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## Thank those who volunteer to run for office by voting

By Claire Lea, DCC membership director  
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**T**he October issue of the *Spoke 'N' Link* is always a very important one. This is the issue with the list of people who have decided to run for a club directorship.

In recent years, offices have been filled without a whole lot of running. I believe there are a number of reasons for this. Many of our older members have already held their share of club offices, volunteered their “quota” of hours and are now inclined to be more selective with their time. There’s nothing wrong with that. Many of our younger members find themselves stretched in multiple ways.

Yes, it has always been so, and still offices were filled, volun-



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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 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 November/December** Oct. 10 for editorial material  
Oct. 15 for paid advertising

**For January/February** Dec. 5 for editorial material  
Dec. 10 for paid advertising

# DCC Meeting Highlights

By Clair Lea, DCC membership director  
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## Aug. 3, 2005

The Dayton Cycling Club Board of Directors met Wednesday, Aug. 3, at CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Present were board members Anita Patten, Chuck Smith, Michele Rizzardi, Dale Williamson, Kay Wert Minardi, Claire Lea and Chris Brown. DCC members Myrna Hayward, Clara Minardi and Dwaine Wheeler also attended.

President Anita Patten called the meeting to order at 6:37 p.m. She said small club jerseys are finally on the way, to be shipped Tuesday, Aug. 9. One of the tent canopies cannot be found in our storage unit. The top is missing and just the framework is there. The storage area has been well searched for it. Anita requests that a note regarding this be added to next month's newsletter: Please return — no questions asked.

CHOICES Inc. will not be available after the December meeting. The new board needs to decide where next year's business meetings are to be held. If another location can be found sooner, that would be great.

Anita is writing the Lance Armstrong Foundation to invite Armstrong to Clair Duckham's 100th birthday celebration in 2006. Chuck will obtain a firm date for the party from the family.

Vice President Chuck Smith reported that on July 29, Congress finally passed a transportation bill for the period through 2009. The new act, SAFETEA-LU, sets total surface-transportation contract authority at \$295 billion — a historic high — including good sums of money for the Safe Routes to School program, for paths and for bikes on buses.

Smith reported that the city of Vandalia will complete the paving of the new section of the Great Miami River Recreation Trail from Tadmor to Old Springfield Road during August.

Finally, Smith said he has decided not to seek a 12<sup>th</sup> consecutive term on the DCC Board of Directors, so he will be able to devote more time to Ohio Bicycle Federation legislative initiatives. He plans to maintain his DCC membership and continue his projects, including:

- Bike-to-Work-Day in downtown Dayton and Wright-Patterson Air Force Base.
- Clair Duckham birthday parties.

## DCC 2005 Calendar

- **Business meeting**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 5, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 974-4171; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

- **Election of 2006 directors**. Ballots due in DCC post office box (not merely postmarked) by Saturday, Oct. 15.

- **Business meeting of 2005 and 2006 directors (2006 budget proposals due)**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 2, CHOICES Inc., 8517 N. Dixie Drive, Butler Twp. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 974-4171; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

- **Morrow Wine Ride**, Nov. 5-6, Young's Jersey Dairy, Yellow Springs. Contact: Joan Rudy, (937) 898-7482; rudyjsl2@core.com.


- **Business meeting (2006 budget finalization)**, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, location to be determined.

- **Christmas Lights Ride**, 6 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 11, Marion's Piazza parking lot on northwest corner of Patterson and Shroyer roads, Dayton. Contact: Anita Patten, (937) 974-4171; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

## DCC 2006 Calendar

- **Clair Duckham's 100th Birthday Ride and Party**, Sunday, April 30. Contact: Chuck Smith, (937) 890-6689.

- **Huffman Spring Classic**, Sunday, May 21. Contact: Dale Williamson, (937) 833-5680.

- **Calvin's 12-Hour Challenge**, Saturday, May 6, Shawnee High School, Springfield. Contact: Ann or John McKinley, (816) 734-3833, calvinschallenge@aol.com; or Barry Schroeder, (937) 854-1885, tandem@erinet.com. 

- Commuter activities, including his monthly "Commuter Chronicles" column, the DC-8 competition with the Cincinnati Cycle Club, and the DCC commuter awards.

- Local bicycle advocacy, including his "Advocacy Avenues" column as appropriate.

- U.S. Air Force Blue Streak Time Trials.

He added that he hopes the board will partner with Greg Brumitt and Five Rivers Outdoors. He feels that there are great benefits for both organizations in this partnership, including bringing mountain biking to MetroParks trails.

Smith also hopes the board will continue to support the Ohio Bicycle Federation through member-

## Membership Musings/From Page 1

teers stepped forward. It does seem to me that today's distractions and obligations have increased. Additionally, some very new members may hang back, thinking their time as members is too short, their experience with the club too brief. The last is definitely not true.

When I first decided to run for a directorship, I was encouraged to consider it by a longer-term member. I thought, "Gee, if that member thinks I could do it, maybe I *should* run. Why not?"

Why not, indeed? I had no idea what exactly I would need to do. I'd never served on a board before and had a limited volunteering background. But it seemed as though the time was right, and I knew I would do whatever the office needed. I received help and encouragement, and I found myself among friends. It was fun. I've never regretted it.

Now it's time to step down — or is it over? — from office. And that time also has arrived for others on the board. President Anita Patten may be in attendance (past presidents have a seat on the board), but she will not be presiding. Newsletter Editor Kay Wert Minardi may be editing, but it won't be the DCC newsletter. Rob Pretzinger may be on the Web, but he won't be minding our Web page. And I will not be welcoming new members and thanking all for renewing, at least not officially.

The new board will have a healthy treasury, and I hope it will be overflowing with ideas and drive and my own best quality, sticktoitiveness. Oh my, *Microsoft Word* does not think that's legitimate. Okay, how about follow-through? Nope. Persistence, how's that? That one works. In the case of member-

ship director, I know I'll be happy to stay in step with my replacement for as long as is needed.

Probably the hardest to find but easily the office of most importance for members is that of newsletter editor. It is well-known that we members like our newsletter, and the newsletter reflects us. As membership director, I found that the two most useful tools for finding new members were long-time members and the newsletter. The newsletter gives an image of the club and what sort of group we are. As such, it has occupied an extremely important position.

### Welcome our new and returning members

Enough of this mumbling. It's time for saying hello.

Please welcome new members Jeff Ruffing of Arcanum; Craig W. Bolte and Jerome J. Walling of Beavercreek; Patricia and Robin Fleig of Butler Twp.; Stephen Zelik of Centerville; Debra Leath of Fairborn; Anton Benitez of Huber Heights; Arthur Currence of Moraine; John Spurlin and Toshiyuki Ohashi of Oakwood; and Christopher, Linda, Adam and Kristina Hamilton of Springfield.

Welcome back to Ted Shank of Oakwood and Kathy and Jeff Watern of Centerville.

Take a moment, if you can, and e-mail me with your thoughts on joining the Dayton Cycling Club or your thoughts on returning after an absence. Send your e-mail to [SloTwitch@woh.rr.com](mailto:SloTwitch@woh.rr.com) or [SloTwitch@gmail.com](mailto:SloTwitch@gmail.com). I'll be happy to pass them along to the board and/or send them to Rob for posting on the DCC Web site.🚲

## Morrow Wine Ride

Saturday-Sunday, Nov. 5-6

Leaves Young's Jersey Dairy on Saturday morning  
Dinner @ Valley Vineyards \* Overnight "camping" indoors  
\* 50-60 miles each day

For more information, contact Joan Rudy at (937) 898-7482  
or [jsrudy@core.com](mailto:jsrudy@core.com). The registration deadline is Oct. 22,  
so make your plans now!🚲



## Meeting Highlights/From Page 3

ship and the DCC's annual tour ad in the *Ohio Bicycle Events Calendar*.

