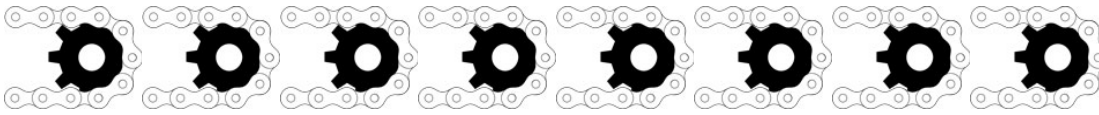


December 2010 E.B.C. Ride Schedule

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>New riders need to be ready to leave 30 minutes early and are encouraged to start with a "No Drop" or "Come Ride With Us" Ride. Helmets are mandatory.</i></p> <p><i>As always, please park on the I-164 side of the Access Road & PARK ON PAVEMENT!</i></p> <p><i>SEE EVENT INFO ON BACK FOR MORE DETAILS!</i></p> <p><i>http://www.evansvillebicycleclub.org</i></p>						
		<p>Ride hosts welcome for January and February</p> <p>To host a ride, or for general info about the rides on this calendar, call or e-mail Jay Vercellotti @ 812-746-9350 rides @ endlessvistas.com</p>	<p>1 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Wesselman's Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hour. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required!</p>	<p>2 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi.</p>	<p>3 Stats?: Rusty Yeager ryeager42 @wowway.com</p> <p>Newsletter?: Renee Hanft bikewriter@evansvillebicycleclub.org</p> <p>\$\$=Registration Fee</p>	<p>4 9:30 AM & 1:00 PM @ Elite Fitness (57 & Kansas) 16/23/35/43 mi.</p>
<p>5 10:00 AM @ Reitz High School on Claremont off the Ray Becker Parkway, 21/40 mi.</p> <p>2:00 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17/22/33 mi.</p>	<p>6 Club Jersey Sundays. Wear your Evansville Bicycle Club Jersey on the Sunday club rides.</p>	<p>7 9:00 AM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17/22 mi.</p>	<p>8 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Wesselman's Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hour. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required!</p>	<p>9 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi.</p> <p>6:30 PM Club meeting @ Newburgh Pizza Chef near Wesselman's on Hwy 261.</p>	<p>10 Directions to H.C. H.S. Take Pennyriple Pkwy to SR 351 exit go East (coming from Evansville go under Pennyriple) approximately 1/2 mi. to school on right.</p>	<p>11 9:30AM & 1:00 PM @ Henderson Co. High School in Henderson, KY 24/32/47 mi.</p>
<p>12 10:30 AM Christmas Cookie Ride @ 704 Cypress St., Newburgh. Ride Hosts Darlene Wefel and Jane Buchta. 14 or 23 mi. 568-9828 for info.</p> <p>2:00 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17/22/33 mi.</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14 9:00 AM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17/22 mi.</p>	<p>15 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Wesselman's Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hour. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required!</p>	<p>16 8:00 AM Club Century @ Plaza Park MS on Outer Lincoln Ave. 100 mi. Spurgeon or Touring Route</p> <p>9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi.</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18 8:00 AM Club Century @ Plaza Park MS on Outer Lincoln Ave. 100 mi. Spurgeon or Touring Route</p> <p>9:30 AM & 1:00 PM @ Elite Fitness (57 & Kansas) 16/23/35/43 mi.</p>
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<p>26 10:00 AM @ Elite Fitness—TP Route (57 & Kansas), 22/37 mi.</p> <p>2:00 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17/22/33 mi.</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28 9:00 AM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17/22 mi.</p>	<p>29 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Wesselman's Park on Boeke Rd. Ride 1 hour. 20 mi. Head and tail lights required!</p>	<p>30 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi.</p>	<p>31 New Year's Eve</p> <p>9:00 AM New Year's Eve Ride @ Castle HS on Hwy 261 in Newburgh 23/35 mi.</p>	<p>Join Elite Fitness</p> <p>Evansville Bicycle Club members ONLY with 300 club miles can join Elite Fitness for the 4 months of Nov., Dec., Jan., & Feb. for \$80. 858-8300 or 868-8650</p>

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

Wednesday Night Circuit Rides: For December, the circuit rides will all be at Wesselman's Park due to the Fantasy of Lights at Garvin Park. The two routes will start alternating again in January.

Plans for the new year: For next year, I would really like to give up the Tour Director position in the club so that I can focus on my other job—Webmaster. I can take our site leaps and bounds ahead of where I've taken it so far, but I have to allow myself some time to make the website what I think it can be. While one person in the club has expressed some interest in maybe taking over the schedule, that isn't certain, and I'd like to put the call out to everyone. If you would like to take over the ride schedule, send me an email.

It isn't a lot of work, and really it doesn't free up very much of my time, but I could do a lot of webmastering in that 3 or so hours a month I spend on the schedule and this column. This year I found myself with so many irons in the fire that I didn't have time to feed the fire and it started to go out — yes, I'm carrying that analogy too far. So I've shut down my wholesale

tropical fish operation and I'm trying to trim back wherever I can. Having two positions within the club is not something anyone should do.

As I think about what our website *could* be, I can see it being much more interactive. I want members to be able to post messages in a forum so they could debate club issues, make plans to attend a ride, find buyers for equipment, etc. I'd also like to have some sort of calendar where people could create off-schedule rides which would help them find others who might also want to ride on that day. Newsletter articles could be posted to the site and people would then be able to post comments. I also want to hear everyone else's ideas. Many of these new parts of the site would only be accessible by members who have paid their dues. I know I've been talking about this for a while, but it is time to make it happen.

I hope everyone has had a great 2010 and that we'll have an even better 2011!

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

Event Information

Dec 12: 10:30 AM Christmas Cookie Ride @ 704 Cypress St., Newburgh. Ride Hosts Darlene Wefel and Jane Buchta. 14 or 23 mi. 568-9828 for info.

Jan 1: New Year's Day Ride—TBD. There are some plans in the works to repeat last year's Old Dam ride.