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MEETING	DATE & TIME	LOCATION	PRESENTER & TOPIC
MEMBERSHIP	AUGUST 22, 2013 7:00 p.m.	Foster Community Center, 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	PAUL SELDEN What the Heck is Randonneuring? Paul is a member of Randonneurs, USA, and designer of more than 15 RUSA-approved bike routes in Michigan will speak on: What is Randonneuring?; distances & types of randonneuring routes; how to get credit & awards for riding approved routes; steps in the route design process; and examples of routes, including the Paris-Brest-Paris & in Michigan
CYCLE FORUM	AUGUST 22, 2013 6:00 p.m.	Foster Community Center, 200 N. Foster St. Lansing, MI	ALLAN HUBER DALMAC Spoken Here Last minute preparation & discussion
BOARD MEETING	AUGUST 6, 2013 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 AUGUST 9

Please send items to Janet Weber, via e-mail to chainwheelchatter@biketcba.org by the indicated deadline.

RIDE CALENDAR AUGUST 7

Information for the ride calendar needs to be sent to Ed Usewick, 590 Boutell Drive, Grand Blanc, MI 48439 or e-mailed to tcbamonthlyrides@aol.com. 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

HELP!! - We are in need of Truck Drivers and SAG Drivers for DALMAC. Please contact Cheryl Claflin at caclafin@sbcglobal.net or 517-676-9115.

DALMAC 2013 registration Volunteers needed. Many of you have helped with DALMAC Registration before and know what a reward it is watching the Mike and Mike Show at Registration and a GREAT way to meet other club members. If you can help please contact Mike Hudson at 517-321-4297 (please no calls after 10:00pm) or e-mail hudsonmp66@gmail.com. A sign-up sheet will also be passed around at the August and August club meetings. We will again be registering DALMAC riders at the MSU Pavilion as follows:

Tuesday 27th: 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday 28th: 7:00-9:00a.m. & 5:00-8:00p.m.

Thursday August 29th: 7:00-9:00a.m.

Please plan to arrive 15 minutes prior to your shift starting time.

NOTE: If you missed the talk Eddie Glayzer gave during the February membership meeting, he will be sharing his cycling touring experiences in Asia at the Kids Repair Program, 5815 Wise Road, in south Lansing, on August 15th. He will try to expand on old themes and leave more time for questions from the audience.



TRI-COUNTY BICYCLE ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

June 4, 2013, Foster Community Center, Lansing, Michigan

Meeting was called to order by President Pat Trudgen at 6:33 p.m.

Present: Pat Trudgen, Bill Smith, Julie Bailey. Steve Leiby, Heidi Vanator, Joel Wickham, and Ray Bailey.

Others in attendance: Katie Donnelly, Jeff Dillingham, Mike Unsworth, Wendell Proudfoot, and Jacob Vanator.

Agenda: Presented and motion made to accept agenda as written by Bill Smith and seconded by Joel Wickham. Motion carried.

May Meeting Minutes were presented to the board. Motion made to accept them as written by Heidi Vanator, and seconded by Ray Bailey. Motion carried.

Correspondence Received: Steve Leiby none

BOARD REPORTS:

President: Pat Trudgen: Discussed two emails received from the public about taking on the computer portion of Joe Adam's job and involvement with the newsletter. Pat contacted Lansing State Journal reporter who interviewed her on 5/24/13 because Janet would like to put it in the *Chainwheel Chatter*.

Vice President: Bill Smith: Discussed the picnic that will be at Delhi Valhalla Park. Bill stated he is starting to look at the winter dinner party at Grand Ledge Opry House. Working on a letter he received from Pat from a guy who wants to fit bike riders for bikes out of Traverse City.

Secretary: Julie Bailey: nothing

Treasurer: Steve Leiby: Treasurer's report was handed out to be discussed and reviewed. Motion was made by Joel Wickham to accept treasurer's report as written, and seconded by Bill Smith. Motion carried.

Events Director: Heidi Vanator: Discussed the numbers for DALMAC and what was completed. Final picture of jersey was presented to the Board. She said she is short on volunteers for fruit stops and looking for a replacement for Deb LePaugh, who is quitting. Resource Revival is making medallions for youth out of recycled bike chains. Ann Siegel is looking for people to help write articles about biking. The first recording of the "DALMAC Legend" is done.

