



DELAWARE VALLEY BICYCLE CLUB

P.O. BOX 497, MEDIA, PA. 19063

May 1988

VOTE



If any of you have wondered what has become of past DVBC editor, Rollin' Rich Patterson, look no further than each month's edition of this newsletter. One of the functions of this newsletter is to keep members informed on where and with whom they might ride. Rich has been doing an excellent job at covering special events. Thanks, Rich!

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Looking for a bike? Try scanning the DVBC classified section. If you have a bike to sell we will list it for FREE!

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BICYCLING
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HELLO SPRING

Let us agree on one thing right now...Sunday morning belongs to you! Your bike has been overhauled and ready to go since mid-March but Nature has been a real mother lately. You roll out of bed real early after staying up late to watch Stella introduce "The She Beast," but one look out the window sends you back under the blankets. What is going on? If you are planning to tour through Scotland, then spending four hours riding in the rain is a great way to prepare. Let's hope that May starts out on the right foot. Faith, my fellow cyclists. Faith.

DON'T TRASH IT GET SOME CASH FOR IT AT AREA "BIKE MARKET"

Are you the kind of person that has difficulty passing a roadside flea market without stopping? Does your love of bike riding interfere with your weekend junk buying schedule? Tri-County Pedalers bike club president, Bruce Wassel, has something in the works just for you. Wassel has organized what he calls a "bike market" to be held Saturday, May 21, in front of Norman's Bike Shop in Pottstown, PA. The object is to clean out your basement of old bike parts you had been planning to sort out and possibly trash, take them up to Norman's, buy a parking spot for five bucks, then buy, sell or trade until you get tired and go home. You will have five hours (8 a.m. to 1 p.m.) to sell off those three Schwinn Varsity boat anchors you've been saving for your grandchildren or those Scott DH bars that you thought would reduce your wind resistance without nearly killing you. Whatever you have or whatever you are looking for...whether you come to pedal or peddle, call Bruce Wassel for directions at 948-3925.

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Letters to the Editor must be signed to be considered for publication.

Club Merchandise

Club T-Shirts \$6.00
 Club Car Decals50
 Club Bike Decal25
 Club Water Bottle 2.00
 Club Patches 1.25

DVBC Meeting Place

Unitarian Universalist Church of Delaware County, 145 W. Rose Tree Road (near Rt. 252 & Rose Tree Park). First Monday of each month. Doors open at 7:00 P.M. Public is welcome.

Ride Guidelines

1. Arrive 10 to 15 minutes early and be **READY TO LEAVE ON TIME!** Rides will start no more than 5 to 7 minutes late!
2. Make sure your bike is in proper working order **BEFORE** you arrive.
3. Carry a spare tube, patch kit, pump and water bottle.
4. Practice safety and obey *all* traffic laws.
5. Wearing a helmet is usually not mandatory, but is encouraged. (A helmet is mandatory for all time trials and some Class A rides.)
6. Do not "bike off" more than you can do. Go on rides within your ability, interest and experience.
7. **RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS:**
 - CLASS D:** For new, inexperienced riders or families: speed 5 – 7 mph, frequent stops, as few hills as possible. Group will wait for all riders. Mileage usually less than 10 miles, but longer distances permissible.
 - CLASS C –:** For average riders: 7 – 8 mph, rest stops as needed. Group will wait for stragglers. Distance recommended: 10 – 30 miles.
 - CLASS C +:** Also average riders: 9 – 10 mph, rest stops every 45 – 60 minutes. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided by the ride leader.
 - CLASS B –:** For more experienced riders: 11 – 12 mph, stops every 15 – 20 miles. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided.
 - CLASS B +:** For strong riders: 13 – 15 mph, stops every 20 – 30 miles. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided.
 - CLASS A:** For very strong riders: 16 – 20 mph, stops every 30 – 50 miles. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided.
8. **TIME TRIAL:** Timed event. Again, you must obey all traffic laws. A hard helmet is mandatory. You must yield the right of way at all times. Club time trials should not be regarded as races, but as training rides.
9. Each rider assumes his/her own risk on all time trials and touring rides.
10. Those who ride ahead of the group are on their own ride.
11. Always notify the ride leader before leaving the group.
12. Ride leaders should adhere to the advertised speed of the ride.
13. Ride leaders are not expected to be bike mechanics.



**JOIN
DVBC**

NOTE: In the case of questionable weather or road conditions, the Ride Leader may decide to cancel the event. Call the Ride Leader if in doubt. All Club rides are rated according to degree of difficulty. If you're in doubt about your cycling ability, try out a ride one class below the one you're not sure about and then work your way up. The general public is invited to all events organized and conducted by Delaware Valley Bicycle Club. A program is presented by the Club for bicyclists of all ages, all abilities, and all interests. Except for the Freedom Tour, Brandywine Tour and Club picnic, all club events are free to the general public. The general public is welcome!!!

Obey all applicable traffic regulations, signs, signals and markings.

Keep right: drive with traffic, not against it. Drive single file.

Watch out for car doors opening, or for cars pulling into traffic.

Protect yourself at night with the required reflectors and lights.

Use hand signals to indicate turning or stopping.

