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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next newsletter deadline: Please send any rides/walks you are planning to lead in the month of August to:

Kathy George
18822 Woods Dr. W.
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By 07/10/01

Other articles please send to:

Diana Moore
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By 07/15/01

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Club meetings are held the first Friday of the month at the Owen Jax Activities Center in Warren at 8:00 p.m. The center is located on 9 Mile just east of Van Dyke. Refreshments follow the meeting. The **July** meeting will be **Friday, July 6, 2001.**

The **August** meeting will be **Friday, August 3, 2001**

POAR MEETING

WHEN: Wednesday, July 25, 2001

TIME: 7:30 P.M.

WHERE: Aloys Turck Residence

3883 Old Creek Dr.

Troy, MI

(248) 362-4031

All team leaders, chairpersons and anyone interested in improving our P.O.A.R. are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

On the agenda, ways to enhance and sharpen up our P.O.A.R. so that our riders will want to come back and do our ride again and again.

Your presence at this meeting is very important in order to show support for our big fundraiser of the year.

May we see you there?

SUNDAY JULY 22 Paint Creek Trail/Antique Car Show/Ewe Show 9:45/10:30 AM
Dual pace and distance ride

- Group1 departs from the boat launch at Stony Creek at 9:45 AM distance of 32 miles, will meet and join group 2
- Group 2 departs from the Rochester City Park on Pine St.-one block west of Main (Rochester Rd.), one block north of University at 10:30. Ride on the Paint Creek Trail 20 miles at a pace of 10-12 MPH

Mr. Robert Mantel, a resident along the trail, hosts his antique/ restored car/truck club's show on July 22. He has invited our club to tour the grounds. We will lock our bikes at his picnic table on the trail and enjoy the show before riding to the Paint Creek Tavern for lunch. Bring your camera. After lunch we'll cycle through downtown Rochester to see the Ewe Exhibition.
Ride leaders: Peter Del Favero 248-852-8142 & Rita Zupan 810-264-0712

MONDAY JULY 23 ROCHESTER HILLS MORNING RIDE 9:00 AM

Join Shirley & Pat for a ride around nearby hilly neighborhoods in Rochester Hills. Meet at their condo at 1754 Thomas Ct. Enter Streamwood Condominiums, north off Hamlin Rd., just east of Crooks Rd.(North of M-59). Lunch after the ride. Call if weather is questionable.
Ride Leaders: Pat & Shirley Mullin 248-656-2187.

WEDNESDAY JULY 25 MINI BLUE WATER 9:30 AM

Meet at the Algonac McDonald's for a 30 mile ride on flat terrain. Ride the back roads to Marine City. Bring \$2.00 for ferry rides, ID for Canadian Customs, and a bag lunch to eat at a park along river. Ride to Walpole Island and ferry back to Algonac.
Ride leader: Marie Clifford 810-463-6647

WEDNESDAY NIGHT JULY 25 WRAMBLE WRIDE 6:30 PM

Meet at the Northeast corner of Long Lake (18 Mile) and Livernois (near AAA). Choose a 14 mile or 20 mile ride through Troy. Dinner after the ride.
Ride leaders: Kay Hein 248-879-9165 and Marilyn Drellishak 248-375-2432

SATURDAY JULY 28 GROSSE POINTE MORNING RIDE 10:00 AM

Meet at the Grosse Pointe Municipal Building at 20025 Mack Ave. between Moross and Vernier, on the West side of Mack. Park at the north side of parking lot. Lunch during the ride. if weather is questionable, we may not take the long drive into Grosse Pointe. Call before 9:00 AM on the day of ride.
Ride Leaders: Pat & Shirley Mullin 248-656

SUNDAY JULY 29 BOLOGNA FESTIVAL RIDE 10:00/11:00AM
Dual Pace and distance

- Group1 Adolfo will lead a 45 mile ride on paved country roads with some hills. Meet in Memphis at the Municipal Parking lot at 10:00. From Richmond take M-19 north into Memphis. The lot is on Potter which is one block south of the traffic light. Pace will be 15-17 MPH.
- Group2 Jane will be leading her 1st ride from Emmett, about 20 miles at a pace of 10 to 12 mph for slower riders. Meet in Emmett at 11:00 Take M-19 north into Emmett. 1/2 block from the railroad tracks, turn right on to Mary St.. Parking lot is on the left.

Both groups will ride into Yale to enjoy the Bologna Festival, a bologna sandwich, and meet the Bologna King and Queen.
Ride Leaders: Jane & Adolfo Torres 810-749-5982

WEDNESDAY JULY 11**MEMPHIS FIGURE EIGHT****9:00 AM**

Marie will lead a 40 mile (flat) ride from Memphis. Restaurant stop. Meet at the Memphis Municipal parking lot. From Richmond, follow M-19 to Memphis. One block before the traffic light, turn right on Potter Street to the lot. Leader Marie Clifford 810-463-6647

WEDNESDAY NIGHT JULY 11**WRAMBLE RIDE****6:30 PM**

Meet at the Northeast corner of Long Lake (18 Mile) and Livernois. Choose a faster or slower ride thru Troy. Mileage is 14 or 20 miles. Dinner after the ride.

