MAY 2011 E.B.C. Ride Schedule

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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 mandator As always, please park on the I-164 side of the Access Road & PARK ON PAVE—MENT!

SEE EVENT INFO FOR MORE DETAILS!

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\$=Registration Fee Ride hosts welcome for June and July contact Jane Buchta 453-1333; e-mail janebtonyt@wowway.com

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 1 8:00 AM <u>Harmonie 100</u> @ New Harmony, IN. 16, 38, or 50 mi. \$\$\$ 3:30 PM <u>Come Ride With Us</u> @ <u>I-164 Access</u> Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi 	2 6:00 PM 4-H Fairgrounds GPM 15 mile route	3 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 22 miles.	4 6:00 PM @ Mesker Park. Mesker Park Dr. & Wimberg Ave. 23 mi.	5 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Scott School 20 mi. 3 mile loop.	6 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ Scott School 20 mi. 3 mile loop.	7 TOSRY @ Columbus, OH 50 or 105 mi. 8:30 AM River City Senior Games @ Dogtown Tavern.Age 50+ \$\$\$ 9:30 AM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12, 23, or 43 mi 1:00 PM @ Henderson Co. High School in Henderson, KY 24, 32, or 47 mi.
8 TOSRY @ Columbus, OH 50 or 105 mi. \$\$ 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.	9 6:00 PM 4-H Fairgrounds GPM 15 mile route	10 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 22 miles.	11 6:00 PM @ Mesker Park. Mesker Park Dr. & Wimberg Ave. 23 mi.	12 9:00 AM @ Mesker ParkMesker Park Dr. & Wimberg Ave. 23 mi 6:30 PM Club meeting @ Newburgh Pizza Chef near Wesselman's on Hwy 261	13 No Circuit Ride	14 9:30 AM & 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12, 23, or 43 mi.
15 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.	16 6:00 PM 4-H Fairgrounds GPM 15 mile route	17 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 22 miles.	18 6:00 PM Ride of Silence @ Evansville State Hospital 3400 Lincoln Ave. 12 miles at 12 mph in honor of those who have been injured or killed while cycling on public roadways.	19 9:00 AM @ Old Dam Site, Newburgh, 27 mi. 6:00 PM Circuit Ride @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 20 mi.	20 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ Boonville Jr. High School Yankeetown side 20 mi.	21 9:30 AM Wurst Ride @ Burdette BMX Park. Any completed mileage 6— 37 mi 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12, 23, or 43 mi.
22 10:00 AM @ Mesker Park. Mesker Park Dr. & Wimberg Ave. 23 or 38 mi. 3:30 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi.	23 6:00 PM 4-H Fairgrounds GPM 15 mile route	24 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead rds. 17 or 22 miles.	25 6:00 PM @ Mesker Park. Mesker Park Dr. & Wimberg Ave. 23 mi.	26 9:00 AM @ Mesker Park Dr&Wimberg Ave. 23 mi 8:00 AM Club Century @ Plaza Park MS on Outer Lincoln Ave. 100 mi. Folsomville or Touring Route 6:00 P.M. Dogtown Circuit ride.	27 9:00 AM Circuit Ride @ Dogtown Boat Ramp 20 mi.	28 CRAM & Horsey 100, (see event info) \$\$\$ 8:00 AM Club Century @ Plaza Park MS on Outer Lincoln Ave. 100 mi. Folsomville or Touring Route 9:30 AM & 1:00 PM @ Dogtown Boat Ramp on Old Henderson Rd. 12, 23, or 43 mi.
29 8:00 AM Horsey 100 @ Georgetown, KY 34, 50, 70 mi \$\$ 10:00 AM @ Henderson Co. High School in Henderson, KY 24 or 32 mi. 3:30 PM Come Ride With Us @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17, 22, or 33 mi.	30 6:00 PM 4-H Fairgrounds GPM 15 mile route	31 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM @ I-164 Access Burkhardt & Olmstead Rds. 17 or 22 miles.		Directions to Henderson County High School Take Pennyrile Pkwy to SR 351 exit go East (coming from Evansville go under Pennyrile) approximately 1/2 mi. to school on right. Circuit Rides -We will ride one to one and a quarter hours on a two to six mile (or so) course. All Circuit rides will count as 20 miles		

Ride Schedule and Website News with Tour Director and Webmaster, Jay Vercellotti rides @ endlessvistas.com

Don't miss **The Fifth Annual Wurst Ride** Saturday, May 21st, Burdette Park, Evansville, IN. Be there ready to roll at 9:30 a.m. Work up an appetite and return in time to enjoy FREE bratwurst and hotdogs served at the Shelter House next to the BMX track at 11:00 a.m. Sponsored by Dan's Competition, R C Cola, Vanderburgh County Commissioners, Steve Craig and the Burdette Park Staff, and it is "An Official Event of Walk 'N Roll Week sponsored by the Evansville-area Trails Coalition.

