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Help DCC honor 2004 achievers

By Anita Patten, DCC president

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Please join your fellow bicyclist at our annual awards banquet on Saturday, Feb. 12. The banquet is again at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in downtown Dayton. And because of a financially successful year in 2004, we are inviting all DCC members who qualify for a volunteer bar to attend the banquet at half price — our thank you for a job well done!



Volunteers include board members, ride leaders, event coordinators, mileage tabulators and those members who help out at our events. If you have questions about whether you qualify as a volunteer, give me a call.

One of the benefits of being a DCC member is receiving a plaque and bars to honor your accomplishments through the cycling year. We need nominations from the ride leaders and from individual

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Problems with your *S'n'L*? Moving?

If you are not receiving your *S'n'L*, call Membership Director Claire Lea at (937) 667-4052; or send e-mail to SloTwitch@woh.rr.com. If you are moving, call or send e-mail to Lea. Be sure to include your old and new addresses. Newsletters are **not** automatically forwarded. 🚲

2005 DCC Board of Directors

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DCC Business Meetings

The DCC Board of Directors generally holds business meetings at 6:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month (first Tuesday of January and February 2005) at CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. All members are welcome. If you wish to be added to the agenda of any meeting, contact President Anita Patten.

Upcoming 'S'n'L' deadlines

For March Feb. 10 for editorial material
Feb. 15 for paid advertising

For April March 10 for editorial material
March 15 for paid advertising

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riders for Most Improved Rider, Rookie of the Year, Ride Leader of the Year, Courage Awards or anything else you think a rider or volunteer deserves credit for. Please let me know about these outstanding individuals by Jan. 21.

Also submit your indoor mileage — only January, February and December indoor mileage counts — to me by Jan. 21.

Volunteers needed for 2005

Plan ahead for your reduced rate for the 2006 banquet! Volunteers are urgently needed for several positions.

The board needs a secretary. Responsibilities include attending the monthly meeting, recording the minutes of the meeting and compiling the minutes for publication.

We also need a director for the Wright Wride. While a tentative date has been set, it will be dependant upon who wants to chair this fine event. You'll have volunteers, but we need someone to take charge! The director selects the location of the ride as well. We need someone to step forward ASAP!

Also, Miamisburg wants to host a bike ride in conjunction with other local events on June 26. They have asked the DCC if we want to put it on. It could be a big event — think Turkey Trot — but we would need someone to volunteer to direct this as well. I would like to do it, but with the Great Ohio Bicycle Adventure ending just the day before, that rules me out. Still, I am willing to help with logistics and “day of” tasks.

These are three terrific opportunities for people to showcase their talents and be part of what makes this club so great.

Planning a multi-day adventure?

Share where you are traveling to this year. If you are planning to take a week and bicycle someplace and are looking for traveling companions, send me an e-mail with information, and we will get it listed in the newsletter. Personally, I'm looking to tag along on a trip to Italy if anyone is headed that way!. And I'm looking at a week of off-road as well: Bryce Canyon? Yellowstone? Grand Tetons?

Time to think GOBA

Speaking of weeklong rides, it's time to start planning for GOBA again. Bob Tackett will drive the DCC SAG truck at GOBA again this year. The ride begins in Findlay and it's going to be fairly flat and very family-friendly for the first time in a couple of years.

For \$35, Bob will haul your gear from town to town. He will not guarantee shade, tailwinds or closeness to the showers but will assure that we will have iced liquid refreshments, water and dry luggage when we arrive at each campsite. Only registered GOBA riders will be allowed to sag with us.

For families, the advantage of riding with the DCC is that you always know where to find each other. Ask about our large family discount.

To hold your place on the DCC truck, mail your check with the names and ages of anyone under 18 to Bob Tackett, 6871 Greeley Ave., Dayton, OH 45424.🚲

Can you ride a century a month?

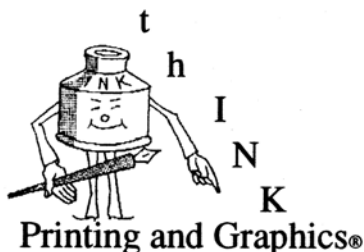
The UltraMarathon Cycling Association has created the Larry Schwartz Year-Rounder Century Challenge for bicyclists seeking consistent performance throughout the year.

To qualify, one must complete at least one century (a ride of 90 to 149 miles) in every month of the year. There are provisions for makeup rides for cyclists living in cold climates.

Riders who reach their goal will be awarded Year-Rounder medals. See <http://www.ultracycling.com/standings/year-rounder.html> for more information.🚲



Congratulations to Barbara and Cecil Biggs of thINK Printing and Graphics, formerly The Ink Well, on their 20 years in business!🚲



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2005 Dayton Cycling Club Calendar

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 4, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 1, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Awards banquet**, Saturday, Feb. 12, Crowne Plaza Hotel, 33 E. Fifth St., Dayton. Contact: Anita Patten, 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 2, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 6, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

• **Calvin's 12-Hour Challenge**, Saturday, April 30, Shawnee High School, Springfield. Contact: Barry Schroeder, 854-1885; tandem@erinet.com.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 4, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Huffman Spring Classic**, Sunday, May 15, Golden Gate Park, Brookville. Contact: Dale Williamson, (937) 833-5680; jdwbiker@juno.com.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 1, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Covered Bridge Tour**, Saturday, June 4, Westbrook Elementary School, Brookville. Contact: Mark/Mary Buchwalder, (937) 376-5449.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 6, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 3, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Old World Tour**, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 20-21, Buck Creek State Park, Springfield. Contact: Mary Lemaster, (937) 890-4690; mary.lemaster@expco.com.

•**Business meeting (nominations for election due)**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 7, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

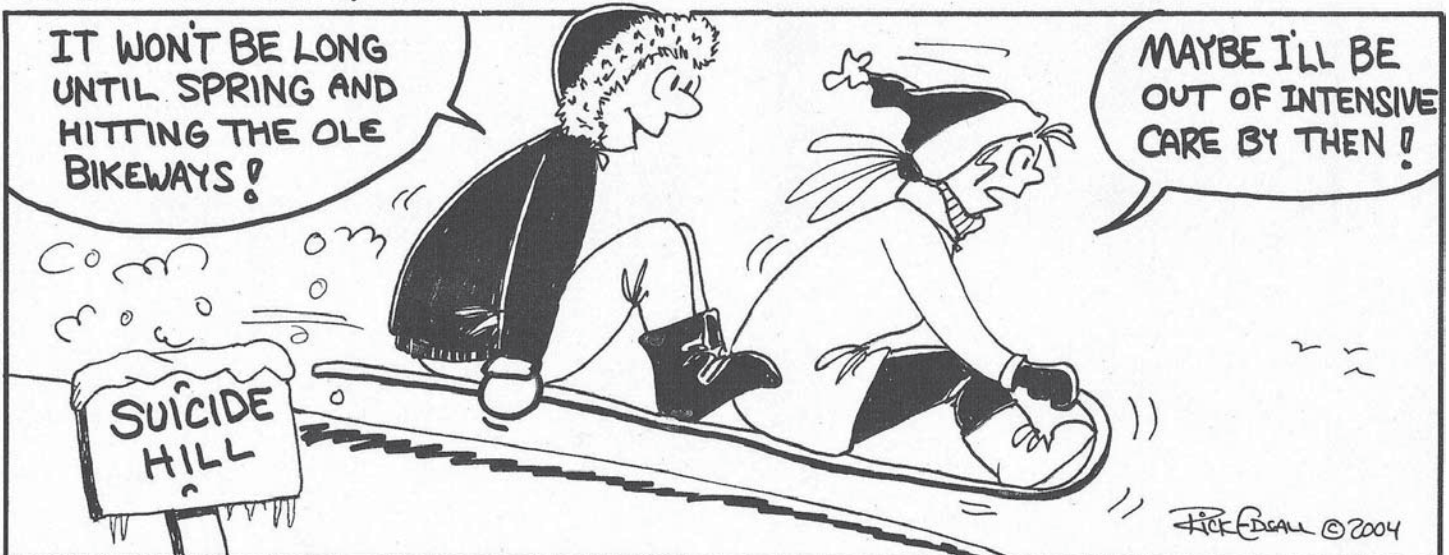
•**Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 5, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Election of 2006 officers**. Ballots due in DCC post office box by Saturday, Oct. 15.