Board at Large: Joel Wickham: Joel asked if we should get photos of the posters so we can post the information on Facebook.

Board at Large: Ray Bailey: Ray will deliver flyers to local bike shops about recycling bike chains.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Advocacy Committee: Mike Unsworth: Emailed the Board a report on the Ride of Silence and Dinner and Bikes.

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Membership: Wendell Proudfoot: Webpage troubles and in the process of being worked out. He discussed number of active members, and information about the mailing/emailing of Chainwheel Chatter. Hot Prospects, who prints the Chainwheel Chatter is shutting down the business.

DALMAC Fund: Steve Leiby: At the next club meeting, Nathan Alexander will talk about the DALMAC fund.

OLD BUSINESS:

Protocol: Pat Trudgen sent a copy of the protocol for the Board's review and to adopt. An amendment was made to take out the sunset clause. Another amendment was made to adopt the amended advertising policy. Joel Wickham made a motion to add the updated advertising policy to the protocol and to adopt the protocol without a renewal, seconded by Steve Leiby. Discussion followed.

Ray Bailey made a motion to add a Loss/Theft policy to the protocol, seconded by Steve Leiby. Discussion made and it was decided to table until the next board meeting.

Pat Trudgen discussed about shortening up the minutes. Minutes taken at the meeting will be kept but an abridged version sent to the Chainwheel Chatter. Board decided to try it before they adopt it. So it was tabled until next month.

PA System: Jeff Dillingham: Jeff gave a short demonstration of the new equipment.

Computer Equipment and Service: Pat Trudgen: Discussed that an inventory needs to be done on all TCBA computers. This will be discussed further at the next board meeting.

New Business:

Eagle Scout Proposal: Jacob Vanator: Talked about becoming an eagle scout and about TCBA helping to fund his eagle project of installing bike racks in Olivet, Michigan. Joel Wickham made the motion to fund 100% of Jacob's project, seconded by Steve Leiby. Motion carried. Heidi Vanator abstained.

Fees for attending TCBA parties: Ray Bailey: Tabled until next month.

Pat adjourned the meeting at 8:29 p.m. Motion made by Joel Wickham, and seconded by Ray Bailey.

Respectfully submitted//

Julie Bailey, secretary

Next meeting Tuesday, July 2, 2013 at Foster at 6:30 p.m.

U.S. PRODUCT RECALLS

Name of product: Tern folding bicycles

Hazard: The bike's frame can crack at the hinge on the top tube, posing a fall hazard.

Remedy: Repair

Consumer Contact: Stile Products; toll-free at (888) 570-8376 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. PT Monday through Friday or online at www.ternbicycles.com and click on Product Recall Information for more information.

Units: About 175

Description: The recall involves Eclipse S11i and Verge S11i, X10, X20 and X30h models of Tern brand folding bikes. The 24-inch wheel Eclipse model was sold in a silver/black color combination. The 20-inch wheel Verge models were sold in silver/black, orange/white, red/black and yellow/grey color combinations. "Tern" is printed on the front end of the top tube and on portion of the frame. The model name is printed on the middle of the top tube. The frame has a 10-character alphanumeric serial number that begins with AM1A or from AM1102 through AM1207. The serial number is stamped on the bottom bracket shell of the bike. An alphanumeric service tag number located on the front of the seat tube will be requested. The bicycles' service tag numbers included on this recall are listed on the firm's website.

Incidents/Injuries: Stile Products has received two reports of incidents of the frame hinge cracking, resulting in minor scrapes and bruises.

Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop riding the bicycle and contact Stile Products or take the bike to an authorized dealer. Consumers will receive a free frame and have it installed at no cost.

Sold at: Authorized Stile/Tern dealers nationwide from January 2012 to May 2013 for between \$1,800 and \$3,000.

Manufacturer: Alu Maga Industrial Co., Ltd., of Taiwan. **Manufactured in:** Taiwan

Name of product: Salsa Bicycle Forks

Hazard: The bicycle fork can bend above the disc brake mount, posing a fall hazard to the rider.