Ride Calendar

May 1 • 8-12 Miles: 8-65 • Class All <i>Freedom Tour</i>	Four great routes: 8, 18, 35, and 65 miles. All rides begin at parking lot #15 in Ridley Creek State Park. Register for the 65 miler at 8:00 A.M.; 35 miler, 9:00 A.M.; 18 miler, 10:00 A.M.; and 8 miler, 11:00 A.M. Marked routes, maps, sag wagon, and for the two longer rides a food stop at Highland Orchards. Join our expected 1,000 plus riders. Don't miss this great event!
May 2 • 7:30 P.M. <i>DVBC Meeting</i>	Doors open at 7:00, meeting begins at 7:30. SPECIAL TOPIC: President Frank Havnoonian will speak on gear systems and brake systems. Come out to learn or meet new friends — or both!
May 7 • 9 A.M. Miles: 15-20 • Class B/C <i>Railroad Romp</i>	Meet at "The Willows" on Darby-Paoli Rd. between Brook & Newtown Rds in Radnor Twp. Select quiet back roads to Valley Forge Park train station and return. Food and water are available at the park. Call Matt Hogan for more details (356-1882 or 964-4820).
May 8 • 9:15 A.M. Miles: 5 • Class: All <i>Goshen Time Trial</i>	Meet (9:15 SHARP) at Providence Rd. just north of Goshen Rd. near the Radnor Hunt Club. This is a good regular event for anyone wishing to improve their bike handling skills. For more information call Rollin' Rich Patterson at 622-2954. Moms get 15 seconds off their time for Mothers' Day.
May 8 • 10 A.M. Miles: 33 • Class C <i>Express to Malvern</i>	Meet at the lower parking lot of the Clover Store on Baltimore Pike in Springfield. Enjoy a scenic ride out to Malvern with few hills — at the peak of spring blooming! Call Walter Linton at 328-2871 for more details.
May 8 • 9 A.M. Miles: 25 • Class C <i>Delaware Chateau Country</i>	Meet behind the Sheraton Hotel on Rt. 202, next to the Concord Mall in Wilmington, DE for this combined ride with White Clay and Brandywine Bike Clubs. This will be an easy-paced ride with hills through beautiful Delaware Chateau Country. Call Roz Chasin for more info, (302) 478-1610.
May 15 • 10 A.M. Miles: 35 • Class C + <i>Strasburg Railroad</i>	Meet at Octoraro Elementary School on Route 41 just before Gap, PA. Come "way out" for this ride and you'll really be pleased. Bring something to eat or "buy" at the railroad. For more details call Rich Bernhard at 284-2019.
May 15 • 2:00 P.M. Miles: 30 • Class B - <i>Cheyney to Westtown</i>	Meet at the Media Courthouse (corner of Front St. & Veteran's Sq.) for this ride out to the Cheyney and Westtown area. The route includes some great scenery along the way. Call ride leader Don Ashbrook at 566-9142 for more details.
May 21 • 9 A.M. Miles: 15-20 • Class B/C <i>Railroad Romp</i>	Meet at "The Willows" on Darby-Paoli Rd. between Brook & Newtown Rds in Radnor Twp. Select quiet back roads to Valley Forge Park train station and return. Food and water are available at the park. Call Matt Hogan for more details (356-1882 or 964-4820).
May 22 • 11 A.M. Miles: 13 • Class C <i>Media and Back</i>	Meet at the lower parking lot of the Clover Store on Baltimore Pike in Springfield. Enjoy a scenic ride out to Media and return along back roads through some fine creek scenery. An easy-paced ride to help you get back into the "spring of things." Call Walter Linton at 328-2871 for more details.
May 22 • 1 P.M. Miles: 25-30 • Class C <i>Chester County Ramble</i>	Meet at the Wawa across from Hank's at Rts. 1 & 100 South in Chadds Ford. Join ride leader Fran DeMillion for this ramble through Chester County on a yet to be determined route. Bring money for a snack after the ride if you wish. Call Fran at 431-2675.
May 29 • 10:00 A.M. Miles: 41 • Class B <i>Fishing Creek/Susquehanna</i>	Ride to Fishing Creek on the Susquehanna River through southern Lancaster County — including some covered bridges. Bring lunch. Meet at PSFS at the Granite Run Mall at 9:00 A.M. for car-pool or call Doug Kennedy (543-4664) for directions.
June 6 • 7:30 P.M. <i>DVBC Meeting</i>	Doors open at 7:00, meeting begins at 7:30. SPECIAL TOPIC: to be announced. Come out and meet some new biking friends while being informed and/or entertained by the guest speaker.

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Steve Horn 534-7571.
5. 55 cm. Benotto 3000, Champayne paint, campy & Mondolo components, KLH computer-\$750.
Bruce Kelly, 544-4390
6. 57 cm. Miyata track bike, Mavic (Look) pedals, Shimano components-\$400
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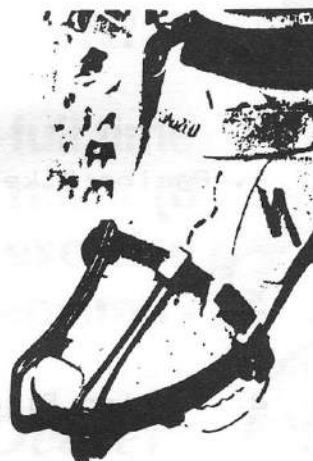


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May 1 (Sun) Freedom Mega Tour (8, 18, 35, 65 Mi) over 1,000 riders. Begins at Ridley Creek State Park. Write to DVBC, 527 Gainsboro Road, Drexel Hill, PA 19026 or call 215-622-2954.

May 1 (Sun) New Jersey Farmlands Flat Tour (62, 100 Mi) Burlington County, NJ. Write to Central Jersey Bicycle Club, 4 Erin Place, Hazlet, NJ 07730 or call 201-739-0656.

May 8 (Sun) DVBC Mothers Day Time Trial - 5 miles; 9:15 Sharp! Sponsored by Team Casual, 527 Gainsboro Road, Drexel Hill, PA 19026,



May 1 Sun. Freedom Mega Tour Media, PA Delaware Valley Bicycle Club 8, 18, 35, 65 miles, over 1000 Riders. Begins at Ridley Creek State Park.

11th Annual WBC Spring Fling

presented by
WILLIAMSPORT BICYCLE CLUB

Saturday, May 14

Registration 7-9 am
Susquehanna State Park
Williamsport, PA

Williamsport Bicycle Club invites you to join us in our 11th annual Spring Fling through scenic Lycoming county. This year's ride offers routes of 50 or 66 miles covering a variety of terrain. You'll travel through the relatively flat Little Pine Creek valley, the "roller coaster" hills of the Sealedsburg area, and there's even 2 challenging mountain grades on the 66 mile route. Register early (by April 30) and your registration is only \$5. After April 30 (including the day of the ride) registration is \$7.

Also for the first time, WBC is scheduling a "fun ride" for novice riders who would like to sample group riding but don't have the experience for the 50-66 mile routes. WBC will lead a leisurely-paced group from Susquehanna State Park at 10:00 am with the route being flat and the length no more than 20 miles. And, best of all, it's FREE !!

Marked Routes

All routes are marked with DAN HENRY-type arrows () painted on road surface. Arrows are color-keyed to the various routes. Each rider will also receive a detailed map and cue sheet with mileage & lunch-stop well-marked.

Lunch

Registration fee includes lunch.

SAGS

Sagwagons will be provided to assist riders in case of mechanical failure, illness or injury.

WBC '88 Spring Fling - Registration Form

To participate in the WBC '88 Spring Fling, please return this entry and entry fee to: Mike Hill, 330 N. Washington St., Montoursville, PA 17754 (717-368-1993). Please make check out to: Williamsport Bicycle Club.

PRINT NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE/ZIP _____

CLUB AFFILIATION _____

Sign PARTICIPANT'S RELEASE on reverse side

Entry fee:

By April 30 \$5.00
After April 30 \$7.00

(tear off and return this part of the registration form)

May

15—The Bergen County Chapter of the American Diabetes Association Bkathon. SASE to Marshall D. Katzman, c/o The Bergen County Chapter of the American Diabetes Association, 15-01 Broadway, Room 29, Box 616, Fair Lawn, NJ 07410; 201/444-7628.

21—Belknap Half-Metric and Metric Century. SASE to Steve Carroll, 10 Whiporwill Lane, Cape May Court-house, NJ 08210; 1-800-334-BIKE (in New Jersey only) OR 609/465-5507.