•**Business meeting (2006 budget proposals due)**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 2, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

•**Business meeting (budget meeting)**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 235-1196; anitapatten@hotmail.com.🚲

ABBEY WRODE by Rick Edsall



Financial Report

Kathy Williams, 2004 DCC treasurer, (937) 854-1885; justmekw@aol.com



Financial Summary as of 10/31/04

Financial Summary as of 11/30/04

A/C#	Category	Receipts	Payments	Net Total
000	Membership	9,222	1,378	7,844
100	Touring	3,575	2,998	577
200	DAYOX	-	-	-
300	Huffman	5,144	2,281	2,863
400	Wright Wride	6,740	6,064	676
600	The Maine Adventure	11,005	10,986	19
720	Calvin's Challenge-Jerseys**	357		357
740	Calvin's Challenge-Ride	8,838	4,382	4,456
800	Social	1,735	4,395	(2,660)
900	Newsletter	1,802	10,973	(9,172)
1000	Administrative	157	2,876	(2,720)
Totals		48,574	46,333	2,241
** Balance of 2003 jerseys sold to achieve break-even				
Cash Account Balances:			Current Liabilities:	
	Prepaid Rental-Huffman05	125		
	Receivable-Misc.	76		
	Postage Dep-Early Express	400		
Fund Balances:				
	Beg. Of Year			35,869
	General Income	35,082		2,414
	Huffman Classic	300		38,283
	Wright Wride	2,402		
	CD-Jo Glover Funds	815		56
				41
				820
Total		39,199	Total	39,199

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000	Membership	9,869	1,383	8,486
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720	Calvin's Challenge-Jerseys**	357		357
740	Calvin's Challenge-Ride	8,848	4,382	4,466
800	Social	1,735	4,395	(2,660)
900	Newsletter	1,802	12,235	(10,434)
1000	Administrative	172	2,956	(2,784)
Totals		49,246	47,679	1,567
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	Prepaid Rental-Huffman05	125		
	Receivable-Misc.	76		
	Postage Dep-Early Express	400		
Fund Balances:				
	Beg. Of Year			35,869
	General Income	36,509		1,740
	Huffman Classic	300		37,609
	Wright Wride	300		
	CD-Jo Glover Funds	815		56
				41
				820
Total		38,525	Total	38,525

It is the DCC's intent to maintain a financial balance that contains sufficient funds to adequately finance the club's annual operating expenses, as well as to finance the major DCC events of the year. 🚲



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DCC Meeting Highlights

By Janet Long, 2004 DCC secretary; Anita Patten, DCC president; and Kay Wert Minardi, DCC newsletter editor

Nov 3, 2004

The Dayton Cycling Club Board of Directors met Wednesday, Nov 3, at CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. In attendance were board members Kay Wert Minardi, Dale Williamson, Claire Lea, Chuck Smith, Kathy Williams, Chris Brown, Barry Schroeder, Anita Patten and Rob Pretzinger. DCC members Michele Rizzardi and Clara Minardi also attended. Directors Dwaine Wheeler and Walter Burton were absent.

The meeting convened at 6:30 p.m.

Kay Wert Minardi moved to approve the minutes of the Oct. 6 meeting. Barry Schroeder seconded the motion, which passed.

The election results were reviewed. Anita Patten and Chuck Smith were re-elected president and vice president, respectively. Michele Rizzardi agreed to be the treasurer, and Kay Wert Minardi will remain as newsletter editor but would prefer to serve as Wright Wride director. Bikeways Director Chris Brown, Webmaster Rob Pretzinger, Calvin's Challenge Representative Barry Schroeder, Huffman Spring Classic Director Dale Williamson and Membership Director Claire Lea all remain in their positions. With the death of Janet Long, the DCC is in need of a secretary.

President Anita Patten reported that Liane Wagner has not completed the new club jersey. Patten is going to request that the jersey be available for spring distribution.

Patten also reported on a promotional trip she took to the southern Alleghenies. She said Pennsylvania is an overlooked riding area with more than 100 miles of bike path, 1,000 miles of off-road riding, and hilly, scenic road riding.

Vice President Chuck Smith reported that he attended the League of American Bicyclists Rally in Indiana. He also attended the opening of the Simon Kenton Trail locally.

Smith proposed that the DCC purchase a bench to be placed along a local bikeway in memory of former Secretary Janet Long. Janet's family had asked that donations in Janet's name be given to the DCC or the Lance Armstrong Foundation. Wert Minardi suggested that the DCC could host a Long Memorial Ride — a short, family-friendly bikeway

ride with multiple food/ice cream stops — with proceeds to be applied toward purchasing several memorial benches. No action was taken, although donations in memory of Janet are welcome.

The remaining \$90 in the Motsch/Hess fund was not disbursed to the Bob Bachtel Memorial Fund as discussed at a previous meeting. Smith volunteered to contact someone from the latter fund.

Outgoing Treasurer Kathy Williams said she would help 2005 Treasurer Michele Rizzardi through the transition.

Williams stated that the current income statement reflected only a \$2,262.79 gain for the year, which was above the projected gain but less than what was predicted based on the success of the individual rides. She said the board must take that into consideration in the upcoming budget process.

Williams added that she would love to see protocols written for event expenses in time for the next cycling season.

Newsletter Editor Kay Wert Minardi stated that DCC members Mark Minardi and Debbie Hirtzinger were preparing to meet to complete the 2003 audit.

Webmaster Rob Pretzinger said he had updated the Web site.

Huffman Spring Classic Director Dale Williamson said he had not received any entries in the Huffman logo design contest. He added that he would work with Heidi Burton to develop one if no entries are received.

Membership Director Claire Lea detailed the current DCC membership as 310 adult members, one junior member, seven honorary members and 344 people in 130 families for 662 total members.

In new business, the DCC's policy for sending flowers was discussed. It was agreed that the current system was working and no formal policy or change would be made.

Meeting times were discussed. It was agreed that the January, February and March business meetings would be moved to the first Tuesday of the month to accommodate schedules.

Smith moved that the meeting adjourn and Wert Minardi seconded. The board approved and the meeting was adjourned at 7:50, to meet again at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 1, at CHOICES Inc.

Oct. 6, 2004

The Dayton Cycling Club Board of Directors met Wednesday, Oct. 6, at CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. In attendance were board members Anita Patten, Chris Brown, Janet Long, Dale

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Williamson, Dwaine Wheeler, Walter Burton, Kay Wert Minardi, Kathy Williams, Barry Schroeder and Claire Lea. DCC members Emily Burton and Clara Minardi also attended. Directors Chuck Smith and Rob Pretzinger were absent.

Dale Williamson moved to approve the minutes of the Sept. 8 meeting. Kay Wert Minardi seconded the motion, which passed.

President Anita Patten reported that graphic designer Liane Wagner, the wife of a DCC member, was still working on the design of the new club jersey. She said Wagner had been apprised of the changes suggested by the board at its September meeting.

Patten presented the final figures for the Maine Adventure of Aught Four (see treasurer's report on Page 5).

She said Randy Brown from Sinclair Community College would be invited to a future board meeting to discuss the idea of his Web design class creating and maintaining the DCC Web site.

Patten said she would ask touring mileage compiler Sally Pinnell to send ride qualifying patches to those who earn them.

Patten announced that the annual DCC banquet would again be at the Crown Plaza Hotel in downtown Dayton. Since Feb. 12 was open, she said she would try to reserve that date.

Treasurer Kathy Williams said the club was showing a good bottom line as it neared the end of its fiscal year. She said the general account stood at about \$34,000.

Williams said she had billed the Tipp City Mum Festival Bike Tour for insurance coverage. She also rolled over a CD in September, taking it down to \$815 to keep it closer to what's in the Jo Glover Memorial Fund.

She said she was still waiting for the final Wright Wride figures in order to reconcile the books for this year.

Membership Director Claire Lea said the DCC's total membership stood at 675, consisting of 319 adults, one junior member, 348 adults and children in 132 families, and seven honorary members.

Bikeways Director Chris Brown told the board the club picnic went well. About 35 people attended.

Huffman Spring Classic Director Dale Williamson said he had not yet received any proposed T-shirt designs for the 2005 ride.

Touring Captain Walter Burton reminded Patten that he needed information about her New Year's Day ride, and asked where he might find informa-

tion on his responsibilities. He was steered to the DCC Web site, where the bylaws are listed.

Wright Wride Director Dwaine Wheeler presented his final update on the tour's finances (see treasurer's report).

In old business, Williams said the DCC's liability insurance costs have gone up, and the costs of invitationals must be adjusted accordingly.


Patten said some board positions likely will remain vacant since nobody stepped forward to run for office. She is trying to find other avenues to fill these positions. Suggestions are welcome.

In new business:

- Wert Minardi reported that Mark Minardi, chairman of the Nominating Committee, said 17 ballots had been received. Votes will be accepted until Oct. 15. The votes will be counted Oct. 19 by committee members Minardi, Mike Berarducci and Jim Morgan. Results will be published in the November/December newsletter.

