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MEETING	DATE & TIME	LOCATION	PRESENTER & TOPIC
Membership	JULY 26, 2012, 7:00 p.m.	Foster Community Center 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	DALMAC Preparation Input from various TCBA members
Cycle Forum	JULY 26, 2012, 6:00 p.m.	Foster Community Center 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	ALLAN HUBER Multi-Day Ride Preparation and Things to Bring
BOARD MEETING	July 10, 2012 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 JULY 6

Please send items to Janet Weber, 767 Linden Street, Charlotte, MI 48813 or send your e-mail to chainwheelchatter@biketcba.org by the indicated deadline. **NOTE: DEADLINES ARE EARLIER THAN NORMAL DUE TO SUMMERTOUR.**

RIDE CALENDAR JULY 4

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

DALMAC Treasurer Notice: Any correspondence to the DALMAC Treasurer, including reimbursement requests, should be sent to the DALMAC Post Office Box 24216, Lansing, MI 48909-4216. A couple of people are covering for Diane Sherman this summer and by using the PO Box we will be sure to get your correspondence to the right person. You may continue to use the dalmactreasurer@biketcba.org email address since that can be forwarded appropriately.

BOARD MEMBER ELECTIONS: The Board elections are fast approaching. ANYONE interested in running for a board position should submit the Nominee Profile form on page 5 to secretary@biketcba.org or mail to TCBA, ATTN: Secretary, P.O. Box 22146, Lansing, MI 48909-2146. Profiles should be received no later than the September Membership meeting, September 27, 2012.



TRI-COUNTY BICYCLE ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

May 1, 2012, Foster Community Center, Lansing, Michigan

Present and constituting a quorum: Roger Nelson, Steve Schuesler, Steve Leiby, Patricia Trudgen, Heidi Vanator, and Janet Weber. **Absent:** Wendell Proudfoot. **Others present:** TCBA Club members – Betty Johnson, Tom Martin, Bill Savage, and Katie Donnelly.

President R. Nelson called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m. and presented the agenda.

J. Weber presented the minutes for the April 3, 2012 meeting with a proposed correction. S. Schuesler **motioned** to accept the minutes as amended. P. Trudgen seconded. Motion carried without dissent.

BOARD REPORTS:

PRESIDENT REPORT: Roger stated he signed papers to renew the rider liability insurance at the April Membership meeting.

VICE-PRESIDENT REPORT: S. Schuesler reported the club picnic will be catered by the same caterer as previous. He also reported that the Winter party is set at Chisholm Hills.

SECRETARY REPORT: No report.

TREASURER'S REPORT: S. Leiby presented the financials for the month of April, minus the interest due to the inability to access one of the bank accounts on line. He reported he made the transfer of funds from Independence bank to MSUFCU. The DALMAC Fund has \$96,600 available for this year's grant awards. **MOTION** by J. Weber to accept the reports. H. Vanator seconded. Motion was passed unanimously. S. Leiby also presented for review, the 2011 tax return which was filed electronically this year.

EVENT DIRECTOR'S REPORT: H. Vanator stated she had been in contact with Dick Allen and he signed up for this year's ride. She was surprised he offered to pay. She felt it would be proper to provide him a complimentary ride since he was the founder. **MOTION** by S. Leiby that we offer Dick Allen a permanent, complimentary DALMAC for each year he chooses to ride, along with the jersey and awards a volunteer receives. P. Trudgen seconded. Motion carried unanimously. H. Vanator reported that everything else for this year's DALMAC was rolling along just fine.

AT LARGE REPORTS: P. Trudgen stated she & Pat Harrington have been taking care of the crew list for DALMAC. She was excited to report the crew is full with the exception of one baggage driver on the 5-UP route. She stated the count for this year's DALMAC was only four people short of 1500 participants. Specific counts are: West route - 508; 5-day - 486; UP - 352; East - 150. She also stated that since we are doing something different this year with no Quad route, but a century option in the West route, there would be a roving SAG to cover those riders.