In closing, Smith said it has been good working with current and past DCC board members, and he looks forward to many great DCC accomplishments in the future.

Secretary Sheri Noer said DCC member Ben VanWye has been meeting with Five Rivers Outdoors' Greg Brumitt about a joint bicycling activity. Club members will be asked to help with the event, which will be in October.

Treasurer Michele Rizzardi confirmed that the DCC maintains an affiliation with the International Mountain Bicycling Association (IMBA). She will renew our membership and send them a check. Rizzardi distributed printouts of the July financial report. Discussion followed, with questions answered re this month's numbers.

Wright Wride Co-Director Kay Wert Minardi said meetings continue with the Dayton Rotary, and FitFest and the Wright Wride and look more and more promising. It looks like it will be a popular ride. We already have 154 applications. We probably need *more* cookies. Kay requested from Michele a certificate of insurance for the Wright Wride.

Tony Sculimbrene of the National Aviation Heritage Foundation has been the liaison between us and the Rotary and has been quite helpful. It looks like both the Xenia and the Beavercreek Rotaries will not only be doing the refreshment stops, but they are buying the food. We have told each specific food items to have and will supplement that with cookies. Tony has asked Arthur Currence, a National Park Service ranger, to assist with the Wright Historical Wride. Currence will accompany riders as a tour guide. One of the goals is for profits

from the Wright Wride to be applied for benches along area bikeways in memory of Janet Long.

Membership Director Claire Lea said the club consisted of 330 adults, one junior member, 364 members in 137 families, and seven honorary members, for a total of 702 members.

Bikeways Director Chris Brown said the July 24 bike-in was quite successful in terms of numbers. It was scheduled as a rest stop in conjunction with the Greene Trails Cycling Classic, which meant plenty of riders to talk to and to pick up DCC literature. It was also plenty hot.


A new bike shop is opening up in Old North Dayton. The address is 537 Tony Stein Way, and the shop is called Blue Sky Bike & Fitness. The owner's name is Diane. Chris will meet with her on Friday, Aug. 5, and will confirm details via e-mail plus find out the owner's last name.

Webmaster Rob Pretzinger, Calvin's Challenge Representative Barry Schroeder and Touring Captain Walter Burton were not present.

Huffman Spring Challenge Director Dale Williamson said the special ride to remember Ron Musselman would be on Aug. 23 and leave at the usual 6 p.m. time from Brookville. Riders will eat at Rob's Restaurant after the ride.

In old business, Patten reported that we need someone to do the audit for 2004. We need a member, not necessarily a CPA, to examine and audit our accounts. Patten requested that a notice be placed in the newsletter asking for a volunteer.

There was no new business.

Smith moved to adjourn, and Brown seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 7:33 p.m. 


**NEEDED:** Someone to audit the DCC's 2004 books. If you are interested, contact President Anita Patten at (937) 974-4171 or anitapatten@hotmail.com

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## Deals on Wheels

**FREE:** Custom **Kreitler rollers** with optional stand and extra drive belt. Rollers purchased in '80s. Contact: Marilyn Corbin @ (937) 882-6559 or bernmar882@core.com.

*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.* 

# Bikeways and Beyond

By Chris Brown, DCC bikeways director  
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## Gloomy skies, early risers fail to stop picnic or Twinkie desecration

Dark, damp skies and tenacious shelter dwellers threatened the Aug. 27 Dayton Cycling Club Picnic, but imminent adversity was soon overcome.

Rain occasionally drizzled down as I loaded all the picnic fixin's into my car but stopped by the time I got to Island MetroPark. The shelters cannot be reserved, so I arrived nice and early at 9:30 a.m., only to find all but one shelter already occupied. A park maintenance person told me they had been there since 5:15 a.m. I thought you weren't allowed to camp out at the parks!

However, I was able to secure a sizable shelter near the river, so I was happy. Close to 30 people attended, and we had more than enough room.

Once again the ritual "Desecration of the Twinkies" was performed.

In 2002, Twinkies were deep-fried at the picnic in an effort to make them even more unhealthy. This effort was met with bemused dismay.

In 2003, after the Wright Flight cyclists to Kitty Hawk, N.C., discovered that you can put gravy on *anything*, the Twinkies were drowned in a rich, sausage-based ... well, I'm not sure what it was.

Last year saw the brilliant economical use of Twinkies as hotdog buns, an idea several minutes before its time.

This year we were subjected to Twushi Sukies, sushi made of Twinkies. They consisted of one slice each of cucumber and Twinkie, topped with crabmeat. I was unsuccessful in finding seaweed, so instead I made a bed of dill and rested the ... *things* ... on it. I



Photos by Kay Wert Minardi



Several people, including Joan Rudy (above), rode their bikes to the picnic. Clara Minardi (lower left), however, chose to ride *at* the picnic. At left, Twinkies made their annual appearance, this time disguised as energy bars and sushi. On the opposite page, Dale Stewart (left) bowls as fellow bocce players (continuing left to right) Mark Minardi, Alan Starnes and Chris Brown plus Clara Minardi watch with varying degrees of interest.

made eight of them and three disappeared. I can only hope they weren't actually eaten!

I'm not much of a griller, so I'd like to thank Claire Lea's husband, Dan, for helping me with the cooking. Also, thanks to Kay and Mark Minardi for bringing a variety of yard games.

Each year I think I get a little bit better at doing this. Join us next year, when I should have everything down pat. 🚲



### Dayton Cycling Club 2005 Bikeway Miles

<u>Name</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>Year to date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>Year to date</u>
Starnes, Alan	985	3,582	Kreider, Lee	0	49
Doles, Delbert	371	2,118	Mitchell, Justin	0	49
Hartman, Bob	366	2,089	Wolford, Tom	0	42
Gaughan, Chris	229	2,036	Kiesel, Harvey	0	25
Casey, Jim	236	1,979	Russo, JoDee	0	18
Young, Bob	0	1,759	Cornell, Robert	0	17
Mulchahey, Jeff	278	1,653	Joyner, Beth	0	13
Davis, Bob	337	1,637	Mattes, Ariel	0	10
Crabtree, Frank	258	1,624	Joyner, Jennifer	0	5
Voytko, Steve	289	1,615	<b>Totals</b>	<b>9,572</b>	<b>51,177</b>
Thornburg, Dyke	326	1,604			
Hill, Doris	276	1,503			
Sayler, William	303	1,486			
Jordan, Brad	305	1,437			
White, Raymond P.	287	1,299			
Ridolfi, Emily	238	1,154			
Wymer, Larry	227	1,119			
Raskay, Joe	88	1,055			
Suhr, Bob	128	1,013			
Koogler, Bruce	160	1,006			
Jordan, Gayle	241	992			
Rhone, Matt	220	929			
Elliot, Clifton	0	872			
Miller, Mike	102	863			
Reichard, Jerry	108	834			
Forrer, Ron	186	830			
Brown, Chris	155	777			
Vermillion, Cindy	216	748			
Berry, Chuck	173	744			
Hayward, Myrna	222	741			
Berry, Jerry	70	729			
Mattes, Carl	247	692			
Young, James	208	676			
Miter, Brad	466	668			
Joyner, Rachelle	200	625			
Hunter, Robert S.	184	623			
Miter, Aven	324	521			
Wahler, Thomas	96	512			
Jurkovich, Mark	0	424			
Gaughan, Lynn	101	416			
Cox, Jerry	0	402			
Mattes, Julie	164	366			
Doles, Jacquelyn	95	362			
Layton, Chuck	0	318			
Robey, Mike	80	297			
Corbin, Marilyn	0	294			
Lemaster, James	0	280			
Barger, Scott	0	266			
Hoffmann, Thomas	0	240			
Hunt, Todd	0	233			
Wert Minardi, Kay	0	204			
Van Meter, Carroll L.	0	153			
Simon, Trudie	0	150			
Dobo-Hoffman, Kevin	0	102			
Suhr, Barrie	0	94			
Minardi, Mark	0	74			
Mattes, Amanda	27	67			
Michaels, Marc	0	63			



