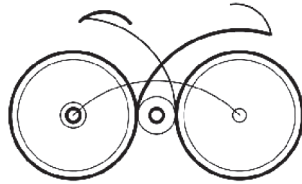


2009 Bombay Bicycle Club Ride Schedule



BOMBAY BICYCLE CLUB
MADISON, WISCONSIN

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ABOUT THE CLUB

The Bombay Bicycle Club of Madison, Inc. was founded in 1974. All cyclists are cordially invited to participate in our rides. Just show up, wear a helmet, and sign a liability waiver. There is no fee unless noted in this schedule. We hope you'll enjoy yourself enough to become a member of the club. To learn more, visit www.bombaybicycle.org.

ABOUT BOMBAY RIDES

Bombay rides are scheduled from April through November and go rain or shine. Starting times and starting points are listed in the schedule.

Traditional Sunday Rides have the largest turnout and usually have long, medium and short options. Start points are mostly close to Madison. Ride leaders usually organize staggered starts and "sweep" the route. Novice riders should consider taking the short option.

Saturday Rides – Saturday rides offer more variety in start points and distances. Many Saturday rides start in the countryside outside of Madison. Ride leaders usually organize staggered starts and "sweep" the route.

Wright Stuff Century Practice Rides – Nine of the rides between 6/9 and 8/24 are designed to be good WSC practice for riders of all abilities. Riding these hilly routes will prepare you to enjoy 9/6 whether you plan 30, 65 or 100 miles. Out of town starts will allow maximum time on hills. These rides are marked as "WSC Practice."

Thursday Evening Rides are friendly group rides of about 25 miles, always starting out of town. Participants are encouraged to stay and socialize at a local restaurant following the ride. These rides are listed in a separate section at the end of the schedule.

Rides marked "FOOD" mean that the club or ride leaders provide midride refreshments.

Rides marked "FAMILY" are easy and feature events or places of interest to parents and children.

The Tuesday Evening Leisure Series runs from June through August and is designed to be a welcoming and leisurely ride for those seeking exercise, education and fellowship. Riders meet at the Vilas Park shelter at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesdays for rides of roughly seven to ten miles. Rides will be on bike paths and through the Arboretum.

HILLINESS RATINGS

Mileages and hilliness ratings are stated for the long, medium and short loop options of all Saturday and Sunday rides. Folks, this is art, not science, but we hope it helps you choose rides you will enjoy.

Flat rides feature little or no climbing.

Rides rated **Rolling Hills** feature relatively gentle hills.

Moderately Hilly rides feature a modest number of climbs that are not unusually steep or long.

Hilly rides have many climbs and some may be quite steep or long.

Very Hilly rides are good choices for riders who really enjoy climbing and descending hills.

WHAT CAN I EXPECT ON A BOMBAY RIDE?

Routes follow scenic back roads; there may be some stretches on busier roads or highways. Before leaving the starting point each rider gets a map and a cue sheet with turn-by-turn directions for the ride. Riders go at their own pace. Our rides are not races. Typically, the ride leader will use staggered starts to group riders who ride at a similar pace.

Although the Bombay Bicycle Club of Madison, Inc. cannot assume responsibility for riders or their equipment, ride leaders will assist riders in any way they can. We require you to wear a helmet and recommend a multi-speed bicycle in safe operating condition. A water bottle is essential (two in summer) and you should be adequately prepared to fix a flat (spare tube, pump, patch kit, tire levers, and know-how).

RIDE FRIENDLY!

Bombay riders share the road with each other and motorists. Be considerate and respectful of motorists and our neighbors in the areas we visit. Participants on Bombay rides should ride predictably, smoothly, non-competitively, and in accord with Wisconsin laws. Use appropriate hand signals before slowing, stopping or turning, call out "car up", "car back", and "on your left" when passing to alert other riders, and point out road hazards to those following you.

WISCONSIN STATE LAW

Every person riding a bicycle on a roadway is granted all the rights and is subject to all the responsibilities that apply to operators of a vehicle. Motorists must leave at least three feet of clearance when passing a bicycle. Bicyclists must leave at least three feet of clearance when passing other vehicles. Bicyclists must use hand signals when turning or stopping unless both hands are needed to control the bicycle. Bicyclists should ride as near as they safely can to the right edge of the roadway, unless preparing to make a left turn. On one-way streets bicyclists may ride as close as possible to the right or left edge of the roadway. Bicyclists may not ride more than two abreast on a roadway. Bicyclists must have a white light visible from at least 500 feet in front of the bike and a red reflector at least two inches in diameter visible from at least 500 feet to the rear when riding at night. Bicycles must be equipped with brakes in good working order.

RIDE STARTING POINTS

Directions are for travel by car; for travel by bike call ride leader.