W. Proudfoot was unable to be present for the meeting however, he submitted the following reports:

- At-large: In April, one call to TUBES-line was forwarded to DALMAC.
- Incentive Program
 - ◆ 2011 – Order for Level 2-5 items is being taken to Velocipede by Linda A. & may (hopefully) be available by May membership meeting. Steve L
 - ◆ 2012 – Nothing to report
- Memberships – 39 new and renewal memberships entered into database. Updated database sent to Ride Mileage coordinator.
- Web site – Mike Unsworth has joined the "Website Committee". Several items to be worked on:
 - ◆ Update crosstown maps
 - ◆ Implement pages for Advocacy effort
 - ◆ Implement pages for Education and Safety effort (more permanent area for classes, poster contest, etc.)

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Poster Contest Program: Betty Johnson presented the board with an exceptional poster submitted by a fifth grader this year. With this particular submission, she requested approval to place a full-page, color ad in the Lansing State Journal (LSJ) during the month of May. The cost would be \$1,936.50 for a Sunday ad or \$1,636.50 for a Mon-Sat ad. S. Leiby **MOTIONED** to take place the ad in the LSJ for May on a Sunday. H. Vanator seconded the motion, stipulating the date of May 20. Steve Schuesler would like a cost comparison with the City Pulse. We could look at doing an ad in the City Pulse later, as well as bundling with the community newspapers. S. Leiby called question and the motion carried. B. Johnson's second request was to get more schools involved, this committee would like to send copies of this poster to the schools next year with the letters informing them of the contest to heighten the attention of the contest. In addition, the children booklets P. Trudgen had printed up would

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also be sent with these to the schools to further the schools' interest in promoting bicycling. The cost of these posters would be a charge of \$20 to convert the poster to a PDF file and \$148.14 for 200 12 x 18 posters. If we add words to the bottom, it would be an additional \$13. S. Leiby **MOTIONED** to authorize B. Johnson print 300 posters. H. Vanator seconded. Motion carried without dissent.

Safety & Education: Bill Savage reported the SMART cycling class scheduled for May 19 only had three people signed up. He requested help to get other folks interested in signing up. He also stated four members from the Florida Sarasota Manatee Bike club will be participating in this years DALMAC. B. Savage will be going to a DeWitt Elementary school to present on bicycle safety. He requested interest in taking some of the booklets P. Trudgen has.

DALMAC FUND: Tom Martin presented the Committee was recommending 9 of the 13 grant project submissions be approved this year, along with one recommendation for the club to take on, as well as one of the nine be a shared grant with the TCBA. Tom presented a chart of the grantees depicting the project summary, requested amount, total project cost, the amount the DALMAC Fund was recommending, and the amount the TCBA should fund. **MOTION** was made by S. Schuesler to approve the DALMAC Fund's recommendation to award \$64,000 in grants as outlined on their evaluation summary chart. P. Trudgen seconded. Motion carried without dissent. H. Vanator **MOTIONED** to approve the TCBA provide funding for the two grants totaling \$10,525. S. Schuesler seconded. Steve Leiby wanted the board to be aware that the Lansing Service Department grant was a three-year match, meaning the City has 3 years to match the \$10,000 before the TCBA give the approved funding. Motion carried. Awardees will be presented with their grants/commitments for grants at the May membership meeting.

OLD BUSINESS:

S. Schuesler indicated he has speakers through June. He also had the Lansing Engineer as a future speaker, but was uncertain when the best time to schedule him would be. Steve L. recommended the City Engineer be considered the speaker in August and the board agreed.

The board requested J. Weber to bring the Board protocol to the next meeting with new ride incentive program added to it for board approval.

NEW BUSINESS:

CLUB BANNER: S. Leiby indicated he has the Banner, but it needs replaced. The current one is longer and narrower than what banners typically are. He will work on pricing a new one, as well as DALMAC ones for the four routes.

MEMBER INPUT:

K. Donnelly inquired whether the club had received any correspondence to register for the 2012 Healthy and Fit Expo being held in September. Wendell usually checks the mail, and due to his absence, there was no correspondence presented at this meeting. It was uncertain whether the board had submitted the registration for the 2012 event. S. Leiby was going to look to see whether any check had been written/cashed for it. If not, Katie would like to see the board consider the TCBA participation at the event which she would be willing to work at, and hopefully get a few others to do so as well.