### 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](mailto:chrisbcritter520@hotmail.com). Bikeway miles are generally due by the fifth of the month. 🚲

# The road belongs to us all

**Bicyclists deserve same respect on pavement as motorists**

By Gary Boulanger

Sept. 12, 2005 — Most everyone has ridden a bicycle at one time or another. And despite the billions spent on automotive advertising and marketing, more bicycles (about 16 million) than cars (about 15 million) are sold in this country each year.

Americans depend on their automobiles because our cities have been designed for them, and the Dayton area is no exception. But the level of ignorance concerning where bicycles belong is at an all-time high.

Case in point: Justin Kellermeier lives in North Dayton and chooses to ride his bicycle to work in Springboro. He is keenly aware of what the Ohio Revised Code says about bicycles: “Ride with traffic on the right side of the road, stay off sidewalks (lest ye be fined \$100 in Dayton), and obey all traffic laws.” Pretty simple, right?

Not quite.

Kellermeier has chosen to ride his bicycle versus pay for gasoline and the wear and tear on his vehicle. He rides on streets with wide shoulders, dresses in visible clothing and obeys the rules of the road.

But that hasn't been good enough for a handful of drivers who think Kellermeier doesn't belong on “their roads.” He's been physically threatened four times in seven days and had a driver — with his children in the car — purposefully back into him and his bike.

He has been treated like a third-class citizen, all, Kellermeier notes, because he has chosen a healthy and cost-saving alternative to driving his car to work.

Earlier this summer, while riding with friends through Moraine, Kellermeier et al. were stopped near Dryden Road by a Moraine police officer and verbally abused because they were riding their bikes at night (with lights): “What's in that bag? Are you drunk? Why are you riding your bikes at this hour?”

So, because these tax-paying, bicycle-riding adults were doing something fun, the Moraine police officer took liberty on a slow night to chastise and bait them?

Recently, after riding my bike to a men's meeting in Springboro, a church mate “humorously” told me he felt like knocking me off my bike with his side mirror.

That's akin to me saying I feel like driving past Heatherwoode Golf Course in Springboro and play-


ing Joe Sniper with all the golf cart-driving enthusiasts.

This isn't healthy, folks; it's ignorance at its worst.

There are many white- and blue-collar friends who choose to commute to their workplace by bicycle, and I applaud them. A bicycle commuter typically chooses to ride instead of drive for many reasons — not one of them to be treated so shabbily by fellow co-workers, taxpayers or public servants.

It's time folks around here understand that respect is a two-way street. We all pay for these roads, and we're all entitled to use them in a manner befitting all walks of life, even the “lowly” bicyclist. Bikes belong on the streets.

Hopefully, more Daytonians will choose the bicycle as an alternative means of transportation, knowing their choice will be respected.


• **Gary Boulanger** of Springboro is a bike advocate and the father of two young bicyclists. He and his wife, Jean, own Cycles Gaansari, a boutique bicycle shop. Contact him at [gaansari@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gaansari@sbcglobal.net).

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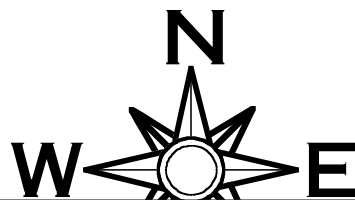
**Missing in Action!**

The top to one of our pop-up awnings has disappeared from the club locker. If you have a white awning in your garage or basement, return it to any DCC director. No questions will be asked.



# DCC Travelogue

Descriptions of bike trips by DCC members



## BCBCBCBC's terrain, road markings prove challenging

By Jim Perry, DCC member

The BCBCBCBC tour is easy to find. Go east from Cincinnati on Ohio 32 far past Olive Branch-Stonelick Road, just beyond Graces Run Road. The tour route passes over roads such as Buck Run, Big Woods, Frog Hollow, Bacon Flat and Steam Furnace. It also passes near other roads such as Marthas Run, Plum Run, Pine Gap, Beaver Pond, Coon Mill, Coon Hollow, Coffee Hollow, Dog Hollow, Pond Lick, Tater Ridge, Fluffy Ridge and Measley Ridge. It sounds like a region filled with great Americana.

For the Sept. 4, 2004, BCBC, they had piped in copious amounts of morning fog. It would condense on my goggles. I would wipe the water away, but it would immediately condense again. Once I saw a sign warning of a railroad track, but I could not see the track ahead through the fog.

A number of roads ran for several miles between intersections. This provided good, long stretches of uninterrupted riding and less braking for traffic. Some roads were rustic. The road surface was never bad, though. There was minimal riding on busy roads, and those had good shoulders.

The route markings on the road surface were barely adequate. There was only one chance to see the mark indicating a turn. Since riders were spaced far apart, if you missed the arrow you usually missed the turn. There was one arrow located on a downhill where the turn angled such that I did not notice the arrow. I went by at high speed. When I reached Ohio 73, I had the choice of going back or turning right since Ohio 73 goes through my hometown 80 miles away. I turned back.

Later I was looking for another turn indicated on the map, but I did not see the arrow until it was too late. Someone else went on and I yelled, but he did not turn back. Maybe his hometown was closer than mine was.

After many miles, I began to realize that there were no food and water stops. This meant my large 100-ounce Camelbak water bag would not be enough on this humid day. Going through the village of Peebles, I saw a family on their front porch. I immediately turned in and asked for a water refill. You cannot meet friendlier people than those in Peebles

who gave me a glass of ice water, too.

Later, another rider told me he had approached a pickup truck that had food for the ride. It was leaving just as he approached. I was miles behind them, so for me there was no pickup-truck food stop. If I had not brought along some Power Bars, I would have been in critical condition. I did have minor leg cramps about a dozen miles before the finish.

When I realized that there would be no food stops, I considered a shorter route. I looked at the map of the other route that I had with me, and all I saw was spaghetti. I could not distinguish among the various routes. There were four routes marked with arrows pointing in various confusing directions.

The reason I chose to ride the BCBCBCBC was the expected ascents. The terrain has been eroded over the years to steep uphill slopes in the ancient hollows. Eventually the route crossed the Treber Run Fork of the Ohio Brush Creek in Dunkinsville. Then it did a long, steep ascent. Yoiks, that was a climb!