- Burton said some former members of the Greater Ohio Area Tandem Society (GOATS) met at the Midwest Tandem Rally and talked about resurrecting the group. They are interested in getting various Ohio cycling organizations to list tandem mass starts at their tours in order to help GOATS members and other interested parties more easily meet for rides. The board expressed a willingness to help GOATS in this manner and also discussed other ways the DCC might help. The board discussed the possibility of bringing the GOATS membership under the umbrella of the DCC. No formal action was taken, but a proposal was made to invite GOATS representatives to attend the January business meeting.

- Lea plugged the Katy Trail in Missouri, which she rode in September. She told the board she was especially impressed with the stops and depots along the trail. She said trail developers/maintainers in the Miami Valley could learn a lot from the Missouri State Parks in this regard.

Wert Minardi moved that the meeting adjourn, and Wheeler seconded. The board approved, and the meeting adjourned at 7:32, to meet again at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 3 at CHOICES Inc. 

"Compare yourself to yourself. That's the most satisfying way to achieve improvement."

— Mary Jane Reoch

Come to the Dayton Cycling Club's 2005 Awards Banquet

Saturday, February 12

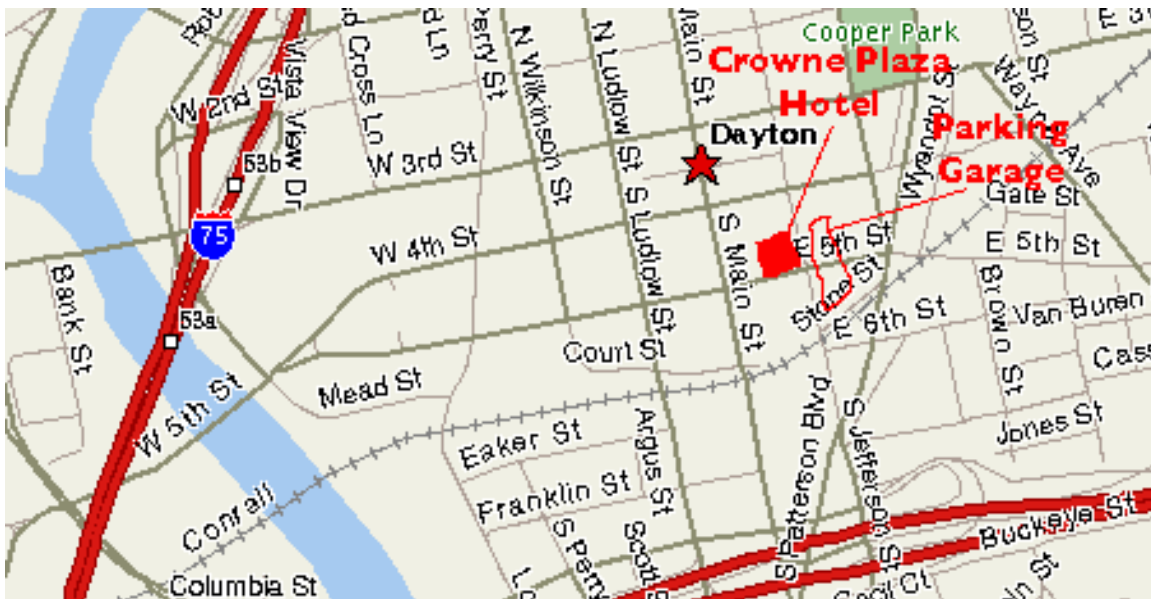
Crowne Plaza Hotel, 33 E. Fifth St., Dayton

5:45 p.m. happy hour, 6:30 p.m. buffet dinner, 7:30 p.m. awards presentation
emceed by DCC member and 2 News meteorologist Brian Davis.

Buffet \$30 for adults, \$15 for DCC member 2004 volunteers

Buffet \$27 for children 4-10, \$13.50 for child volunteers

Child menu (chicken tenders) available for \$12.95



Free parking available at meters. Paid parking available at the Dayton Transportation Center parking garage on the southeast corner of Fifth and Jefferson streets.

Mail this application and a check payable to the **Dayton Cycling Club** to DCC Banquet, c/o Anita Patten, 6871 Greeley Ave., Dayton, OH 45424. Checks and applications must be **received** (not just postmarked) by Jan. 29.

Name(s) _____

DCC number(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____

of adults @ \$30.00 _____ # of child volunteers @\$13.50 _____

of adult volunteers @ \$15.00 _____ # of child menus @ \$12.95 _____

of children's buffets @ \$27.00 _____ **Total enclosed** _____

Membership Musings

By Claire Lea, DCC membership director
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Time to re-enroll in Dorothy Lane Market's Good Neighbor Program

Because we have just finished making the budget for 2005, I am reminded that one of our asset lines is assigned for our participation in the Dorothy Lane Market Good Neighbor Program. This year our share from DLM will be more than \$100.

In order to continue receiving this "found money," each of us who has participated on behalf of the Dayton Cycling Club needs to enroll anew. The more shoppers who sign up for us, the more money we'll receive next year. One does not have to be a member of the DCC to make us their designated charity.

To participate you must first sign up for a DLM card (similar to the Kroger and CVS cards). Signing up can be done any time at the manager's station at any Dorothy Lane Market store.

Good Neighbor Program enrollment sheets also can be found there. Fill in your DLM number, your name and phone number, and place an X next to Daily Cycling Club (No. 268). Then just drop the form in the nearby box.

For your purchases to be included there is a minimum of \$250 a year. Also, purchases are counted only from the time of sign-up, so we need to enroll now for maximum effect. If you have any questions, feel free to e-mail or call me.

Something new has happened to the DCC's application process. We are now accepting/processing only signed applications. I know, I know, many of you do sign your renewal applications. For you, there will be no difference.

But those of you who have been simply mailing a check or including an unsigned application will notice a change. Your application will be returned to you with a request to sign. If you send no application but just mailed a check, I will send you an application to sign and your check will be held until the signed application is received.

So what gives? The board discussed this topic earlier this year. I felt that signatures for participating at the time of the act itself were sufficient and suggested that we drop the signature portion on our application. Our "mileage" sheets and our ride application sheets contain disclaimers and require signatures.

The discussion that followed resulted in the decision to maintain the signature portion on our application. It was felt that because we are the type of club we are, with a physical activity not without its dangers, we should keep as many signed releases as possible on file. As litigious as society has become, board members felt an obligation to remind members that the decision and responsibility to ride and even to belong is the individual's. At the following meeting, three board members signed their applications submitted unsigned earlier, and I began to apply the same standards to arriving renewals.

While we are discussing the DCC membership application, I would like both adults in a family membership to sign. I also prefer to receive the entire page and not a shortened, cut-out portion of the application page. Think filing. These forms store much easier if they are all the same size.

Last of all, I would like the date of birth. I won't return a renewal for lack thereof, but we do like to have that piece of data.

And while I'm thinking of it, I greatly appreciate those of you who send me changes in your e-mail address, phone number and street address!

Welcome to Ron Beavers of Englewood, Neil Hoelle of Jamestown and Alisa Meyer of Russia.🚲



Deals on Wheels

DCC members may place one free personal ad in "Deals on Wheels" per calendar year. Ads placed by non-members and members' second or more ads cost \$10 per month. Personal ads generally must be submitted in writing (by e-mail or snail mail) by the 10th of the month preceding publication, unless otherwise specified.🚲

Commuter Chronicles

By Chuck Smith, DCC vice president
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Don't overdress for winter bicycle commuting

Here is the conclusion of winter commuting advice from DCC Newsletter Editor Kay Wert Minardi.

I must admit that 5 degrees was really pushing it. But I was experimenting and trying to determine my limits.

For me, the lower limit was about 20 degrees. Below that, the wind chill created by merely rolling along was just too uncomfortable. Bundling up only helped so much, since there was always at least a little bit of my face exposed so I could see. Even with glasses protecting me, my eyes would stream constantly in temperatures below 20. My nose ran almost constantly, too.

My cold-weather "uniform" consisted of a base layer of regular underwear, then a short-sleeved T-shirt and cycling shorts. On top of the shorts I wore fleece tights with nylon wind panels down the front in temps below 45; normal Lycra tights from about 65 down to 45 degrees. In weather below freezing, I would wear a long-sleeved T-shirt instead of the short-sleeved version. I wore my normal cotton socks under my cycling shoes and neoprene booties. Typically, I didn't wear the booties until it was below 45 degrees.

I wore a Coolmax skullcap under my helmet from about 55 to 45 degrees, then switched to my fleece balaclava below 45. On my hands, I wore polypro glove liners under regular cycling gloves from about 55 to 45 degrees; "lobster" or "Vulcan" gloves from 45 down to about 32 degrees; and the polypro liners under the "lobster" or "Vulcan" gloves below freezing.

