

ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN

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AUGUST MONTHLY MEETING: 8/28/80 at 7:30 p.m. C.O.R.D. Building 6518 N. Sheridan Rd, Peoria, Ill. The program will be on Sports Medicine with Jeff Sunderlin of the Forest Park Foundation presenting the latest in the field of Sports Medicine. Refreshments will be available at the meeting.

PRESIDENT'S NOTES: By the time you read this, the Pumpkin Metric will be history. Thanks Don and Peggy for all the effort you've put into making another successful ride.*** Sunday August 31 is the date for our annual Chicken Ride. The ride dates back to the late 1800's when the Wheelmen would ride their Hi-wheelers to Chillicothe for a chicken dinner. Every IVW member should attend, this is the most socialable ride on our calendar. Any rider including children on coaster-brake bicycles will have a great time.*** September is National Century Month. The theory is that after a year of getting in shape most of us should be able to complete a century. Additionally, the weather is usually much cooler. Bikers in central Illinois have several opportunity to ride. There are rides scheduled in Springfield, Champaign, Rockford, Joliet, and Three Oaks Michigan. The Apple Cider Century is the best attended one-day ride in the country. Even if you don't want to ride the full centruy, don't pass up the opportunity to participate in at least one of these events. They all have shorter options available. Call Les or Don for more information about the rides or transportation there.*** The Hilly 100 will be held Oct 25 & 26 this year; much later than previously so the fall foliage should be in full color. Do not miss this ride. Make your plans now and join over 1000 other bicyclists in Bloomington Ind. *** The annual dinner meeting will be November 22 at Maple Shade Restaurant in Dunlap. Details in the next bulletin. Ron.

DON EBERLE'S IVW PROFILE: Bob Jones is 43 years old. He is from Peoria and is a general foreman at Mapleton Caterpillar. He has two bikes and they are a Trek 716 and a Motobecane Tandem. He rides his Trek the most and rode about 1,500 miles last year. Bob joined the I.V.W. in 1976. He rides his bike for physical fitness and recreation. His other interests include camping, reading, and photography.

IVW ANNUAL CHICKEN RIDE AUGUST 31

CYCLING IN THE NEWS: LOS ANGELES - A state appeals court says drunken bicycling is not the same as drunken driving. Monday's ruling upheld a Los Angeles Superior Court judge who had thrown out charges of cycling under the influence of alcohol in a case involving three men. But the appeals panel said a cyclist so drunk on a public highway "that he is unable to exercise care for his own safety or the safety of others" would be guilty of disorderly conduct.

IVW'S NOTES AND COMMENTS: Harold Moloney had a serious accident when a dog ran into his path and he landed on his side. He spend some time in the hospital for a punctured lung and damaged ribs.*** Jason Manthey was born July 15 to Jay and Ann Manthey. Congratulations. *** The Gottwalds just returned from a trip to Ireland and reported to have a good time.*** The Wellwoods also did some cycling in Door County on their vacation.*** Interest has been expressed in ordering some club jackets. More information will be available at August meeting. T shirts are now available at \$4.00 each.***Joop Zoetemelk won the Tour de France this year after finishing runner-up for five years.*** John Marino broke his own record by riding from Santa Monica CA to New York City in 12 days 3 hours and 41 minutes. That is 2,900 miles. He was programmed to function on four hours of sleep each night and he did not need more. He said the trip was actually enjoyable at times.*** Maryland has a law forbidding bicyclists from using highways with a speed limit of 50 mph or more, and this may be a trend in the future.*** The L.A.W. is pushing for mandatory deposit on bottles because broken glass on the road is a hazard to bicyclists, and states with bottle deposit laws have cut down sharply on highway litter, including bottles.*** If a good ride is in terms of difficulty then TOMRV was a good ride this year. 97 degree weather and the mountains.