May 21 Sat KIWANIS CLUB BIKE-A-THON, \$5.00, from DE Trust Rts 40 and 896 7:30 am; contact Ron Kelley 8 Caroline Ct, Bear DE 19701

22—Columbia County 50. SASE to Gary Fetzter, 2126 Old Berwick Rd., Bloomsburg, PA 17815; 717/784-9429. Bloomsburg, Pa.; Columbia County 50; 9:30 a.m. at Bloomsburg Town Park; 50 mi.; mod. hilly; \$5 till May 20, then \$6; incl. patch, sag; helmet required; Susquehanna Valley B.C., Gary Fetzter, 2126 Old Berwick Rd., Bloomsburg, PA 17815; (717) 784-9429.

AMERICAN DIABETES BIKATHON

On Saturday, May 14, the Camden/Gloucester chapter of the ADA will be hosting its annual Bikeathon. All proceeds will fund education and research projects. Call Michele Elkow at 609-482-9047 for more information and sponsor sheets.

5TH ANNUAL CYCLELOGICAL CENTURY

25, 50 or 62 (metric century) mile routes through the beautiful Chester County Countryside.

SUNDAY, MAY 15TH, 1988

TIME: 8:00 - 9:00 AM for 62 milers; 8:30 - 9:30 for 50 milers; 9:00 - 10:00 for 25 milers.

PLACE: All rides will begin and end at Nield Street Playground, Nield and South New Streets, West Chester, PA, close to the northwest corner of West Chester University.

HOW TO REGISTER: This is your OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM. More are available by calling the ARC at (215)436-6740. This form may be copied. You may pay a registration fee (\$8 preregistration, \$10 day of ride) OR LINE UP SPONSORS. If lining up sponsors, ask friends, neighbors or co-workers to pledge money for each mile you ride. All donations will support programming for citizens with mental retardation. Complete the pledge form on the back and bring it with you on the day of the ride. Attach a blank sheet for more than 20 sponsors. The registration form and waiver should be completed and mailed at once to:

Association For Retarded Citizens
226 West Market Street
West Chester, PA 19382

ABOUT THE RIDE: Relax, take your time and enjoy the ride. This is not a race. Food will be provided at about the half-way point for 50 and 62 mile riders and at the finish for all riders. A support vehicle (sag wagon) will be available throughout the ride.

FUNDRAISING PRIZES: Each rider bringing in \$25 or more in pledge money will receive a commemorative T-shirt. New this year will be the COPORATE CHALLENGE. Two businesses or companies, whose employees raise the most money will receive awards that express our gratitude. Call 436-6740 for more information.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Please call Barry Johnston at (215)436-6740 or (215)539-0992

Registration Form: ARC Cyclelogical Centruy
May 15, 1988

Print, complete waiver on reverse and mail at once

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Distance I expect to ride (circle) 25 50 62
In case of emergency,
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Enclosed is my registration fee. I do not wish to solicit sponsors.

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LEADERS INFORMATION FORM FOR PROPOSED RIDES

Ride Name _____

Day _____ Date _____ Time _____

Starting Place _____

Class _____ Miles _____ Leader _____

Phone Number _____

Ride Description:

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SPECIAL EVENTS

May 20-22nd - 1988 BIKE FOR LIFE SPRING BICYCLE TREK, Sponsored by the American Lung Association. The 3 day event will tour the southeastern Pennsylvania countryside. Lodging, breakfast, dinner and sag wagons provided. \$25 reg. fee. Contact Ellen Hatfield, (215) 825-3447.

May 21-22 - HORSE FARM TOUR. 13-50 mile routes through horse farm countryside in McSherrystown, PA. Flat to moderately hilly. SASE to Hanover Cyclers, c/o Mike Bixler, 1413 Baer Ave., Hanover, PA 17331. (717) 632-1805.

May 27-30th - THE 6TH ANNUAL KENT COUNTY SPRING FLING BICYCLE RALLY, sponsored by the Baltimore Bicycling Club, held in Chestertown, MD. 10-130 mi., flat to rolling terrain. \$85 for 2 nights, 4 meals/\$110 for 3 nights, 5 meals, socials, entertainment, crafts. Write: Baltimore Bicycle Club, c/o Marianne Levin, 2401 Cross Country Blvd., Baltimore, MD, 21209. Call: Joyce Keating, (301) 358-5477, or Rebecca Doeller, (301) 377-6699.

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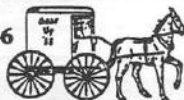
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The Amish live quite simply without benefit of modern conveniences, so the countryside is a fairly unencumbered view of tidy farm buildings, fields of wheat, corn, and tobacco and distant woodlands. GEAR '88's rides will offer an opportunity to see covered bridges, one room schoolhouses, wind mills, Amish buggies, and horsedrawn farm machinery in action. As you roll up and down the gentle hills of Lancaster County, you can visit Strasburg and take a ride on the oldest operating steampowered railroad and then tour the nearby railroad and toy train museums.

In addition to the intriguing Amish countryside, the rides will bring you to many fascinating destinations such as the Landis Valley Farm Museum, Hershey Chocolate factory, the Cloisters, Donegal Church, Pequa Valley Winery, the Clock Museum and the Pretzel factory.

A GEAR would not be complete without a large number of stimulating workshops on almost every facet of bicycling. After a busy day, there will also be many social activities including an ice cream social, live theater, a German band, square dancing and more.

There will be a five day pre-tour of the eastern shore of Maryland and Delaware. Also we will have a five day post-tour of central Pennsylvania starting near Gettysburg.

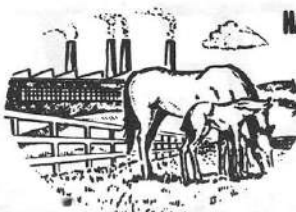
Don't delay registering, as space is limited. As an additional bonus, we are giving a free commemorative T-shirt to the first 1000 registrants.

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Freedom "Mega" Tour
Sunday, May 1, 1988



Ride the Rolodex MS 150 Challenge Bike Tour III May 21 - 22, 1988



To benefit:



The National MS Society
Northern New Jersey Chapter
on May 21 & 22

Join us Saturday & Sunday, May 21 & 22, for the MS 150 Challenge Bike Tour III, a weekend adventure offering the opportunity to explore the countryside, meet new friends, feast on hearty meals and even win some great prizes. Best of all, you will be helping to conquer Multiple Sclerosis, the mysterious crippling disease that strikes young adults.

3 Our Third Annual Tour A Tri-State Event

The MS 150 Challenge Bike Tour III is a 2-day ride for cyclists of all levels of skill. This year, enjoy an all new first day route. Choose between a 150 or 100 mile loop, which will travel along the lovely back roads of New Jersey, Pennsylvania and New York.

The journey will begin on Saturday at the Allamuchy Elementary School in Warren County at 7:00 A.M. We will bike our way to the POCONOS for our overnight stay at the scenic YMHA Camp in Milford, Pennsylvania. You'll have plenty of time to relax, take a shower, enjoy a swim or canoe on the lake. After a dinner specially prepared for hungry bikers, you can take advantage of the many recreational facilities, view a professionally taped video of the day's ride, or even listen (or dance) to a live band.