Katie also brought up the parking issue at the Foster Center. Based on the increased programs held at this location, parking is limited and her concern is specifically for the May membership meeting with the inclusion of all the Poster Contest Winners, their families, and school officials who may attend, as well as all the recipients of the DALMAC Fund grants, in addition to the usual members who attend. She suggested as an alternative the Hannah Community Center as an option for club meetings. S. Schuesler stated he was familiar with the Hannah Community Center and the evening activities there also has parking issues.

K. Donnelly also asked the board if anyone had received the endorsement of our tours from the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness, as we advertise on our DALMAC Application booklet. None of the board members was aware of this. H. Vanator indicated she would look in her files to see if anything was submitted.

MOTION to adjourn by S. Schuesler. Seconded by P. Trudgen. Carried without dissent.

R. Nelson adjourned the meeting at 8:13 p.m.

TCBA Advocacy Committee
March - May 2012 Report
Prepared by Mike Unsworth

I. Advocacy Committee actions:

- A. A meeting of non-motorized regional transportation stakeholders will be held on June 20
- B. Ride of Silence – See separate report elsewhere in the *Chainwheel Chatter*
- C. Operation Soft Serve – This project uses social media to encourage ice cream stores to provide adequate bike parking and outdoor seating. A Facebook page has been developed (<http://www.facebook.com/OperationSoftServe>) and a press release will be sent out the first week of June.
- D. Proposed Regional Multimodal Transportation Center in East Lansing – If it ever gets funding, it would replace the East Lansing Amtrak Station. Tim will try to have MSU (one of the grant participants) press for bicycle fatalities
- E. Discussion on long term issues – Markings for bicycle and pedestrian fatalities & the “Cedar/Pennsylvania jumble”

II. Recent developments:

- A. City of Lansing Bicycle Parking Ordinance –adopted by the City Council on June 4 by a vote of 7-1. Numerous Advocacy members worked on getting this legislation passed.
- B. Bike Lanes on West Saginaw Street – MDOT wants to reduce Saginaw from Stanley Street to the bridge of the Grand River from four to three lanes. It would like to receive letters of support.
- C. Lodges of East Lansing Phase 2 – planners have met with Committee members and have some added some good features such as re-designing breezeways for additional bike parking and seriously considering bike lanes for Hannah Boulevard.
- D. Ivanhoe-Flower Pot neighborhoods trail connector—local residents invited committee members to take a look at the terrain to see if we thought a trail would be feasible. Seeing that the desired route would go through an MSU natural area, it is debatable if the University would allow a variance on bike traffic through a natural area.
- E. Delhi Township continues planning work on a North Connector Trail Project which will link its current non-motorized trail on Willoughby Road to the Lansing River Trail on Jolly Road.
- F. The Capital Community Bike Share project had a SMART Planning Charrette on April 9-- This was a map exercise in which small work groups plotted possible locations for bike share stations. The project will issue a report & map combining the recommendations of the small groups and begin planning a pilot project.

RIDE OF SILENCE / COUNTING 107 ON A WEDNESDAY NIGHT RIDE

By Pat Harrington

On May 16 at 7pm – the Mid Michigan area joined over 300 concurrent global events for the 10th annual event honoring and memorializing bicyclists hit and killed or injured by motorists on roadways. This ride is also meant to remind observers of the legal rights bicyclists have to safely ride on roads.

The international statistics were:

318 events world wide

50 U.S. states

19 Countries

7 Continents

0 Words Spoken

A Million Powerful Memories

This was the most well attended Greater Lansing Ride of Silence to date. Of the 107 riders and 6 police officers that provided the escort from MSU's Beaumont Tower to MI's State Capitol, the majority were TCBA Club Members. The participants began the ride with a memorial carillon concert and very fine weather for the event.

The organizing committee is primarily made of current TCBA Members and wishes to Thank the TCBA Board for setting aside this one particular Wednesday night ride during the year to show support from TCBA to The International Ride of Silence. Additional information is available at www.rideofsilence.org.

