



the Quick Release

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July 2012

Ride of the Month

Alan Josephson's ride on Mother's Day was voted Ride of the Month for May. Twenty riders left Vredenburg Park for a ride that circled around the lake and then followed some lightly traveled back roads to Pawnee. Alan added a few unfamiliar roads to the route that made for a more scenic ride. The riders stopped at the Apple Barn in Chatham to indulge in a few treats before heading back to Springfield. Thanks Alan.

Almost Anything Award

The Almost Anything Award this month goes to Dale Schultz, principal planner with the Springfield—Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission. Dale coordinated the 5th annual Curb Your Car During Bike to Work Week Challenge, which took place May 14—18. This was the fifth consecutive year for the event, which challenges area businesses, schools, government agencies, not-for-profits and other organizations to encourage their employees to bike, walk, run or take the bus to work, as an alternative to cars.

This year 24 organizations created teams for the challenge, with 115 people pedaling their way to work on at least one day during their commute. About 30 cyclists joined Revenue Department Director Brian Hamer for a morning "group commute" that traveled from Lincoln Park through the Enos Park neighborhood to Café Moxo in downtown Springfield. This was an opportunity for area cyclists to get together and celebrate the benefits of bicycling. Over 2,379 miles were traveled via alternative transportation during the week, saving 118 gallons of gas and avoiding 2,430 pounds of carbon dioxide emissions. Thanks Dale for organizing another successful event that helps advance cycling as a mainstream, efficient way to commute to work.

Monthly Ride Leader Incentive Drawing

Alan Josephson's name was selected from among eligible ride leaders for this month's Rider Leader Incentive Drawing. Alan will receive a \$50 gift certificate to a local bike shop of his choice.

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July 29
RSVP by July 21
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- **Annual Burgoo Ride on July 4**
- **Board meeting on July 11**
- **Tour De France begins July 14 (also coincides with celebrating Bastille Day at Ernie and Linda's place)**
- **Registration for Multi-club picnic closes on July 21**
- **Tour de corn metric century on July 15**
- **The challenge continues on July 22**
- **Multi-Club Summer Picnic on July 29**
- **Madison County Trails on July 28**

See descriptions and details in Ride Schedule on pp. 6-7.

**Dates to
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**SBC MEMBERS LISTEN UP
COME JOIN US FOR FOOD AND
FELLOWSHIP
AT OUR MULTI-CLUB SUMMER
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FREE!!! FOOD AND DRINKS FREE!!!

Sponsors: Springfield Bike Club, Springfield Road Runners Club, Springfield Ski Club

When: Sunday, July 29th (rain or shine)

Where: Bridgeview Park (lakeside) Chatham exit 88 off I-55
149 Lakewood Drive

Time: 1 p.m. to ? (Beer tapped at 1 p.m., food served at 2 p.m.)

Registration: Pre-registration required at SRRC.net by July 21.

Menu: Burgers (regular and turkey), brats and hot dogs (grilled onsite) beer, soda and water

Side dishes: Salads, slaw, relish trays, chips and dessert

We hope you will be able to attend our annual summer picnic for a fun Sunday afternoon. As you can see, we are trying something different this year. The picnic committee is planning a variety of lawn game activities for you to enjoy. The park has a large covered shelter, room for lawn chairs (bring your own), a building with tables and restrooms and a great lakeside setting!

Call Jim Hajek at 698-7626 or Kevin Greene at 793-9622 if you have any questions.

President's Column

by Tom Clark, President



It's July, and that can only mean one thing—Burgoo! Join us for our annual ride to Franklin on July 4th. July also means Tour De France, and this year, the tour is coming through Springfield! A weekend tour of the County, that is—first on July 14 (Bastille Day), when Ernie DeFrates and Linda Butler will hold a ride followed by wine, cheese, and viewing of the Tour De France, and then on July 15, when Matt Saner will once again stage his annual Tour Du Corn ride.

Those who want to see some different scenery can take a Randonneur USA ride with Grover Everett from Taylorville on July 8, and/or ride the Madison County Trails with Alan Josephson on July 28.