A good night's sleep in a comfortable cabin and a hearty breakfast will get you going for the trip back to Allamuchy. Then celebrate your accomplishment with family & friends at the end-of-the-ride barbeque.

Safety Comes First

Trained tour marshalls, repair sag wagons and a professional communication team will travel the entire route with you. MS volunteers will be stationed every 12-15 miles so you can rest, have refreshments and get to know your fellow riders. For your protection, we ask all cyclists to wear ANSI approved head gear.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society
Northern New Jersey Chapter
60 South Fullerton Avenue
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Rolodex/MS 150 Challenge Bike Tour III May 21-22, 1988

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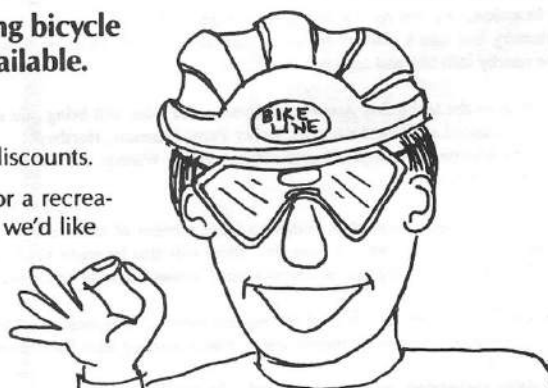
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June 4 (1988) - VERMONT APPLE COUNTRY CENTURY; 25, 50 & 100 miles; lightly traveled, moderately rolling terrain; SASE to: Rick Trainer; Churchill House Inn; R.D.#3; Brandon, VT 05733 (802)247-3078

June 4 (tentative) Maryland/Delaware Flatlands Tour (25,50,75 Miles) Write to Baltimore Bicycling Club, 1013 Argonne Drive, Baltimore, MD 21218 or call 301-667-6488.

June 11 (Sat) Get Ready Metric Tour (31, 62 miles) Fort Mott Park, NJ. \$6 pre-reg. or \$8 day or event. Sponsored by South Jersey Wheelmen, PO Box 2705, Vineland, NJ 08360-2705. or call Dewey Parker, 609-468-1776.

June 12 (Sun) John Pixton River to River Century Tour (25,50,100 miles) \$6, \$8--Willow Grove Pa. Write to Pennsylvania Bicycle Club, 7 Edward Road, Hatboro Pa. 19040 or call 215-675-3782.

June 3-6 - GEAR UP '88, Millersville State University, Millersville, PA, sponsored by LAW, hosted by Lancaster, White Clay, and Baltimore Bicycle Clubs in the PA Dutch country. 28 rides of 12 to 100 mi. through gently rolling Amish farm country. Shops, exhibits, clothing and crafts, live entertainment. Write: League of American Wheelmen, 6707 Whitestone Rd., Baltimore, MD 21207. Call: (301) 944-3399.

June 5th - 13TH ANNUAL ASSAULT ON MT. MITCHELL, sponsored by the Spartanburg Freewheelers. "...one of the toughest 10 rides in the US." 102 mi., passing through the foothills of the Blue ridge Mountains, then to the top of Mt. Mitchell, the highest point east of the Mississippi. Reg. by April 20th, \$15/\$25/\$30. Sag, some food. Write: Spartanburg Freewheelers, Inc., P.O. Box 6171, Spartanburg, S.C. 29304; Call: Bill Decken, (803) 576-4829, or, Scott Hoffmann, (803) 583-3448.

June 11-12th - EIGHTH ANNUAL GREAT FINGER LAKES BICYCLE TOUR, sponsored by STBC A 2 day tour in NY from Cayuga Lake State Park, Seneca Falls, to Watkins Glen State Park and return. \$30, incl. 3 meals, maps, lodging, sag. Call Augie Meuller, 607-722-6005 or write STBC Inc., 4009 Drexel Drive, Binghamton, NY 13903.

RIDE TO FUND THE PHILADELPHIA-VALLEY FORGE BIKEWAY



Freedom Valley Bike-A-Thon

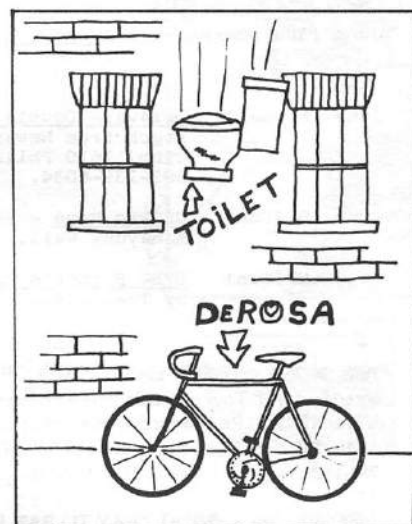


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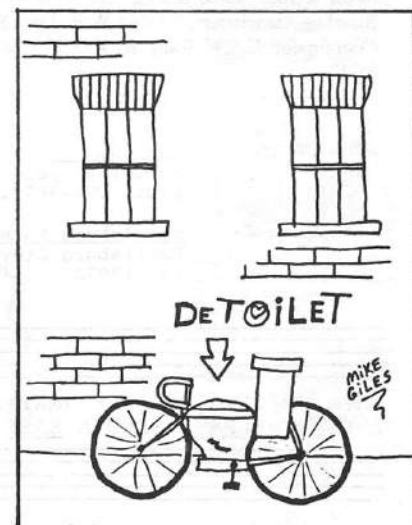
Sunday, June 12, 1988
Rain or Shine

The Philadelphia-Valley Forge Bikeway will combine for cyclists the pleasure of riding with the natural beauty of the Schuylkill River Greenway. One-third of the Bikeway, from Manayunk to Spring Mill, is already built. Now, your help is needed to complete it. Participants in the Freedom Valley Bike-A-Thon are

encouraged to recruit sponsors whose tax-deductible contributions will be used to finish the construction of the Bikeway. To help us plan the event, please return the enclosed pre-registration form by June 6th. We look forward to seeing you on June 12th for a fun-filled cycling extravaganza.



((((CRASH))))



WHAT: A self-paced ride with food and rest stops for bikers of all ages and abilities.

WHEN: SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 1988. Rain or Shine. Register and sign in at 8:00 A.M., ride begins at 9:00 A.M. sharp!

WHERE: The ride will depart from the steps of the Art Museum. Riders can complete the center city loop only, continue through Fairmount Park, continue on the Conshohocken loop, or complete the loop to Valley Forge.

1. 6 mile Liberty Bell Loop of Center City
2. 16 mile loop of Center City and Fairmount Park
3. 36 mile loop of Center City and Fairmount Park to Conshohocken
4. 62 mile metric century loop of Center City and Fairmount Park to Valley Forge

Riders are expected to have bicycles in safe riding condition. All bikers must obey all traffic laws. Head protection is recommended.