Barneveld - Hwy 18-151 southwest from Madison, Barneveld Village Park is on County Trunk ID east of town center on bike trail

Black Earth - Highway 14 west, 15 miles, take 78 south to Village Park

Brigham County Park - Highway 18-151 west to County Trunk F, north (right) on F to park

Country Corners Tavern - Cty Hwy AB - Just east of I-90 off 12/18

Cross Plains - Highway 14 west, 10 miles, left on County Trunk KP, left on Bourbon Road, meet at the west end of Bourbon Road

Earth Rider Bike Shop - Brodhead - US-14 E, R onto WI-138, L onto CRM-MM/WI-104, R onto WI-11, R onto Exchange St. On corner 1 blk down

Elvejhem Park - Park Shelter, Painted Post Rd off Cottage Grove and Ellen.

Elver Park - McKenna Blvd. at Hammersley Road, park shelter

Garner Park - Mineral Point Road and Rosa Road

Lakeview Park - Allen Blvd (County Q) at Mendota Avenue in Middleton, park shelter

Middleton Park & Ride - At north end of Parmenter Street at Exit 249 off US 12

Monticello - At the Badger/Sugar River Trail head, north side of Cty EE

Mount Horeb Grundahl Park - Highway 18/151 southwest from Madison, take County Trunk ID through downtown Mount Horeb, turn left on Blue Mounds Road

Mount Horeb Stewart Park - From ID in downtown Mt. Horeb, right on JG to bottom of big hill, parking lot on right.

Mount Vernon - Highway 18-151 southwest from Madison, south on County Hwy G to Mt. Vernon, left on 92 to Village Park

Olbrich Park - Monona Drive and Walter Street, beach parking lot

Olin Turville Park - Lakeside St off John Nolan Drive, south lot

Paoli Town Park - South of Madison on County Trunk PB north of Hwy 69. Meet at the Gazebo.

Reindahl Park - E. Washington Avenue (Hwy 151) north of Hwy 51 at Portage Road

Spring Green River Valley High School - From the Madison Beltline, take Highway 14 west 33 miles. Turn left at the Highway 23 stoplight in Spring Green. Go 1/2 mile and turn R on Varsity into the River Valley High School parking lot.

Stoughton - Hwy. 51 south to downtown Stoughton, right (south) on South Fourth Street, Mandt Park is on left across bridge.

Tyrol Basin - From downtown Mount Horeb, right on JG, then right on Bohn Road to Tyrol Basin.

Verona Military Ridge parking lot - From the Beltline, take Verona Rd (18/151) south to the first Verona exit, turn left at Old PB (the 1st stoplight), go ¼ mile and the parking lot is on the right

Vilas Park - Vilas Park Drive at park shelter

Waterloo - Highway #19 into Waterloo. Turn north on #89 (Monroe St.) about two blocks. Turn east on Dickenson. Follow Dickenson into Firemen's Park. Our shelter is on the north side of the Park road near the upper (north) ball field.

Wauunakee - meet behind the Piggly Wiggly on Sunset Ln at the corner of routes 113 and 19, park on street.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY RIDES

APRIL

4/5 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM

Belleville Breakout

M-42, S-28 Moderately Hilly

Our first ride of 2009! See if your friends have dug themselves out of their dens! See who has the most disgusting winter gut! Visit the French-American village of Belleville via back roads.

Contact Tenny Albert, tennyalbert@gmail.com 608-249-9565

South 4/11 Sat Earth Rider Bike Shop - Brodhead 10:00 AM

Tour of the Old World

L-50, S-36 Slightly Hilly

Experience a unique tour of Amish community businesses including bakery, grocery and furniture stores. Longer loop ventures up to the historic town of Evansville.

Contact Sharon Kaminecki, sharon@earthridercycling.com; 608-897-8300

4/12 Sun Lakeview Park 10:00 AM

Roxbury Redux

L-60, S-30

It's never too early to ride out to Roxbury. Refuel and recharge in Dane, Roxbury and Mazomanie.

Contact Chris Hagman, bikexskidance@yahoo.com; 608-238-7148

4/18 Middleton Park & Ride 10:00 AM

Ask Howard

M-40, S-20

Ask Howard which bike to bring. With many gears or with but one. For those riding on gears, the 40 or 20 mile route will take you toward Lodi. For the "fixie" crew the 20 mile route will follow the Highway 12 bike path.

Contact Howard Goldman, hgoldman@chorus.net, 608-836-0727

4/19 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM

Mount Vernon View

M-49, S-29 Moderately Hilly

The short route loops to Paoli; the longer route heads west from Paoli to some old favorites like Primrose Center and Spring Rose Roads. You're done with taxes, right? Is it spring yet? Find out with Denise.

Contact Denise Oen, doen@wisc.edu 608-335-1784

4/25 Sat Brigham County Park 10:00 AM

The Hyde Ride Reborn

L-48 Hilly, S-23 Moderately Hilly

Start by heading south of the Military Ridge. The short ride then loops to Barneveld and the start, whereas the long route continues to Ridgeway and Hyde (near the Hyde Mill). The long route then goes up and over two ridges and finally climbs back up to the park.