The SBC Great Cycling Challenge continues on July 22 from Chatham Community Park, with rides of 27, 52, or 103 miles. This is the third of five Challenge events to be held this year. The last Challenge is the Capital City Century on September 9.

And last but not least, the annual SBC Picnic will be held on July 29. Please note that RSVP is mandatory because this is a catered event. Go to SRRRC.net to RSVP by July 21st. Make sure your membership is current so you don't miss out! This year we are having a combined picnic with two other Springfield clubs—the Ski Club and the Road Runners Club.

Elsewhere in this month's QR, we provide some statistics on Curb Your Car During Bike to Work Week commuting results, courtesy of the Springfield Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission's Dale Schultz. A total of 115 people rode their bike to work at least once that week. Thanks, Dale and SSCPRC, for promoting commuting without a car!

We continue to offer social ride opportunities in July for those who prefer a casual or slower-pace. Naomi Greene leads a CD ride to the Apple Barn on July 7, while Kevin Greene leads an EZ ride through city neighborhoods on July 21. We also have weeknight trail rides on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays that have options for casual-paced riding, and a Tuesday night EZ ride with Naomi Greene.

And of course, extremely strong and competitive cyclists can challenge themselves on the A Ride led by Lisa Kidd every Saturday, Sunday and holiday. Check ahead with Lisa for A-Ride time changes, as the schedule sometime changes due to weather.

See you on the road or trail!



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www.spfldcycling.org/membership.htm

and click on the **Active.com** link.

Curb Your Car During Bike to Work Week Results

The Springfield-Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission and Springfield Bicycle Advisory Council once again teamed up with several area organizations and businesses to put out a challenge to employers in Sangamon County to encourage employees to leave their cars at home during Bike to Work Week, from May 14 - 18, 2012 and instead bike, walk, run, or take the bus to work. The commute time provided an opportunity for employees to get exercise, save some money, and reduce negative impacts on the environment.

Local businesses provided prizes as incentives for Curb Your Car Challenge participants.

Bragging rights were issued to businesses with the highest percentage of employee participation. Memorial Health System SportsCare, Auburn Elementary School, and the Illinois Department of Revenue took top honors in their divisions.

Here were the results:

Name of Employer	Business Division*	Number of Employees that Participated	Total Number of Employees	Percent of Participation
Memorial Health System SportsCare	5 - 49	12	15	80.0
American Red Cross - Illinois Capital Area	5 - 49	7	9	77.78
Office of the Lieutenant Governor	5 - 49	4	15	26.67
Cummins Engineering Corporation	5 - 49	2	8	25.0
Federal Highway Administration	5 - 49	5	30	16.67
Governor's Office of Management and Budget	5 - 49	6	47	12.77
Illinois State Police - Research & Development Lab	5 - 49	1	8	12.5
Office of the Governor	5 - 49	2	40	5.0
Capital Area Career Center	5 - 49	1	40	2.5
Auburn Elementary School	50 - 299	5	60	8.33
Illinois Commerce Commission	50 - 299	18	220	8.18
Capital Development Board	50 - 299	4	85	4.71
Crawford, Murphy & Tilly	50 - 299	3	125	2.4
Illinois Emergency Management Agency	50 - 299	2	100	2.0
Illinois Department of Children and Family Services	50 - 299	1	85	1.18
Illinois Department of Revenue	≥300	62	1,037	5.98
Illinois Department of Natural Resources	≥300	5	300	1.67
Sangamon County	≥300	8	741	1.08
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency	≥300	3	650	0.46
Horace Mann	≥300	5	1,100	0.45
Illinois Department of Transportation	≥300	9	2,150	0.42
Illinois Department of Healthcare & Family Services	≥300	1	350	0.29
Illinois Department of Central Management Services	≥300	5	2,000	0.25
Illinois State Police	≥300	1	500	0.20

*There were three business divisions: 5 to 49 employees, 50 to 299 employees, and 300 or more employees.

Four employees logging the longest one-way commute without a car were also recognized: Devin Spears for biking 33.85 miles, Jonathan Sperry for riding 7.5 miles on the SMTD Bus, Jamie Sterbinsky for running 7.8 miles, and Jaleen Muex for walking 4 miles.