WHY: To fund the bikeway from Philadelphia to Valley Forge and to promote and celebrate biking in the Delaware Valley. Additions to the bikeway are scheduled for this summer!

WHO: The Bike-A-Thon is hosted by the Delaware Valley Council of American Youth Hostels and is sponsored by PNB/CoreStates Financial Corp. Organizers include the Bicycle Coalition of the Delaware Valley, the Schuylkill River Greenway Association, the

Sierra Club, and the Wheelmen.

COST: \$10 per adult, \$5 per youth under 18. FREE for riders with \$25 in pledges.

PRE REGISTRATION: \$7 per adult instead of \$10. Pre-register by June 6 to avoid lines and assure receiving selected premium.

Send to:
Freedom Valley Bike-A-Thon
c/o American Youth Hostels
35 S. Third Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106

- Make checks payable to the Freedom Valley Bike-A-Thon
- Pledges will be collected on the day of the ride
- Those who cannot participate but would like to contribute to the Bikeway may send a donation to the same address.

PREMIUM: Free safety vest, waterproof bike map, or reflective leg band.

PRIZES: Grand Prize: \$100 Gift Certificate and Selection as Honored Marshall for next year to the top fundraiser. \$100 Gift Certificate awarded by random draw to cyclist raising over \$100. Random draw gift certificates awarded to cyclists raising \$25 or more.

QUESTIONS: Call (215) 925-6005, AYH Office.

TO VOLUNTEER: Help with registration or as a riding or standing marshal.

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

NAME _____ AGE _____

ADDRESS _____

TOWN _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ CLUB/GROUP _____

- ☐ I intend to raise pledges for the Bikeway Fund.
☐ I intend to ride only.

AMOUNT PAID: Registration _____
Collected Pledges _____
Uncollected Pledges _____

SELECT PREMIUM:

- ☐ Safety Vest ☐ Waterproof Bike Map ☐ Reflective leg band

RELEASE:



As a participant in the Freedom Valley Bike-A-Thon, I agree to release all claims or demands of any nature which I may have against any of the ride's sponsors in connection with the Bike-A-Thon. (Parents must also sign if the rider is under 18 years of age.)

(Date)

(Signature)

(Signature of Parent)

SPECIAL EVENTS

JOIN   DVBC

Mid-June

Virginia MS 150 - 150 miles (2-day, full service event)
Camping, Sag and equipment shuttle. Send SASE to Central
Virginia MS Society, PO Box 227, Richmond, Virginia 23288.

June 17 (Fri)

Manayunk Wall Hill Climb - Sponsored by Hill Bicycle Club/
Team Hill, 12033 Bustleton Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19116;
(215) 677-7729.

Our 1st Annual
**Lehigh Valley
Lancaster County
MS 150
Bike Tour**
PA. DUTCH CYCLING EXTRAVAGANZA



JUNE 25th & 26th

An Adventure for Everyone - The MS 150 Bike Tour

How does a two-day, 150 mile round trip cycling adventure through scenic Berks and Lancaster Counties to benefit the National Multiple Sclerosis Society sound? Good? Then join hundreds of other cyclists for the 1st Annual Lehigh Valley to Lancaster County MS 150 Bike Tour, June 25 and 26th.

Tailored for cyclists of all abilities, this "Pennsylvania Dutch Cycling Extravaganza" will attract people from all over Northeast Pennsylvania. You can make new friends and enjoy the scenic countryside as you ride to fight MS, a tragic disease that strikes young adults in the prime of life.

Chuck McCullagh - Editor Bicycling Magazine - "Bicycling Magazine has supported the MS 150 Bike Tours for years and I will personally take part in this first Lehigh Valley to Lancaster County MS 150. Join me and other members of my staff for this great event."

ON YOUR MARKS !!!

To join our MS 150 Bike Tour, send in your registration form with the \$15.00 non refundable fee, which covers all food and accommodations. Raise your minimum of \$1.00 per mile (\$150) in sponsored pledges, and you're on the mark to

GET SET !!!

You're about ready! You've had your friends, co-workers and family sponsor you, you've mailed in your pledge sheet. Now you and your friends are preparing for the big weekend. The MS 150 Bike Tour is a worthwhile and fun event from the word

GO !!!

On Saturday, June 25th, you arrive at the Lehigh County Velodrome for the 7 a.m. start of the MS 150 Bike Tour. The cannon is fired, the hot air balloon is launched, the ribbon is cut, the Celebrity Tour Leaders are at the front of the pack, the band is playing and you're off, on your way to Amish Country, with hundreds of other cyclists.

Our tour will take us over the beautiful backroads of Berks County, where a hearty lunch will be waiting for all riders at Blue Marsh Lake. Then we are on our way to the warm and cozy borough of Ephrata, our Amish and Pretzel Country Hosts. Before we arrive in Ephrata we will tour the beautiful country roads of Lancaster County.

Our friends in Ephrata have planned a welcoming party to beat the band. You will dine on Authentic PA Dutch cuisine, relax, swim and "dance till you drop" with a live DJ and entertainment. Our Ephrata "campsite" for Saturday night will be the Ephrata Jr. High School, located directly across from our "Party Headquarters," or if you register early enough, we can accommodate some participants at

For more information —
call Marylynn Burtaine 215-821-8360.



MS 150 BIKE TOUR
National MS Society
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Allentown, PA 18102

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June (3rd Weekend)

Jersey Double Century - Western NJ, by Western
Jersey Wheelmen, Box 267, Breakhook Road, Lebanon,
NJ 08833

June 18 (Sat)

Delaware Double Century/Double Metric - To Rehoboth
Beach from Newark, DE. Don Carbaugh, White Clay Bike
Club, 2610 Philadelphia Pike, Claymont, DE 19703;
302-239-6034.

June 19 (Sun)

US Pro Race - Philadelphia, PA, Fairmount Park -
Manayunk Wall.

June 19 (Sun)

DVBC Father's Day Time Trial - 5 Mi; 9:15 AM; sponsored
by Team Casual, 527 Gainsboro Road, Drexel Hill, PA 19026

June 24-26th - TOSRV-EAST - TWO CENTURIES, sponsored by AYH. Tour of scenic Vermont, begins at Rawsonville, VT, and follows Rt. 100 north to Waterbury Center. Climbs over 3 Mts. \$35. Call Jacek Rudowski, 617-361-5273; Al Lester, 617-769-1429; or AYH office at 215 925-6004.

June 26th - 3rd ANNUAL "BAY TO BAY RIDE", sponsored by the Eastern Shore Velo Club, in Betteron, MD. 72.86, or 107 flat mi. \$6 till 6/16, then \$8. Incl. map, sag, LAW patch, swimming in Del. and Chesapeake Bay. Write: Eastern Shore Velo Club, Box 393, Centerville, MD 21617. Call: 301-778-4881.

