 mi.	27 1:00 PM @ 4H Fair- grounds 15, 28 mi	28 9:00 AM @ <u>L-164 Ac-cess</u> Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds.17, 22 mi.	29 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Wesselman Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hr. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required.	30 9:00 AM @ Mes- ker Park Dr. off Wimberg Ave 23 mi	31 Halloween 1:00 PM @ 1-164 Access, Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi	Helpful Links: www.hillyhundred.org www.fullercenter.org/bikeadventure/ silvercomet See Ride Notes for other information



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Name(s) &	Membership Dues Individual \$12 Family \$20 + \$1 per	Release of Liability Evansville Bicycle Club, Inc. is organized for the sole purpose of providing its members with notification of central meeting points and times. Members freely elect to ride together as a group, following a route of choice. In signing this form for myself and/or my family members, I understand
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