July 2012 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	67 th District Court House in Grand Blanc	No ride July 15th	Ed Usewick 810-694-9919
	11:00 AM	25-40	C	Kroger's (Coolidge Rd, E. Lansing)		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Mondays	10:00 AM	25-45	C	Victor Township Hall	Food stop. No ride July 2nd and 9th	Tony Koller 517-669-5744
	6:00 PM	20-30	B	Oneida Gospel Church	mcsch@comcast.net	Mike Schilling 517-627-7567
	6:30 PM	16-25	C	Coach's		Dick Chulski-Ginger Royston 517-393-4799
Tuesdays	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Oneida Township Hall		Leslie Miyasato 517-927-8953 Or Mark Kappler 969-506-9528
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Dewitt, Gunnisonville School Parking Lot (Bike Times)		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
	6:30 PM	25+	B	Williamston Township Hall	Mike Hixson will lead July 3rd 517-896-5212	Dwayne & Charla Scheidler 517-339-4586
Wednesdays	9:00 AM	30-50	C	Mega Mall	No ride July 4th	Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
	6:00 PM	20-30	B	Oneida Gospel Church	No ride July 4th harry@harrydale.com	Harry Levins 517-627-9763
	6:15 PM	25-35	B	Alaiedon Township Hall		Jim Delinescheff 517-333-9329
Thursdays No ride on July 26th for club meeting	5:00 PM	25-35	C	Owosso Fire / Police Station		Evan Pittman 517-256-3891
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Oneida Township Hall		Leslie Miyasato 517-927-8953 Or Mark Kappler 969-506-9528
	6:30 PM	25+	B	Williamston Township Hall	John Foltz will lead on 19th 517-655-2823	Roger Nelson 517-488-5063
Fridays	9:30 AM	30-50	C	Dewitt Township Hall	Food stop. No ride July 13th	Jan or Tony Koller 517-669-5744
	6:00 PM	20-32	C	Hamlin Township Hall, Eaton Rapids	No ride on July 6th or 13th	Rob Taylor 517-648-2608
Saturdays	8:00 AM	50-75	Z	Sawdon School	No Ride: July 21st (WOW) nevitttd@hotmail.com	Doug Nevitt 517-614-8497

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: bikerides@comcast.net



HELMETS ARE REQUIRED ON ALL TCBA RIDES

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

Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Info	Ride Leader
Wednesday July 4 th	9:00 AM	40-55	Z	Holt Commuter Lot		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Saturday July 14 th	8:30 AM	55-70	Z	Mega Mall		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Saturday July 28 th	8:30 AM	45-88	z	Mega Mall	Ride to Outdoor Pancake Breakfast in Laingsburg	Edie Belcher 517/242-4122
Saturday July 28 th	8:00 AM	45	D	Williamston Twp Hall	Breakfast at Laingsburg's business pancake breakfast in the street (pancakes, sausage, coffee, juice, car show, crafters, drawings all for just a buck) bring a dollar.	Ron Gorsline 517 655-9381

Ride Starting Point Descriptions

67th District Court House.....Grand Blanc
Alaiedon Township Hall2021 Holt Road, 2 miles east of the Holt Commuter Lot
Coach's 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
Dewitt Gunnisonville School..... 1754 E. Clark Road
Hamlin Township Hall6430 S Clinton Trail Eaton Rapids
Holt Commuter Lot..... block left of the Holt Road Exit off 127 or 1/3 mi east of the College Road and Holt Road intersection
Kroger, Coolidge & Lake LansingParking is on the east side of Kroger's lot near Coolidge Road
Mega Mall...15487 Old US-27 (Northeast St.) & Northcrest Rd / NE Corner of lot
Owosso Fire/Police Station.....Owosso
Oneida Township Hall.....11041 Oneida Road, Grand Ledge
Oneida Gospel Church....Corner of Oneida & Strange Hwy, Gd Ledge
Sawdon School.....Lamson Rd., Grand Ledge
Victor Twp HallAlward Rd 200' w/of Shepardsville , Laingsburg
WilliamstonTwp Hall.....Corner Zimmer & Germany Rds,

RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS

A 17-19 MPH
 B 14-17 MPH
 C 12-14 MPH
 DUnder 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.