The Miller Bakery and an Amish community were at the top. They had sandwiches and pies for sale, and there was a small grocery. I filled my Camelbak again. I think I drank about 300 ounces of water on the 80-mile ride, at least double what I would drink on a flat route.

When I was preparing to depart the bakery, I noticed a pretty teenage girl driving away in an open horse-drawn cart. A few miles down the road, I drew near from behind as she went down the road at a fast trot. As I went by I whistled softly so the horse would not be surprised as I passed in front of its blinders. No problem.

Later, a covered horse-drawn cart approached me from the other direction. Since the horse could see me, I did not whistle. As I approached and passed, the horse balked and jerked its head up, but maintained a straight course. Again, as I approached and passed a horse ridden by a teenage boy, the horse balked and jerked its head up, but maintained a straight course. Both times it did not appear that the driver attempted any corrective action. Good horses.

It was a good ride that could be better. 

# Commuter Chronicles

By Chuck Smith, DCC vice president  
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## Hurricane Katrina promotes bicycle commuting

If Katrina were a lady, she would ride a bike. While her methods were destructive, Hurricane Katrina is promoting transportation cycling in two ways:

•**By increasing gasoline prices.** Cycling has become an increasingly rewarding transportation alternative.

•**By destroying the existing transportation infrastructure along the Gulf Coast.** Katrina has put people on bikes who have not ridden for years. (We have been looking at ways to get used bicycles to our friends along the Gulf Coast, but the agencies working their tell us bicycles must wait a month or two until the most basic necessities such as food and medical care have been provided.)


### DCC commuters on pace for a record

Gasoline prices of \$3 per gallon are convincing Dayton Cycling Club commuters to take more trips by bicycle.

Our 7,850 DCC commuting miles for August brought us to an annual total of 46,169, which exceeds our 1995 and 1996 12-month totals. With four months remaining, I expect us to break our record of 61,474 transportation cycling miles set in 2001.

### Get in on setting record

Send your September miles to Dennis Pohl at Dennis.L.Pohl@lexisnexis.com by Oct. 5 so we can include them in the November/December *Spoke 'N' Link*.

Remember to include errands, appointments, trips to school and other trips on which you substituted a bike for an automobile. Please round all figures to the nearest whole number. 

## Dayton Cycling Club 2005 Commuter Miles

<u>Name</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>Year to date</u>	<u>Round trip</u>
Tom Holmes	618	3,582	Varies
John Horanyi	506	3,465	56
Shahid Raki	508	3,433	Varies
Stephen Voytko	418	3,426	Varies
Craig Hambrick	330	3,266	33
Lynn Brucker	395	2,749	17
Patrick Murphy	343	2,444	Varies
Mark Reitz	280	2,160	20
Steve Neuhauser	577	2,066	25
Chuck Smith	464	1,844	40
Mark Perun	250	1,770	12
Kenny Wysong	448	1,766	26
William Saylor	338	1,360	Varies
Phil Blosser	144	1,306	8
Carl Mattes	258	1,263	Errands
Frank Mlinar	224	1,025	31
Gary Cochran	217	985	Errands
Paul Day	158	917	13
Frank Crabtree	121	813	Errands
Ken McCall	103	782	25
Craig Bolte	217	663	12
Jim Morgan	30	660	30
Roger Rizzardi	90	612	Errands
Valerie Van Griethuysen	143	437	Varies
Marilyn Corbin	66	427	
Julie Mattes	164	366	Varies
Anita Patten	147	290	Varies
Dave Stacy	0	263	
Bob Tackett	130	223	
Rick Phillips	NA	170	14
Kay Wert Minardi	37	159	Errands
Chuck Layton	NA	154	
Rebecca Gruber	NA	151	
Jeff Pearce	NA	119	Errands
Ron Curtis	NA	110	Errands
Edward Witte	NA	102	
Amanda Mattes	27	100	3
Jim Foster	NA	97	Errands
Brian Davis	NA	93	Errands
Mark Minardi	20	80	20
JoDee Russo	NA	80	Varies
Mark Jurkovich	NA	73	12-13
Dennis Pohl	NA	72	Varies
James Young	NA	67	Varies
Bob Hartman	39	66	Errands
Fran Phillips	NA	44	Varies



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

**DCC 2005 Commuter Miles (continued)**

Name	August	Year to date	Round trip
Casey Smith	36	36	Errands
Chris Brown	NA	18	12
Woody Ensor	4	11	Errands
Greg Evans	NA	4	8
<b>Totals</b>	<b>7,850</b>	<b>46,169</b>	

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

**DCC area commuting coordinators**

**NE:** North of U.S. 35 and east of I-75; Tom Ensminger, 879-7006 (call between 4 and 7 p.m.)

**NW:** North of U.S. 35, west of I-75, and north of Salem Avenue; Shahid Raki, 275-4386

**SE:** South of U.S. 35 and east of I-75; Kay Wert Minardi, 299-2454

**SE suburbs:** Mark Feighery, 495-3319

**SW:** South of U.S. 35 and west of I-75; Dwaine Wheeler

**NV:** North of Vandalia; Chuck Smith, 890-6689

**SD:** Sidney area; no coordinator

**SU:** Springfield/Urbana area; no coordinator🚲

**Financial Report**



Michele Rizzardi, DCC treasurer  
(937) 890-6301; quiltingbear2@woh.rr.com

**Financial Summary as of 8/31/05**

Category	Receipts	Payments	Net Total
Membership	11,972	6,281	5,691
Touring	3,705	3,577	128
DAYOX	0	0	0
Huffman	4,536	2,598	1,938
Wright Wride	4,564	4,709	(145)
? Adventure	0	0	0
Calvin's Challenge-Ride	7,123	3,865	3,258
Social	1,379	3,489	(2,110)
Newsletter	898	8,687	(7,789)
Administrative	890	3,144	(2,254)
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35,067</b>	<b>36,349</b>	<b>(1,282)</b>

**Cash Account Balances:**

Postage Dep-Early Express	400
DCC General-Key Bank	36,573
DCC General-Fifth Third	0
Huffman Classic	0
Wright Wride	0
CD-Jo Glover Funds	730
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,703</b>

**Current Liabilities:**

**Fund Balances:**

Beg. Of Year	37,744
General Income	(1,204)
...General Fund	36,540
...C.Motsch Fund	56
...Bill Hess Fund	41
...Jo Glover Fund	741
...Janet Long Fund	325
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,703</b>

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.🚲

**Make sure your vote counts**

The Dayton Cycling Club Bylaws are very specific about how votes should be submitted:

**Article III: ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

*The nomination of the elected officials shall be made at the September meeting. Nominations also will be accepted from the floor at this meeting. The Nominating Committee's ballot, with write-in space, will be mailed to all adult members by October 1. Said ballots are to be marked and received not later than October 15, in a sealed envelope with voter's name, signature and Club number on the envelope. The Nominating Committee shall function as the Board of Elections to verify membership and to certify the results of the election.*

The Nominating Committee looks at the unopened envelopes and compares the names and club numbers on the return addresses with a list of current members. Then it opens the valid ballots, setting the envelopes and ballots in separate piles. Only then do the committee members count the votes and record the results.🚲

**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.🚲

## DCC Members' 2005 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 Sept. 10, 2005. 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!** 