Remedy: Refund/Replace

Consumer Contact: Salsa Cycles; toll-free at (877) 774-6208 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, or online at www.salsacycles.com and click on the Fork Recall button for more information.

[Report an Incident Involving this Product](#)

Units: About 1,700

Description: This recall involves all Salsa Vaya bicycle forks stamped with the batch codes 2011 02 21, 2011 04 11, 2011 06 14 and 2011 09 09 and all Salsa La Cruz bicycle forks stamped with the batch codes 2011 03 01, 2011 04 08, 2011 05 30 and 2011 09 09. The batch code is stamped on the steerer tube. The forks are made of tubular chromoly steel and can be installed on any bicycle that takes a threadless 1 1/8 inch steerer tube. They were sold individually and as original equipment on Salsa Vaya bicycles and framesets. Salsa Vaya bicycle forks are orange or dark gray. La Cruz bicycle forks are black. The manufacturer's insignia "CWI" is stamped on the steerer tube. "Salsa" is printed on the bicycle's frame.

Incidents/Injuries: Salsa Cycles has received eight reports of forks bending above the disc brake mount. No injuries have been reported.

Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop using bicycles equipped with the recalled Salsa Vaya and La Cruz bicycle forks and contact a Salsa dealer for a free inspection, replacement fork or a full refund.

Sold at: Bicycle stores nationwide and on various websites from February 2011 through June 2012 for about \$100 individually for La Cruz forks and on Salsa Vaya bicycles for between \$1,300 and \$1,600.

Importer Salsa Cycles, of Bloomington, Minn., (a wholly-owned brand of Quality Bicycle Products, Inc.)

Manufacturer: CWI, of Taiwan. **Manufactured in:** Taiwan

TCBA Advocacy Committee Report for June 2013

By Michael Unsworth

- A. Capital Community Bike Share (CCBS) has entered into an agreement with A2B Bikeshare (<http://www.a2bbikeshare.com>) to bring a Pilot Bike Share program to Lansing in August. The stations will be along a Michigan Avenue/Old Town axis. After the test period, then will be an evaluation for future directions. CCBS is looking for sponsors & donors. For its part, TCBA has given a \$5,000 grant. A June 26 kick-off attracted over 30 people and good coverage by Lansing & Detroit media
- B. Business Likes Bikes/Bike Parking (BLB/BP)--A Business Likes Bikes logo has been developed. Three commercial areas in Lansing (West Side Commercial, Old Town, and Michigan Avenue) are showing interest in the BLB commercial district concept and are crafting requests for bike racks and other programs that would qualify them for a BLB designation. There will be a call for volunteers to serve on the committee.
- C. Quarterly transportation meetings—The Summer Meeting will be held on July 10 from 6-8 pm at East Lansing's Hannah Center and have the Theme of "Tri-County Trail Summit." There will be presentations on extension and new trails by a number of area governments. For the Fall meeting, a possible theme is "Mobility Management."

Volunteers Needed to Help Plan Westside Bicycle Event

By Mike Unsworth

Do you recall the "Coast With Your Community" event held last October that celebrated the new bicycle lane on Saginaw Street? In case you were unable to attend, around twenty bicyclists rode a loop on residential streets to the Saginaw Street's new buffered bike lanes. Several walkers hiked along Saginaw Street from the Sparrow-St. Lawrence Campus to the reconstructed bridge over the Grand River. Over fifty people attended the ribbon cutting.

The Westside Commercial Association (WCA) wants to go a step further and craft an annual event that is driven by activity on the corridor: walking, bicycling, running and more! Our goal is to increase accessibility to the corridor by different forms of transportation, making it safer and more community oriented. We hope to grow this event each year. We have set a date for the morning of Saturday, September 21.

While the WCA will be putting this together, we need a team of people who will help us plan and decide what the day will bring.

Please respond if you are interested in participating. Please contact Lisa Benck at Benck.lisa@gmail.com or 517-648-0366.