Contact Nancy Wiegand 608-263-5534(w)

4/26 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM

New Glarus

L-63, M-42, S-28 Moderately Hilly

Take this scenic ride to the Swiss village of New Glarus, with shorter routes to Paoli and Belleville.

Contact Al Barcheski alchemistbbc@gmail.com

MAY

5/2 Sat Firemen's Park - Waterloo 10:00 AM

Waterloo Waterloops

L-60, M-40, S-20 An occasional hill

We will meet in Firemen's Park at the upper baseball field. Both loops visit lovely Lake Mills AND historic Hubbleton. Welcome May with this scenic favorite in an area we seldom visit!

Contact Jim Reynolds jreynolds@blhs.org 920-478-2115

5/3 Sun Lakeview Park 9:00 AM

Indian Lake Cruise

L-55, M-40 Moderately Hilly

Pedal the short loop to Indian Lake County Park where songs of spring birds fill the air. Or stretch your legs on the long loop over hill and dale through Roxbury.

Contact Dean Schroeder appelsin@aol.com 608-256-8813

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES ON MAY 9:

5/9 Sat Mt. Vernon Village Park 9:00 AM

Blast to Blanchardville

L-63, M-49, S-25 Very Hilly

A challenging and super-scenic ride in the driftless area through Daleyville, Hollandale and Blanchardville. Expect lots of ridgetop riding, but very little traffic.

Contact Diane Ramthun dmramthun@charter.net 608-836-0727

5/9 Sat Earth Rider Bike Shop - Brodhead 10:00 AM

Brodhead Tour the Farms

M-50, S-15 Rolling Hills FAMILY

Do the Brodhead Tour the Farms by bicycle with Sharon. Visit and tour four local farms (including an emu farm), meet the farmers and learn things you never knew about Wisconsin agriculture. Fun for kids of all ages!

Contact Sharon Kaminecki sharon@earthridercycling.com 608-897-8300

5/10 Sun Olin Turville Park 10:00 AM

Indianford Escape

L-66, M-50, S-25 Rolling Hills

This ride to Indianford on the Rock River is a spring classic. A few rolling hills is just what you need at this point in the year. The short route takes you to Lake Kegonsa and the Medium route goes to Cooksville.

Contact Bob Calder robert_calder@merck 608-245-9652

5/16 Sat Black Earth Village Park 9:30 AM

Hyde and Seek

M-45 Moderately Hilly

A scenic tour through Iowa County. Bring a picnic lunch to eat at our destination, the picturesque Hyde Mill.

Contact Susan Kavulich skav@chorus.net 608-831-2643

5/17 Sun Elvejhem Park 10:00 AM

Syttende Mai Ride

L-62, S-32 Rolling Hills

Stop into Stoughton for the annual celebration of Norwegian independence. Long route goes through Cambridge and around Lake Ripley. New start location close to Olbrich but cuts out city traffic.

Contact Monika Wingate mewingate@hotmail.com 608-212-2855

5/24 Sun Olbrich Park 9:00 AM

Bike for Bagels

L-70, M-55 Rolling Hills FOOD

Cruise through Cottage Grove, Meander through Marshall, and wind through Waterloo to a Banana-Bagel Brunch. Medium ride does Deansville enroute home. Long ride continues south round Lake Ripley, through Cambridge countryside, hits Hope, and on to Olbrich.

Contact Bob Calder robert_calder@merck.com 608-245-9652

5/30 Sat Waunakee 8:00 AM

Rockin' to Roxbury

L-55, M-45 Moderately Hilly

Join Pete for a scenic ride through Roxbury and up Dunlop Hollow - the longer route continues to Mazomanie and the Whistle Stop Café for a snack or lunch. Both routes continue along scenic Spring Valley Rd and back to Waunakee via Indian Trail.

Contact Pete Thomas Peter.Thomas@covance.com 608-837-3040

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES MAY 31:

5/31 Sun Lakeview Park 9:00 AM

Gibraltar Rock Romp

L-60, M-45 Moderately Hilly

Travel to Gibraltar Rock on scenic town roads. Expect a few steep hills on the long ride. The short option to Lodi is moderately hilly.

Contact Paul Matteoni, Paul_Matteoni@hotmail.com 608-242-1549

5/31 Sun Earth Rider Bike Shop - Brodhead 9:00 am

Go West Young Cyclist

L-80, S-36, Slightly Hilly

Peaceful roads and beautiful scenery abound from Brodhead to Monroe, the county seat of Green County and site of the historic Green County Courthouse. Short ride takes a break to explore the downtown square. The long loop continues on quiet back roads to the picturesque town of Argyle.

Contact: Sharon Kaminecki sharon@earthridercycling.com 608-897-8300

JUNE

CHOOSE FROM THREE RIDES JUNE 6:

6/6 Sat West end of Bourbon Road in Cross Plains 10:00 AM

Weston Wood's Vermont Church Ride

L-40, S-22 Hilly

Join us for Weston's favorite ride and enjoy a scenic spring bicycle tour. The ride offers the best of bicycle touring, rolling wooded hills and scenic valleys dotted with farms, against the lush green backdrop of Wisconsin springtime.