July 2012 Ride Schedule

For updates, corrections and last minute changes to the ride schedule please check the SBC website at www.spfldcycling.org. Unless otherwise indicated, daytime rides will not take place on holidays. All rides return to the starting point unless otherwise noted.

RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS	
Code	Definition
NC	Non-Cycling events.
MB	Rides suitable for mountain bikes.
EZ	For riders who prefer a pace under 10 mph. These are purely social rides. Expect short routes either in town or on a trail and expect to ride as a single group. No one will be left alone at the back of the group and assistance is provided for flats and other minor mechanical problems.
D	For novice or recreational riders. Expect to ride at a pace of 10 – 12 mph with rest stops as needed. Expect the ride leaders or another club member to stay with the slowest rider and to offer assistance for flats and other minor mechanical problems.
C	For competent riders with basic safety and bike handling skills. These rides combine social riding with improving fitness and riding ability. Expect that most riders will ride in groups at a pace of about 12-15 mph. There may be rest stops on the route, but they will be limited. Riders are comfortable navigating by map if separated from the group and can handle their own mechanical repairs.
B	For strong, experience riders with considerable group riding experience. Expect the emphasis to be on improving individual stamina and riding skills. Most riders will maintain a pace of 16 – 18 mph and will not feel obligated to wait for slower riders. Pace lines are common. Riders are able to handle their own mechanical repairs and are comfortable navigating by map if separated from the group.
A	For extremely strong and competitive riders with expert biking handling skills. Expect riders to be self-sufficient and to maintain speeds of 19+ mph for extended distances using pace lines.

If you have questions about whether a specific ride is right for you, give the ride leader a call. If you are unsure about your cycling ability, try a ride with a group one class below where you think you might be. You can then move up until you find the level that is right for you.

Please arrive for rides 10 minutes early. Be sure that your bike is in proper working order before you arrive. All riders are strongly encouraged to obey traffic laws, wear a helmet, carry everything necessary to fix a flat tire, and bring hydration. If the ride leader fails to appear, form a group and go on a ride if you like. Then turn in your miles to the club record keeper (records@spfldcycling.org).

Questions about leading a ride? Contact vp@spfldcycling.org .

Weekday Daytime Rides**Check start times!**

Monday thru Friday 9:00 a.m.	Morning Geezer Ride Washington Park Shelter Pete Gudmundson, 523-8200	Show-N-Go ride for retired geezers or those hoping to become geezers. No leader or map, but Pete shows up often enough for this ride that he should be able to answer questions. Please use ride sheet if riding together. Participating riders should turn in miles to the club records keeper.
Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m.	Daily Pana Trail Ride Lake Taylorville parking lot. Rt. 29 Pat Stephens, 287-7056	Show-N-Go along the Lincoln Heritage Trail. Turn in miles to the records keeper. There is no ride leader, but Pat may be able to answer questions about this ride.
Monday thru Friday 12:20 p.m.	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr. & Crusaders Rd. Tom Clark, 726-5560 Dave Ross 789-4823	BC — Westside Lunch Ride. Dave or Tom will hit the trails or go out in the country.

Weekday Evening Rides**Check start times!**

Mondays 5:45 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.	Parkway Pointe Theatre Lindbergh & Robbins Rd Ernie DeFrates Linda Butler, 971-1246	BC — Some begin 5:45 pm at Parkway Point and some meet them minutes later at Sonics. Either way this popular BC ride will get you 16-21 miles.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 6:00 p.m.	Pana Trail Lake Taylorville Parking Lot Rt. 29 Charles Witsman, 562-5208	Show-N-Go , Ride on the Lincoln Heritage Trail. Turn in miles to the club records keeper. Call Charlie if you need information about trail conditions or directions.
Tuesdays 5:45 p.m.	IDOT Dirksen Pkwy & Ash St.	BCD — Show-N-Go along the Lost Bridge Trail. Turn miles in to the club records keeper.
Tuesdays 6:00 p.m.	Schlitt Park 2400 Sharon Dr (south of Owen Marsh School) Naomi Greene, 793-9622	EZ- 10 miles at a relaxed pace through city neighborhoods. Those interested will meet for dinner afterwards at a local west side restaurant.
Wednesday 6:00 p.m. NEW RIDE	Centennial Trail South End Parking Lot Bunker Hill Rd Alan Josephson, 793-0590	BCD- Ride the trail for 12 or add a low traffic county road loop around the airport to Rt 29 and back and make a total of 15 or 20.
Thursday 5:45 p.m.	IDOT Dirksen Pkwy & Ash St. Cindy Kvamme 744-8864	BCD — Ride the Lost Bridge Trail for 10-14 miles.