My top layer on my upper body was a Gore-tex rain jacket. Usually my pit zips were open at least a little bit. I found that even in the coldest weather, I would become very warm and even sweaty by the time I arrived at work. (Thank goodness I had a locker room and shower in the building!)

It took a lot of experimenting before I worked all this out. But basically, I found that if I dressed as if it were about 20 degrees warmer than what the thermometer said, I was comfortable after I went out to the garage and loaded my bike each morning and rode my first half-mile, which was downhill.

A lot of people, particularly non-cyclists, asked me every winter, "Why do you do this?" My answers: I love cycling, I enjoy being outside and experiencing the changes as the seasons progress (although I'm definitely *not* a winter person), I feel healthier and less prone to winter doldrums when I ride every day, I arrive at work raring to go (no caffeine needed), and I don't have to ride my butt back into shape every spring when I commute throughout the winter.

What I rarely told anyone was that I enjoyed the feeling — which the questioners helped emphasize — that I had accomplished something most people don't accomplish or even try to do."

Keep pedaling!

Remember to ride to shopping and appointments as well as work, and then report those miles!


To get your December and January miles into the March newsletter, please send them to Dennis Pohl by Feb. 5. 🚲

Dayton Cycling Club 2004 Commuter Miles

Name	October	November	Year to date	Round trip
Tom Holmes	427	411	4,931	30
Craig Hambrick	459	324	3,979	25
Lynn Brucker	393	357	3,833	17
John Horanyi	NA	421	3,752	29
Mark Reitz	300	260	3,470	20
Shahid Raki	NA	NA	3,325	Varies
Patrick Murphy	265	334	2,554	Varies
Chuck Smith	121	83	2,158	40
Jim Morgan	270	210	2,152	28
Mark Perun	218	200	2,061	12
Phil Blosser	152	152	1,678	8
Kenny Wysong	263	128	1,671	26
Paul Day	145	133	1,111	13
Gary Cochran	224	7	979	Errands
Greg Evans	150	106	915	8
Anita Patten	142	NA	785	Varies
V. Van Griethuysen	88	55	763	Varies
Michael Stoecker	NA	0	732	16-23
Roger Rizzard	112	35	700	
Rick Phillips	NA	41	692	14
Marilyn Corbin	64	23	593	

DCC 2004 Commuter Miles (continued)

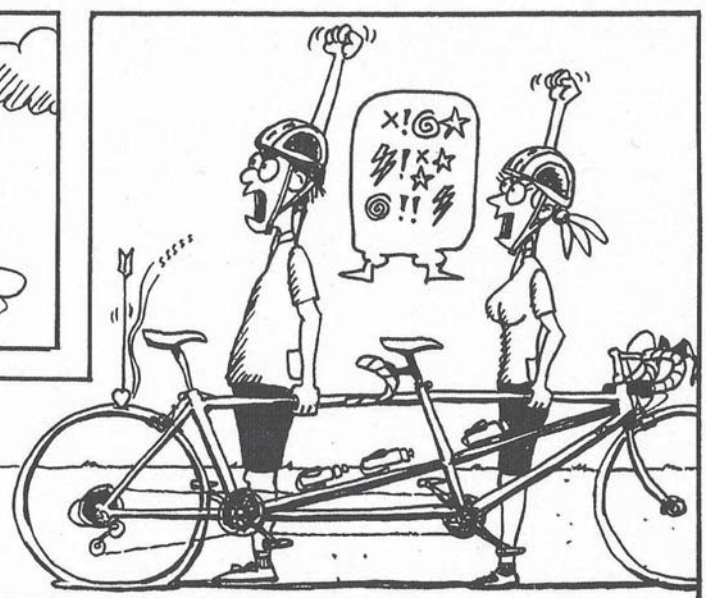
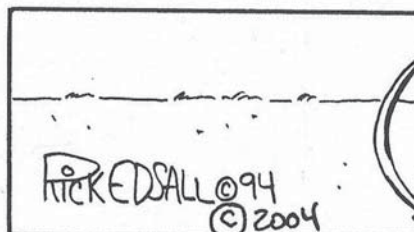
Name	October	November	Year to date	Round trip
Frank Crabtree	28	26	579	Errands
JoDee Russo	27	42	538	Varies
Bob Tackett	142	NA	523	
Ken McCall	90	54	521	25
Chris Brown	NA	NA	495	12
Steve Neuhauser	NA	NA	474	25
Ron Curtis	146	NA	402	Errands
Edward Witte	NA	NA	298	
Kay Wert Minardi	25	12	259	Errands
Bill Serra	NA	NA	237	Varies
Fran Phillips	NA	NA	230	Varies
William Saylor	217	NA	217	Varies
Brian Davis	NA	NA	162	Errands
Jeff Pearce	NA	NA	124	Errands
Scott Strong	NA	NA	122	36-38
Randy Brown	NA	NA	113	44
Charlie Czarniecki	3	0	79	Errands
Jim Foster	NA	NA	67	errands
Dwaine Wheeler	NA	NA	67	
Mark Minardi	0	NA	38	Errands
Dennis Pohl	0	0	38	Varies
Todd Line	NA	NA	37	
Kyle Pohl	0	0	10	Varies
Aaron Pohl	0	0	8	Varies
Barb Czarniecki	3	0	3	
Totals	4,474	3,414	48,474	

Commuter miles are compiled by DCC member Dennis Pohl, (937) 696-1313; Dennis.L.Pohl@lexis-nexis.com. 



WORK TO LIVE; LIVE TO BIKE; BIKE TO WORK!

ABBEY WRODE (déjà vu) by Rick Edsall




Commuter Mileage Report

Include all miles you otherwise would have traveled in a motor vehicle (errands, doctor appointments and school as well as work).


Name _____
 DCC number _____
 E-mail address _____
 Commuting area _____
 Round-trip commute _____
 Year to date commuter miles _____
 Month _____
 Miles this month _____
 Lifetime commuter miles _____
 Years commuted _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Send this completed form to Dennis Pohl, 14100 Lower Gratis Road, Farmersville, Ohio 45325; or send e-mail to Dennis.L.Pohl@lexis-nexis.com. All information is generally due by the fifth of the month. Feel free to send tips or tales of your commuter adventures. 

Don't let bad weather stop you!

The DCC recognizes members for pedaling indoors during January, February and December. Send your 2004 trainer or roller miles by Jan. 21 to DCC Indoor Miles, c/o Anita Patten, 6871 Greeley Ave., Dayton 45424; or anitapatten@hotmail.com. 

Bikeways and Beyond

By Chris Brown, DCC bikeways director
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There's no better time to ride the bikeways

Believe it or not, there are some people who are not entirely comfortable riding their bicycles on paths that are shared by in-line skaters, dog walkers and small children. While the need to share the paths with others has been addressed in this space before, the benefits of having a trail all to yourself are also understood. What better time to take advantage of that opportunity than now, in the winter?

Winter riding is great. You're cold for only the first five or 10 minutes, there's always coffee and hot chocolate to be had somewhere along the way, people think you're crazy and you don't have to

rebuild your performance level in the spring.

It doesn't take that much extra clothing, either. A cap or ear covers under your helmet, warm gloves, a pair of tights and a jacket (not too heavy!) should be enough to keep you toasty once you've ridden a couple of miles.

Anecdotal evidence even suggests that narrow tires might perform better in snow than wide knobbies. There's only one way to find out for sure: Get out there and keep riding!

