ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN

(formerly TRI-COUNTY WHEELERS)

1972 bicycle rides--general

- SUNDAY--meet any nice Sunday at Courthouse Square, Peoria (across from Caterpillar administration building) at 8:30 a.m. Leave promptly at 9 a.m.
- WEDNESDAY EVENING--meet at McClure Library (McClure and North Streets) for a ride in the direction of Sheridan Village. (Don't park in the library parking lot.) Bikes should have lights and reflectors; wear light-colored clothing.
- SATURDAY MORNING--if you're interested in a 6 a.m. ride, call Joe Mugavero at 685-6608 for details.

1972 SCHEDULED RIDES

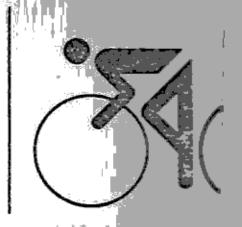
- SUMDAY, APRIL 16, 8:30 a.m. Meet at Mossville Grade School for the "Old Galena Road" ride to Chillicothe, Rome, and return; about 18 miles or 2 hours. Bring a lunch if you wish.
- SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 8:30 a.m. Meet at Pioneer Park Bank (north end of University Street) for a breakfast ride to Jubilee Park. Someone with a car will carry your picnic gear to the park and prepare a fire; about 18 miles round trip.
- SUNDAY, APRIL 23--CHAMPAIGN SPRING CENTURY--for information and entry forms write: Cal Locker, 1002 W. Springfield, Urbana, Ill.
- SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 8:30 a.m. Meet at Courthouse Square in downtown Peoria and ride to Glen Pak Park and Grandview Drive. Stop at the Peoria Heights tower, if you wish. Approximately 15 miles round trip.
- SUNDAY, MAY 7, 8:30 a.m. Meet at the McClure Library and cycle to Glen, Big Hollow Road, Charter Oak Road, and then to either Jubilee Park (32 miles) or to the Pioneer Bank (20 miles).
- SUNDAY, MAY 14, 8:30 a.m. Meet at Courthouse Square, Peoria, and cycle to Fondulac Drive and Morton; about 30 miles round trip.
- SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, MAY 13, 14--TOSRV (Tour of Sciota River Valley). For information, write: TOSRV Communications, P. O. Box 23111, Columbus, Ohio 43223
- SUNDAY, MAY 21, 8:30 a.m. Meet at the old Metamora Courthouse and ride through the country side; 17 miles.
- SUNDAY, MAY 28, 8:30 a.m. Meet in Pekin at Pekin Farmer Auto (out Court St., about 2 blocks before K-mart) for a ride to Tremont and Mackinaw on old Allentown road; about 20 miles.

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BICYCLE RIDES - SUMMER, 1972

SUNDAYS:

JUNE 25, 1972 BISHOP HILL Meet in downtown Peoria at Courthouse Square at 8:00 a.m. if you want to drive to Galva (west of Kewanee) in a group. If you want to go directly there, meet by 9:30 a.m. at the park (NW 4th and NW 2nd Sts., across from the white Baptist Church.) Bring a sack lunch and drink.

Bicycle from Galva to Bishop Hill on a small blacktop road; the distance is about 10 miles each way. There is a museum and many restored buildings to go through. Old paintings and primitive tools from this early Swedish settlement are on display; many hand-made items are for sale.

JULY 2, 1972 GALENA ROAD Meet at 8:00 a.m. at Mossville Grade School (dir ectly west of the Caterpillar Industrial Engine Plant north of Mossville) and ride to Chillicothe-Rome-and return along the river. Most of the ride will be along little-used routes (primarily Old Galena Road) and a part of it is along the river (Rome). There are few hills to climb. Refreshments and food can be obtained in Chillicothe if you don't wish to bring anything along.

JULY 9, 1972 MORTON to EUREKA Meet at 8:00 a.m. at Osborn Park (at the north end of Main Street) in Morton; bicycle to Eureka Lake (about 22 miles).

JULY 16, 1972 FONDULAC DRIVE Meet at 8:00 a.m. in downtown Peoria at Courthouse Square and bicycle across the river and along Fondulac Drive to Morton and return—about 30 miles.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON duly 22, 1972 1:00 p.m. Meet the McClure Library (McClure and North Streets) and bicycle through the Knolls to Sheridan Village. (Park in the block behind the library--don't use the library lot if the library is open.) This will be a leisurely ride on back streets to determine if Saturday rides might be better for some of our members.

SUNDAY

July 30, 1972 JUBILEE PARK BREAKFAST RIDE--for fast and slow riders. Fast riders will meet at the McClure Library at 7:00 a.m. and cycle to Jubilee Park. Slow riders will drive out to Jubilee and meet the fast riders at 8:15 a.m. for breakfast. (Bring your eggs, bacon, etc.) Fast riders will then return to the library; slow riders will cycle to Alta and return to Jubilee.

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