Optional 6.2 miles to 32 miles or more, from flat to hilly, for beginners and the more experienced riders. Only requirement is that **ALL** participants must wear a helmet while riding and must obey all rules of the road.

Note, this ride replaces the EBC No-Drop ride for May. It's a great ride so make plans on attending and show your EBC support by wearing your club jersey.

2011 River City Games: This year's cycling event will be held Saturday, May 7:00 @ 8:30 a.m. (Dog Town Area) Athlete check-in at Dog Town Tavern parking lot 8:00 a.m. 5k, 10k time trials, 20k road race. 5-year age groups starting at 50 with male & female categories.

Registration form must be filled in completely and returned with signed Medical/Waiver of Liability form. The participant fee for entry into the River City Games is \$14. Registration deadline is April 27, 2011. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**. Contact SWIRCA at 812-464-7800 or

800-253-2188 or <u>www.swirca.org</u>.

Harmonie Hundred: NOTE: EBC supports local rides by not competing with them. No local a.m. rides will be scheduled the same day as organized rides. i.e. Red Cross Bike Tour, Pickin' and Pedalin', Strassenfest, etc.

Return to Dogtown: The Saturday morning rides return to the Dogtown Boat Ramp this month. April showers may bring may flowers but those showers can also bring flooding to the river bottoms. 38 feet is the breakeven point for flooding the Dogtown route. Saturday morning rides will be at Dogtown, but if the river is over 38 feet, the ride will move back to **Elite Fitness**. Check the website for current updates and announcements. It includes a link to current river levels.

Sunday Afternoon Rides: The Olmstead route on Sunday afternoon moves back to 3:30 PM this month. It will stay that way through the end of September.

For instance, the bicycle is the most efficient machine ever created: Converting calories into gas, a bicycle gets the equivalent of three thousand miles per gallon. Bill Strickland, *The Quotable cyclist*.

Event Information

May 1: 8:00 AM Harmonie 100 @ New Harmony School behind Murphy Park 1000 East Street, New Harmony, IN. 16, 38, or 50 mi. on Sunday. (812) 682-3656 http://harmoniehundred.net/\$\$\$\$

May 7: 8:30 AM River City Senior Games @ Dogtown Tavern. Must be at least 50 years to race — but anyone may volunteer. 5k, 10k, or 20k road race. Contact SWIRCA at 812-464-7800 or at www.swirca.org or Steve Gerbig at 812-423-9529 for more information. \$\$\$

May 7 & 8: TOSRV @ Columbus, OH 210/105 miles Saturday and Sunday. See website for details. http://www.tosrv.org 614-461-6648 \$\$\$

May 19: 6:15 PM Ride of Silence @ Evansville State Hospital 3400 Lincoln Ave. 12 miles at 12 mph in honor of those who have been injured or killed while cycling on public roadways. All riders are encouraged to wear black armbands, or red if you have been injured in an accident. http://www.rideofsilence.org

May 21: 9:30 AM Wurst Ride@ Burdette BMX Park. Sponsored by Dan's Competition, R C Cola, Vanderburgh County Commissioners, Steve Craig and the Burdette Park Staff. Choose from different Burdette Park Discovery Trail Routes. This replaces the NO DROP ride for May, so bring the whole family! Hot dogs, chips, & drinks served @ Discovery Lodge afterwards. Any completed mileage 6—37 mi.

May 28: 7:30 AM CRAM @ Clarksville, TN Rossview High School, 1237 Rossview Road. 20, 35, 62, 100 mi. http://www.bikethecram.com or call Stan Montee @ 267-249-9133. \$\$\$

May 28 & 29: 8:00 AM Horsey 100 @ Georgetown, KY at Georgetown College 400 E. College St.. 26. 35, 53, 75, or 100 mi on Saturday and 34, 50, or 70 on Sunday. http://www.bgcycling.org \$\$\$