Even if you do it only once, it's great fun and you'll be glad you did. Just be sure to choose a destination that has hot coffee or cocoa!🚲

Dayton Cycling Club 2004 Bikeway Miles

<u>Name</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Starnes, Alan	870	484	6,001	Doles, Jackie	87	0	839
Dishun, William	1,000	0	5,379	Young, Bob	119	31	745
Doles, Delbert	313	222	3,002	Brown, Randy	0	0	722
Gaughan, Chris	134	162	2,777	Raskay, Joe	198	0	653
Hartman, Bob	379	125	2,606	Berry, Chuck	132	0	615
Crabtree, Frank	209	212	2,374	Miller, Mike	0	25	552
Davis, Bob	259	179	2,374	Czarniecki, Barb	71	0	551
Thornburg, Dyke	321	259	2,071	Yount, James S.	0	0	550
Garlikov, Janet	379	137	1,854	Brown, Chris	25	0	549
Mulchahey, Jeff	239	0	1,828	Gaughan, Lynn	0	0	513
Sorensen, Ed	190	66	1,684	Jurkovich, Mark	114	46	460
Elliott, Clifton J.	125	0	1,667	Hayward, Myrna	229	0	405
Barger, Scott	0	0	1,654	Borreson, Karen	92	0	390
Suhr, Bob	225	44	1,597	Strong, Scott	0	0	332
Wymer, Larry	20	122	1,534	Wahler, Thomas	94	0	322
Rhone, Matt	109	0	1,488	Kistner, Fred	0	0	311
Forrer, Ron	134	0	1,464	Suhr, Barrie	32	0	266
Young, James	67	0	1,299	Wert Minardi, Kay	0	0	265
Jordan, Brad	0	0	1,269	Simon, Trudie	0	0	257
Miter, Aven	313	0	1,267	Hunt, Todd A.	0	0	242
Marcello, Dan	289	0	1,169	Minardi, Mark	0	0	240
Czarniecki, Charlie	0	0	1,147	Belt, John	0	0	201
Goldflies, Gary	0	0	1,099	Kasischke, Fritz	0	0	194
Jordan, Gayle	0	0	1,092	Sayler, William	176	0	176
Miter, Brad	206	0	1,077	Long, Janet	0	0	157
Vermillion, Cindy	144	60	1,049	Curtis, Ron	74	0	153
Ridolfi, Emily	140	44	1,002	Neuhauser, Steve	0	0	145
Gates, Dave	0	0	1,001	Gruber, Rebecca	0	0	132
Hill, Doris E.	204	73	959	Russo, JoDee	0	53	100
Koogler, Bruce	110	0	928	Miller, Shirley	0	0	87
Reichard, Jerry	104	72	904	Neuhauser, Linda	0	0	81

DCC 2004 Bikeway Miles (continued)

<u>Name</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Borreson, Kris	0	0	74
Davis, Brian	0	0	68
DeLong, Dianna	0	0	68
Pretzinger, Rob	0	0	65
Gaughan, Sam	0	0	55
Kiesel, Harv	0	0	52
Pearce, Jeff	0	0	48
Belt, Elizabeth	0	0	23
Powers, Henry	0	0	19
Powers, Pat	0	0	19
Smith, Casey	16	0	16
Smith, Chuck	16	0	16
Totals	7,958	2,416	68,344

Share your snapshots

We are interested in photos of past DCC members and events. To share your photo, send a JPEG version to spokenlink@earthlink.net. Please include the names of the event and the people in the picture, when the photo was taken and by whom. 

Bikeway Mileage Report

Bikeway miles are those ridden on a non-listed ride, at least half of which is on a bikeway.

Qualify for the Cyclo-Path Award by accumulating 125 *non-repeating* miles on recreational path rides. For example, if you ride from Fifth Third Gateway Park in Beavercreek to Xenia Station and back, you would have ridden 20 bikeway miles, but only 10 of them would count toward your 125 Cyclo-Path miles.

Name _____

DCC # _____


E-mail _____

Month _____ Miles _____

Year to date miles _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Send this completed form to Chris Brown, 529 Acorn Drive, Dayton, OH 45419-3907, or send e-mail to chrisbcritter520@hotmail.com. Bikeway miles are generally due by the fifth of the month. 


Cycling Shorts

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Bike by the lake on GOBA 2005

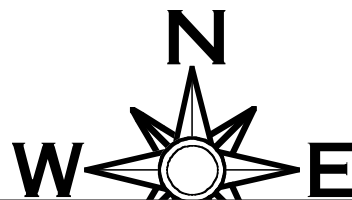
Columbus Outdoor Pursuits in November released details about the 2005 Great Ohio Bicycle Adventure. The June 18-25 tour will start at the Hancock County Fairgrounds in Findlay. Riders will stay overnight in Tiffin (two nights), Port Clinton (two nights), Elmore and Upper Sandusky in addition to Findlay. Estimated mileage will be a minimum of 240 and a maximum of 400 on flat to rolling terrain. Registration costs \$145 for adults (ages 16 and over), \$80 for children 6 to 15 and free for children 5 and under. To get a copy of the GOBA 2005 registration form, download it from <http://www.goba.com/registration/index.htm>, pick up a GOBA brochure at an Ohio Bob Evans restaurant or selected bicycle shops in central Ohio, call (614) 273-0811 or mail a request to GOBA, P.O. Box 14384, Columbus, OH 43214. For more information, go to <http://www.goba.com/index.htm>.

- The Florida Department of Transportation is about to rebuild State Route A1A in Delray Beach and is being lobbied by a handful of wealthy adjacent homeowners to ignore state standards that normally would ensure that sidewalks and 5-foot bike lanes are part of the project. The Boca Raton Bicycle Club and Safe Bicycling in Palm Beach County are asking cyclists to visit the "Get Involved" section (<http://www.bikeleague.org/involved/index.html>) of the League of American Bicyclists Web site to view a petition asking FDOT to stick to its standards. They feel that failure to maintain these standards would set a bad precedent in Florida and other states. Supporters are asked to sign and circulate the petition, then return it via fax to Jim Smith at (561) 330-6798 or via snail mail to Jim Smith, #202, 1225 S. Ocean Blvd., Delray Beach, FL 33483.

- Cycles Gaansari, 1106 Brown St., Dayton, closed on Dec. 23. The shop will reopen in a historic barn at 305 S. Main St., Springboro, in early January. Owner Gary Boulanger said his family is involved in starting a new church in Springboro and feels that "the best way to understand the spiritual and physical needs of any community is to imbed oneself into that community." In addition, he cited the chance to own the shop property and the rural nature of the Springboro area as attractions. 

DCC Travelogue

Descriptions of bike trips by DCC members



Maine Adventure takes DCC members into Adirondacks, New England

By Anita Patten, DCC president
Illustrations by Roger Brucker, DCC member

Last Issue: Ten DCC members — nine cyclists and one SAG driver — left Dayton on Aug. 19 for a 1,400-mile trip to Bar Harbor, Maine. In nine days they had ridden through Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York and crossed into Canada at Niagara Falls before returning to New York.

The ride from Boonville, N.Y., to Newcomb, N.Y., was one of our most scenic riding days, as we were entering the heart of the Adirondack. The Adirondacks are actually a massive lake with mountain land masses peeking through them and roads connecting the mountains. Blue Mountain was the biggest climb of the day and gave us an idea of what was to come. It is one section of the route I would like to ride again and again. This 90 miles was one of the best riding days we had.

Aunt Polly's B&B in Newcomb, N.Y., was that night's destination. We were warned by Uncle Polly that the Saturday dining crowd at the Newcomb Bar and Grill would be a "bunch of rednecks." We were the only ones in the bar that night. We hadn't had *that* much sun.

The next day was a shorter day with 75 miles, but again it was a tough day, as we were still in the Adirondacks and had plenty more mountains to climb. The worst road of the 16 days was 7 miles on Route 9 between North Hudson and Severance. The 3-mile downhill into Ticonderoga was a thrill, with most of us hitting speeds of 48 mph or more. I had my first experience of a wind shift racing down a mountain at 45 mph on a bike and actually felt weightless (and terrified) for that half of a second. Ticonderoga was also where we crossed Lake Champlain by ferry into Vermont.

While Vermont started out with fairly flat farmland, we soon moved into the Green Mountains and into Middlebury. It started to rain just as Bob Tackett and I reached the motel.

Greystone Motel in East Middlebury was the site of our second power outage. We were standing outside our rooms watching the storm and saw the light-

ning hit the transformer across the street. The proprietor brought us tea lights and divided a box of birthday cake candles among us. Bill Sayler and Roger Rizzardi were still out, so we held a candle-light vigil for Roger. We'd given up on Bill.

We left on Monday by beginning the ride with a climb up Breadloaf Mountain, a climb of 1,500 feet in about 9 miles. We followed the White River through the Green Mountains most of the day, with several more significant climbs in the 85 miles. It was for me the hardest day of riding, and I was asleep by 9:10. Roger Brucker that evening visited with his daughter, who lived several blocks off the route.

We thought Tuesday, Aug. 31, was going to be our toughest day. The topographical map showed three significant climbs culminating with a climb over Kancamagus Pass.

We started the day by crossing the Connecticut River into New Hampshire and the White Mountains. A climb to Haverhill was followed by 15 more miles of climbing over Mount Moosilauke. Beaver Pond and a drastic weather change were at the top of that climb. It was windy and cold at the top, and we were Popsicles by the time we finished the 5-mile downhill into Lincoln.

Climbing the 12 miles up to Kancamagus Pass was relatively easy. It was a 7 percent grade, and the weather had warmed up again. Unfortunately, Bob had his fifth flat and blew out both sides of the sidewall on his tire just 3 miles from the top. With no spare tire, he decided to wait for the SAG to come while I finished the ride without him. He missed the final 3 miles to the top for a stunning view of the White Mountains and a 28-mile downhill to North Conway. It was absolutely a great riding day, not at all what we expected!