Contact Levi Wood 608-277-7959

6/6 Sat Olbrich Park 9:00 AM

Cambridge Cruise

L-54, S-34 Rolling Hills

The bakery in Cambridge is the primary re-fuel stop on this ride. Among the other enjoyments are the scenic ride along Lake Ripley and the long, straight stretches of quiet rolling hills.

Contact Bruce Verhelst bruceverhelst@sbcglobal.net 608-240-0123

6/6 Sat Monticello 7:30 PM

Once in a Blue Moon on the Trail

S-10 Flat FAMILY

Experience a full moon with a leisurely ride on the Badger Trail to the spooky Stewart Tunnel. If you've never ridden the trail in a full moon, it is totally awesome. You must have a bicycle light.

Contact Sharon Kaminecki sharon@earthridercycling.com 608-897-8300

6/7 Sun Grundahl Park - Mt. Horeb 8:30 AM

Tour de Four Counties

L-70, M-42, S-25 Hilly

Slide down to Hollandale (Iowa County), drop into Blanchardville (Lafayette), then clamber over to New Glarus (Green). Refuel at the New Glarus Bakery before clawing your way back to Mt. Horeb. Short and medium routes stay in Dane County. All three loops feature great scenery and lots of hills.

Contact Bruce Edmonson edmomass@chartermi.net 608-836-1802

6/13 Sat Reindahl Park 10:00 AM

Keyeser Kaper

M-37 Rolling Hills

North for a change, nice and easy with no real hills and a visit to the charming general store at Keyeser.

Contact Mike Dutton michael.r.dutton@gmail.com 608-554-1580

6/14 Sun Mt. Horeb Stewart Park 9:00 AM

Spring Century Sampler WSC Practice

L-66, M-51, S-32 Very Hilly

Head out west to Iowa County to view some of the scenic roads and hills you will ride on the Wright Stuff Century. Ride passes Taliesin, Frank Lloyd Wright's Wisconsin home and studio.

Contact Mike Gengler m.gengler@att.net 608-938-4549

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES JUNE 20:

6/20 Sat Lakeview Park 9:00 AM

Mazo-Mt. Horeb Madness

L-59, M-41, S-25 Hilly

West to Mazo, South to Mt. Horeb, East to Riley. Join Bruce for this midsummer classic and regain your sanity.

Contact Bruce Mayer dbmayer@yahoo.com; 608-286-9112

6/20 Sat Vilas Park 10:00 AM

Goodland Park

M-31 Flat FAMILY

This ride to Goodland Park includes Lalor Road (Rustic Road 19). Bordered on either side by native prairie plants, including numerous stands of wild plum and scattered wild asparagus, Lalor crosses Swan and Murphy Creeks and borders the Waubesa Wetlands preserve. Set back in the evergreens along one side of the road is the William Lalor Farm, originally purchased from the government in 1846. President James Polk signed the original deed. A stop at Goodland Park can include a picnic and a swim.

Contact Nancy Crabb nancy.crabb@gmail.com 608-251-8654

6/21 Sun Lakeview Park 8:00 AM

Tour de Bison

L-72, M-67, S-33 Rolling Hills

The long and medium routes pass through the McKenzie Environmental Center at Poynette. The long route also takes in some scenic shoreline of Lake Wisconsin and the Rowan Creek wetlands. Food available in Poynette.

Contact Dave Peterson, davpeterson@charter.net; 608-271-6931

6/27 Sat Vilas Park 9:00 AM

Belleville Breakout

M-42, S-28 Moderately Hilly

Visit the French-American village of Belleville via back roads.

Contact Dale Heiking, dheiking@yahoo.com 608-845-8782

6/28 Sun Lakeview Park 8:00 AM

Black Earth Hilltopper

L-75, M-57, S-40 Hilly

Get a new perspective on Western Dane and Eastern Iowa Counties. This scenic, hilly tour includes rest stops in Black Earth and Cross Plains.

Contact Greg Hyer grhyer@wisc.edu 608-798-2892

JULY

7/4 Sat West end of Bourbon Road in Cross Plains 9:00 AM

Prairie Ridge Nursery Ride

M-45, S-28 Hilly WSC Practice

Its hill and dale to Mt. Vernon, hill and dale to Mount Horeb, then hill and dale some more. This WSCP ride is for riders of all abilities and it could become one of your favorites. Restaurants and stores at Mount Horeb.

Contact Dennis Kosterman dennisk@tds.net 608-277-0451

7/5 Sun Lakeview Park 8:00 AM

Freedom Train

L-100, M-79, S-44 Hilly

Celebrate independence and ride to freedom -- North Freedom, that is. The route is 100 miles round trip with shorter loops to Devils Lake and Crystal Lake. No aid stations, but plenty of opportunities to fuel up along the way.

Contact Don Michalski dem@sal.wisc.edu 608-274-1886

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES ON JULY 11:

7/11 Sat Reindahl Park 9:00 AM

Pedal to Poynette

L-64, S-27 Rolling Hills

Explore the countryside to the north with Bruce, turning around at Poynette. Short option visits the general store in Keyeser.