Weekend Daytime Rides - Schedule sometimes changes due to weather. Please call ahead.

Saturdays 9:00 a.m.	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr. & Crusaders Rd Lisa Kidd, 546-1698	Weekend A-Ride. This ride is intended for extremely strong and competitive riders with expert bike handling skills. Expect riders to be self-sufficient and to maintain speeds of 19+ mph for extended distances using pace lines. Riders will agree on a destination and determine a route at the time of the ride. Developmental A-riders are welcome, but they should be self-sufficient and familiar with local roads, or accompanied by an experienced rider.
Sundays 9:00 a.m.	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr. & Crusaders Rd Lisa Kidd, 546-1698	Weekend A-Ride. See Saturday Weekend A-Ride description.

Scheduled Rides and Events		Check start times!
Sunday July 1 8:00 a.m. NOTE TIME	Waldrop Park Andrew Rd in Sherman Alan Josephson, 793-0590	ABC- Ride to Lincoln for 56 + miles, Broadwell for 39 + miles or Elkhart for 28 miles. May take a slightly different route going north then in the past. Heat may affect the distance. Alan says there will be a tail wind all the way! Enjoy the hill.
Wednesday July 4 Start time depends on start location	Panera Bread West – 8 a.m. Wabash Ave. & White Oaks Dr. County Market – 8:40 a.m. 1099 Jason Place, Chatham U.S. Post Office – 9:15 a.m. 100 Church Street, Loami Robert LaBonte, 787-0237	ABCD – Annual Burgoo Ride. Celebrate our nation's Independence Day with a ride to Franklin, IL for its annual Burgoo Festival. The start times and ride distances are staggered to provide all riders an opportunity to participate. Leave from Springfield for 62 miles; Chatham for 48 miles; or Loami for 28 miles. It will be hot. Roads will be soft and oily! Be sure to bring plenty of water and money for those pies!
Saturday July 7 9:00 a.m.	Wabash Trail East End Park & North Streets- Sonic Naomi Greene, 793-9622	CD- Ride to the Apple Barn for 20+ miles.
Saturday July 7 8:00 a.m. NOTE TIME	Waldrop Park Andrews Rd in Sherman Cindy Kvamme, 744-8864	ABC- Cindy is planning to route us into downtown Middletown with a possible tavern stop for cold drinks! Don't get lost! 36 miles.
Sunday July 8 9:00 a.m.	Walmart parking lot east side Rt 104 & 29 Taylorville Grover Everett, 824-2957	ABC- In a reprise of an April rainout, Grover will take us on one of his RUSA rides of 63-74 miles with plenty of cut offs for all. Or ride the trail for 34 miles. Plenty of restaurants to choose upon completion of the ride. Try something new. Ride a different area
Wednesday July 11 7:00 p.m.	Residence 2301 Sangamon Ave. Ken Anderson, 522-3876	NC — Board Meeting. All SBC members are invited to attend the board meetings. Note 1-time of week change.
Saturday July 14 8:00 a.m. NOTE TIME	Residence 3917 Surry Pl Lane Ernie DeFrates & Linda Butler 971-1246	The Tour De France begins at 8AM. We will have our own 35-40 mile tour of the County with a 12 mile option on the Sangamon Valley Trail. Return to the house to celebrate Bastille Day with wine, cheese and éclairs while we watch the Tour De France on TV.
Sunday July 15 Registration from 7:00 am to 9:00 am Mass start at 7:30 a.m.	Chatham Community Park 760 S. Main, Chatham Matt Saner/Wheelfast, 483-7807	ABC - Tour De Corn Metric Century. 62, 31 and 22 mile route options. Cost is \$15 -- proceeds benefit Chatham Jaycees. Sag service until 1:00 p.m. and a BBQ lunch at the park after the ride from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Cycling socks to the first 100 riders, donated by Wheel Fast. NOTE: The Sweet Corn Festival is the following weekend .
Saturday July 21 8:00 a.m. NOTE TIME	Rotary Park Iles and Archer Elevator Alan Whitaker, 494-6807	Alan will lead multiple route options from 20-45 miles.
Saturday July 21 4:00 p.m. NOTE TIME	Old State Capitol Plz Near 6th & Adam Streets Kevin Greene, 793-9622	EZ- 10 miles at a relaxed pace through city neighborhoods. Those interested will meet for dinner afterwards at a downtown restaurant.
Sunday July 22 8:00 a.m. NOTE TIME	Chatham Community Park Derek and Brigetta Ewing 624-2016	<u>The Challenge continues:</u> 8:00am Chatham Community Park Chatham to Pawnee - Morrisonville - Pana/Taylorville Trail - Kincaid - Sang-Chris - Chatham Category mileage/points: CENTURY = 103 miles, 1/2 CENTURY = 52 miles, 1/4 CENTURY = 27 mile