June 29th - July 3rd - RALLY '88. L.A.W. announces its rally in Flagstaff, Arizona, riding through the largest Ponderosa Pine forest in the United States, hosted by the Greater Arizona Bicycling Association (GABA). Write Dave Silver, Registration Coordinator, L.A.W. Rally '88, P.O. Box 2657, Scottsdale, AZ 85252.

June 26 (Sun)

Raritan Valley Round-Up - (25,50,62,100 Mi) by Central
Jersey Bicycle Club, 47 Walker Avenue, Edison, NJ 08820
(201) 906-3677.

Late June

Harrisburg to Harrisonburg Sojourn - 200 Miles. SASE to
Harrisburg Bicycle Club, 345 Old York Road, New Cumberland,
PA 17070.

WHEN WRITING FOR INFORMATION ABOUT ANY OF THE LISTED SPECIAL EVENTS, PLEASE SEND A SASE- SELF-ADDRESSED-STAMPED-ENVELOPE.

Fran DeMillion may be attending the LAW RALLY '88 in Flagstaff, Arizona. If you plan to go also, please call Fran at 215-431-2675.

July 3rd - DELAWARE DOUBLECROSS, sponsored by the White Clay Bicycle Club. The Double cross crosses the state twice in 28 miles. "a ride that nearly everyone can do; and...offers a chance to...doublecross a state in less than 4 hours." \$4.50/\$5, patch, sag, map. Write: White Clay Bicycle Club, 405 West 13th Street, Wilmington, DE 19801; Call: (302) 654-6579.

July 10th - TOUR ACROSS NEW JERSEY, sponsored by Temple Beth Hillel. This is a tour race, trophies for different levels (incl. tandems). Distance 72 or 145 mi. Carmel Fire Hall, Rt. 552, Carmel, NJ. Cost \$12/\$15. Lunch, patch, sag, cue sheet / map. Send SASE for applications to: Mel Kornbluh, 33 Arcadia Place, Vineland, N.J. 08360; call after 6 PM, (609) 691-8779.

July 31-August 6th - TRANE (The Ride Around New England), sponsored by The Charles River Wheelman of MA. A 6 day trip covering 6 New England states, intended for experience cyclists, 70 mi/day. \$224, incl. sag, lodging, but not meals. Write: Marc Goldstein, 2657 Albany Ave, West Hartford, CT 06117, call: 203 233-7348.

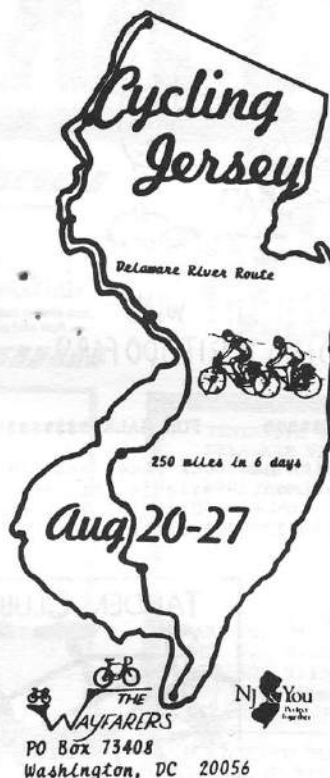
August 4-7th - EASTERN TANDEM RALLY '88, Univ. of New Hampshire, Durham, NH. SASE to Bob & Linda Harvey, 16 Clinton St., Salem, NH 03079.

August 6th - BICYCLE RAILROAD TRAIN TRIP, sponsored by the Baltimore Bicycling Club. BCP members raved about this one last year. 17 mi., C+ touring pace, bike trip to Thurmont, MD. Board MMID Excursion Train to go up Catoctin Mts., Bike 25 mi. back to Frederick for catered dinner, plus door prizes. \$22. Call Jane Cohen (301) 695-7230 or Gordon Ritter, (301) 744-1057 for info. Send check made to BBC, 1712 Carriage Way, Frederick MD., 21701.

August 13th - DOG DAZE CENTURY, 100/62/50/25 miles, Brandywine Bicycle Club, Mike Stull, 1549 Rodney Drive, West Chester, PA 19382, (215) 793-2741.

August 13-14th - HARPERS FERRY HAPPENING (MS Bike Tour), Mechanicsburg to Harpers Ferry, WV, 150 mi.. For info: Marge Ciervo, (717) 691-0983 (day), 766-6163 (eve).

August 13-14th - MS 150 BIKE TOUR, sponsored by the Central PA Chapter, Multiple Sclerosis Society. Two day event; from Harrisburg, PA, to Harper's Ferry, W.Va.; tour benefits MS. Meals, transportation, sag, and lodging provided. Must raise \$1/mi.. Write Central PA Chapter, Multiple Sclerosis Society, 1 Ararat Blvd., Harrisburg, PA 17110-9720 or call 717 652-2108.



September 18 (Sun) Brandywine Tour--TOBBY--(25,50,100 mi.), Tour of Brandywine River Valley. Sponsored by Delaware Valley Bike Club, 527 Gainsboro Rd., Drexel Hill, PA. 19026. Attracts 500-700 riders each year!



Colynn, Kerr--Elbow Valley Cycling



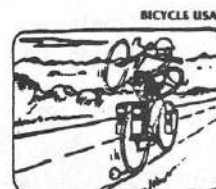
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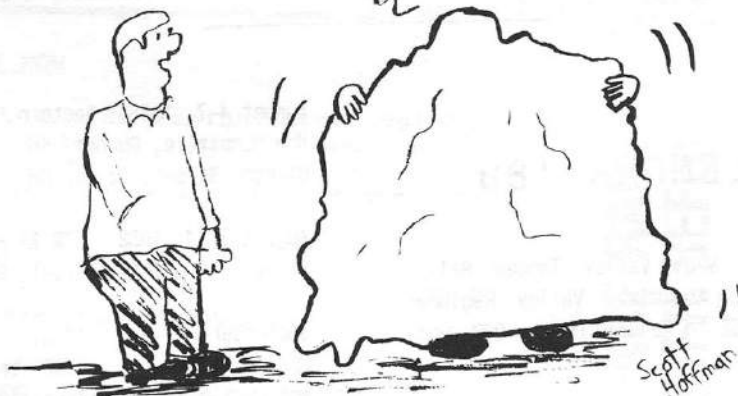
August Covered Bridge Metric Century Lancaster, PA Lancaster Bike Club 25, 50, 100 KM. SASE to LBC, Box 535, Lancaster, PA 17603; 717-394-8220.

August 6 Sat. Princeton Bicycling Event Princeton, NJ Princeton Free Wheelers 10, 25, 50, 100 miles. SASE to PFW, Box 1204, Princeton, NJ 08542; 609-393-1206.