Contact Bruce Verhelst bruceverhelst@sbcglobal.net 608-240-0123

7/11 Sat Black Earth Village Park 9:00 AM

Got Hills (Jacks Hilly 50 modified)

M-50, S-30 Hilly WSC Practice

This WSC practice ride takes you on a few of the roads used by the HHH and Bombay's big one. Restaurants and stores at Mount Horeb, Barneveld and Black Earth.

Contact Tenny Albert tennyalbert@gmail.com 608-249-9565

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES ON JULY 12:

7/12 Sun - Lakeview Park 8:00 AM

Fish Lake Fling

L-65, M-54, S-34 Moderately Hilly

Head north to Fish Lake and bring your lunch and enjoy a break at Fish Lake County Park or add extra loops and eat at the Roxbury Tavern or in Sauk City. Short option to Martinsville or Indian Lake Park if you add a mile or two.

Contact Tenny Albert tennyalbert@gmail.com 608-249-9565

7/12 Sun at Country Corners Tavern 9:00 AM

East Side Brunch Ride

S-22 Rolling Hills FAMILY

This ride takes you through the rolling hills and scenic farms and meadows of southeastern Dane County. The ride is a bit easier than most and is ideal for new or prospective BBC members. Enjoy the scenery and a few rolling hills but no killers. Bring a little cash for breakfast at the Nora Tavern, five miles from the finish.

Contact Kerry Stevens stevenscpa@charter.net 608-204-9651

7/18 Sat Elver Park 10:00 AM

Mount Horeb Express

S-31 Moderately Hilly

We'll ride to Mount Horeb through Riley, just not on the trail this time.

Contact Dennis Kosterman dennis@tds.net 608-277-0451

7/19 Sun Elver Park 8:00 AM

West by Northwest

L-62, M-52, S-30 Very Hilly

Head West by Northwest in search of downhill. Don will take you on as many as possible.

Contact Don Michalski dem@sal.wisc.edu 608-274-1886

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES JULY 25:

7/25 Sat Mandt Park - Stoughton 9:00 AM

To the Border and Back!

L-70, M-42 Moderately Hilly FOOD WSC Practice

Ride from Stoughton to the Illinois border and back. Not all on the same roads, of course. Experience more hills than you would expect on beautiful tree-shaded roads. Food stop at historic Beckman Mill Park.

Contact Todd Marcotte tmarcotte@charter.net 608-205-9546

7/25 Sat Earth Rider Bike Shop - Brodhead 8:00 AM

Amish Quilt Auction

S 24 FAMILY

Take a tour of the old world at the annual Amish quilt auction. Besides a huge auction of hundreds of handmade quilts bid on Amish made furniture, collectables, and even horse implements. Bake sale and hand made ice cream made with a diesel engine also featured. Bicycle there and back with pickup of your purchases by the Earth Rider van.

Contact Sharon Kaminecki sharon@earthridercycling.com 608-897-8300

7/26 Sun - Olbrich Park 8:00 AM

Aztalan Odyssey

L-65, M-36, S-24 Rolling Hills

Visit one of Wisconsin's most important archaeological sites showcasing an ancient middle Mississippian village dating to 1000 AD. Eat in Lake Mills or Cambridge (a slight detour); snacks in Deerfield or Cottage Grove.

Contact Tenny Albert tennyalbert@gmail.com 608-249-9565

AUGUST

8/1 Sat Paoli Town Park Gazebo 9:00 AM

On the Cheesehead Trail

M-43 Hilly, S-22 Moderately Hilly

We'll ride the roads of Green and Dane counties retracing the first tracks of Wisconsin's original Cheesehead. Along the way we'll see cheese being made from start to finish. We'll observe the grass! We'll wonder at the cows producing milk in pastures before our very eyes! We'll marvel at the cheese stores in Paoli and New Glarus.

Contact Jim Roberts jim-bob-biker@usa.net

8/2 Sun Elver Park 8:00 AM

Blue Mound View

L-63, M-46, S-35 Hilly WSC Practice

Enjoy a spectacular panorama from the top of Blue Mound on this hilly ride, followed by an exhilarating descent down Mounds Park Road. Shorter routes to Cross Plains and Mount Horeb.

Contact Linda Norton nortonl@carewisc.org 608-233-2346

8/8 Sat Country Corners Tavern 10:00 AM

Utica Fest Foray

S-30 Rolling hills FAMILY

Ramble through rolling hills and scenic farmland on your way to the southeastern Dane county gem of Utica. Food, beer and entertainment at the annual Utica Fest. [info@uticapark.org] The general store is also a great stop for refreshment. Beginners and vets alike will love this ride.

Contact John Beck jb.fireal@gmail.com 608-251-1904

8/9 Sun Lakeview Park 8:00 AM

Dare Devil's Lake

L-95, M-61, S-29 Hilly WSC Practice

Ride through Martinsville and Roxbury. Turn back at the Merrimac Ferry or continue to Devils Lake, where you can cool off if you dare. Return via lovely Lodi. Medium route goes to Lodi.

