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MEETING	DATE & TIME	LOCATION	PRESENTER & TOPIC
MEMBERSHIP	June 24, 2009 7:00 p.m.	Foster Community Center 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	BILL SAVAGE & TIM POTTER Will present a program on their attendance at the National Bike Summit in Washington, D.C.
CYCLE FORUM	June 24, 2009 6:00 p.m.	Foster Community Center 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	ALLAN HUBER Always something to learn and discuss about cycling.
BOARD MEETING	July 6, 2010 6:30 p.m.	Foster Community Center 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	Members are welcome to attend all board meetings to express their concerns. Due to time constraints, if you have a specific item to be brought before the board, please contact the President one week prior to the meeting and ask to have it added to the agenda.



DEADLINES

NEWSLETTER JUNE 14	Please send items to Janet Weber, 767 Linden Street, Charlotte, MI 48813 or fax to 1-800-480-1160, or send your e-mail to chainwheel-chatter@ biketcba.org by the indicated deadline.
RIDE CALENDAR JUNE 12	Information for the ride calendar needs to be sent to Ed Usewick, 590 Boutell Drive, Grand Blanc, MI 48439 or e-mailed to rideschedule@biketcba.org. So we can include this information in the next newsletter, please note the indicated deadline. Furthermore, please be sure to use the electronic tools to register rides. Please ensure you include critical information such as ride times, mileage, location, and ride leader name and telephone number.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNUAL PICNIC - TCBA Club Member and Family Event. Come join the fun on Sunday, June 27, 2010 starting at 12:30 p.m. Stay as long as you want. Ride your bike to the Hawk Island County Park, located at 1601 E. Cavanaugh Rd., Lansing, MI at the Red Tail Shelter. Lunch will be served around 1:00 p.m. Food is provided by Colleen's Cuisine/Acclaim Catering & BBQ, who has provided our picnic meal the last several years. Cost is \$5.00 per person (children under 10 free). Sign up at the May or June Membership meeting with Lenny Provencher. Advance registration is required and payment is due at time of registration. NOTE: Ingham County Parks charge motorized vehicles \$2 for Ingham County Residents and \$4 for non-residents. Ride your bike to avoid the Park Motorized Vehicle Fees. For more information, contact Lenny at vp@biketcba.org or phone him at 517-204-2971.



LOCATION CHANGE FOR WEDNESDAY RIDE PROGRAM — Due do deteriorating road conditions on College Road, which causes conflicts between the bikers and motorists, we need to make a change concerning the Pavilion Wednesday evening rides for the safety of all concerned. We will relocate for the time being to the Alaiedon Township Hall, starting with the June schedule. The starting time has also been changed from 6:15 PM to 6:30 PM. The Alaiedon Township Hall is located on Holt Road, 2 miles east of U.S 127 or Holt Commuter Lot.



**MINUTES OF THE TRI-COUNTY BICYCLE ASSOCIATION
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
Foster Community Center - Lansing
April 6, 2010**

Board members present included Roger Nelson, Lenny Provencher, Patricia Trudgen, Linda Antinori, and Donovan Riley. Also present were club members Steve Leiby, Katie Donnelly, Janet Weber, Wendell Proudfoot, Deb Holdcraft, John Bach, Tim Potter, and Oren Kennedy.

President Roger Nelson called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m.

REPORTS:

1. **Vice-President's Report:** Our Annual Swap Meet is scheduled for the April 29 meeting, and the presentation of awards to the winners of our Bicycle Safety Poster contest and the DALMAC Fund Grantees are scheduled for our May meeting. Al Simon is tentatively scheduled to speak on the eastern portion of his cross country bicycle trip in June. We are still looking for a July speaker.
2. **Secretary's Report:** Linda Antinori presented March's Minutes to the Board for approval. Lenny Provencher made a motion to accept the Minutes, Donovan Riley seconded it, and it passed unanimously.
3. **Treasurer's Report:** Dick Sulin presented March's Financial Reports to the Board for approval. Linda Antinori made a motion to accept the reports as written, Donovan Riley seconded it, and the motion passed unanimously. Pat Trudgen made a motion to approve our IRS Form 990 as prepared by our CPA, Linda Antinori seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. Dick was also to look into the cost of upgrading his computer.
4. **Event Director's Report:** Pat Trudgen announced that we have received 1,800 applications for DALMAC and that the Quint is almost full. All sites have been nailed down and Donovan is facilitating 2 separate classes for Ride Leaders and SAG Drivers.
5. **Web Master:** We have had a lot of requests to publish other bike tours and rides, both on line and in the Chainwheel Chatter. The Board agreed that we won't publish commercial tours and bike organization sponsored rides and just provide a link to non-profit clubs on the link page.
6. **DALMAC Fund:** The DALMAC Fund Committee presented a proposal to fund 14 different projects for a total of \$99,490 for 2010. They are:

Fred Meijer Trail, Muskegon.....	\$7,000
Hub of Detroit, bike mechanic for Earn-A-Bike.....	\$7,640
Macomb County, Essay and graphics for trail promotion	\$2,000
Maple Valley HS, Rebuild railroad bridge on trail	\$15,000
Motion Initiative Grand Rapids, 10 bikes and computers	\$3,000
Next Detroit, bike tools and safety equipment	\$5,000
MFF & MTGA, Lansing, Non-motorized state advocacy and reach-out	17,600
Parks Foundation, Kalamazoo, Trail construction	10,000
PEAC, Education program for riders with disabilities	\$5,000
Rochester Hills, Velodrome promotional material	\$6,000
Special Olympics, CMU, Bikes and helmets, rider sponsorship	\$10,000
SW Mich Plan Com, Benton Harbor, bicycle training and equipment	\$2,000
Tart Trail, Traverse area, repair and give away used bikes.....	\$5,000
YMCA, Dewitt, 10 bikes, helmets, equipment & classes for Old Spokes Program	\$4,250
Total	\$99,490

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Linda Antinori made a motion to accept the funding as proposed, Pat Trudgen seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. Also Lenny Provencher made a motion to pass a Resolution of Support for the Sleeping Bear Heritage Trail Project and to allow the use of the TCBA name as a supporter. Dick Sulin seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

7. **Northwest Tour:** There are 20 spaces left on the Northwest Tour.

8. **T-Shirt Ride:** Laingsburg School System has started to charge a \$1,200 usage fee for outside activities in attempt to recoup their costs. Deb Holdcraft has been meeting with the Superintendent and the Board and has gotten the fee reduced to \$300 for this year. Linda Antinori made a motion to approve the \$300 fee, Pat Trudgen seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

9. **Chainwheel Chatter:** Janet Weber was given permission by the Board to increase the number of copies given to the bike stores to 300 during the summer months.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Donovan is looking into a Volunteer Recognition Dinner and will get back to the Board once he has finalized the list.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Tim Potter and Oren Kennedy of the MSU Bike Store made a proposal to the Board for financing of vinyl banners to promote the Ride of Silence on May 19. The cost is \$100 each for 2 small banners and \$150 each for 2 large banners. Linda Antinori made a motion to approve the funding, Donovan Riley seconded it, and the motion passed unanimously.
- Lenny Provencher made a motion to allow the TCBA name to be used as supporter of the Complete Streets Project, Dick Sulin seconded the motion, and it passed by a vote of 4 ayes and 1 abstention.

The meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.



CHAINLINKS

The below links are provided as an informational tool to allow our



members to get additional information from local bike organizations who offer information, rides, tips, training, or other benefits to TCBA members.

www.biketcba.org Tri-County Bicycle Association

www.lmb.org League of Michigan Bicyclists

www.bikeleague.com League of American Bicyclists

www.bikes.msu.edu Michigan State University (MSU) Bikes

www.walkbikelansing.com Lansing's Walking and Bicycling Network

www.capitalareasmartcommute.com Smart Commute Program

www.midmeac.org Mid-Michigan Environmental Action Council

www.bikems.org Various rides throughout the country

www.mmba.org Michigan Mountain Biking Association

www.facebook.com TCBA is there as a group...check us out!