August 2013 Ride Calendar

Recurring Rides; No Ride if Rain, unless noted

Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Information	Ride Leader
Sundays	11:00 AM	25-40	C	Kroger's (Coolidge Rd., E.Lansing)		Edie Belcher 517- 242-4122
Mondays	9:30 AM	25-45	C	Victor Township Hall	Food Stop No ride 19 th or 26 th	Jan or Tony Koller 517-669-5744
	6:00 PM	20-30	B	Oneida Gospel Church	DS11518@gmail.com	Diane Sherman 517-281-5971
	6:30 PM	15-25	C	Coach's American Pub & Grill	gingerroyston@me.com	Ginger Royston or Dick Chulski 517-393-4799
Tuesdays	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Oneida Township Hall	No ride August 27 th	Leslie Miyasato 517- 927-8953 or Mark Kappler 989-506-9528
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	DeWitt Meijers	No ride August 27 th	Linda Antinori 517-410-6043
	6:30 PM	20-30	B	Williamston Town Hall	Rob Graf on 8/6 (517-204-2770)	Kristen Furseth 517-930-3154
Wednesdays	9:00 AM	30-50	C	Valley Farms Park	No ride August 28 th	Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
	6:00 PM	20-30	B	Oneida Gospel Church	DS11518@gmail.com	Diane Sherman 517-281-5971
	6:15 PM	25-35	B	Riverview Church	No Ride August 28 th	Jim Delinscheff 517-333-9329
Thursdays No Evening rides on the 22 nd , Club Meeting	5:30 PM	12	D	Bath Township Farmers Market	No Ride on the 29 th	Dan Stockwell 517-410-6942
	6:30 PM	20-30	B	Williamston Town Hall	John Foltz (517-655-2823) for Aug 1 No Ride on the 29 th	Mike Hixson 517-896-5212
	6:00 PM	20-30	C	Oneida Township Hall	No Ride August 29 th	Leslie Miyasato 517- 927-8953 or Mark Kappler 989-506-9528
Fridays	9:00 AM	30-50	C	DeWitt Township Hall	Food Stop No Ride August 30 th	Jan or Tony Koller 517-669-5744
	6:00 PM	22-28	C	Hamlin Township Hall	No Ride August 30 th	Rob Taylor 517-648-2608
Saturdays	8:00 AM	50-75	Z	Sawdon School	No ride August 17 th DS11518@gmail.com	Diane Sherman 517-281-5971

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 Ride Line Call-in Coordinator: Thomas Bogle

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.



HELMETS ARE REQUIRED ON ALL TCBA RIDES

Non-Recurring Day Rides (one-time only) in August

Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Info	Ride Leader
Saturday August 3 rd Rain Date:4 th	7:30 AM	20-100	C	Columbiaville, Southern Links Trail (10 mile trail)	Ride your ride! www.southernlinkstrailway.com	Ed and Roxanne Usewick 810-694-9919
Saturday August 10 th	8:30 AM	50-70	Z	Valley Farms Park		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
	7:30 AM	100	Z	Oneida Township Hall	Challenging hilly ride to Hastings and more	Katie Donnelly 517-349-5564

Ride Starting Point Descriptions

67th District Court House..... Grand Blanc
Coaches American Pub & Grill.....6201 Bishop - south of the King exit on I-96
Columbiaville, Michigan is near Lapeer, MI
DeWitt Township Hal.....1401 W. Herbison Rd. 1/2 mi. west of Old 27
DeWitt Meijers (Webb Road)12821 Cross Over Dr, DeWitt
Hamlin Township Hall, Eaton Rapids
Kroger, Coolidge & Lake LansingParking is on the east side of Kroger's lot near Coolidge Road
Oneida Township Hall.....11041 Oneida Road, Grand Ledge
Oneida Gospel Church.....Corner of Oneida and Strange Hwy, Grand Ledge
Riverview Church.....Willoughby, one block west of College Rd
Sawdon School.....Lamson Rd., Grand Ledge
Southern Links Trail.....Columbiaville, Michigan near Lapeer, MI
Valley Farms Park, 1/2 mile south of Mega Mall; Brook/Wieland Roads. Across from DeWitt Fire Station
Victor Twp hallAlward Rd 200' west of Shepardsville road, Laingsburg
Williamstown Twp HallCorner 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.