JUST A FRIENDLY NOTE TO HELP OUR RIDERS: If the weather is questionable for rides, please call the ride leader before leaving home. Ride leader numbers are always posted here in the newsletter, and on the ride line if they published their ride there. It may save you an unnecessary trip and save you some gasoline.

2012 TCBA RIDE DATES

Summer Tour July 11 - 15, 2012
 Women On Wheels July 21, 2012
 DALMAC Aug 29 - Sept 2, 2012

For more information, go to www.biketcba.org



Sunrises & Sunsets for July 2012

DAY	RISE	SET	DAY	RISE	SET	DAY	RISE	SET
1	6:04 AM	9:20 PM	11	6:11 AM	9:17 PM	21	6:19 AM	9:10 PM
2	6:05 AM	9:20 PM	12	6:11 AM	9:16 PM	22	6:20 AM	9:09 PM
3	6:05 AM	9:20 PM	13	6:12 AM	9:16 PM	23	6:21 AM	9:09 PM
4	6:06 AM	9:20 PM	14	6:13 AM	9:15 PM	24	6:22 AM	9:08 PM
5	6:06 AM	9:19 PM	15	6:14 AM	9:15 PM	25	6:23 AM	9:07 PM
6	6:07 AM	9:19 PM	16	6:15 AM	9:14 PM	26	6:24 AM	9:06 PM
7	6:08 AM	9:19 PM	17	6:15 AM	9:13 PM	27	6:25 AM	9:05 PM
8	6:08 AM	9:18 PM	18	6:16 AM	9:13 PM	28	6:26 AM	9:04 PM
9	6:09 AM	9:18 PM	19	6:17 AM	9:12 PM	29	6:27 AM	9:03 PM
10	6:10 AM	9:17 PM	20	6:18 AM	9:11 PM	30	6:28 AM	9:02 PM
						31	6:29 AM	9:00 PM

2nd Annual Assault on Mount Pleasant

By Darryl Burris

Get ready for your longest ride of the season. On the first Saturday in August (Aug. 4, 2012), I will be leading a "Z" ride from Dewitt Junior High to Mount Pleasant and back (150 miles). The TCBA Board has agreed to provide limited SAG service for this ride. The ride will leave at 7 a.m. Not up for 150 miles to Mount Pleasant? Middleton is 72 miles, or Alma is 100 miles on the route. Get ready and meet the challenge.

MEMBERSHIPS

By Wendell Proudfoot, Membership Coordinator

Welcome to 12 new members in May. . .

newsletter and on the website: <http://goo.gl/vZlIf>

New Members in April 2012

Dave Talberg	Kenneth Chileshe
Jim Zacks	Curt Henderson
Gail Brooks	Brandon Miller
Erin Beard	Eric Wood
Aaron Williams	Michele Sawich-Towler
James Kurt	Sierra Schmitzer

And two "unpublished" members

Expired Memberships in April 2012

Lynda Freeman	David Gill
Mike Adams	Suellen Hozman
Michael Stamm	Wisam Shango
Nancy House	Hayley Palazzoko
McKayla Hanson	Harold Armour

As of 1 June 2012, we have 1047 Individual and Family members.

Look for your expiration date above the label on your newsletter. A membership form for new and renewal memberships is below the label on the last page of the

GET THE CHAINWHEEL CHATTER ONLINE

By Wendell Proudfoot

Have you thought about getting the Chainwheel Chatter on-line instead of receiving it in the mail each month? Many members have said they'd prefer to read the newsletter on-line rather than receiving than on paper through the mail. Our membership database is still lacking a comprehensive system to facilitate this, but we've been accommodating some members by using a subscription list. If you'd like to try it, you can subscribe to the list at this link: <http://membership.biketcba.org/list/?p=subscribe&id=1> (shortened by Google: <http://goo.gl/bpLlh>).

Please don't subscribe if you are not a TCBA member. Non-members will be removed from the list without notice.

If you'd like to try it, but continue to receive the Chainwheel Chatter in the mail, the subscription page has an option to do that.

Advantages: Less paper clutter. Fewer trees turned into paper. The Chainweel Chatter is often available on-line two weeks before receiving it in the mail.