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ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN RIDE SCHEDULE

AUGUST & SEPTEMBER 1980

LES SIEGRIST RIDE CHAIRMAN

DATE	TIME	DESCRIPTION	RIDE LEADER
FRIDAY August 22	10:00 p.m.	Moon Light ride. Meet at Eureka Courthouse. Lights are required.	Carol Stiles 467-2617
SATURDAY & SUNDAY August 23 & 24		Campout at Pere Marquette State Park, Sat Illinois River Route, free ferries, 63 miles with longer and shorter options. Sun ride into Missouri cross the Mississippi River via toll ferry. Meals at park lodge.	Ron Matuska 688-2488
SUNDAY August 24	7:00 a.m.	Breakfast Ride. Meet at Pekin Mall, Pekin, Illinois in the parking lot behind Pennys. Ride to Delavan American Legion Post 32 miles	Jack Welch 387-6282
SUNDAY August 31	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Peoria Courthouse Mossville Grade School Lunch in Chillicothe at full-service restaurant. Sag Optional long route back to Peoria.	Ron Matuska 688-2488
SUNDAY September 7	8:30 a.m.	Meet at Field Shopping Center Morton and ride to Marquette Hats & Pekin 35 miles	Roger Wise 674-7502
SUNDAY September 7	8:30 a.m.	Meet at McClure Libruary for ride to Grand View Drive	Gottwalds 692-1991
SUNDAY September 7	7:00 a.m.	Capital City Century Springfield, Illinois 25/25/75/100	
SUNDAY September 14	8:30 a.m.	Meet at I.C.C. Tennis Courts and ride to Lowpoint and back 56 miles.	Rich Miller
SUNDAY September 14	8:00 a.m.	Meet at Mini-Park on Hight Street.	Joanne & Jack Fought
SUNDAY September 14	7:00 a.m.	Prairie Fall Century Urbana, Illinois 35/62/100 miles.	
SUNDAY September 21	8:30 a.m.	Meet at McClure Libruary and ride to Glen Oak Park and beyond.	Joe Mugavero 685-6608
SUNDAY September 21	10:00 a.m.	Meet at Oakwood park for 30 miles of riding Park is North of Morton	Harold Moloney 263-0725
SUNDAY September 21	2:00 p.m.	Picnic at Oakwood park north of Morton Ill Bring enough to feed the family.	Les Siegrist 444-4660
SUNDAY September 28	8:00 a.m.	Meet at Universalist Unitarion Church and ride to Bradley Park for breakfast. Bring food on the bike.	Jack & Joanne Fought 676-6849
SUNDAY September 28	8:30 a.m.	Meet at Peoria Courthouse and ride to Morton and back.	Les Siegrist 444-4660
SUNDAY September 28	7:00 a.m.	Apple Cider Century Three Oaks, Michigan 25/50/75/100 miles	Ron Matuska 688-2488
Every Saturday	8:30 a.m.	Meet at Washington Square for ride in country around.	Ron Anderson 444-2018
Every Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Meet at McClure Lib. for short ride in Peoria Meet at Washington Square for short ride	Joe Mugavero Les Siegrist

If you see your favorite ride missing from the ride schedule, please contact Les Siegrist and he will help you schedule your ride.

ILLINOIS VALLEY WHEELMEN 1980 APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

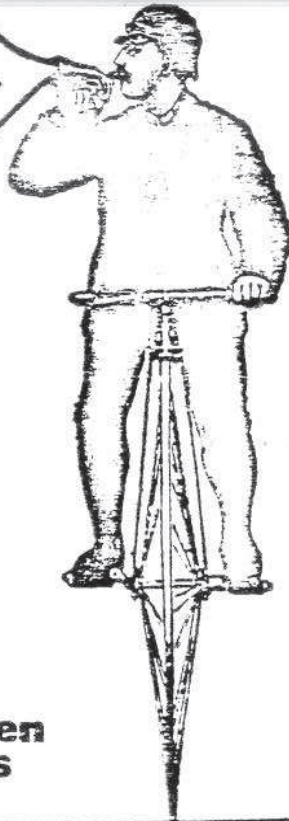
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IVW/VITESSE RACING TEAM NEWS

Upcoming Training Races

August 26 Deer Creek TT
September 9 Eureka RR
September 16 Pioneer Park
September 23 Deer Creek TT
September 30 Eureka RR
Contact Ken Beckler at 745-5458 for more information about upcoming training races.