Acuff, Dan	46	Cox, S. Clayton	1,907	Haddox, Donald	40	Luebbe, Dorothy	232
Aldstadt, Jon	99	Crabtree, Frank	293	Hall, Brian	243	Luebbert, Janet	95
Arnoldy, Rick	54	Cretcher, Charles	1,068	Hall, Jessi	555	Manda, Jim	1,942
Atkinson, Joseph	585	Czarniecki, Charles	15	Hamilton, Christopher	30	Marcinowski, Gary	112
Austin, Dawn	60	Damewood, Hank	844	Hannon, Bill	10	Marmar, Mike	1,222
Axtell, Bruce	615	Darkow, David	107	Hartman, Bob	873	Marsh, Melinda	696
Baldwin, Martin	46	Davis, Ed	1,066	Hayward, Myrna	974	Martin, Paul	2,597
Barga, Mike	74	Davis, Bob	1,667	Hazel, Donald	935	Maynard, Garren	53
Barger, Scott	400	Davis, Brian	292	Hertert, Dean	84	McPherson, Craig	159
Bargerhuff, John	248	Davis, Mark	891	Hill, Doris	250	McPherson, Kathleen	159
Bartley, Karen	108	Decker, Stephani	553	Hitch, David	82	Meade, Marvin	36
Beall, Robert	20	Deis, Tony	460	Hoffmann, Quentin	276	Meyer, Alisa	218
Beecroft, William	274	DeLong, Dianna	431	Hoffmann, Thomas	969	Michaels, Marc	166
Bell, Bud	1,853	Diller, David	560	Holt, Kenneth	2,389	Miller, Glen	51
Berarducci, Michael	10	Doan, Michael	131	Homan, Carol	157	Miller, Mike	4,068
Bernstein, Jack	102	Dobo-Hoffman, Kevin	2,405	Horanyi, John	4,188	Minardi, Mark	42
Bernstein, Maryann	62	Doles, Delbert	250	Horton, David	1,094	Mitchell, Justin	90
Berry, Jerry	2,564	Drozd, Don	947	Hucks, Jae	250	Mlinar, Frank	175
Boyd, Conley	192	Ducker, Eugenia	3,980	Hunter, Hal	593	Morgan, Jim	521
Brademeyer, David	264	Ducker, John	2,776	Ingraham, Ted	45	Murphy, Patrick	688
Breeding, Dean	3,135	Eddy, Donald	56	Jordan, Bradley	102	Myers, Richard	251
Breeding, Scarlett	1,782	Eley, Marian	565	Jordan, Gayle	102	Myers, Scott	59
Brislawn, Roger	312	Eley, Robert	767	Joyce, Steven	852	Naber, Ann	197
Brooks, Daniel	20	Eliason, Bruce	989	Joyner, Rachelle	38	Naber, James	522
Brooks, Frank	744	Elliott, Clifton	1,063	Jurkovich, Mark	534	Nickerson, Jane	1,580
Brooks, Jeannie	213	Erbaugh, Phillip	235	Kain, Robin	68	Nickerson, Steve	1,273
Brown, Christopher	102	Eresman, Arthur	2,011	Kasischke, Fritz	341	Noer, Sheri	307
Buchwalder, Diane	260	Evans, Jeanne	320	Keller, Carolyn	55	Novicki, Christa	354
Buchwalder, Laura	120	Evans, Robert	298	Keller, Tom	218	O'Connor, Tim	50
Buchwalder, Mark	460	Evans, Robert	50	Kiesel, Harv	2,090	Orme, Tony	107
Buchwalder, Mary	809	Fleig, Patricia	14	King, Ron	40	Paoloemilio, Jim	2,038
Buckley, Aaron	81	Fleig, Robin	14	Kinzer, Paula	42	Paoloemilio, Valerie	2,077
Buckley, Parker	511	Frillman, Jack	1,024	Kistner, Fred	50	Pashak, Jim	42
Burgess, Craig	287	Gaughan, Christopher	6,103	Klosterman, Joe	2,165	Patten, Anita	2,659
Burton, Emily	405	Giavara, Stephen	82	Knapke, Daniel	1,654	Pearce, Jeffrey	2,143
Burton, Walter	109	Gilmour, Colleen	491	Kohstall, Ruth	26	Perry, Jim	1,410
Bustos, Moe	592	Gleason, Elizabeth	16	Kordenbrock, Bernard	40	Perun, Mark	974
Caldwell, Joan	2,246	Gleason, John	16	Kottmyer, Steven	74	Pfeiffer, David	24
Caldwell, Vince	2,230	Gleason, Sean	16	Kreider, Lee	52	Pfeiffer, Philip	50
Camacho, Daniel	463	Gleason, Sylvia	16	Larger, Lee	3,392	Pfeiffer, Susan	24
Campbell, Bruce	1,216	Glover, Kenneth	94	Lawson, Robert	107	Phillips, Frances	314
Carroll, Craig	2,305	Gobble, Bob	528	Layton, Chuck	359	Phillips, Richard	314
Casey, James	1,697	Gordon, Carolyn	95	Le Blanc, Felix	169	Pinnell, Bob	4,046
Coates, Pat	40	Gordon, Ralph	117	Le Blanc, Robert	380	Pinnell, Ronnie	160
Cooley, Frank	224	Gray, Duane	1,089	Lemaster, James	4,756	Pinnell, Sally	1,798
Corbin, Marilyn	3,594	Green, Dennis	2,201	Lemaster, Mary	200		
Cornell, Robert	1,365	Groeber, Michael	396	Lindemann, Ray	1,008		
Cox, Jerry	52	Gruber, Rebecca	1,292	Loveless, John	187		

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## Touring Miles/From Page 12

Poling, Carl	426	Sheridan, David	135	Tobe, Jamie	78	White, Raymond Peter	40
Powers, Henry	1,118	Sherman, Bob	24	Tolly, Linda	1,540	Wieland, George	1,441
Powers, Patricia	61	Simon, Trudie	582	Torick, Dave	80	Wigger, Gail Sue	657
Pretzinger, Joe	16	Simpson, Rudy	107	Tyson, Howard	401	Williams, Daniel	460
Pretzinger, Marie	16	Smith, Casey	252	Van Griethuysen, Valerie	3,532	Williams, Dorine	200
Pretzinger, Marilee	16	Smith, Charles	19	Van Haaren, Michael	641	Williams, Kathy	316
Pretzinger, Robert	16	Smith, Chuck	357	Van Houten, Jay	305	Williams, Tim	200
Raki, Shahid	10	Spence, Scott	1,604	Van Meter, Carroll	502	Williamson, Dale	1,099
Raskay, Joe	3,876	Sprinkle, Therese	38	VanWye, Ben	289	Willoughby, Elizabeth	27
Ray, Sharon	364	Stacy, Dave	221	Vanage, Sue	1,193	Willoughby, Geoffrey	1,071
Reffitt, Denise	25	Staley, William	522	Vandonkelaar, Jon	580	Wilson, David	3,649
Reich, Greg	10	Starnes, Alan	44	Vermillion, Cindy	18	Wilson, Julia	1,366
Rizzard, Roger	2,439	Stoops, Glenn	84	Voytko, Steve	2,542	Wilson, Rhonda	243
Rouse, Tasha	24	Strong, Scott	1,080	Wagner, Herbert	1,047	Witte, Ed	2,506
Rudy, Joan	3,778	Stum, George	1,190	Wahler, Thomas	108	Wolford, Tom	16
Russo, Jo Dee	103	Swarts, Ron	476	Walters, Steve	408	Wymer, Larry	1,407
Rutan, Rick	2,162	Sweeney, David	30	Warwick, Betty	806	Wysong, Kenneth	1,202
Sandhop, Paul	967	Sweeney, Evelyn	370	Watern, Kathy	316	Young, Bob	2,157
Sayler, William	67	Tackett, Bob	581	Weaver, Anita	157	Young, William Henry	19
Schehl, Norm	62	Taulbee, Brenda	933	Weber, Connie	2,410	Yount, James	50
Schrimsher, Chris	228	Taylor, Birch	51	Weber, Don	2,484	Zantal, Adam	15
Serra, Bill	564	Thiele, Howard	852	Weber, Rick	21	Zantal, Nick	240
Shafer, John	247	Thornburg, Dyke	1,987	Wert Minardi, Kay	734	<b>Total</b>	<b>209,997</b>
Shafer, Mary Lou	160	Tobe, Christina	78	Wheeler, Dwaine	168		