TCBA RIDE DATES FOR 2010

- T- Shirt.....June 12, 2010
- Northwest TourJune 16-20, 2010
- SummerTour..... July 14-18, 2010
- WOW.....July 24, 2010
- DALMAC.....September 1-5, 2010

100,000 Metre T-Shirt Ride ~ Saturday, June 12, 2010, is your opportunity to enjoy one of the best bike rides in Michigan. TCBA's 31st Annual T-Shirt Ride is one you don't want to miss. This year's ride begins at the Laingsburg High School. Riders have three routes to choose from: 25K (17 miles), 50K (34 miles), and 100K (62 miles) loops. All routes start out together with each one splitting off at different mileage points to form its particular loop. Routes use rural Shiawassee County roads and merge together for the last 5 miles back to the starting point. For the ambitious riders opting for 100K, you will travel through Vernon, Byron, and Morrice. For those wanting a 50K spin through the countryside, you will enjoy much of the same moderately rolling terrain. There is also a 25K route geared for families with younger riders and those who aren't quite ready for the longer routes.



Descriptions of the other TCBA rides can be found on page 5 (Northwest Tour) and page 9 in our *Bike Bits*.

"It is by riding a bicycle that you learn the contours of a country best, since you have to sweat up the hills and coast down them."

--Ernest Hemingway

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

The TCBA would like to remind our valued members to please submit your change of address (form is included on the mailed newsletter) whenever you move, or temporarily relocate for lengthy periods of time. We no longer have the post office forward our mailings, such as newsletters, ride notices, etc. To insure you receive your TCBA correspondence, it is imperative you keep us informed on where you want your mail sent. The cost to the club to receive notices of undelivered mailed is starting to add up. In addition, we cannot be responsible if you do not receive an application to a desired ride which fills up due to our inability to provide you an application in time. Thank you for your assistance in resolving the issue from both perspectives. Please notify Dean Brailey of your address change at membership@biketcba.org.



Lansing Receives National Recognition as a Bicycle-Friendly Community

On May 3, 2010, the City of Lansing and Walk & Bike Lansing! Held a news conference in front of Lansing City Hall to announce that Lansing received the Bronze award as a Bicycle-Friendly Community through the League of American Bicyclists' (LAB) Bicycle-Friendly Community Campaign.

The Bicycle-Friendly Communities (BFC) program is an award program that recognizes municipalities that actively support bicycling.

Lansing's application was compiled during the winter of 2009/2010 by Lansing resident Lyndon Babcock, a retired engineer and longtime bicyclist who has been an active member of Walk & Bike Lansing since its inception in 2006.

The bronze level designation puts Lansing on the map as a bike friendly city, and shows where additional improvements are needed.

Did you earn a ride incentive for 2009?

The ride incentive committee is ready for you to pick up your ride incentives at the June Membership meeting. Some Level 1 jackets will not be available until sometime in the fall. See Kris Stairs at the June meeting. You may review your ride incentive points for 2009 on the TCBA website (www.biketcba.org).

Sunrises & Sunsets for June 2010

DAY	RISE	SET	DAY	RISE	SET	DAY	RISE	SET
1	6:03 AM	9:09 PM	11	6:00 AM	9:16 PM	21	6:00 AM	9:19 PM
2	6:02 AM	9:09 PM	12	5:59 AM	9:16 PM	22	6:00 AM	9:20PM
3	6:02 AM	9:10 PM	13	5:59 AM	9:16 PM	23	6:00 AM	9:20 PM
4	6:01 AM	9:11 PM	14	5:59 AM	9:17 PM	24	6:01 AM	9:20 PM
5	6:01 AM	9:12 PM	15	5:59 AM	9:17 PM	25	6:01 AM	9:20 PM
6	6:01 AM	9:12 PM	16	5:59 AM	9:18 PM	26	6:01 AM	9:20 PM
7	6:00 AM	9:13 PM	17	5:59 AM	9:18 PM	27	6:02 AM	9:20 PM
8	6:00 AM	9:14 PM	18	5:59 AM	9:18 PM	28	6:02 AM	9:20 PM
9	6:00 AM	9:14 PM	19	5:59 AM	9:19 PM	29	6:02 AM	9:20 PM
10	6:00 AM	9:15 PM	20	6:00	9:19 PM	30	6:03 AM	9:20 PM

TCBA NORTHWEST TOUR 2010

By Dick Sulin, Treasurer and NW Tour Director

Welcome to the 4th annual Northwest Tour, scheduled June 16-20, 2010.. This ride is sponsored by the Tri-County Bicycle Association (TCBA).