Results from local training races

I5 July TT	29 Jul Pioneer Park
Rod Myers 27:37	Jay Manthey
Ron Matuska 28:41	Steve Meismer
Rich Miller 29:11	Brett Richets
	Ken Beckler

August TT Deer Creek I2 August Eureka RR

Jay Manthey 24:25	Steve Meismer
Ken Beckler 25:26	Sam Joslin
Sam Joslin 25:43	Ken Beckler
Jim Roberts 25:48	Jay Manthey
Steve Meismer 27:25	Rich Miller
Ron Matuska 28:12	Brett Ricketts
Brett Ricketts 28:54	
Bob Lipka 30:25	
Dave Diebel 30:28	
Bruce Joslin 31:18	

The new tourist 10 mile time trial had a very successful start last thursday night adding a new activity to our club. With seven members, i prospective new member showing up and with another 8 or 10 interested in the next time trial hopefully this will be a regular event for the club.

Marilyn Gottwald was the first women in with a time of 50 minutes. She now is challenging all the female club members at the next time trial.

Max Koehl was the only one who didn't finish but he had a good reason with a flat tire about 3 miles out. The next time trials will be at the 2nd set of stop lights at Caterpillar Mossville plant on Mossville road.

Thursday August 21 at 6:30
Thursday Sept 18 at 6:30

Jim Roberts	27:08	Bob Jones	31:27
Rod Myers	27:26	Dave Gottwald	36:24
Keith Niles	30:00	Marilyn Gottwald	50:00
Alex Hodge	30:21		

Additions 7-10-80

95) BOULTON, Al F.-800 W. Bartlett Ct., Peoria 61604	682-6996
96) COX, A. G. & family-4202 Northbrook Ct., Peoria 61614	682-6680
97) DOUGLAS, R. K.-Prod. Div. AB2C, CTCo., 100 NE Adams, Peo. 61629	
98) HANEL, Michael-2300 W. Garden, Peoria 61605	637-3321
99) MARTIN, Gary V.-135 Stahl St., Washington 61571	694-3237
100) PATERSON, Tom-309 3rd St., Hilltop T.C., Bloomington 61701	828-2936
101) RITTHALER, Dan-209 Harrison, Morton 61550	266-5624
102) SIMPSON, Paul-636 Taylor, Morton 61550	263-8238

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Hours: Monday - Thursday 9-6
Friday 9-8
Saturday 9 - 5

RIDE REPORT: Sunday August 3

After meeting at the field shopping center 18 cyclists rode to the Deer Creek American Legion building for breakfast. The food was consumed in very short time. Dave Gardner and wife rode their new tandem. Don Eberle did his normal good job of organizing this ride.

RIDE REPORT: Sunday August 10

Ron Anderson led this ride from Washington to Lacon. After breakfast in Lacon the group rode to Washburn for a water stop and then to the Dairy Queen in Metamora. Les and Jack with their super light tires got flats. We did ride on two bad sections of gravel roads. Some bad judgement. Rod Meyers was testing his Bellwether packs.

R.A.C.E.R. (RUT'S ANNUAL CHILLI EATERS RIDE II)

Rain or shine, ride starts at 777 Olive St. Galesburg, Ill Sunday Oct 5 at 12:34 p.m. A short ride of 22 miles, longer ride of 36 miles with a stop at Knoxville, Ill. (flea markets, historical exhibits, etc) Knoxville is on the Knox County Scenic Drive, open this weekend. Maps and cue sheet will be furnished. Bring your favorite chili bowl and spoon. Important. RSVP no later than Sept. 21 to Robert Rutledge, 777 Olive St. Galesburg, Illinois 61401. We want to have enough chili. Non-riders who want to provide sag-wagon or help serve will be welcome.

FREE WANT-ADS

FOR SALE 23½ inch Frame Trek with Campy equipment. Contact Tracy Foster at 688-0154

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