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c/o Kay and Mark Minardi  
935 Hathaway Road  
Dayton, OH 45419**

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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XXXXL XXXXL

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\_\_\_\_\_ **Total** enclosed.

Make check payable to **Dayton Cycling Club**.

Mail form and check to: **Anita Patten, c/o Dayton Cycling Club, P.O. Box 94, Wright Brothers Station, Dayton, OH 45409-0094**

# Touring Talk

By Walter Burton, DCC touring captain  
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## Deadlines for submitting rides

### For November/December

Sept. 29: ride leaders submit to area coordinators  
Oct. 2: area coordinators submit to touring captain

### For January/February 2006

Nov. 29: ride leaders submit to area coordinators  
Dec. 2: area coordinators submit to touring captain

### For March

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

## Area Touring Coordinators

<u>Area</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Telephone no.</u>
Northeast	<b>Don Weber</b>	(937) 426-0572 E-mail: dfweber@earthlink.net
Northwest	<b>Dale Williamson</b>	(937) 833-5680 E-mail: jdwbiker@juno.com
Southeast	<b>Jeff Pearce</b>	(937) 272-6005 E-mail: pearceja@yahoo.com
Southwest	<b>Jim Morgan</b>	(937) 435-3215 E-mail: beelzemorgan@hotmail.com
North of Vandalia	<b>Walter Burton</b>	(937) 667-8951 E-mail: wburton@att.net
Springfield/Urbana	<b>Rick Rutan</b>	(937) 399-8749 E-mail: rrutan@voyager.net



## The Rear-View Mirror



*Photo courtesy of Joan Rudy*

### From resolutions to (wheel) revolutions

Jan. 1, 2000, dawned so bright and sunny that 21 people rode the DCC's New Year's Day Ride out of Huber Heights. How

Were you among these riders hiding behind dark glasses and layered in winter clothing?

## 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

#### Class   Average riding speed

D	9 to 12 mph
C	12 to 15 mph
B	15 to 18 mph
A	18 to 21 mph
A+	22+ mph
O	off road
TT	time trial

**Note:** Average riding speed is total distance divided by total riding time. Time stopped is not included.

### Defined areas

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

### Notes

Although this list is checked for errors, its accuracy is not guaranteed.

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.


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.

All Dayton Cycling Club rides are loops and return to the starting point unless otherwise noted. All rides are in Ohio, unless otherwise specified.

Some ride information is obtained from the Ohio Bicycle Federation's *Ohio Bicycle Events Calendar*. See <http://www.ohiocycling.info/> for more information on these rides.

**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.

## 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. 





## OCTOBER

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
<b>Saturday, Oct. 1</b>						
7:00 am	SW	32-100	All	Bruce Campbell, 433-1993 bruce.campbell@att.net	Middletown; Middfest International Bike Tour	middfestinternational.org
7:30 am	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
8:30 am	SE	45	C	Ray Lindemann, 848-3058 rwlpt@hotmail.com	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	Dry roads
8:30 am	NE	26	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC; breakfast ride
10:00 am	SU	40-60	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
<b>Sunday, Oct. 2</b>						
8:00 am	OA	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	Waukesha, WI	CTC
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
9:00 am	SW	30	C	Jim Casey, 847-7474 Larry Wymer, Wareagle72@msn.com	Municipal pkg lot @ Linden & Miami aves, Miamisburg	CTC; to Kathy's Kitchen, Germantown
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
<b>Monday, Oct. 3</b>						
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	Dry roads; dog count
5:00 pm	SU	20-30	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
6:00 pm	NV	22	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredside.com Lights required
<b>Tuesday, Oct. 4</b>						
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
10:00 am	NE	25+	C	Don Weber, 426-0572	Xenia Station, 150 Miami Ave, Xenia	CTC
5:00 pm	SU	20-30	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Rob's Restaurant, Arlington Rd, Brookville	Tandem-friendly
<b>Wednesday, Oct. 5</b>						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredside.com Lights required
<b>Thursday, Oct. 6</b>						
10:00 am	NE	40-50+	C	Harv Kiesel, 885-2544 Bob Young, 429-3620	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	CTC; no rain
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Mabel Wilt Park, OH 726, Eldorado	
<b>Friday, Oct. 7</b>						
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredside.com Lights required
<b>Saturday, Oct. 8</b>						
8:30 am	SE	50-60	B	Bruce Campbell, 433-1993 bruce.campbell@att.net	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	CTC; dry roads
7:30 am	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
8:30 am	SE	45	C	Ray Lindemann, 848-3058 rwlpt@hotmail.com	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	Dry roads

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<b>Sunday, Oct. 9</b>						
8:00 am	OA	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	Waukesha, WI	CTC
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
9:00 am	SW	30	C	Jim Casey, 847-7474 Larry Wymer, Wareagle72@msn.com	Municipal pkg lot @ Linden & Miami aves, Miamisburg	CTC; to Kathy's Kitchen, Germantown
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
10:00 am	SU	40-60	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
<b>Monday, Oct. 10</b>						
8:30 am	NE	26	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC; breakfast ride
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	Dry roads; dog count
5:00 pm	SU	20-30	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
5:30 pm	SW	19	D	Carol Homan, 277-2974	Miami-Erie Canal Park, West Carrollton	dry roads
6:00 pm	NV	22	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Tuesday, Oct. 11</b>						
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
10:00 am	NE	25+	C	Don Weber, 426-0572	Univ Baptist Church, Kemp and Hanes, Beavercreek	CTC
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Rob's Restaurant, Arlington Rd, Brookville	Tandem-friendly
<b>Wednesday, Oct. 12</b>						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	
5:00 pm	SU	20-30	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Thursday, Oct. 13</b>						
10:00 am	NE	40-50+	C	Harv Kiesel, 885-2544 Bob Young, 429-3620	Xenia Station, 150 Miami Ave, Xenia	CTC; no rain
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Mabel Wilt Park, OH 726, Eldorado	
<b>Friday, Oct. 14</b>						
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Saturday, Oct. 15</b>						
	OA	50/day	All	hillyhundred.org	Ellettsville, IN; Hilly Hundred	Oct. 15-16
7:30 am	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
8:30 am	SE	45	C	Ray Lindemann, 848-3058 rwlp@hotmaill.com	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	Dry roads
10:00 am	SU	40-60	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
<b>Sunday, Oct. 16</b>						
8:00 am	OA	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	Waukesha, WI	CTC
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
9:00 am	SW	30	C	Jim Casey, 847-7474 Larry Wymer, Wareagle72@msn.com	Municipal pkg lot @ Linden & Miami aves, Miamisburg	CTC; to Kathy's Kitchen, Germantown