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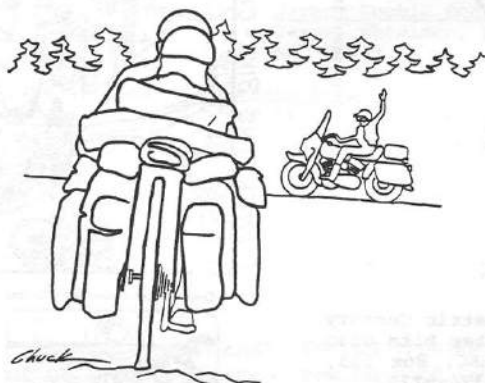
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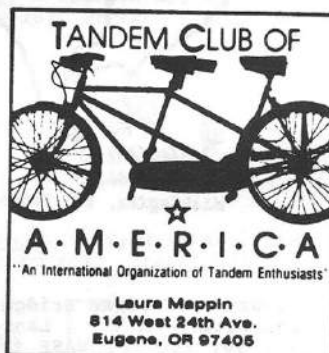
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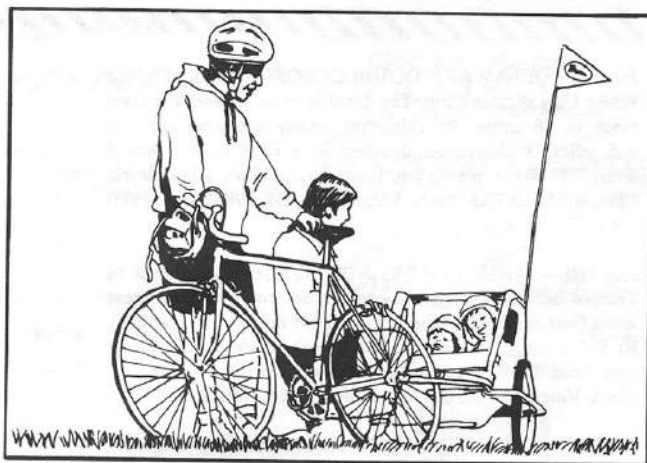
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Join DVBC's Tandem Division to "Double" your fun!



Freeloading In Style

by Jason King with Lori King

"Look at that!" "Isn't that cute?" "Can I have a ride?" These are just some of the comments I hear as I travel across the land. You see, I am a bicycle trailer traveler. You might think I have it made, cycling my way through the countryside without actually having to pedal, but it's not as easy as it looks.

Guess where all the odds and ends go that won't fit in the panniers. That's right—I usually end up with a tent at my feet, a sleeping bag next to me on the seat, and grocery bags in my lap (with instructions to guard them with my life until we get to the campground). Now, that's a big responsibility for a little guy like me! I've been pushed, pulled, shoved, and carried over ditches, fences, and brick walls, down the sides of many a hill, through fields and marshes, and even through rush-hour traffic in downtown Seattle. (The cyclists I travel with tend to get lost once in a while.) And I've had more than a few heart-stopping moments when a child-eating dog chasing us down the road came awfully close to jumping in beside me for a free ride and a tasty morsel.

I must admit though, I wouldn't trade my life as a trailer traveler for anything. I'm probably the only kid on the block who realizes you can get from here to there without ever setting foot on the freeway and that there is more to this world than whizzing through life at 55 miles per hour. I bet I've seen more of the beautiful state I live in than most of the adults who have resided there all their lives. But the thing I love most is all the friendly people who smile and wave at me as I pass by.

All in all, I'm afraid my days as a freeloader are numbered. I've heard Mom and Dad talking about a new addition to our family (no, not a baby—another tandem) so I can start doing my share of the pedaling. I guess we all have to grow up sometime. What worries me most though is Mom's retirement plans for the future. When my brother and I start riding tandem together, she's going to relax in the trailer and reap her just rewards. I sincerely hope she's not serious—a thing like that could really cramp our style!

—BICYCLE USA News

TANDEM CALENDAR '88

May 21, 1988. 2nd Annual Miami Valley Tandem Rally. Bellbrook, OH. Sponsored by the Miami Valley Regional Bicycle Committee. Send SASE to Wendell Owens, 933 Keno-sha, Kettering, OH 45429

July 28-31, 1988. 2nd Annual Truce Weekend. Stevens Point, WI. Everyone's invited to come ride with the CATS (Chicago), the Loons (Twin Cities), and the COWS (Wisconsin). SASE to John & Peggy O'Dell, 1941 Elk, Stevens Point, WI 54481. Ph: (715)-344-2732.

August 4-7, 1988. Eastern Tandem Rally'88. University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH. SASE to Bob & Linda Harvey, 16 Clinton Street, Salem, NH 03079

August 7-14, 1988. ETR'88 Post-Tour. SASE to Bob & Linda Harvey, 16 Clinton Street, Salem, NH 03079

September 2-5, 1988. Midwest Tandem Rally'88. Springfield, IL. SASE to John & Marcy Werthwein, 3354 Interurban Road, Springfield, IL 62707

September 10-11, 1988. Toronto Tandem Co-op's Excursion. Beaver Valley, ON. Tour the banks of the Beaver River and the Niagara Escarpment. Contact Shirley Szilvasy or Ted Przyborowski (416)-652-1483 by July 1, 1988.

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Bud Gerhab	15:35
Ed Silcox.....	14:35
Chris Ward	16:22
Joe Freiberg....	13:54
Bob Gallen.....	17:10
Paul McGovern...	14:02
Kevin Doerr.....	18:33
Trip Bowers.....	16:32
Bob Pittman	17:28
Gibbs Tolsdorf..	14:41
Carm Placido....	16:30
Saul Montanez...	16:48
Mike Bufo.....	16:59
Kevin Ashbee....	13:57
Aaron Homjak....	15:54
Donna Williams..	18:18
Kathy Ugen.....	15:11
Bob Bonnette....	15:40
Matt Hogan	15:14
John Freiberg ..	17:02

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For information about
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Trials, call Rich at
215-622-2954!

Call Steve Harrad at
(215) 436-8984, for info.
about the new TEAM BIKE
LINE!

TENTATIVE TEAM DELAWARE VALLEY BICYCLE CLUB TIME TRIAL SCHEDULE

MAY 8, 9:15 AM
JUN 19, 9:15 AM
JUL 4 &/or JUL 17
at 9:15 AM SHARP!
AUG 14, 9:15 AM
SEP 5, 9:15 AM
OCT 30, 9:15 AM
NOV 24, Time tba.
DE 10 MILE TT.

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NOTE: NOT all Time
Trial entrants above
were TEAM Casual
members.

Team Casual: Steve
Horn, Kevin Doerr, Ed
Silcox, Michael Dovin,
William Slavin, Rich
Patterson, and more
coming to the rolls!