Disadvantages: If you want it on paper, you'll have to print it yourself. The last page, with the names and phone numbers of club officials and a membership renewal form, is omitted.



CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

Edie Belcher was elected the 2011 Ride Leader of the Year. Edie goes to Florida during the winter, so we delayed presenting her award until the June Membership meeting. Congratulations, Edie, and thank you for everything you do for the Tri-County Bicycle Association.



"One flag, one land, one heart, one hand, one nation ever-more."

-Oliver Wendell Holmes

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 Wendell Proudfoot of your change of address at membership@biketcba.org.

NEW ADDRESS

Meetings in 2012

Board meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. at the Foster Center on the following dates:

July 10, 2012
August 7, 2012
September 4, 2012
October 2, 2012
November 6, 2012
December 4, 2012

Member meetings are at 7:00 p.m. and Allan Huber's Cycling Maintenance Class at 6:00 p.m.:

July 26, 2012
August 23, 2012
September 27, 2012
October 25, 2012
November 29, 2012
December 6, 2012—
Winter Party

Happy Birthday America!



CLUB JERSEYS FOR SALE

Cost is \$55 and are available in various sizes from small to XXL. Jerseys will be available at monthly club meeting.

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.adventurecycling.org Adventure Cycling

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.railstotrails.org Rails to Trails Conservancy

www.michigantrails.org Michigan Trails & Greenway Alliance

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

twitter.com Twitter

<http://www.nhtsa.gov/Bicycles> National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

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 chainwheelchat@biketcba.org, fax to 1-800-480-1146, or mail to Janet Weber, 767 Linden St., Charlotte, MI 48813.

FOR SALE: 54cm Trek 5500 OCLV (carbon fiber) road bike. Dura-Ace components and Rolf competition wheels (no pedals). \$1,000.00. Email joncaterino@comcast.net or call 517-899-5899.

FOR SALE: 2003 Gary Fisher Big Sur GS, women's specific mountain bike. Used x 2 years, then stored hanging in my garage. Asking \$600, negotiable. Will supply pictures & specs upon request. Contact: ERalexis@aol.com.

FOR SALE: Trek 520, Size 23. Aero bar with shifters at forward end of aero bar. New—\$1,045. Asking \$450. Ridden 30 miles. Like new. Call Tom at 517-881-4162.

FOR SALE: Schwinn orange crate bicycle (replica). Like new. Great for a young rider. Originally \$300.00, asking \$150 or best offer. Also, Wilderness Systems Manteo kayak, paddles and accessories included. Please call Peggy for details. 517-896-8529.

FOR SALE: Draftmaster bicycle rack. This rack will hold three standard bikes or two standard bikes and one tandem. Tips down for easy loading of bikes. Mounts in two inch square receiver, adapter for 1 1/4 inch receiver included. Asking \$350.00 Contact Catherine at: cathayes@voyager.net or call 269-781-4457

WANTED: Want to purchase a semi-recumbent tandem such as Hase Pino Allround or Bilenky Viewpoint. I have a 15 year old autistic grandson that wants to ride with his grandpa. Contact Roger Andrews at 231-920-5589 or ksarna15@yahoo.com.

MEMBER SPECIALS

Sew Much More
Sewing Classes—ages 8 to adult
custom CYCLING Wear

Susan A. Schrock
517-627-1411

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Grand Ledge, MI 48837
e-mail: sewmuchmorebiz@gmail.com
web: sewmuchmore.biz

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Sat - closed
Sun - 12 - 6

James and Linda Blais
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1754 E. Clark Rd, Lansing, MI 48906, biketimesbikeshop.com
517-344-4529

All TCBA member receive 20% off service. Just bring copy of the Chatter.

third annual
Habitat for Humanity
Lansing & Clinton County

bike to build

August 18, 2012

On-site registration 8:00 - 10:00 am
Start/Finish at Redeemer United Methodist Church, DeWitt, Michigan

INCLUDES LUNCH AT THE DEWITT OX ROAST!

Registration BEFORE July 31: \$30
August 1 thru August 18: \$35

Register at www.habitatlansing.org
or call 517/374-1313 x13.

SCOOTER'S
Holt Pro Cycle

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