It's tough to spend almost 55 miles of the day climbing to miss a 25-mile downhill, so I bought tickets for Bob on that night's train ride to Mount Washington. We ate a gourmet meal in the dining

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car. It was a romantic evening spent with my husband (and Joan Rudy), and we even danced at the rear of the train as “our song” was playing when we pulled into the station. For his birthday I bought him new industrial-strength tires from the local bike store, which delivered them right to the inn.

Sept. 1 marked the 14th riding day of the 1,400-mile trip and we crossed into Maine 14 miles into the day. It was another hilly day as we finished traveling through the White Mountains to Lewiston. At mile 1,140, after riding up a 14 percent grade, I finally had to get off my bike and walk the final quarter of a mile. Lynn Brucker later told us that it was well over a 20 percent grade at that point on Waterford Road. Mark Perun was able to climb that hill on his Waterford bike. My average speed for the day? 14 mph.

It was on this day that we realized how “international” our trip had been. We had traveled through Mexico, London, Norway, Paris, Sweden, and Greece and would go through Belfast the next day. We spent the evening at Davinci’s celebrating Bob’s birthday with a cake topped with the 14 candles given to us in the power outage in East Middlebury.

After two weeks on the road we were out of the mountains, but the terrain was still very hilly. We spent all day climbing long but not too steep grades. The downhills were equally long. We got our first glimpses of the eastern coastline and spent the night in Rockport after a short ride of 78 miles. We couldn’t believe that the next day we would actually be in Bar Harbor. We all went out to dinner that night, where we learned that a 1-pound lobster is 7 years old.

The ride to Bar Harbor was a 92-mile day. In planning the trip, I had envisioned mostly coastline and islands and thought it would be flat. Well, Bar Harbor sits on the other side of two mountains that make up Mount Desert Island. Plus it was a hot,


windy day — our first day with any kind of substantial headwind. It was a long day of riding, but the destination became the goal and suddenly we were there! There wasn’t a grand welcome like we received in Kitty Hawk, but the thrill of our success was just as great, as this was a tough ride.

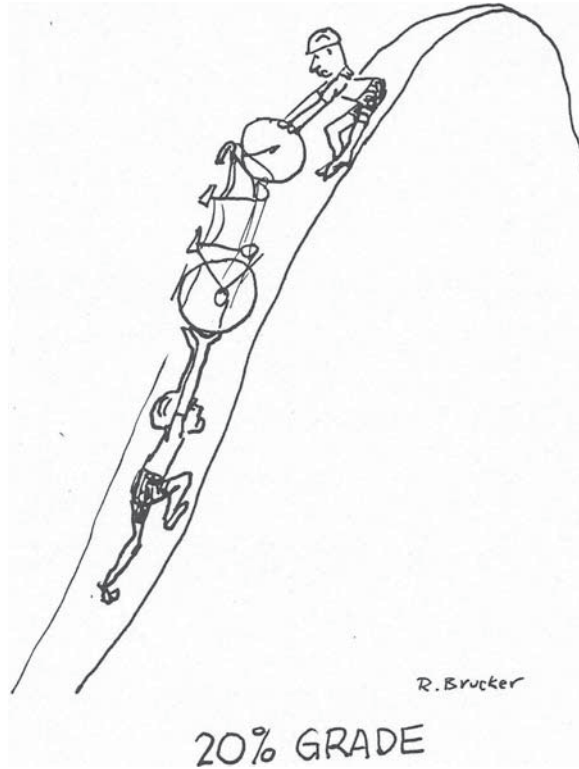
When we arrived at the Harborside Hotel, everyone was sure it was not where we were staying, since it’s a resort. It was my best-kept secret. The hotel gave us a deal for a block of rooms that was bayside with a heated pool, hot tub, breakfast, laundry facilities and a weight room. Plus it was downtown on the pier close to shopping, dining and attractions.

We had pedaled 1,400 miles to a mountainside oasis for two full days of rest and relaxation. So we hiked Mount Cadillac the next day and cycled it the following day. Some of us went whale watching and kite flying instead of riding. No rest even for the weary!

The flight home via Detroit was great, as it was a clear day and we followed the Adventure Cycling route all the way through Buffalo, following the actual roads that we had ridden days before.

The trip was fantastic. There are more stories than I can write about. Ask Jim Lemaster whether he bought his sander and ask about the \$1.47 banana. Jim and Ed Perun both have “pickup” stories. Joan will tell you about the peach shortcake. Ask Roger B. if he’ll ever do another cross country ride with fewer than 400 miles under his belt! Bill saw many places we didn’t on his 1,800-mile excursion. Michele Rizzardi was marvelous as our SAG driver, but don’t ask her husband, Roger, to drive with nine hungry bicyclists in the back of the van. Bob went off a diving board for the first time in his life. Mark and Eddy always got the best rooms. Lynn can tell you the history of every place we visited. Ask Joan where her umbrella is.

The biggest question to ask me? What is the correct answer to “Where are we going next year, Anita?”



DCC Members' 2004 Touring Miles

Following are miles credited to Dayton Cycling Club members for miles pedaled on rides that have been listed in the *Spoke 'N' Link* or on the club's Web site. These totals reflect data from all tour rosters **received** by Dec. 5, 2004. Note that putting an incorrect DCC number on a tour roster will result in another member getting credit for your miles. Tour rosters must be received by the ninth of the month in order for the miles accumulated on them to be published in the next month's newsletter. Ride leaders must submit their rosters within 30 days in order for the miles on them to be credited to the riders.

If you have any questions, call Sally or Bob Pinnell at (937) 426-7274.

Ride leaders, be sure to send tour rosters to DCC, c/o Sally Pinnell, 2474 Banyon Drive, Beavercreek 45431-2612. Thank you! 