Scheduled Rides and Events***Check start times!***

Saturday July 28 7:30 a.m. Leave at 7:45 a.m. NOTE TIME	Cracker Barrel I-55 / Toronto Rd for carpooling Alan Josephson, 793-0590	ABCDEZNC- Ride Madison County Trails. All riders, all ages. There is a GREAT network of looped asphalt trails from 5-40+ miles. Ice cream shops and restaurants in Edwardsville and Collinsville. Current longer route plans are to ride 55+ to the St. Louis Arch subject to interest, eat lunch and return. Non-riders can join Harriet in shopping & eating around St. Clair Sq Mall. Meet in Edwardsville at 9:00 a.m. Contact Alan for Edwardsville starting place and other specific information.
Saturday July 28 8:00 a.m.	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr. & Crusaders Rd Mystery Leader	ABC-For those less adventurous folks who wish to stay in town, there will be a 30-45 mile ride with a mystery leader. If one does not show up, this will become a Show-N-Go. In that case turn your miles into the records keeper.
Sunday July 29 9:00 a.m.	IDOT Marty Celnick, 522-4206	Marty says that the wind will determine direction. Plan on 50 miles with plenty of chances to cut short. Note picnic time below.
Sunday July 29 1:00 p.m.	Bridgeview Park 149 Lakewood Dr Chatham-off exit 88 from I-55 Jim Hajek, 698-7626	SBC Picnic. After a great Marty ride in the morning, wind down and relax at the SBC picnic. Always a family affair. This year we are having a combined picnic with two other Springfield athletic clubs-ski club, running club. Read news article elsewhere. <u>RSVP is mandatory since this is a catered event. Go to SRRC.net to RSVP by July 21st. Make sure your membership is current so you don't miss this event.</u> Drinks and socializing at 1:00 pm and food service at 2:00 pm. Yes, you can count your ride miles!



Other Area Rides

Springfield area bike shops and other entities sponsor or host a number of rides and events each year. When we receive requests to help publicize these activities, we'll post them in this new section of the QR.

NOTE: 'Other area ride' miles count for club miles, as they are organized rides.