It is our sincere hope that each of you will have a wonderful experience riding the Northwest Tour. On Wednesday, we have a short 'dinner' ride to Glen Arbor. The tour begins on Thursday with two nested loops toward the east. These are 54 miles to Traverse City and 34 miles through Lake Ann. There is an optional extended route of 46 miles to Old Mission Point for the long route. Friday has a pair of nested loops to the south through Honor. The 58-mile long route then passes through Benzonia and Frankfort. The 30-mile loop turns northwest out of Honor. Both loops then go to Empire.

loop goes to Northport, with an optional 23-mile round trip to Leelanau State Park. The 38-mile loop turns south after Little Traverse Lake. Sunday's 29-mile route goes along the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Seashore. This includes an optional ride on Pierce Stocking Drive and the Dune Climb. There is a \$5 daily fee for these attractions.



You are welcome to stay at the campground if you do not want to ride. Sleepy Bear Campground has a game room and a heated pool.

NOTE: As of this printing, there are still a limited number of vacancies if you want to participate in the Northwest Tour. Contact

Dick Sulin (517) 339-2368.

Saturday's routes travel to the north. The 82-mile

June 2010 Ride Calendar

Recurring Rides; No Ride if Rain, unless noted

Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Information	Ride Leader
Sundays	8:00 AM	40+	Z	67th District Court House, Grand Blanc	No ride June 20	Ed Usewick 810-694-9919
Mondays	6:00 PM	20-30	B	Oneida Gospel Church		Diane Sherman 517-281-5971
	6:30 PM	20-30	B	Coaches Pub & Grill	Email: GRoyston@Comcast.net	Ginger Royston or Dick Chulski 517-393-4799
Tuesdays	9:00 AM	25-36	C	Holt Commuter Lot	Food Stop	Mary Burris 517-394-1617
	5:00 PM	25-30	C	Owosso Fire & Police Station		Rick Church 989-725-8504
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Oneida Township Hall		Leslie Miyasato 927-8953
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Dewitt Meijers	Edie Belcher will be leading the June 1 ride (242-4122)	Linda Antinori 410-6043
	6:15 PM	20-30	C	L&L Food Center	No ride June 15 th park in NW corner of lot	Kim Dewey 803-6909
	6:15 PM	15-20	D	Owosso YMCA	No Drop/ Lots of Recumbents	Rick Morris 989-725-8373
	6:30 PM	20-25	B	Williamstown Town Hall		Dwayne & Charla Scheidler 339-4586
Wednesdays	6:00 PM	20-30	B	Oneida Gospel Church	No Ride on the 16 th	Harry Levins H 517-627-9763 W 517-324-6039
	10:00 AM	35-45	B	Mega Mall		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122

June 2010 -Wednesday Evening Rides – Alaieton Township Hall

ALL CLASSES, New Time = 6:30, New Location = Holt Rd. east of Okemos Rd.

MILEAGE	JUNE 2	JUNE 9	JUNE 16	JUNE 23	JUNE 30
A, 30-40 mi					
B; 25-35 mi.	Sue Viele 333-0306	Jim Delinescheff 333-9329	North West Tour Rachelle Bangela 351-9380	Jim Delinescheff 333-9329	Sara Troutman 331-1004
C; 20-30 mi.	Mary Burris 394-1617	Linda Antinori 410-643	North West Tour Edie Belcher 242-4122	Mary Burris 394-1617	Linda Antinori 410-643
D; 15-25 mi.	Edie Belcher 242-4122	Rachelle Bangela 351-9380	North West Tour	Rachelle Bangela 351-9380	Edie Belcher 242-4122

HELMETS ARE REQUIRED ON ALL TCBA RIDES!!!