- MAY** 13-14 Sundance Grand Prix
20 **THE MORNING CALL**
Bicycle Racing League
ALL-STAR CHAMPIONSHIPS
27 **USA vs. USSR Dual Meet**
- JUNE** 3 **Fuji** Sundance Women's Team Challenge
10 **FULL CYCLE** Pro-Am Open
17-18 *Campagnolo*
Bicycling MAGAZINE Grand Prix
24 **BIKE LINE**
International Team Challenge
- JULY** 1 *John E. duPont*
Junior Developmental Finals*
8 Eastern States Omnium
15 The Madison Cup
22 *Coca-Cola* Invitational Sprint Tournament
29 The Keirin Final
- AUGUST** 5 Record Attempt Night
10-12 U.S. JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
19 **AIR PRODUCTS** Night
26 Devil's Night

SEASON TICKETS ON SALE NOW

Season tickets for the 1988 Lehigh County Velodrome racing season are currently on sale. Season tickets entitle you to admission for Tuesday night racing, all Friday night racing and all the sessions of the Junior National Championships.

1988 SEASON TICKET PRICES:	
Homestraight Season Tickets (start/finish line reserved seating)	\$75.00
Backstraight Season Tickets (festival seating opposite start/finish line)	\$60.00
General Admission Tickets (trackside standing room)	\$45.00

For more information on tickets contact the Velodrome office at 217 Main St., Emmaus, PA 18049 or call (215) 965-6930.

Glen Mills Series Is Upon Us !

Meeting Report...

By Drew Christensen

Those of you who missed last month's meeting missed not only a very important organizational session, but a great '87 Tour de France video-tape, and a FREE 14 oz. can of Bodyfuel energy drink mix!

Effective immediately, Team Drexel Hill will be holding Thursday night Training Races. (For those of you who made it to April's meeting, "immediately" was the beginning of last month. As for the rest of you, "immediately" is right now.) Races begin at 6:00 p.m. on the Goshen Road Course, near the corner of Sugartown and Providence road. Races will be three laps in length, and serve as great informal season preparation.

Ladies and Gentlemen, you had better drink a lot of bodyfuel, and come out to a lot of training races, because the Moment of Truth is upon

Track Action!

May 1988 Lehigh
County Velodrome
Events

May 13-14

Sundance Grand Prix

May 20

The Morning Call

Bicycle Racing League

All Star Championships

May 27

USA vs USSR Dual
Meet

Winners !

Sunday, March 27

Goshen Road Course

Four Laps (20 miles)

1st Place John Bauer

2nd Place Vince Boyle

3rd Place Chris Izzo

4th Place Isaac Pike

5th Place John Neilon

6th Place Frank Havnoonian

7th Place Steve Ellis

* Congratulations To All
Participants! *

Sunday, April 10

Goshen Road Course

Four Laps (20 miles)

1st Place

"Shamus" McDermott

2nd Place John Bauer

3rd Place John Neilon

4th Place Tim Watkins

5th Place Chris Izzo

Steve Hariet

6th Place Isaac Pike

7th Place Chris Hepp

us. Sunday, May 8th, 10:00 a.m. will mark the beginning of the most torturous race series in the southeastern Delaware-Valley; Glen Mills. Races will be held each and every Sunday in May and July. Be at the Team meeting, Saturday, May 7th, 8:00 p.m. for details and directions. But don't stay out too late, or your first Glen Mills will be your last.

Team jerseys are in, just in time for the

Team jerseys have arrived...

Glen Mills series and the State Championships! RJ Cyclewear's modern graphic arts design will be sported by Team Drexel Hill again this year, and will be provided to team members at a special "members only" wholesale cost of \$24. See Frank Havnoonian for jerseys, and special deals on RJ shorts and Italian racing shoes.

Among many other important topics, a key issue at the May meeting will be organization of rides to and from the State

Championships. The State Championship Time Trial Competition will be held Sunday, June 5th. The State Championship Road Race will be held the following Sunday, June 12th.

Don't miss the **Subaru Cycling Classic**, Sunday, May 22nd. Last year, Greg LeMond was an entrant. Women's start time is noon at Headhouse Square. This will be a fast-paced, action packed, pro-level criterium, ridden on previous terrain.

The next meeting will be held Saturday May 7th, 8:00 pm, at Frank Havnoonian's. (900 Anderson Avenue, Drexel Hill, PA)

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Team Meeting Saturday May 7th

Upcoming...

May

1 Montagne Mountain Hill Climb/ TT
PA. 2.8 miles. 12 noon SrII-IV, Sr IV/Jr
Vet. (717) 344-8558

1 Wilkes Barre Cherry Blossom Chlnge
PA. Wmn, Jr., Vet, Sr IV, Sr II-III
Criterium. (717) 822-6961

1 Bear Mountain Spring Festival RR
7:00 a.m. All Classes. Al Toefield
(718) 347-8195

1 Gore-Tex National Capital Open
Washington, D.C. Criterium. All Classes.
Laura Fulton (202) 429-0690

13-14 Preakness Celebration Cycle
Classic. 13th Pro/ I-II. 80 miles.
14th Criterium. All classes.
(301) 366-4211

15 USCF National Criterium
Championships. New York, NY
Henry Schneidman (415) 924-7500

U.S.C.F.

21 Tour of Fort Ritchie, MD
Criterium. 3:00 pm. Sr., Jr, Vet,
Women. Antietam Velo Club
9231 Meadowbrook Drive,
Waynesboro, PA 17268

22 Tunkhannock Creek TT. PA
10 miles. 11 am. Sr IV/Jr, Vet.
(717) 344-8558

22 Letterkenny RR. York, PA
Dean Rosenzweig, (717) 757-1202

28 Mahwah NJ Criterium
(201) 934-5898 (evenings)

28 Gotham Cup. Allentown PA
Circuit race, Sr I-II-III & Pro.
Andy Taus 520 N. St. Lucas St.
Allentown, PA 18104

30 Tour of Somerville, NJ
12:00. Criterium. All Classes.
Marina Brescacin (201) 725-0461

Pro Events

May 22

Subaru Cycling Classic
Start Time.....12:00 (Women)

Location.....Newmarket,
Head House Square

This is a Criterium run around a 1/2 mile
course which is 75% cobblestones. The
race is likely to attract some big names.

June 19


Corestates US Pro Championship

Location...Logan Circle, The Parkway

Not only is this the biggest single-day
money race in the world, but this year it's
a U.C.I. points race too. Allegedly, Le
Mond, Roche, and Kelly have already
contracted to appear, along with a number
of Europe's top teams.

Team Rides

Thursday Night Training Races will
be held each week in May. Start time is
6:00 p.m. at the Goshen Road Course.
Glen Mills Races begin May 8th. Start
time is 10:00. Be at the Team meeting or
call Drew Christensen (622-6877) for
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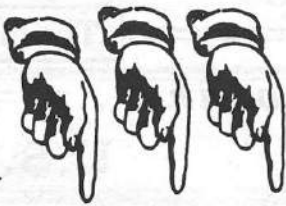

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Sunday, May 1, 1988

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Please send your check or money order to:

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Drexel Hill Cyclery

☐ \$5.00 Team Delaware Valley Bicycle Club
Team Casual! (Road Racing)

☐ \$5.00 DVBC Triathlon Div.

☐ \$5.00 DVBC Tandem Div.

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