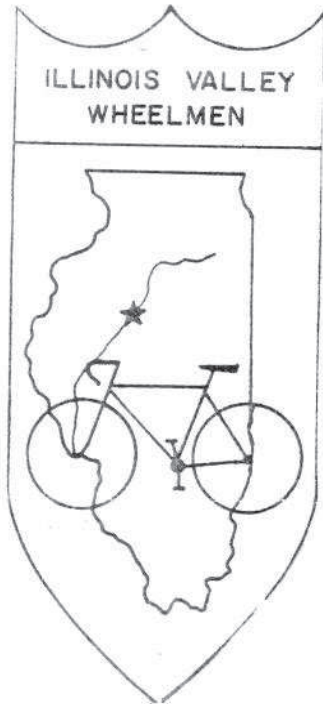


ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN

P.O. Box 1523, Peoria, Illinois

AUGUST, 1978



President	Ron Anderson	283-2018
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AUGUST MEETING - 8/24/78 C.O.R.D. Building, 6518 N. Sheridan Road, Peoria, Illinois (7:30 P.M.) Program for this meeting will be the viewing of the film "Wandering Wheels" presented by Schwinn. This is a professional full-length film on bicycling which has recieved outstanding reviews. Beisure not to miss this one.

Presidential Notes - Great turnout on just a fantastic evening for last month's picnic meeting! Was nice to see some of the IVW families there too.

The Saturday morning rides are chaning the starting point format as an experiment for a month or two to see if we can get more of you out to ride with us. See Ride Schedule. We would like to include a Peoria ride too if someone would suggest a good location away from traffic and agree to "head" once a month or so.

We are still having problems meeting the needs of our slower, shorter distance riders. That bothers me so we have scheduled a ride for inexperienced riders, new members, families, or whomever desires this type of ride. You strong riders who prefer longer distances are not welcome unless you bring a new member, wife, kids, etc. who wish to ride this slower pace and you agree to ride with them! See ride schedule for date, etc. I'm sure that trying to meet all of our members interest can only help the club. This ride will start at Washington Square and the riders will enjoy a leisurely 15 mile (approx. 2 hour ride) on easy terrain.

By my court there were 14 IVW members at the Tour of the Mississippi River Valley. It was a fine tour on a warm but not windy and not very hilly weekend. For many of us the 175 miles in a weekend were more miles that we had done before in two days - or would want to do too often. Organization of the ride to QCBC was really great - especially for a first time event of that magnitude. Only Don was unhappy (he arrived at Burlington before his baggage/FAST)

11th ANNUAL CIBA



11TH ANNUAL CIBA HILLY HUNDRED WEEKEND - October 7-8, 1978. Enthusiasm in the club is building for this year's Hilly Hundred in Bloomington, Indiana. Last year we took second place in the "number of club members attending times the distrance travelled" category. This year we know we can take first with a few more members. Make your commitment to go with us now! Send in the registration form and then keep riding so you

will be ready (it's only 50 miles per day). There are extra forms floating around if you need one call Rose Brewer (Secy. 685-7172). Yes, there are some real hills at the "Hilly" but with 1500 riders I can guarantee that there will always be someone having more trouble getting to the top than you will. The scenery in fantastic with fall colors glowing in Southern Indiana's famous Brown County. On Saturday, with your registration fee, you will received a free food stop for lunch and that evening enjoy a super chilli supper afterwards attending the awards program, awards given for the oldest, youngest, those to rode to the ride, farthest distance, and, of course, the coveted club attendance award. They after the awards are presented, folk singing by Kara Company as in the past will entertain you. On Sunday the ride goes through the quaint countryside surrounding Nashville, Indiana (abounding with tourist gift shops) up Greasy Creek hill and down to Beanblossom. To help us win the prize you need only ride on Saturday. Come with us - it's a great event! It's important to register NOW before registrations are cut off!

Ron Anderson, President

TOURING REPORT:

6/18 Mossville to Chillicothe, Bill Perry
Familiar ride drew ten riders

7/2 Peoria Courthouse, Ron Matuska
Six familiar IVW riders got together

7/9 Peoria Courthouse to Detweiller, Joe
Mugavero. A humid, windy, sunny warm day
drew ten new IVW riders.

7/16 Jubilee Park to Brimfield, Dodie
Mugavero. Joe and Dodie and David, Rich
Miller and Rich White rode west of Peoria
on this sunny, hot and windy day.