Other Area Rides & Events

Mondays 5:30 p.m.	Ace Bicycle Shop 2500 S. MacArthur Blvd Rich Moscardelli, 523-0188	Trail and Road Ride. Join Pete and Rich for a casual 30-35 mile ride down the trail and out into the country. All levels of riders are welcome. Riders usually break up into two riding groups, which average 13-15 mph and 17-20 mph.
Tuesdays 5:45 p.m.	BikeTek parking lot 957 Clock Tower Dr Steve Schien, 741-8388	Salisbury Hills Ride. This is a non-affiliated road ride for A-level and B-level riders. The route is challenging and hilly. A and B group leaders assist developmental riders in learning the ropes. Each group re-forms periodically. Steve will personally lead and sweep for the 'A' group on July 17 and 31. He cannot sweep on July 3, but may announce a sub. July 10 and 24 are snow-n-gos. If it rains, the ride will be held the next day (Wednesday). Ask Steve to be put on the email group or 'friend' him on Facebook to learn of date and time changes.
Wednesday 6:10 (ish) pm	Wheel Fast Bicycle Co. 20 Cottonwood Dr. Chatham Matt Saner, 483-7807	Road Ride. ABC — Intermediate training ride. Meet at the bike shop and plan on 16-20 miles. The new shop is across the street from the old location.
Wednesday July 11 and July 25	New City Church parking lot 957 Clock Tower Dr Steve Schien, 741-8388	New City Time Trials. This is a non-affiliated, 11.85 mile time trial on Pawnee New City Road held every other Wednesday during season. Most riders are seeking to improve their cycling ability and personal time trial speed. All are welcome to participate. Bring two dollars for the timer. Ask Steve to be put on the email group or 'friend' him on Facebook to learn of date and time changes.
Thursdays 5:30 p.m.	Scheels 3801 S. MacArthur Blvd Michael Ritzer, 787-2907	Trail and Road Ride. A chance for fellow bike enthusiasts to get together and share their passion. This ride is intended for all levels of riders. Some riders stay on the trails for 10-12 miles while others add a road ride for 20-30 miles. A designated leader stays at the back of each riding group.
Thursdays 5:45 p.m.	BikeTek parking lot 957 Clock Tower Dr Steve Schien, 741-8388	Salisbury Hills Ride. This is a non-affiliated road ride for A-level and B-level riders. The route is challenging and hilly. A and B group leaders assist developmental riders in learning the ropes. Each group re-forms periodically. The Thursday rides are all show-n-gos, with no official leader. No makeup ride in case of rainout. See Ask Steve to be put on the email group or 'friend' him on Facebook to learn of date and time changes.

Board Meeting Notes - June 6, 2012

by Stephen Paca, Recording Secretary

Present. Tom Clark, Alan Josephson, Ken Anderson, Stephen Paca, Jim Hajek, Ray Caruso, Kevin Greene, Bill Donels, Lynn Miller, Alan Whitaker, and Marty Celnick.

The meeting was called to order by Tom Clark at 7:07 p.m.

President's Remarks. No remarks.

Minutes. Stephen Paca distributed a draft of the minutes from the June board meeting via e-mail. He made corrections based on feedback, and the minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report. Dave Lucas distributed the Treasurer's Report via e-mail. He reported a balance of \$11,373.19 for the period ending 5/31/12. Dave noted that the club is no longer paying for a port-a-potty at the IDOT trailhead. Alan Josephson made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report; Kevin Greene seconded the motion; and the Board approved the report.

Legislative/Education Report. Lynn Miller distributed the legislative/education report prior to the meeting via e-mail. Lynn reported on: the status of planning for the SVT; the bicycle-pedestrian way plan; the rural bicycle advisory committee; and Bike to Work Week stats. Lynn urged club members to contact our state representatives to ask them to support the current transportation enhancement requests and to contact our senators to support the Cardin-Cochran amendment. Lynn also reported that the new bike maps from LIB will be available soon. Kevin reported that the Bicycle Advisory Council did not meet last month and that new members have been appointed to the BAC.

Special Events Report. Tom Clark announced that Ray Caruso volunteered to fill the vacant Special Events Chair position.

Social Chair Report. Jim Hajek reported on the last social event and that he is working with the ski and running clubs on a joint summer picnic. The picnic is scheduled for Sunday, July 29th at Bridgeview

Park. Club members will need to RSVP to attend the picnic.

Incentive Chair Report. Kevin Greene conducted the Incentive Awards. Alan Josephson's ride was voted Ride of the Month for May. The Almost Anything Award was given to Dale Schultz of the Springfield-Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission for organizing Bike-to-Work Week. Alan Josephson's name was drawn for the monthly ride leader incentive award.

Ride Committee Report. Alan Josephson reported that he completed the July ride schedule and that he added a weekly Wednesday evening ride on the Sangamon Trail, starting at the south trailhead in Centennial Park. Alan highlighted several notable rides in the coming month. Alan is working on the August ride schedule; there are currently some openings for weekend ride leaders that month.

Membership Committee Report. Alan Josephson reported that the committee met to discuss issues such as member retention and renewal notices. Ken Anderson will be sending postcards to members who have let their membership expire.