August 28—September 1

Sunrises & Sunsets for August 2013

DAY	RISE	SET	DAY	RISE	SET	DAY	RISE	SET
1	6:30 AM	9:00 PM	11	6:40 AM	8:47 PM	21	6:51 AM	8:32 PM
2	6:31 AM	8:58 PM	12	6:40 AM	8:45 PM	22	6:52 AM	8:30 PM
3	6:32 AM	8:57 PM	13	6:42 AM	8:44 PM	23	6:53 AM	8:29 PM
4	6:33 AM	8:56 PM	14	6:43 AM	8:43 PM	24	6:54 AM	8:27 PM
5	6:34 AM	8:55 PM	15	6:44 AM	8:41 PM	25	6:55 AM	8:26 PM
6	6:35 AM	8:53 PM	16	6:46 AM	8:40 PM	26	6:56 AM	8:24 PM
7	6:36 AM	8:52 PM	17	6:47 AM	8:38 PM	27	6:57 AM	8:22 PM
8	6:37 AM	8:51 PM	18	6:48 AM	8:37 PM	28	6:58 AM	8:21 PM
9	6:38 AM	8:50 PM	19	6:49 AM	8:35 PM	29	7:00 AM	8:19 PM
10	6:139 AM	8:48 PM	20	6:50 AM	9:11 PM	30	7:01 AM	8:17 PM
						31	7:02 AM	8:16 PM



Inaugural "Pedaling Through History" Ride Attracts Twenty-Five Bicyclists

By Mike Unsworth

Pleasant temperatures, cool breezes, high overcast, and eye-catching buildings contributed to an enjoyable cycling tour of East Lansing's "modern" architecture on June 29. Tour guides Ron Springer and Adrianna Jordan used various structures to highlight the characteristics of "modern architecture:" use of new technologies, large areas of glass, and flat or low roofs. These features reflected the changing, informal lifestyles of the post-World War II era. The ride visited many of the buildings highlighted in the MSU Museum's "East Lansing Modern Driving/Biking Tour."

Prominent structures such as the Saginaw Street headquarters buildings of the Michigan Education Association & of the Michigan State Medical Society (MSMS), and the Edgewood United & Eastminster churches were visited as well as private residences in the Lantern Hill, Glencairn, and Walnut Heights neighborhoods. The East Lansing Public Library (ELPL) assembled a special display of documents highlighting the history of the current library. Pauline Adams, an original residence of the Lantern Hills neighborhood, discussed the establishment of the subdivision and the evolution of her house. A special treat was talking with Nancy and Norm Pollack about their 1936 Glencairn home on Roxburgh Avenue. Norm wore his 1980s vintage TCBA jersey and reminisced about early DALMACs.

The ride's organizer wishes to thank the following: Guides Ron Springer and Adrianna Jordan for their interesting presentations. Pauline Adams and the Pollacks for sharing their memories. Ride Escorts Bob Lovell, Lenny Provencher, and Thomas Bauman for ensuring a safe ride. ELPL's Jill Abood and MSMS' Sherry Barnhart for sharing material on their buildings. MSU Professor Susan Bandes and her students for putting together the MSU Museum's "East Lansing Modern" exhibit. Finally, thanks to all the riders who came out to experience the architectural history of East Lansing.

"Pedaling Through History" is an occasional series of rides highlighting aspects of Mid-Michigan's past. If you have suggestions for future rides, please contact Mike Unsworth at advocacy@biketcba.org or 517-282-7515.

Wanted: New Chairperson for the Safety & Education Committee

By Bill Savage

As of October, 2013 I will be "retiring" as Chairman of the Committee. I have been spending six months in Florida the past two years, and feel that a full time resident would be beneficial.

My goal has been to provide classes to improve riding skills and safe riding practices, and to ultimately have a "League Cycling Instructor" class held in the Lansing area. We came close last year, and should try again in the near future.

I believe that more effort should be given to bike safety to the elementary students. This will involve notifying the schools of this service, and have a list of interested club members willing provide the safe riding practices. Hopefully, the new Chairperson will have the time and energy to visit area elementary schools, to get out the good word for helmets and bicycle safety.