Ride leaders: Kay Hein 248-879-9165 and Marilyn Drellishak 248-375-2432

SATURDAY JULY 14**RIDE & MOORE!****10:00 AM**

Tom will lead the riders on a 20 mile route through Birmingham and Bloomfield. There will be some hills. Diana will host a Barbeque at her home after the ride. Please BRING A DISH TO PASS. Call Diana and tell her what you are bringing. Meeting place; Diana's house, 3016 Starr Rd., Royal Oak, 1 block north of 13 Mile Rd. and 1 ½ blocks east off Coolidge. Do not turn on Starr off 13 Mile. Turn onto Starr off Coolidge or Woodward.

Ride Leader: Tom Miller 810-573-4754

Diana Moore 248-549-0354 (evening) or 248-489-6563 (days)

SUNDAY JULY 15**PRELLAIS****10:00 AM**

A 36 mile ride with some hills. Meet at the Attica Township Hall. Take I-69 East or West to Exit # 163 (Lake Pleasant Rd.). North on Lake Pleasant Rd. to Peppermill Rd. (Don't cross RR tracks). Go West 0.3 Miles to Township Hall. Park in gravel lot behind the building. Restaurant stop during the ride.

Ride leader: Len Ziegenmeyer 810-724-8054

WEDNESDAY JULY 18**GROSSE POINTE MORNING RIDE****10:00 AM**

Meet at the Grosse Pointe Municipal Building at 20025 Mack Ave., between Moross and Vernier, on the West side of Mack. Park at the north side of the parking lot. Lunch stop during the ride. If weather is questionable, we may not take the long drive into G.P.. Call before 9:00 AM the day of the ride.

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THURSDAY JULY 19**MY NECK OF THE WOODS****9:30 AM**

Leave from the Belle Valley Plaza at the intersection of Van Dyke and Capac Rd (old M-21) in Imlay City about 2 miles North of I-69. Ride distance is 44 miles with some hills. Purchase lunch along the route.

Ride Leader; Len Ziegenmeyer 810-724-8054

SATURDAY JULY 21**CHECK THE HOTLINE****810-819-0187****SUNDAY JULY 22****DO THE LOOP RIDE****10:00 AM**

Ride from New Baltimore to and around Harsen's Island on paved country roads. Meet in New Baltimore at the City Park, Front St. and Washington. Pace will be 14 to 16 MPH. Distance is 36 miles. Optional restaurant stop after the ride at Green Street Tavern.

Ride Leader: Adolfo Torres 810-749-5982

SELF-CONTAINED BIKE CAMPING TRIP

I am planning a weeklong self-contained bike camping trip from August 11th through August 17th. I plan to leave from my home, cross into Canada at Algonac, take the ferryboat from Kingsville, ON to Pelee Island. From Pelee Island I will take the ferryboat to Sandusky, OH. I will then ride home via Toledo. If anyone would like to join me, please let me know.

Bob George (810) 463-6058

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MS150

Fellow Slow Spokes:

For several years members of the Clinton River Riders have volunteered as "Tour Leaders" for the MS 150 ride. John Tarantino, president of the CRR, called me to see if any Slow Spokes would be interested in being "Tour Leaders". See John's description below. If you are interested, please contact John Tarantino at 810-677-0482.

Best regards,
Bob George

The ride leaves from Springfield Oaks Park in Davisburg on July 14. Ride 75 miles to East Lansing. Rest Stops approx. every 15 miles, with a lunch stop. Once we arrive dinner is served, stay overnight in dorms, breakfast in the morning. Return trip 75 miles, rest stops, lunch the same. Barbeque when finished. This is at no cost to the volunteers in which we need 20 people.

HAMS NEEDED FOR PEACH OF A RIDE

As in the past we will again be asking the assistance of the L'anse Creuse Amateur Radio Club for communications for the 2001 Peach of a Ride on Sunday, September 9th. If you are a licensed amateur radio operator and would like to assist us, we can use your help. It is not necessary for you to be a member of the L'anse Creuse Amateur Radio Club. If you would like to help, please contact Bob George (KB8QYJ) at 810-463-6058 or Don Windhorst (N8KNS) at 810-978-0184.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

Check one please: New Membership Renewal

Please make your \$10.00 check payable to Slow Spokes.
Mail this application and your check to:
Slow Spokes, P.O. Box 792, Sterling Heights, MI 48311-0792



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