Achor, FM	62	Chromick, Jan	187	Gaughan, Christopher	7,625	Klosterman, Joe	1,822
Acuff, Dan	127	Clower, Mark	44	Gibson, Eugene	793	Knackstedt, Heinz	471
Anzalone, Ann	350	Cochran, Gary	91	Glover, Kenneth	394	Knapke, Daniel	1,647
Atkinson, Joseph	1,084	Cochran, Mary	91	Gobble, Bob	1,730	Kohstall, Ruth	146
Auman, Andy	294	Cooley, Frank	1,130	Gordon, Ralph	122	Kordenbrock, Bernard	106
Austin, Michael	46	Cooley, Theresa	117	Gordon, Carolyn	82	Kottmyer, Steve	113
Axtell, Bruce	1,289	Corbin, Marilyn	3,940	Gray, Duane	858	Kunz, Jack	29
Backer, Scott	112	Cornell, Robert	1,866	Green, Dennis	2,545	Larger, Lee	2,083
Balcerek, Robert	28	Crabtree, Frank	346	Groeber, Michael	549	Lawhorn, William	90
Barga, Mike	66	Cretcher, Charles	1,609	Gruber, Rebecca	453	Lawson, Robert	110
Barger, Scott	296	Czarniecki, Charles	1,181	Gumbert, James	702	Layton, Chuck	1,654
Bargerhuff, John	22	Czarniecki, Barb	72	Hall, Brian	370	Le Blanc, Felix	229
Bassett, Abe J	227	Damewood, Hank	1,513	Hartman, Bob	1,210	Le Blanc, Robert	306
Beecroft, William	233	Dapkus, Paul	42	Hayes, Patrick	110	Lemaster, Mary	308
Bell, Bud	2,013	Dapkus, Andrea Herman	42	Hayward, Myrna	2,151	Lemaster, James	6,167
Bentley, Barrie	350	Davis, Mark A	110	Hazel, Donald	1,455	Liesch, Bayard	128
Berna, Larry	111	Davis, Brian	383	Hazel, Ellen	30	Lindemann, Ray	1,079
Boggs, Olivia	43	Davis, Bob	1,920	Hemmelgarn, Gary	216	Links, Beau	69
Borgstrom, Jim	537	Davis, Ed	412	Hickey, Gary	10	Long, Janet	54
Boyd, Conley	138	Decker, Stephani	333	Hill, Doris	90	Lounsbury, Fred	44
Brademeyer, David	370	DeLong, Dianna	125	Hitch, David	337	Loveless, John	114
Breeding, Scarlett	4,053	Diller, David	1,490	Hoelle, Diane	23	Luebbe, Dorothy	708
Breeding, Dean	4,971	Dodd, James	93	Hoffmann, Thomas	515	Luebbert, Janet	110
Brislawn, Roger	229	Doles, Jacquelyn	350	Hoffmann, Quentin	240	Manda, Jim	3,091
Brooks, Jeannie	833	Doles, Delbert	228	Holt, Kenneth	1,426	Marmer, Mike	1,352
Brooks, Frank	773	Ducker, Eugenia	5,217	Homan, Carol	328	Marsh, Melinda	1,052
Brown, Christopher	2	Ducker, John	3,261	Horanyi, John	5,085	Maurer, Katherine	35
Brucker, Roger	1,382	Duncan, Harold	30	Horton, David	1,937	McGarvey, Joseph	12
Brucker, Lynn	1,409	Duricy, Michael	40	Hucks, Jae	283	McPherson, Craig	150
Buchwalder, Mary	306	Eddy, Donald	1,081	Hunter, Hal	1,168	McPherson, Kathleen	120
Buchwalder, Mark	364	Eilers, Blake	14	Huntsman, Brent	209	Meade, Marvin	162
Buchwalder, Diane	275	Eley, Robert	20	Jefferis, Joe	36	Meyer, Alisa	70
Buchwalder, Laura	345	Eley, Marian	20	Johnson, David	75	Michaels, Marc	493
Buckley, Parker	368	Eliason, Bruce	2,160	Johnson, Kevin	55	Miller, Mike	4,384
Burgess, Craig	1,161	Eliason, Matthew	7	Johnson, Lisa	288	Miller, Judy	18
Burton, Emily	556	Elliott, Clifton	2,463	Jordan, Bradley	95	Miller, Glen	183
Burton, Katie	501	Erbaugh, Phillip	630	Jordan, Gayle	95	Minardi, Mark	236
Burton, Walter	3,389	Eresman, Arthur	2,076	Joyce, Steven	986	Miter, Bradford	35
Bustos, Moe	906	Evans, Robert	226	Jurkovich, Mark	30	Mlinar, Frank	169
Caldwell, Joan	3,519	Evans, Jeanne	248	Kain, Robin	416	Monroe, Lee	110
Caldwell, Vince	3,247	Foote, Cindy	29	Kasischke, Fritz	252	Monroe, Julianne	110
Camacho, Daniel	199	Foote, John	29	Keller, Tom	952	Morgan, Jim	928
Campbell, Bruce	2,323	Forrer, Ronald	226	Keller, Carolyn	393	Mulchahey, Jeff	76
Carolus, Kenneth	100	Frillman, Jack	3,731	Keller, David	139	Murphy, Patrick	685
Carrier, Todd	405	Frost, April Susan	80	Kessler, Douglas	1,072	Musselman, Ron	521
Carroll, Craig	2,906	Garlikov, Janet	201	Kiesel, Harv	2,756		
Casey, James	555	Garrett, Mark	23	King, Ron	62		
Chambers, Janine	759	Gates, David	726	Kistner, Fred	126		

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Touring Talk

Deadlines for submitting rides

For March

Jan. 29: ride leaders submit to area coordinators
 Feb.. 2: area coordinators submit to touring captain

For April

Feb. 28: ride leaders submit to area coordinators
 March 2: coordinators submit to touring captain

For May

March 29: ride leaders submit to area coordinators
 April 2: area coordinators submit to touring captain

Area Touring Coordinators

Area	Name	Telephone no.
Northeast	Don Weber	(937) 426-0572 E-mail: dfweber@earthlink.net
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Southeast	Jeff Pearce	(937) 272-6005 E-mail: pearceja@yahoo.com
Southwest	Jim Morgan	(937) 435-3215 E-mail: beelzemorgan@hotmail.com
North of Vandalia	Walter Burton	(937) 667-8951 E-mail: wlburton@att.net
Springfield/Urbana	Rick Rutan	(937) 399-8749 E-mail: rrutan@voyager.net



Touring Miles/From Page 16

Myers, Richard	606	Ray, Sharon	681	Sprinkle, Therese	78	Watern, Kathy	360
Myers, Scott	320	Reich, Greg	124	Squire, Marnie	210	Weaver, Anita	140
Myers, Stephanie	156	Rizzardi, Roger	6,399	Staley, William	497	Weber, Scott	12
Naber, James	1,318	Roderick, Peter	40	Stoecker, Michael	65	Weber, Connie	2,643
Naber, Ann	141	Rohal, Jim	240	Stoops, Glenn	75	Weber, Don	3,415
Nickerson, Steve	2,762	Rouse, Tasha	133	Strong, Scott	1,160	Wert Minardi, Kay	653
Nickerson, Jane	2,756	Rudy, Joan	5,489	Stum, George	1,151	Wheeler, Dwaine	368
Novicki, Christa	336	Russo, Jo Dee	880	Swarts, Ron	954	Wheeler, Erik	77
O'Connor, Tim	865	Rutan, Rick	3,002	Tackett, Bob	2,433	White, Raymond Peter	65
Paoloemilio, Jim	2,052	Sandhop, Paul	979	Taulbee, Brenda	167	Wieland, George	815
Paoloemilio, Valerie	1,043	Sayler, William	8,792	Thiele, Howard	2,570	Wigger, Gail Sue	250
Patten, Anita	3,977	Scarpero, Don	111	Thornburg, Dyke	2,771	Williams, Tim	340
Pearce, Jeffrey	3,302	Schlosser, Bob	45	Tolly, Linda	1,788	Williams, Dorine	20
Perry, Jim	1,688	Schrimsher, Chris	23	Tyson, Howard	806	Williams, Daniel	1,339
Perun, Mark	2,636	Schroeder, Barry	30	Van Griethuysen, Valerie	4,463	Williams, Kathy	1,694
Pfeiffer, David	16	Schulte, Gregory	28	Van Haaren, Michael	789	Williamson, Michael	214
Phillips, Richard	110	Schumacker, Eugene	358	Van Houten, Karen	105	Williamson, Dale	1,368
Phillips, Frances	110	Serra, Bill	2,014	Van Houten, Jay	607	Willoughby, Geoffrey	508
Piatt, Teri	199	Shaw, Patricia	617	Van Meter, Carroll	62	Willoughby, Elizabeth	214
Pinnell, Bob	5,246	Shay, Philip	666	Van Wye, Ben	99	Wilson, Rhonda	275
Pinnell, Sally	2,189	Sheridan, David	319	Van Wye, Sheri	139	Wilson, David	4,437
Poling, Carl	2,084	Simon, Anna	24	Vanage, Sue	929	Wilson, Julia	2,099
Porowski, Jim	120	Simon, Trudie	284	Vandonkelaar, Jon	1,065	Witte, Ed	2,325
Powers, Henry	501	Simpson, Rudy	110	Vandonkelaar, Ian	60	Wymer, Larry	477
Powers, Patricia	111	Sintz, Kevin	591	Vermillion, Cindy	44	Wysong, Kenneth	2,689
Pretzinger, Robert	74	Smith, Chuck	481	Voytko, Steve	1,569	Young, Bob	2,918
Pretzinger, Joe	74	Smith, Casey	155	Wagner, Herbert	2,370	Yount, James	134
Ramsby, Bonnie	75	Spatz, Lisa	25	Wahler, Thomas	60	Zantal, Adam	70
Ramsby, Ron	75	Spence, Scott	1,232	Warwick, Betty	1,028	Zantal, Nick	70
Raskay, Joe	2,681	Spigner, Makeba	67	Watern, Jeff	67	Total	286,072

Ride classification and selection

Monthly *Spoke 'N' Link* ride lists include a classification (Class) for each ride. Ride classification and length of the ride (Miles) are important considerations for riders when selecting rides to participate in. The class is the minimum average speed a rider is expected to be able to handle. Ride leaders choose class and distance, as well as date and location, when completing ride-scheduling forms. Ride leaders are responsible for riding with riders unfamiliar with the route and/or supplying maps. Area is determined by the starting point of the ride. **Questions? Call an area touring coordinator.**