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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
<b>Monday, Oct. 17</b>						
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	Dry roads; dog count
6:00 pm	NV	22	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Tuesday, Oct. 18</b>						
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
10:00 am	NE	25+	C	Don Weber, 426-0572	Xenia Station, 150 Miami Ave, Xenia	CTC
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Rob's Restaurant, Arlington Rd, Brookville	Tandem-friendly
<b>Wednesday, Oct. 19</b>						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Thursday, Oct. 20</b>						
10:00 am	NE	40-50+	C	Harv Kiesel, 885-2544 Bob Young, 429-3620	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	CTC; no rain
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Mabel Wilt Park, OH 726, Eldorado	
<b>Friday, Oct. 21</b>						
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Saturday, Oct. 22</b>						
7:30 am	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
8:30 am	SE	45	C	Ray Lindemann, 848-3058 rwlpt@hotmail.com	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	Dry roads
8:30 am	NE	26	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC; breakfast ride
10:00 am	SU	40-60	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
<b>Sunday, Oct. 23</b>						
8:00 am	OA	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	Waukesha, WI	CTC
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
9:00 am	SW	30	C	Jim Casey, 847-7474 Larry Wymer, Wareagle72@msn.com	Municipal pkg lot @ Linden & Miami aves, Miamisburg	CTC; to Kathy's Kitchen, Germantown
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
10:00 am	SU	40-60	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
<b>Monday, Oct. 24</b>						
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	Dry roads; dog count
5:30 pm	SW	19	D	Carol Homan, 277-2974	Miami-Erie Canal Park, West Carrollton	dry roads
6:00 pm	NV	22	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Tuesday, Oct. 25</b>						
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
10:00 am	NE	25+	C	Don Weber, 426-0572	Univ Baptist Church, Kemp and Hanes, Beavercreek	CTC

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5:00 pm	SU	20-30	C	Rick Rutan, 399-8749 rrutan@voyager.net	3129 Baker Rd, Springfield	CTC
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Rob's Restaurant, Arlington Rd, Brookville	Tandem-friendly
<b>Wednesday, Oct. 26</b>						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Thursday, Oct. 27</b>						
10:00 am	NE	40-50+	C	Harv Kiesel, 885-2544 Bob Young, 429-3620	Xenia Station, 150 Miami Ave, Xenia	CTC; no rain
6:00 pm	SE	17-24	B	Charley Cretcher, 258-8000 ccretcher@daybag.com	Oak Creek Plaza, Bigger and Whipp rds, Kettering	
6:00 pm	NW	20-30	All	Geoff Willoughby, 273-5150	Mabel Wilt Park, OH 726, Eldorado	
<b>Friday, Oct. 28</b>						
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Saturday, Oct. 29</b>						
	OA	35-100	All	cincinnatiycleclub.org	St Leon, IN; Great Ghost Rider Ramble	
7:30 am	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
8:30 am	SE	45	C	Ray Lindemann, 848-3058 rwlpt@hotmail.com	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	Dry roads
8:30 am	NE	26	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC; breakfast ride
<b>Sunday, Oct. 30</b>						
8:00 am	OA	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	Waukesha, WI	CTC
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
9:00 am	SW	30	C	Jim Casey, 847-7474 Larry Wymer, Wareagle72@msn.com	Municipal pkg lot @ Linden & Miami aves, Miamisburg	CTC; to Kathy's Kitchen, Germantown
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
<b>Monday, Oct. 31</b>						
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	Dry roads; dog count
5:30 pm	SW	19	D	Carol Homan, 277-2974	Miami-Erie Canal Park, West Carrollton	dry roads
6:00 pm	NV	22	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required

## FIRST WEEK OF NOVEMBER

Time	Area	Miles	Class	Leader, Phone	Starting Point	Notes
<b>Tuesday, Nov. 1</b>						
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
10:00 am	NE	25+	C	Don Weber, 426-0572	Xenia Station, 150 Miami Ave, Xenia	CTC
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 2</b>						
8:30 am	NE	50+	B/C	John Horanyi, 643-4041	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	Rain or shine
11:10 am	NE	26	C/D	Marilyn Corbin, 882-6559	CVS, Main St, New Carlisle	CTC; breakfast ride
2:15 pm	SE	24-28	B/C	Dyke Thornburg, 252-4580 Hank Damewood, 299-0947	Harrigan's Tavern, 4070 Marshall Rd, Kettering	

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6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Thursday, Nov. 3</b>						
10:00 am	NE	40-50+	C	Harv Kiesel, 885-2544 Bob Young, 429-3620	5/3 Gateway Park, Dayton-Xenia Rd, Beavercreek	CTC; no rain
<b>Friday, Nov. 4</b>						
6:00 pm	NV	24	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required
<b>Saturday, Nov. 5</b>						
7:30 am	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
8:30 am	SE	45	C	Ray Lindemann, 848-3058 rwlp@hotmai.com	Cross Pointe Center, behind LaRosa's, Centerville	Dry roads
8:00-ish	SE	50/day	C	Joan Rudy, 898-7482 jsrudy@core.com	Young's Dairy; DCC's Morrow Wine Ride Dinner @ Valley Vineyards	Overnight "camping" indoors Nov 5-6; register by Oct. 22
1:00 pm	SE	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	1026 Firewood Dr, Beavercreek	CTC; hilly ride
<b>Sunday, Nov. 6</b>						
8:00 am	OA	50+	B	Jack Frillman, 429-2439	Waukesha, WI	CTC
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
9:00 am	SW	30	C	Jim Casey, 847-7474 Larry Wymer, Wareagle72@msn.com	Municipal pkg lot @ Linden & Miami aves, Miamisburg	CTC; to Kathy's Kitchen, Germantown
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
<b>Monday, Nov. 7</b>						
6:00 pm	NV	22	All	Fred Lounsberry, 236-3535 Kevin Dobo, 773-7923	Process Equipment Co, 6555 OH 202, Tipp City Southeast corner of Studebaker Rd and OH 202	www.fredsride.com Lights required

## LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, Dec 11: **DCC's Christmas Lights Ride**, 6 p.m. at Marion's Piazza parking lot on the northwest corner of Patterson and Shroyer roads, Dayton. Anita Patten, (937) 974-4171; anitapatten@hotmail.com.

### A different kind of mail carrier



## 70 turn out for August Blue Streak Time Trial

By Chuck Smith, DCC vice president  
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Dayton Cycling Club member Richard Myers came within two seconds of winning the Aug. 16 U.S. Air Force Blue Streak Time Trial at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. Myers finished the 10-mile course in 20 minutes, 56 seconds, just behind Abe McNutt of Dayton. They both averaged 28.6 mph in the 70-rider field.

Myers, 68 years young, relies on the aerodynamics of his homemade, fully faired recumbent bicycle (a.k.a. human-powered vehicle or HPV) to compete with much younger cyclists such as the 29-year-old McNutt. Myers' HPV resembles an airplane without wings moving on two bicycle wheels. Myers overtook conventional bicyclist Dan Waite, who had started a minute ahead, and edged him by two seconds at the finish line, his HPV wobbling side to side as he strained with each pedal stroke.