If interested in chairing the committee, or having an interest in going to the schools, please contact President Pat Trudgen or myself.

“If constellations had been named in the 20th century, I suppose we would see bicycles”.

~ Professor Carl Sagan

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 member-ship@biketcba.org.

Meetings in 2013

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

August 6, 2013
September 3, 2013

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

August 22, 2013
September 26, 2013

2013 TCBA RIDE SCHEDULE

DALMAC® August 28-September 1

For more information and applications, visit the web site: www.biketcba.org.



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August 17, 2013
On-site registration 8:00 - 10:00 am
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Registration BEFORE July 31: \$30
August 1 thru August 17: \$35
Register at www.habitatlansing.org
or call 517/374-1313 x13.

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!

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

www.active.com/cycling/grass-lake-mi/pedal-and-whine-2013 Pedal and Whine Ride



CLASSIFIEDS



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FOR SALE: Rola bike rack for 3 bikes with lock, goes into hitch; heavy duty type; in great shape, used very little, \$95. Call 517-285-6214 or email burnsh1@aol.com.

FOR SALE: Want to buy a comfortable touring tandem for a 6 ft. captain and 5' 5" stoker (23"/ 19 or 20"). Please contact Tim Potter, 517-706-9244, or flyingdutchman63@gmail.com.

FOR SALE: Want to buy an American classic (Assenmacher, Richard Sachs, Waterford Paramount, JP Weigle, etc.) hand-made touring or road bike from the 70s or 80s, 58 - 60 cm, complete or frame only, in nice shape preferably. Please contact Tim Potter, 517-706-9244, or flyingdutchman63@gmail.com.

ODDS & ENDS FOR SALE: All items if not new, in very good condition. For info on prices, contact Edie at 517-242-4122:

- New Vestibule for Eureka Timberline 2 or Timberline Out-fitter 2 tent. Color: green. Weighs 1#. Provides extra storage for gear. Waterproof material.
- Two "Sachs" bike-tights for transportation of bikes, 1 front wheel holder
- Bar-ends for mountain bike
- New Italian-made leather "Selle Royal" mens saddle
- Medium size "Blackbum" rear-pack, color black with blue trim. Expands for more storage.
- "Nite Rider" battery operated light system, 5-6 hours of light. Mounts to bottle cage.
- "Performance" aluminum alloy ATB pedals, 4° of float, compatible with SPD cleats.

FOR SALE: Rola Bike Rack w/lock. Holds 3 bikes. Black. Goes into trailer hitch - 2"; used very little. \$90. Contact 517-285-6214 or burnsh1@aol.com.

FOR SALE: Hard Rock Sport Special 19L; model 9016731. Black. Great shape. \$75. Contact 517-285-6214 or burnsh1@aol.com.

FOR SALE: Yakima roof rack and accessories. 2 crossbars, locks, windscreen, large basket, many assorted bike clamps, wheel clamps, pillars for 2003 - 2008 Forester (you'll probably need different pillars for your car) - \$35. Contact Bob Lovell at 517 575-0765 or boblovell@comcast.net.

FOR SALE: Gary Fisher Big Sur GS WSD 15.5" mountain bike. Shimano Deore XT components, Brand new S-Works tires, Specialized computer. Excellent condition. \$450 Contact Lisa@ 517-410-0827 or llalley@comcast.net

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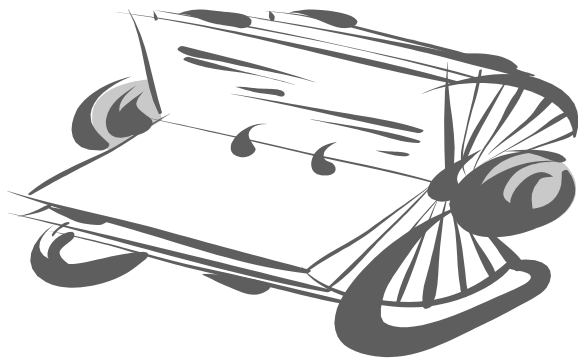
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