Contact Bob Calder robert_calder@merck.com 608-245-9652

8/15 Sat Barneveld Village Park 9:00 AM

Mineral Point for Sure!

L-57, M-30 Hilly WSC Practice

Cycling is challenging and lovely way out yonder west-southwest of Madison. Earn your visit to the historic town of Mineral Point, experience Cornwall by eating a pastie, travel some new roads.

Contact Mike Gengler m.gengler@att.net 608-938-4549

CHOOSE FROM TWO RIDES ON AUGUST 16:

8/16 Sun Lakeview Park 8:00 AM

Mazo's Backdoor

L-64, S-36 Hilly

Try out a pleasant new way to get to Mazomanie, and return via some oldies but goodies. Best of the back roads.

Contact Forrest Weesner fweesner@tds.net 608-231-0945

8/16 Sun Earth Rider Bike Shop - Brodhead 11:00 AM

Heaven on Earth - A Visit to the Angel Museum

M-49 Rolling Hills

We'll bike to Beloit and tour the world's largest angel museum housed in a historic building with thousands of angels from The Berg Angel Collection and The Black Angel Collection donated by Oprah Winfrey. Admission fee.

Contact: Sharon Kaminecki sharon@earthridercycling.com 608-897-8300

8/22 Sat Spring Green River Valley High School 9:00 AM

A Plain & Cheesy Ride

L-70, M-50, S-30 Flat to Moderately Hilly

Explore some of the places in Frank Lloyd Wright country that you didn't have time to see on the Wright Stuff Century. Find out where Whole Foods gets its great cheese. Lots of river flats with some hills mixed in to make it interesting.

Contact William Hauda hauda@hughes.net 608-935-7106

8/23 Sun Elver Park 8:00 AM

Fear of Barlow

L-67, M-51, S-30 Very Hilly WSC Practice

Deep in his congealed, moldy mass of old cue sheets, Mike Gengler found this sweat-stained, tattered, nameless route. Dennis agreed to lead it. If you know the history of this ride, tell us. Are you afraid of Barlow? You also get to do Sutcliffe from the west. Fuel up at Black Earth.

Contact Dennis Kosterman dennisk@tds.net 608-277-0451

8/29 Sat Cross Plains 9:00AM

Moe, Curly and the Other Guy

L-60, S-30 Hilly

Enjoy curly Moe Rd on this ride with the Three Stooges, first stooge, I mean first stage is flat road, then kinda hilly, then sorta hilly

Contact Larry Schultz lwschultz@tds.net 608-798-4884

8/30 Sun Paoli Town Park Gazebo 9:00 AM

Watermelon Ride - PICNIC

L-75 Hilly, M-53 & S-31 Moderately Hilly FOOD WSC Practice

Head SW to picturesque Green County where you'll be able to participate in a pleasant picnic hosted by that gentleman farmer Mike, who will provide us with a mouth-watering repast.

Contact Mike Gengler m.gengler@att.net 608-938-4549

SEPTEMBER

9/6 Sun Tyrol Basin, Mt. Horeb 7:30 AM

BBC's Wright Stuff Century

L-100, M-66, S-35 Hilly FOOD-LOTS! Pre-Register!

Let's do some hills! Revised route keeps old favorites but is kinder and gentler. You'll enjoy miles of the area's most scenic back roads. The hilly 66 and 100-mile routes include views of Frank Lloyd Wright's Taliesin at Spring Green. The 35-mile loop though not as hilly as the others still has a couple challenging sections. Start with a full water bottle and finish with the welcome back buffet. Support services include rest stops with loads of good snacks, mechanical assistance, sag-wagon/sweep, and musical entertainment. Reduced Fee for Bombay Members. Registration is limited, so sign up early on bombaybicycle.org (Wright Stuff Century) to secure your spot on this popular ride. **All registration will be online this year.**

Contact Carin Ishida-Rawlings, geninfolmail@charter.net, 608-237-1724

9/12 Sat Paoli Town Park Gazebo 9:00 AM

The Paoli-New Glarus Circle

L-59, S-37 Moderately Hilly

From the town pump in Paoli, spin east and south for a stop at Albany; then push on to New Glarus for lunch. Return via the scenic Primrose ridge. The short loop travels through the lovely Sugar River watershed, passing near Belleville.

Contact Jan Hansen & Ann Pollock jhansen62@yahoo.com; apollock@wisc.edu 608-836-9512 or 608-231-3593

9/13 Sun Lakeview Park 9:00 AM

Sauk City Sally

L-66, M-38 Moderately Hilly

Wind your way round western Dane County, crossing the Wisconsin River to Sauk City.