Class average speeds		Notes
Class	Average riding speed	
D	9 to 12 mph	<p>Although this list is checked for errors, its accuracy is not guaranteed.</p> <p>In the NOTES column, CTC means "call to confirm" and indicates that riders should call the leader prior to the ride to confirm that the ride will occur as scheduled.</p> <p>In the LEADER, PHONE column, LN means a DCC member is needed to provide a tour roster at the ride listed. All area codes are 937 unless otherwise stated.</p> <p>All Dayton Cycling Club rides are loops and return to the starting point unless otherwise noted. All rides are in Ohio, unless otherwise specified.</p> <p>Some ride information is obtained from the Ohio Bicycle Federation's <i>Ohio Bicycle Events Calendar</i>. See http://www.ohiocycling.info/ for more information on these rides.</p> <p>Ride leaders: Tour rosters must be submitted to Sally Pinnell at 2474 Banyon Drive, Beavercreek 45431-2612, within 30 days of the ride. Mileage on rosters not returned on time may be forfeited.</p>
C	12 to 15 mph	
B	15 to 18 mph	
A	18 to 21 mph	
A+	22+ mph	
O	off road	
TT	time trial	
<p>Note: Average riding speed is total distance divided by total riding time. Time stopped is not included.</p>		
<p>Defined areas</p>		
NE	North of U.S. 35 and east of I-75	
NW	North of U.S. 35 and west of I-75	
SE	South of U.S. 35 and east of I-75	
SW	South of U.S. 35 and west of I-75	
NV	North of Vandalia	
SD	Sidney area	
SU	Springfield/Urbana area	
OA	Out of area	
LN	Leader needed	

JANUARY

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Saturday, Jan. 1						
11:00 am	NV	0-40	D	Anita Patten, 235-1196 Joan Rudy, 898-7482	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Ride to brunch Degrees F = ride miles
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Sunday, Jan. 2						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Monday, Jan. 3						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Tuesday, Jan. 4						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, Jan. 5						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Jan. 6						
Friday, Jan. 7						
Saturday, Jan. 8						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Sunday, Jan. 9						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmar, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmar	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Monday, Jan. 10						
Tuesday, Jan. 11						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, Jan. 12						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Jan. 13						
Friday, Jan. 14						
Saturday, Jan. 15						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Sunday, Jan. 16						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmar, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmar	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Monday, Jan. 17						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC
Tuesday, Jan. 18						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Wednesday, Jan. 19						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Jan. 20						
Friday, Jan. 21						
Saturday, Jan. 22						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
Sunday, Jan. 23						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmer, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmar	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Monday, Jan. 24						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC
Tuesday, Jan. 25						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, Jan. 26						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Jan. 27						
Friday, Jan. 28						
Saturday, Jan. 29						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Sunday, Jan. 30						
8:00 am	OA	25+/day	C	Marilyn Corbin, 765-1083	Best Western, Florida City, FL	5-day Fla Keys ride
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmer, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmar	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
Monday, Jan. 31						

FEBRUARY

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Tuesday, Feb. 1						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Wednesday, Feb. 2						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Feb. 3						
Friday, Feb. 4						
Saturday, Feb. 5						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Sunday, Feb. 6						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmer, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmer	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Monday, Feb. 7						
Tuesday, Feb. 8						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, Feb. 9						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Feb. 10						
Friday, Feb. 11						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC
Saturday, Feb. 12						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Sunday, Feb. 13						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmer, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmer	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
1:00 pm	SU	20-40	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
Monday, Feb. 14						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC
Tuesday, Feb. 15						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, Feb. 16						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Thursday, Feb. 17						
Friday, Feb. 18						
Saturday, Feb. 19						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
Sunday, Feb. 20						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmer, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmer	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
Monday, Feb. 21						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC
Tuesday, Feb. 22						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, Feb. 23						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, Feb. 24						
Friday, Feb. 25						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC
Saturday, Feb. 26						
10:00 am	SE	30-50	B	Kenny Wysong, 748-1271 maillottjaune@aol.com	Kesling Park, Red Lion-5 Pts Rd, Springboro	CTC; dry roads
Noon	OA	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Little Miami Scenic Trail, Morrow Valley Vineyards after ride	Joan's Birthday Ride
Sunday, Feb. 27						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine; to Young's Dairy
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmer, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmer	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
Monday, Feb. 28						
Noon	NE	21	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS Pharmacy, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC

FIRST WEEK OF MARCH

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Tuesday, March 1						
9:00 am	NV	35-50	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; >32°; dry roads
Wednesday, March 2						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
Thursday, March 3						
Friday, March 4						

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
Saturday, March 5						
Noon	NV	30-50	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 Anita Patten, 235-1196	Carriage Hill MetroPark, 7870 Shull Rd, Huber Hts	Winter Wander Ride
Sunday, March 6						
8:30 am	NE	40+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
9:00 am	NV	30-40	C/D	Bob Cornell, 339-4723 Vince Caldwell, 236-0436	CVS Pharmacy, I-75 & OH 571, Tipp City	CTC; breakfast ride; >32°; dry roads
10:00 am	NE	40	C	Mike Marmar, 429-0484 www.geocities.com/mdmarmar	Lofino Plaza, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Young's Dairy Ride
Monday, March 7						

LOOKING AHEAD

Date	Miles	Event Name	Starting Point	Contacts/Notes
April 30	12 hours	DCC's Calvin's Challenge	Shawnee HS, Springfield	Barry Schroeder, 854-1885
May 7-8	210	Tour of the Scioto River Valley	Columbus	http://www.tosrv.org
May 15	10-100	DCC's Huffman Spring Classic	Golden Gate Park, Brookville	Dale Williamson, 833-5680
June 4	23-105	DCC's Covered Bridge Tour	Westbrook ES, Brookville	Mark/Mary Buchwalder, 376-5449 bikewalder@yahoo.com
June 18-25	50/day	Great Ohio Bicycle Adventure (GOBA)	Findlay	http://www.goba.com/
Aug. 20-21	50/day	For the DCC's GOBA SAG service , contact Bob Tackett @ 235-1196 DCC's Old World Tour	Buck Creek State Park	Mary Lemaster, 890-4690 mary.lemaster@expco.com
Sept. 25	32-100	Tipp City Mum Festival Bike Tour	Tipp City Park	Walter Burton, 667-8951

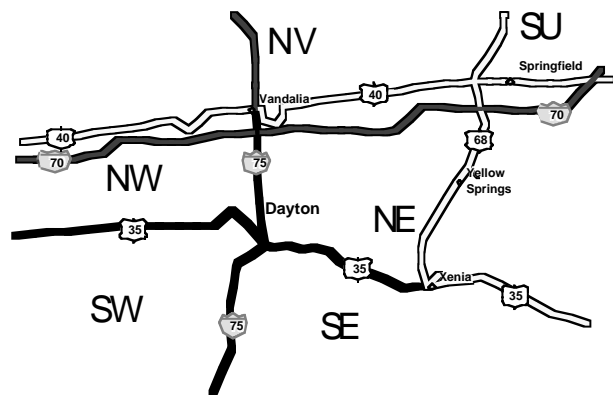
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To join the DCC e-mail list, send a blank email to dcc-subscribe@topica.com. Once subscribed, post to the list by sending your e-mail to dcc@topica.com.
To add something to the DCC home page, contact DCC Webmaster Rob Pretzinger at pretzinger@covad.net. 🚲

Dayton Cycling Club ride locator map

The Dayton Cycling Club lists rides according to where they begin. The double-letter designations shown on the map are used in the ride list. Sidney-area rides are designated SD, although that is not shown on this map. For more information, call the touring captain or an area touring coordinator. 🚲



Dayton Cycling Club Membership Application

Please send entire page (including mailing label) when renewing.

- Renewal — DCC # _____ New member
 New address

Family Information

For family memberships, please list all family members' names (plus club numbers for renewals).

Name _____
Address (not needed if correct on label) _____
City _____ State _____ ZIP code _____
Phone number _____ Birthdate _____
E-mail address _____

Name _____ DCC # _____ Birthdate _____

- I would like paper and e-mail versions of the newsletter.
 I do not want the e-mail version of the newsletter.
 Do not share my name/address with anyone.

All adult applicants must sign the release below. Junior applicants must have a parent/guardian's signature.

I do, hereby, for myself, my family, my heirs, my executors or administrators, release and forever discharge any and all rights and claims, for, or to be, for which I or members of my family may have or which may hereafter accrue to me or my family against the **Dayton Cycling Club** and/or any other person connected with scheduled club activities, individually or collectively, for all responsibility for injury to persons during these activities.

Type of Membership

- Junior (up to age 18) \$10
Adult (age 18 and up) \$20
Family (includes dependent children) \$30

Other Items/Merchandise

- First-class mailing of newsletter \$ 8
T-shirt: \$15 \$17 XXL DCC patch \$ 2
T-shirt quantity: M ___ L ___ XL ___ XXL ___
Total \$ _____

Make check payable to Dayton Cycling Club.

Signed (applicant) _____
Signed (applicant) _____
Signed (parent/guardian) _____

I would like to help with: Club banquet _____ Calvin's Challenge _____ Huffman Spring Classic _____
Wright Wride _____ Bike-ins/Picnic _____ Overnight tours _____ Newsletter _____ Web site _____
Other (specify) _____

Mail application to Dayton Cycling Club, Membership, P.O. Box 94, Wright Brothers Branch, Dayton, OH 45409-0094.



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