Newsletter Editor Report. Tom announced that going forward Shirley Baer will be the sole Newsletter Editor and Marty will return to his role as Incentive Chair.

Webmaster Report. Alan Whitaker reported that all the info from the CCC walk-up registrants was entered into the database; these participants will get a brochure sent to them in the next mailing. Online registrations for the CCC are beginning to come in. Alan plans to add the option to purchase an event shirt to the online registration soon. Alan will work with Ken to investigate how active.com handles payments to the club for online membership versus CCC registrations.

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BOARD MEETING NOTES

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Old Business. Volunteers will meet on Friday the 8th to remove any remaining club materials from the Spinner storage location and to dispose of them or transfer to storage at Bugtussle. Re: Harrison Park SVT access, Tom and Kevin will check in with Kent Kraft on what the next steps should be to address the issue.

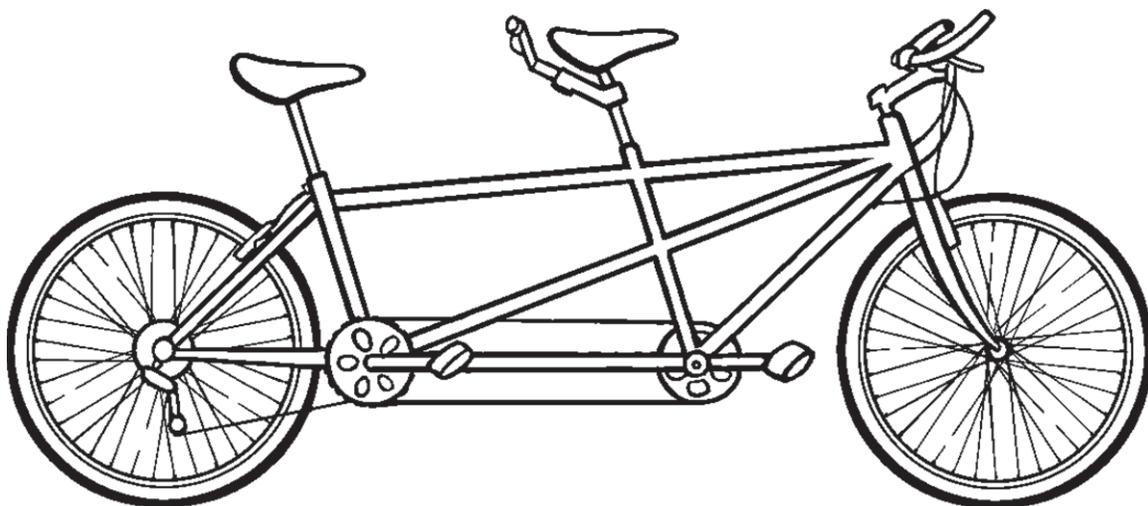
New Business. Tom Clark distributed a document detailing Board member transitions. Alan Josephson made a motion that all SBC members present shall elect a new Treasurer of the SBC Board of Directors, whose term shall begin on August 3, 2012. Ken Anderson seconded the motion and the Board approved the motion. Tom and the Board accepted with regret the resignation of Dave Lucas, and elected Jim Hajek as new Treasurer.

Alan Josephson made a motion to endorse the appointments by the President of the following members of the Board, as of the conclusion of the Board meeting:

- Ray Caruso as Special Events Chair, vacating his At-Large position
- Kevin Greene as Social Co-Chair, vacating his Incentive Chair position
- Marty Celnick as Incentive Chair, vacating his Newsletter Co-Editor position.

Alan Whitaker seconded the motion and the Board approved the motion. Shirley Baer is the sole Newsletter Editor and Marty Celnick is the sole Incentive Chair. Kevin Greene will become the sole Social Chair on August 3, 2012, when Jim Hajek begins his duties as Treasurer.

The meeting adjourned at 8:49 p.m. Due to the 4th of July holiday, there is a one-time change to the regular Board meeting time. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 11th, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Ken and Sandy Anderson.