DCC member Mark Perun finished third among DCC members and 13th overall in 24 minutes, 11 seconds for an average speed of 24.81 mph.

Perun said afterward, "The weather was just about perfect. We had a short reprieve from the heat that was timed perfectly, and what little wind there was was from the north. Everyone will tell you they appreciate a finishing tailwind. You couldn't ask for much more. Overall, it was a very good night."

DCC member Alisa Meyer drove from her home in Sidney to compete. She finished in 26:45 for a 22.43-mph average. According to Meyer, it was worth the trip.

She said, "Blue Streak is a fun time trial to compete in. The course is excellent. There is one tricky spot around the far end, but once you know the course, it is simply give it everything you have and you will be surprised (at) what you can do. My time at the August event was actually a slower time than past Blue Streaks. I am looking forward to September to hopefully improve on my best time, (which was) in June."

The final 2005 U.S. Air Force Blue Streak Time Trial will be Sept. 20. All are welcome to participate. Helmets are required. Go to [www.daytoncyclingclub.org](http://www.daytoncyclingclub.org) to print, sign and mail in the Blue Streak waiver/registration form so it arrives at least a week before the event.

On Sept. 20, assemble at 5 p.m. in the tennis club parking lot on Skeel Avenue in Area C, and check your name on the roster by 5:30 p.m. Numbers will be distributed at 5:45 p.m., and riders will



*Photo by Chuck Smith*

DCC members Richard Myers (in HPV) and Anita Patten relax before the Aug. 16 U.S. Air Force Blue Streak Time Trial.

be released individually at one-minute intervals starting at 6 p.m. 🚲

### U.S. Air Force Blue Streak Time Trial Results Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2005 Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, 10-mile loop

Name	Bib No.	MPH	Time (Mins:Secs)
Abe McNutt	62	28.66	20:56
<u>Richard Myers</u>	65	28.62	20:58
Vince Kish	52	27.95	21:28
Peter Wimberg	28	27.65	21:42
Dan Waite	64	27.27	22:00
Rodney Sauser	63	26.81	22:23
Dave Hurley	59	25.82	23:14
William Hannon	53	25.46	23:34
<u>Gary Hickey</u>	46	25.41	23:37
Chris Arzburger	60	25.14	23:52
Brian Stahl	57	25.07	23:56
Leon Burk	70	25.07	23:56
<u>Mark Perun</u>	58	24.81	24:11
Nick Waite	50	24.79	24:12
Jeff Falcone	49	24.66	24:20
<u>Ben VanWye</u>	44	24.64	24:21
<u>Ron Garrett</u>	61	24.57	24:25
Matt Bohn	18	24.51	24:29
Mark Davis	47	24.14	24:51
<u>Allen &amp; Mary Ellen Byrum</u>	37	24.13	24:52

Steve Owens	51	24.10	24:54
Lenny Baker	48	24.02	24:59
Doug Jewell	55	23.89	25:07
Jeff Kuzma	17	23.81	25:12
David Hardwick	54	23.81	25:12
<u>Chris Cowan</u>	40	23.62	25:24
Gary Blair	56	23.58	25:27
John Peterson	38	23.47	25:34
Joe Raskay	36	23.36	25:41
Krystal Lacy	43	23.33	25:43
Chad Schroeder	45	23.20	25:52
Howard Smith	11	23.18	25:53
James Naber	27	23.14	25:56
Rodney Fruehauf	19	23.08	26:00
David L. Rich	32	23.03	26:03
Lee Test	26	23.02	26:04
Scott Strong	20	22.92	26:11
Todd Benane	33	22.78	26:20
Greg Carpenter	34	22.70	26:26
<u>Anita Patten</u>	66	22.56	26:36
Jeff Mulcahey	14	22.54	26:37
<u>Alisa Meyer</u>	35	22.43	26:45
Mark Calcaterra	41	22.39	26:48
David J. Rich	31	22.33	26:52
Wade Siegel	7	22.17	27:04
<u>Sheri Noer</u>	9	22.15	27:05
Steven Webber	5	22.07	27:11
Dean Hertert	25	21.99	27:17
Doug Hamilton	15	21.82	27:30
<u>Chuck Smith</u>	24	21.77	27:34
Emir Stewart	22	21.73	27:37
James Stewart	29	21.69	27:40
Chris Hamilton	69	21.69	27:40
Brian Chapman	67	21.52	27:53
Steve Zelick	12	21.26	28:13
Mike Romero	13	21.10	28:26
<u>Casey Smith</u>	23	21.00	28:34
Sean Barrett	21	20.88	28:44
Randy Levine	2	20.79	28:52
<u>Ed Davis</u>	16	20.65	29:03
Betty Warwick	10	20.63	29:05
Mike Allen	30	20.62	29:06
<u>Karen Wells Hamilton</u>	3	20.51	29:15
Dan Sauser	6	19.82	30:16
Wallace Cypher	1	19.72	30:26
Jim Perry	68	19.67	30:30
Brian Daniels	39	19.24	31:11
Chistina Falcone	8	18.45	32:31
Don Knepeke	42	18.29	32:48
Erin Siebeneck	4	17.04	35:13

\*Underlined names are those of Dayton Cycling Club members.🚲

**"The only regret I have in my life is never learning to ride a bicycle.."**

— Helen Hayes

# DCC Travelogue

Descriptions of bike trips by DCC members

## Check out a nice multi-day ride in our own back yard

By Mark Jurkovich, DCC member

I participated in the second annual Greene Trails Cycling Classic, based at the Greene County Fairgrounds in Xenia. About 250 people from at least five states took part in the July 21-24 event. I heard several comments comparing the event favorably to the Great Ohio Bicycle Adventure, but without the hassle of packing up your tent every morning.

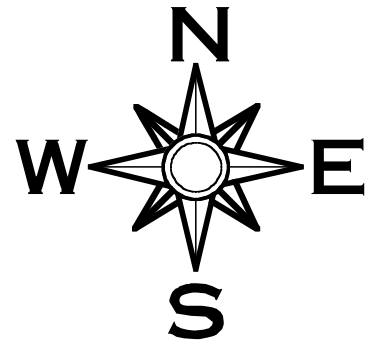
The event showcased the many miles of trails that spread out along all four compass points from Xenia. It also included optional extended rides along off-trail routes that took you to places such as Clifton Mill, Fort Ancient and a mini-tour of Greene County covered bridges. Altogether, one could get in more than 250 miles over the four days by taking all the optional extensions. I got in a little over 230 miles, including my first century.

The event was very family-friendly, with the option of going as many or as few miles as the smaller family members could handle. Plus there was daily access to the pool next to the fairgrounds — which was very welcome on these hot summer afternoons — as well as evening entertainment and discounts at the many towns along the trails.

I encourage everyone to take advantage of an event right in your own back yard and consider joining it next year. You can even “cheat” like I did and sleep in your own bed each night and leave the tent in the closet.🚲

•We would like to publish DCC members' descriptions of their bicycle tours. Send your 450- to 900-word article to “DCC Travelogue,” 935 Hathaway Road, Dayton 45419; or send e-mail to [spokenlink@earthlink.net](mailto:spokenlink@earthlink.net).

Sketches and photos are appreciated as well. If you mail a photo, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.🚲



# 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) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- I would like paper and e-mail versions of the newsletter.  
 I do not want the e-mail version of the newsletter.  
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**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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