June 2009 Ride Calendar (Continued)
 Recurring Rides; No Ride if Rain, Unless Noted

Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Information	Ride Leader
Thursdays	5:00 PM	25-30	C	Owosso Fire & Police Station	No Ride June 24th Club Meeting	Rick Church 989-725-8504
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Oneida Township Hall	No Ride June 24th Club Meeting	Leslie Miyasato 927-8953
	6:30 PM	30-35	B	Williamstown Town Hall	No Ride June 24th Club Meeting	Dwayne & Charla Scheidler 339-4586
Fridays	9:30 AM	30-50	C	Dewitt Township Hall	Food stop	Jan or Tony Koller 517-669-5744
Saturdays	8:00 AM	50-75	Z	Sawdon School.	No Rides for June 12th (T-Shirt Ride) No ride on 19 th either	Harry Levins H 517-627-9763 W 517-324-6039
	9:30 AM	35-45	Z	Coaches	No Rides for June 12th (T-Shirt Ride) No ride on 19 th either	Kim Dewey 803-6909
	9:00 AM	12	D	Coaches (Bishop Road)	Uncle Miltie's Breakfast ride. Bring the kids! Very "New rider"-friendly!	Milt Gruhn 517-393-1617

Other DAY RIDES (one time only) in June...

Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Info	Ride Leader
Saturday, June 5 th	9:30 AM	40-55	Z	Holt Commuter Lot		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Saturday, June 19 th	9:30 AM	40-55	Z	Holt Commuter Lot		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Sunday, June 27 th	11:00 AM	34-36	C	Holt Junior High School	Ride will go to TCBA Picnic; Hawk Island Park	Edie Belcher 517-242-4122

RIDE STARTING POINT DESCRIPTIONS

67th District Court House, Grand Blanc
Coaches Pub & Grill ~ 6201 Bishop - south of the King exit on I-96
Dewitt Township Hall ~ 1401 W. Herbison Rd. 1/2 mi. west of Old 27
Holt Commuter Lot ~ 1 block left of the Holt Road Exit off 127 or 1/3 mi east of the College Road and Holt Road intersection
Holt Junior High ~ (Former Holt High School) Aurelius Rd, 1/2 mi south of Holt Rd, Holt
L&L Food Center ~ Colonial Village, Mt. Hope @ MLK, park in NW corner of lot
Mega Mall ~ 15487 Old US-27 (Northeast St.) & Northcrest Rd / NE Corner of lot
Owosso Fire/Police Station, Owosso
Owosso YMCA ~ 515 W. Main St (M21)
Oneida Township Hall ~ 11041 Oneida Road, Grand Ledge
Oneida Gospel Church ~ Corner of Oneida and Strange Hwy, Grand Ledge
Sawdon School ~ Lamson Rd., Grand Ledge
Williamstown Twp Hall ~ Corner Zimmer & Germany Rds 4 mi east & 1 mi south of Haslett

RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS

A 17-19 MPH
 B 14-17 MPH
 C 12-14 MPH
 D Under 12 MPH Fun and Social Group Ride
 M - Mountain Bike N/A
 Z - Rides over 40 miles in length to be ridden at the rider's own pace without on the road ride leader supervision. Leader must have detailed map of the ride for all riders.

FOR MORE RIDES CALL: 517-882-3700 or visit the web site: www.biketcba.org

Also check this number for updates-changes on rides listed in this *Chainwheel Chatter*.

To receive the Ride Line Transcript by email send your email address to: donnel13@msu.edu

VALET BIKE PARKING

By Pat Harrington

Valet Bike Parking simply provides guarded bike parking in the most visible community events to show the efficacy of cycling to the attendees at the event & encouraging them to cycle more, as well as giving us visibility for “the cause” and the opportunity for literature distribution...

Valet Bike Parking began in our area at the National Folk Festival, through the sponsorship and participation of Tri-County Bicycle Association. Since its inception, it has provided significant free quantities of services and promotions for our cycling community. The equipment is owned by MSU Bikes. Valet Bike Parking in our community has also enjoyed significant support from The League of Michigan Bicyclists.