Secretary's Report

by Ken Anderson, Secretary

Renewals

- Edward & Sabrina Longcore
- Dean Wisleder
- Debby Lewis
- Arden Gregory
- Jack & Tracy Hurley
- Jon Edwards
- Ken & Sandy Anderson
- Earl Burton
- John & Judy Day
- Charlie Downs
- Edward J. Cunningham
- JoAnn Abrams
- Susan Dees Hargrove
- Jim Bolt

Renewals at the Contributing Level

- Bob Sorenson
- Stephen Paca & Kristina Mucinskas
- Alan & Kathy Whitaker
- Thomas Dodegge

Renewals at the Sustaining Level

- Charles & Susan Hammond
- Pat & Tracie Stephens
- Ric Thompson & Luz H. Lopez

Renewals at the Patron Level

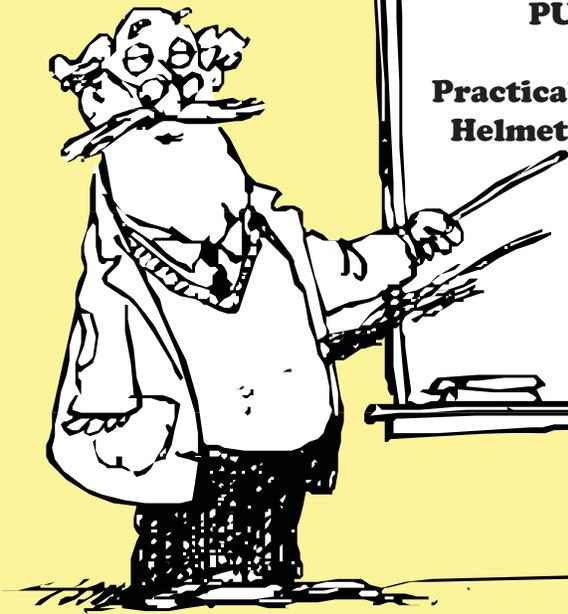
- Mark & Barbara Rabin

New Members

- Robert Rogers
- Mylas Copeland
- Mary Furrie
- Shaun Lu
- David Trout
- Lisa Casson
- John Stierman
- Kathy Seketa
- Ann McCaughan
- Joe Gurski

Thanks to all for your support of the SBC and bicycling!! Ride safe!!

Note: Renewals or new applications not received by the end of the first week of the month may be recorded on next month's report.



FOR SALE

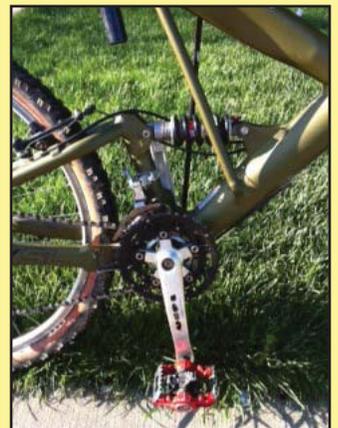
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Springfield Bicycle Club Membership Application

New Member

Renewing Member

Change of Address

Name		
Address		
City		
State	Zip	
E-mail Address(es)		
Phone(s)		
Birth date*		

Type of Membership (check one):

Individual: \$15 per year

Family: \$20 per year

Contributing: \$25 per year

Sustaining: \$50 per year

Patron: \$100 per year

Corporate: \$100 per year

Family Member Information

Name 1:	Birth date*:
Name 2:	Birth date*:
Name 3:	Birth date*:
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I would like to opt out of: Club e-mail announcements

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I would like to help with SBC activities: Yes No

If yes, please check any specific areas of interest:

Lead bike rides

Help with social activities

Help with bicycle advocacy

Help w/ Capital City Century

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Other _____

Legal Waiver

I (and my parent or guardian in case of a person under 18 years of age) hereby release the Springfield Bicycle Club and any other party or parties involved in any Springfield Bicycle Club activity of any liability whatsoever for any loss or damage to property or for personal injury sustained or occurring on any Springfield Bicycle Club event.

Signature:	Date Signed:
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Official SBC Name Badge

Hang it on your seat bag. These are a pretty neat way to let other riders know your name. Include **\$12.00** extra and print your name (clearly) on the following line as you would like it to appear on your name badge:

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*providing birth dates is optional, but recommended to help us keep track of club demographics.

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