Contact Dennis Kosterman dennisk@tds.net 608-277-0451

9/20 Sun Verona Military Ridge Parking Lot 9:00 AM

Cheese Country Tour

Long 55 Med 30 Moderately hilly

Pedal south through Belleville on the way to Monticello, the home of several cheese factories. The return route takes you through New Glarus where you can dine on the local Brick and Limburger at Puempel's Olde Tavern.

Contact Bob Steinberg cmstein@chorus.net 608-848-3461

9/27 Sun Lakeview Park 9:00 AM

Lendved Homestead Pumpkin Pie Ride

L-60, M-34 Hilly, FOOD

If you don't know where you're goin', any road will take you there. -- George Harrison. Skirt the Ice Age Trail on this hilly ride to Mt. Lendved. Go the full 60 miles for homemade pumpkin pie at the homestead, or take the short option through Dane and Waunakee.

Contact G. Rae Van Sluys gvrae@sbcglobal.net 608-215-4524

OCTOBER

10/4 Sun Olin Turville Park 9:00 AM

Historic Cooksville

M-55, S-26 Moderately Hilly

Enjoy the fall foliage on your way to tour the New England-style village of Cooksville. Short option to Oregon.

Contact Lou Bruch lwbruch@wisc.edu 608-849-5352

10/10 Sat Paoli Town Park Gazebo 1:00 PM

Loops for Lefse

L-47, M-40, S-27 Moderately Hilly

Burn some calories to earn this locally famous church supper, hosted by Primrose Lutheran Church. Route is planned for arrival at 3:00 p.m. when doors open, leaving plenty of time to eat and slog 12 miles back to Paoli before dark. Meal (about \$9.00) includes fresh made lefse, veal balls, ham, vegetables, cranberry relish, rolls, cheese and a selection of home baked pies and Norwegian baked goodies.

Contact Mike Gengler m.gengler@att.net 608-938-4549

10/11 Sun Lakeview Park 9:00 AM

Prairie du Sac Escape

L-46, S-24 Moderately Hilly

Escape to the picturesque beauty of the WI River in Prairie du Sac and watch the eagles soar high above the river. Food is available at several local restaurants, including the Eagle Inn.

Contact Larry Schultz lwschultz@tds.net 608-798-4884

10/18 Sun Vilas Park 9:00 AM
Wingra-Waubesa Wander/Brooklyn Bop
L-54, S-22 Rolling Hills

Bop through the quiet rolling countryside south of Madison on your way to the town of Brooklyn. The Wingra-Waubesa portion incorporates part of the Capital City Trail (trail pass required).

Contact Forrest Weesner fweesner@tds.net 608-231-0945

10/25 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM
Pedaling Around Paoli

M-50, S-30 Moderately Hilly

Short route is the classic Paoli ride; medium route adds 20 hilly miles west and south of Paoli.

Contact Greg Hyer grhyer@wisc.edu 608-798-2892

NOVEMBER

11/1 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM

Happy Hallowheeling

M-47, S-29 Moderately Hilly

This late season ride takes us to Riley, with an option to Verona.

Contact Don Michalski dem@sal.wisc.edu 608-274-1886

11/8 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM

The Oregon Icer

M-36 Flat

It's warmer down south, so pedal south to Oregon. Stop for a mug of hot chocolate that will heat you up for the return trip.

Contact Jim Peters jbpeters@chorus.net 608-831-2643

11/15 Sun Vilas Park 10:00 AM

Belleville - BRRR!

L-47, S-30 Moderately Hilly

Start by biking to Paoli and then, if it's cold, head back to town. Otherwise, take Observatory and Cate Roads en route to Belleville and Frenchtown and Story Town on the way back.

Contact Nancy Wiegand 608-263-5534(w)

11/22 Sun Lakeview Park 10:00 AM

Waunakee Here We Come

S-25 Rolling Hills

Bike to the only Waunakee in the world and eat hearty at the Spring Garden Restaurant in the Village Mall on Hwy. 113. If its snowing, drive to the Spring Garden Restaurant anyway and join your leader for brunch. Bring some cash for either option.

Contact Maxine Austin dennismaxine@yahoo.com 608-238-8714

11/29 Sun Garner Park 10:00 AM

Freezaroo 30

L-30, S-15 Moderately Hilly

This late-season chiller has some warming hills, plus a coffee stop in Cross Plains, the halfway point on this 30 mile ride.

Contact Sam Gabelt sjgabelt@wisc.edu 608-233-0623

THURSDAY EVENING RIDES

Each Thursday at 5:45, we'll gather at the designated starting point and a tour leader will guide you on a friendly group ride of about 25 miles. After the ride, meet at a local restaurant or participate in a potluck picnic to replace fluids and calories and socialize with your fellow riders. For the pot luck picnics, bring your own plates and utensils, beverage, and a dish to share. For more information, contact Tim Wadlington at tdwadle@yahoo.com.