Through involvement of many organizations, we are bringing it forth to many events in 2010 and 2011. The goals include giving you places to go with places to park, and increasing the ease with which cyclists in our community can attend great events.

Events yet this year include:

June 4 – Friday, “The 2010 BWL Chili Cook-off” @ Adado Riverfront Park
June 26 - Saturday, “Festival of the Sun” @ Lansing’s Old Town Fish Ladder
August 13-15, Friday - Sunday “The Great Lakes Folk Festival” (our “founding” event)

To become informed of events and offer your participation, please send an email to: valet-bikeparking@gmail.com

Contact Persons: “Patman & Robin”

Contact Phone: 517.202.0812



So – ride your bikes to these events and look for us – better yet – get on the email list and join in on this active method to promote cycling in our community – Thanks !!!

U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

WWW.CPSC.GOV

WASHINGTON, D.C. - The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, in cooperation with the firm named below, announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately unless otherwise instructed. It is illegal to resell or attempt to resell a recalled consumer product.

Name of Product: Bicycle frame.

Units: About 750.

Manufacturer: Niner Bikes of North Hollywood, California.

Hazard: A welding deficiency can cause the bicycle frames to crack along the welds of the front triangle of the bicycle. This can cause the rider to lose control and crash.

Incidents/Injuries: Niner Bikes has not received any reports of injuries. The company has received 53 reports of cracks along the welds while bicycles were in use.

Description: The recalled bicycle frames include all Jet 9 models ranging sequentially from serial numbers P8001682 to P9400454. The frame is a full suspension model in the colors green, white or black. "Jet 9" and "Niner" are painted on the bicycle frame. The frame was made from 6000 series aluminum.

Sold at: Bicycle stores nationwide and overseas from March 2008 through September 2009 for \$1,750.

Manufactured in: Taiwan

Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled frames and contact Niner Bikes for a replacement.

Consumer Contact: For additional information, contact Niner Bikes toll-free at (877) 646-3792 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. PT Monday through Friday or at the firm's Web site at www.ninerbikes.com.

TCBA RIDES

Join over 500 women, men, and children on July 24, 2010, for the Tri-County Bicycle Association's 30th Annual Women On Wheels bicycle tour. The tour travels the scenic country roads southeast of Lansing. Maps, rest stops (food and water), sag vehicles, and lunch will be provided. Lunch will be served from 10:30 AM to 2:00 PM. Applications are available at www.biketcba.org. Sign-up today!



SummerTour on the St. Clair River, our 21st annual tour, is a circle route on Lake Huron and the St. Clair River in the lower knuckle of Michigan's Thumb. Our tour concept is to take the tour to a different part of Michigan each year and to have only two overnight locations at Michigan State Parks. This year, the tour starts at Almont High School in Almont, Michigan on Wednesday, July 14, 2010. We will ride for five days and return to Almont on Sunday, July 18, 2010.

This is a bicycle **CAMPING** tour with overnights as follows: Wednesday night - Algonac State Park (52 miles); Thursday night - A layover day at Algonac State Park (many possible mileage options up to 70 miles); Friday night - Lakeport State Park (45 or 37 miles); Saturday night - A layover day at Lakeport State Park (56 or 37 mile options.) We return to Almont on Sunday (53 miles). *All mileages are subject to change.* For more information go to www.biketcba.org.



DALMAC — Our annual Labor Day ride. "From Lansing to Mackinaw." Five routes, 350-500 miles in 4-5 days. The Dick Allen Lansing to Mackinaw Bicycle Tour, which is a nationally known bicycle camping tour, was originated in 1971 by former State Representative Dick Allen of Ithaca. The objectives of DALMAC are to develop an awareness of bicycling and its needs among the citizens of Michigan, to promote bicycling as a healthy means of transportation and recreation,

and to encourage wider participation in bicycle use. DALMAC staff is exclusively volunteers of the Tri-County Bicycle Association (TCBA.) All routes will begin at the MSU Pavilion in East Lansing and follow country roads whenever possible to attempt to provide the safest, most scenic routes between campgrounds.