7/23 Peoria Courthouse - informal no rept.

7/30 Pekin, Mineral Springs Pool to Tremont.
Fred Carrick and 18 riders rode to Tremont.
One of the riders was only 6 years old and
rode quite well. We want more new members and
new people like this leisurely ride. Super
turnout and a good ride.

1978 HALLOWEEN RIDE - October 29, 1978.

Plan now to attend the 1978 Halloween ride on
October 29. Let's make this an old-fashioned
family ride. Everybody rides. Set your own
pace, fast, slow or in the middle. Full sag
service and two winners; no hills and your
choice on the distance you want...5-10-15 miles.
Fall weather may be here so we start at 1 p.m.
at the Field Shopping Center, Morton, Illinois.
If the kids ride, bring them; if they don't,
get a sitter. If you have a friend with a
three-speed or standard bike, bring them.
Could be a long, cold winter, see you on
Halloween. L.A.W. Patch available. A mask
and costume not required.

Don Eberle (info. call 699-2790)

IVW PROFILE

Les Seigrist joined the IVW in 1971. Les is a
native of the area, now living in Washington. He
attended Bradley University. Les is 42 years old,
and he works in appliance serve for Montgomery Ward.
He has two bikes, but he prefers his chrome Para-
mount. He rode approximately 1,500 miles last year.
Les rides his bike for physical fitness and recrea-
tion. He also rides a motorcycle. Les is a very
active club member.

Don Eberle

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ILLINOIS CYCLE

PEORIA PEKIN

Jack Welch may ride to Springfield on
Sept. 9 for the Capital City Century
held on Sept. 10. If anyone is interested
in riding with him call him at 346-9866.

Ron Matuska may ride to the Hilly 100.
If you want to ride their too call him
at 697-9009.

The CHICKEN RIDE date is October 22.
Plan to attend now. To really do it up
right, by riders attending and plan on
eating their fill of chicken, should begin
to fast about October 15.

LAW TOURS OF INTEREST:



- 9/10 - Capital City Century, Spfld. IL
- 9/16-17 - Farmland Tour, DeKalb, IL
- 9/17 - Blackhawk Century, Rockford, IL
- 9/17 - Prairie Fall Century, Urbana, IL
- 9/24 - Apple Cider Century, Three Oaks, Mich
- 10/1 - Turning Leaven Cen., Edwardsburg, Mi.
- 10/7-8 - Hilly Hundred, Bloomington, Ind.

FOR SALE:

1 pair track hubs built with road rims.
Normandy Quality hubs. \$35.00. Assorted
new & used tubulars. Jay Manthey 676-2011

ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN RIDE SCHEDULE
AUGUST-SEPTEMBER, 1978

DATE	TIME	DESCRIPTION	CHAIRMAN
Saturday morning	8:00 A.M.	8/19 Morton - Field Shopping Center (about 20 mi.)	Harold 264-0725
		8/26 none - see ride schedule	
		9/2 Pekin - Pekin Insurance "	Jack 346-9866
		9/9 Washington - Washington Square "	Les 283-4660
		9/16 East Peoria - Fondulac Park "	Don 699-2790
Wednesday evening	6:30 P.M.	Meet at Washington Square (about 20 miles)	Ron 283-2018 Les 283-4660
August 13 Sunday	7-9 A.M.	IVW TRACTOR CITY METRIC CENTURY (62 or 31 miles) Field Shopping Center - Morton	Don Eberle 699-2790
August 18 Friday	10:00 P.M.	Eureka Courthouse - Moonlight Ride *LIGHTS AND REFLECTORS REQUIRED*	Carol Stiles 467-2617
August 26 Saturday	8:00 A.M.	LAKE CAMELOT CLUB HOUSE to Shad Hill, Farmington. 40 mi. out / 20 mi. back. Lunch at Shad Hill. Sag for those wanting to go only one direction (out or back) Swimming after ride - beverages served. Those who plan to go MUST call Ron Matuska 697-9009.	Ron Matuska 697-9009
August 27 Sunday	1:30 P.M.	Washington Square - Washington, Illinois (15 miles)	Pam Anderson 283-2018
Sept. 2 Saturday	5:30 A.M.	Mossville United Meth. Church (bottom of Mossville hill) to Chillicothe (18 Mi.) Michael's for coffee	Max Koehl 692-1529
Sept. 10 Sunday	9:00 A.M.	McClure Library, Peoria to Bradley Park (stop for coffee and donuts)	Dorothy Belke 682-7914
Sept. 17 Sunday	8:00 A.M.	Eureka Courthouse to Bloomington (tentative) (60 miles)	Rich Miller 692-1656

ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN / VITESSE VELO RACING TEAM TRAINING SCHEDULE

August 16	criterium - Pioneer Park - 12 mi.	All races start at 6:30 P.M. Contact Steve Berger 676-2011. HELMETS REQUIRED Quarter fee per race earn points for yearly award.
August 23	Road Race - 12.5 mi. - Jubilee State Park	
August 30	TT 10 mi. - Jubilee State Park	
Sept. 6	criterium - 12.5 mi. - Pioneer Park	
Sept. 13	TT - Jubilee State Park - 9 mi.	
Sept. 20	Cyclo Cross Location to be announced.	
Sept. 27	TT - Jubilee Park - 9 mi. (last of year)	
Oct. 4	Cyclo Cross (location to be announced) last race of year	



- * Riders under 16 must be accompanied by a Responsible Adult.
- ** IVW assumes no responsibility for accident, injury or damage.
- *** Call listed Ride Chairman for additional details.

We only need a few more members to complete the membership goal of 100 members. Bring a friend and show him how much fun riding a bicycle can be.

one more reminder - don't forget to send in your Hilly Hundred application for the October ride. Let's promote the IVW.

RACING SECTION MEETING: August 20, 1978
900 Bourland, 7:30 P.M.

To be discussed:

1979 Sponsorship (possible 2d sponsor)
1979 USCF Races to be put on
10/15 USCF Cyclo Cross Race (IVW)
October Elections
Racing Section By-laws.

PROPOSED ADDITION TO By-Laws of
Illinois Valley Wheelm'n, Inc.

Racing Section

Racing members of the Club shall constitute an autonomous group and shall have the authority to promulgate their own By-Laws.

Delete from the By-Laws present racing section By-Laws.

IVW CLUB JACKETS ARE AVAILABLE. If you like how the blue/gold jackets look, at the next meeting put in your order. When we receive another order of ten will be get you one.

IVW T-SHIRTS will be ordered in September. If you don't have one, get one, if your old one has bike grease and is no longer yellow order a new one. They will be available for the Hilly Hundred and the generally afterwards. Club uniformity looks good.



Welcome New Members!

Carl H. Buerger, Jr. family
Michael Dolan family
Scott Fjelstad

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For Sale: Motobecane Grand Jubilee, 1 yr. old. 23" mens frame, SunTour Cyclone Deraileurs, Michelin 'Elan' Tires, SR Apex Crankset, Reynolds '531' Fram, Ideale Saddle, Pivo bar & stem, ridden less than 2 months.
Bill Kreighbaum, 691-8497 after 5 p.m.

LOCAL OUT-OF-TOWN TOUR!!!

"London Mills Ride" Sunday, August 20.
Registration and start from the Galesburg City Square on U.S. 150. from 7 to 9 a.m. \$5.00 fee includes T-shirt, map, food and rest stops, sag wagons, and route markings. Ride on lightly traveled County roads. Mostly flat terrain with a few hills. Route goes to London Mills and back. 100 km (62.5 mi.) give or take
Sponsored by the Galesburg Jaycees.
Questions: John Burgland 309/343-1514 or 342-9604. Eet's see the IVW in full force, note there is no IVW Sunday ride scheduled.

AMISH LANDS & LAKES RIDE REPORT. This annual event held in Howe Indiana sponsored by the Michiana Bicycle Assn. had 6 IVW representative present. Saturday's ride went through the quite countryside of Indiana Amishland. The road hazards were only the natural ones left by the passing horse and buggys of the Amish people. Rose and Diane and Amy made a new friend that weekend, a tiny stray kitten, now named appropriately "Amish" The kitty rode for a while in Rose's jersey pocket and then finish the ride in the arms of a little boy in a bugge. Sundays ride went through Michigans hills and lake country. A side trip was made to a fruit stand, one of the lakes for a cool dip, and of course, Zimmies for a cool drink. A super ride and perfect weather. Let's all go again next year, I'm ready.

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