Date	Ride	Post Ride
April 30	Oregon	
May 7	Cottage Grove	
May 14	Cross Plains	
May 21	Mt Horeb	Pot-luck
	(Bill Welch and Mark Zee Memorial Ride)	
May 28	Verona	
June 4	Sun Prairie	
June 11	Cross Plains	
June 18	Black Earth	Pot-luck
June 25	Oregon	
July 2	Verona	
July 9	Mt Horeb	
July 16	Cottage Grove	Pot-luck
July 23	Cross Plains	
July 30	Waunakee	
Aug 6	Mt Horeb	
Aug 13	Black Earth	Pot-luck
Aug 20	Roxbury	
Aug 27	Verona	
Sept 3	Waunakee	Pot-luck

Thursday Evening Ride Starting Points

Black Earth – Village Park on Hwy 78 south of Hwy 14.

Cottage Grove – Fireman's Park parking lot on Clark Street, one block west of Hwy N.

Cross Plains – Glacier Edge Square, north side of Hwy 14, on the east side of town.

Mt. Horeb – Military Ridge Trail parking lot between 1st and 2nd Streets, 1 block south of Main Street.

Oregon – W. Richards Blvd. adjacent to the Oregon Plaza Shopping Center on N. Main St. (Cty MM). Do not park in shopping center lot.

Roxbury – St. Norbert's Church front parking lot. One block W of Kippley Rd. on County Hwy. Y in Roxbury

Sun Prairie – Bird School, 1100 N. Bird St. From Madison, follow Hwy 151 to Windsor St. exit (Hwy 19). Turn left (north) on Bird St.

Verona – West side of parking lot for the Cozee Inn on the north side of Verona Ave. Look for the water tower.

Waunakee – Prairie Elementary School parking lot, 700 N. Madison St., north of Hwy 19 (Main St.).

Tuesday Evening Leisure Series:

Tuesdays, Vilas Park Shelter, 6:30 PM, June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; July 7, 14, 21, 28; August 4, 11, 18, 25. Looking for a group ride at a slower pace with a more social aspect? Are you just getting back into cycling after a long layoff or are you a new rider? Then this is the ride for you. We have a no-drop policy – no rider is left behind. Learn from experienced riders about bike maintenance, on the road repairs and what club riding is all about. No cost involved, just bring a bike, helmet and bike gloves and join us for sweet Wisconsin summer Tuesday evenings. For information contact Mel Schlueter, 608-212-3940.

If you share our interest in bicycling and bicycle touring, we invite you to join the Bombay Bicycle Club. As a member you will receive the club newsletter, *ExtraOrdinary Reflections*. Spring and Fall club meetings feature a social hour, refreshments, and presentations. For more information, visit our Website at www.bombaybicycle.org.

Bombay Bicycle Club of Madison, Inc. Membership Form

Individual (\$20) New Membership Please include a schedule with my welcome packet
 Household (\$28) Renewal Please include a newsletter with my welcome packet
 Please send me all newsletters (default is online only)

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Age _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Telephone: Eve _____ Day _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name _____ Phone _____

I'd like to volunteer: Serve on Board Lead rides Newsletter Website Wright Stuff Century Teach workshop Organize events

Every participant in Bombay rides is required to sign the following waiver. Please make copies for each rider in a household including minors.

LEAGUE OF AMERICAN WHEELMAN d/b/a LEAGUE OF AMERICAN BICYCLISTS ("LAB") RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AND PARENTAL CONSENT AGREEMENT ("AGREEMENT")

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate in any way in **Bombay Bicycle Club of Madison, Inc.** ("Club") sponsored Bicycling Activities ("Activity") I, for myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin:

1. ACKNOWLEDGE, agree, and represent that I understand the nature of Bicycling Activities and that I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity. I further acknowledge that the Activity will be conducted over public roads and facilities open to the public during the Activity and upon which the hazards of traveling are to be expected. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the Activity.

2. FULLY UNDERSTAND that: (a) BICYCLING ACTIVITIES INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS AND DEATH ("RISKS"); (b) these Risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions, or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Activity, the condition in which the Activity takes place, or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW; (c) there may be OTHER RISKS AND SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSSES, COSTS, AND DAMAGES I incur as a result of my participation or that of the minor in the Activity.

3. HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the Club, the LAB, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, members, volunteers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the "RELEASEES" herein) FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON MY ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS; AND I FURTHER AGREE that if, despite this RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT I, or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim against any of the Releasees, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE, AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE AND INTEND IT TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING, SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

PRINTED NAME PARTICIPANT _____

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

(only if age 18 or over): _____ DATE _____

MINOR RELEASE

And I, the minor's parent and/or legal guardian, understand the nature of bicycling activities and the minor's experience and capabilities and believe the minor to be qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activity. I hereby release, discharge, covenant not to sue, and agree to indemnify and save and hold harmless each of the releasees from all liability, claims, demand, losses, or damages on the minor's account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the "releasees" or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations and further agree that if, despite this release, I the minor, or anyone on the minor's behalf makes a claim against any of the releasees named above, I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of the releasees from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss liability, damage, or cost any may incur as the result of any such claim.

PRINTED NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

(only if participant is under the age of 18) _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS, CITY STATE, ZIP _____ PHONE _____

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