For additional information and applications for any TCBA ride, go to the website, www.biketcba.org.





CLASSIFIEDS



This section of the *Chainwheel Chatter* is published as a service for **TCBA MEMBERS ONLY**, to advertise cycling equipment free of charge. To place an ad, send an e-mail to chainwheelchatter@biketcba.org, fax to 1-800-480-1146, or mail to Janet Weber, 767 Linden St., Charlotte, MI 48813.

FOR SALE: Specialized Allez Sport; 2003, 61 cm, Black Aluminum frame, Carbon front fork. Front derailleur and shifters are Shimano Tiagra; rear derailleur is Shimano 105, 27 speed component group. Carbon seat post. Cateye Velo 5 computer. SPD pedals. Like new, very low miles. Asking \$500. Call Maureen (517) 285-9803.

FOR SALE: Thule rooftop tandem mount - older V style. \$25. Call Gary at 517-256-8429 or e-mail garybunge@sbcglobal.net.

FOR SALE: Very sharp looking 2006 Giant OCR 1-size small. Black metallic color with red trim. Very low mileage and in excellent condition. ALUXX butted aluminum frame. Shimano 105 shifters, derailleurs, brake levers, cassette, and chain. Xero XSR -3 rims, hubs, and spokes. Computer included. Purchase price \$1100; Asking price \$850 or best offer. Contact Mary at (517) 582-8456.

FOR SALE: Yakima roof top bike rack. Includes mounting rails and 4 bike mounts. (2 each of front fork attachment style and 2 each of center frame attachment style) \$75.00 Phone Rod at (517) 887-9101 or e-mail rodschaaf@comcast.net.

FOR SALE: New with tag a pair of black/grey Pearl Izumi gel gloves size small. I brought it online but didn't realize my hands are bigger til I tried on. \$20. Call Fai@517-927-9425 or email faimok@myway.com for inquiries.

FOR SALE: Preowned 6160 aluminum road bike handlebar off of a

Trek 5200. Never been in a crash. 16.75" wide with a 6.5" drop. Great for building a cheap road bike. \$10. Call Fai@517-927-9425 or email faimok@myway.com for inquiries.

FOR SALE: Preowned Thule gutter foot mounts for factory mounted rack. In excellent shape. I think it's for Toyota vehicles but don't know if it matters. Includes lock on each foot mount. \$70. Call Fai@517-927-9425 or email faimok@myway.com for inquiries.

FOR SALE:: Brand New Alpha Pro Lite Aluminum Stem. I brought this stem but it was too long for me. 120mm long with removable 4 bolt cover plate for quick installation. Can be used for road or mt. bike. Will fit 29mm/1-1/8 inch steer. \$30. Call Fai@517-927-9425 or email faimok@myway.com for inquiries.

FOR SALE: Brand New Thule cylinder locks. I have a set of 4 and 2 sets of 2. \$30 a set. Call Fai@517-927-9425 or email faimok@myway.com for inquiries.

FOR SALE: Preowned Giant saddle. It's in good shape with 2 minor tears on back of saddle. Doesn't affect comfort, just cosmetic. \$5. Call Fai@517-927-9425 or email faimok@myway.com for inquiries.

FOR SALE: Kuwahara Adventure Trek tandem, very few miles. Originally purchased from Denny's Central Park Bicycles. Must be seen to appreciate. \$1,000.00 or best offer. Contact Clark at cwduerr57@yahoo.com.

SERVICE PROVIDED: Fellow TCBA member is willing to provide

services and repairs to any make or model of bicycles (kids to adults; road-to-mountain; and everything in between). Quick turn-around, great prices, and pick-up and delivery is also available. If interested, contact Jim Blais at 517-348-4529 or email tibone700@yahoo.com.

MEMBER SPECIALS

SEW MUCH MORE

Cycling Wear: jerseys, cycling shorts, tights, and cycling shells. Reasonable prices. Custom fit. Gift Certificates. For more information, call Sue at (517) 627-1411.

Happy Father's Day

June 20, 2010

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