

Quad Cities Bicycle Club

1972

OFFICERS

President	Fred Blessin	Davenport, Iowa
Vice President	Terry Burke	East Moline, Illinois
Secretary	Debbie Bradley	Davenport, Iowa
Treasurer	Claude Patton	Moline, Illinois

DIRECTORS

Walter Barchman, Melvin Bradley, Darlene Carstens, Jim Nelson

COMMITTEES

Publicity and Membership: Terry Burke, Pat Costello, Bill Olmsted
Bikeways: Jim Nelson, Carter Le Beau
Nominating: The Directors, elected at the June meeting, will nominate candidate for officers, to be elected at the November meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

Two rides must preface an application for membership. The applicant then asks a membership committeeman to present his name to the Directors for approval.

Dues

Junior \$1.00 Senior \$2.00 Family \$5.00- Pay to Claude Patton
405 21st Ave. Moline 61265

RIDE LEADERS

Our ride leaders are the heart of our club. They know they are expected to either lead the ride in person or arrange with other members to lead it as described in the schedule. The leaders will warn us of any known hazards, and their decision will be final as to changes or cancellations due to unsafe conditions.

1972 SCHEDULE

- April 16--Sun. 1PM--12 mile ride from Long Grove through Scott County Park returning to Long Grove. The ride will begin at the Long Grove elementary School and will be entirely on hard surfaced roads. Leader--Jim Nelson
- April 23--Sun. 1PM--20 mile tour of the Illinois Quad-Cities. Meet at Rock Island Court House parking lot. Leader--Terry Burke
- May 7--Sun. 7:30 AM--50 miles to Sterling or 75 miles to Deere Park, Ill. Start from Stephins Square, 19th Street and 6th Ave., Moline. Noon picnic at Sinissippi Park, Sterling. For a shorter ride, start from Prophetstown, 15 miles from Sterling. Arrange your own return transportation. Leader--Terry Burke

- May 13, 14-- TOSRV, Columbus-Portsmouth, Ohio.--210 miles in 2 days.
America's biggest Rally. Laird Duncan and his father will take
up to 4 riders. Contact him immediately if you want to go.
- May 21--Sun. 12 Noon--10 mile ride starting from LeClaire Park, foot of
Main Street, Davenport. The route is tentatively planned for Arsenal
Island. Bring your own picnic lunch. Leaders--Joseph and Mary Jo
Sheridan
- June 11--Sun. 1:30 PM-- Cordova, Jct. Route 84 and County Road BB., Choice
of level, scenic routes 12 to 40 miles, to the towns of Hillsdale,
Erie, Prophetstown or Albany. Leaders Claude and Gwen Patton
- June 25--Sun. 7 AM--15 mile ride--Meet at VanDerVeer Park. Stop for
breakfast at golf course or restaurant. Leader--Darlene Carstens
- June 26--Monday 7:30 PM at the Walter Barchman's, 2233 West 13th Street,
Davenport (accessible from Cedar Street). Summer Meeting.
Agenda:
1. Elect 4 Directors, whose duties shall be: a. to nominate the
1973 officers b. arrange the November 6 annual meeting c. Each
arrange 3 events for 1973.
2. Those interested in a North East Iowa ride in July, will plan
details of route and sharing of work and expense. Guttenberg, 130 mi.,
Harpers Ferry, 165 mi., and Decorah, 190 mi. These have been suggested as possible
destinations.
- July 16--Noon picnic and at 1 PM a 26 mile ride from Scott County Park
through McCausland, Eldridge and Long Grove, back to the Park.
Ride on hard top roads except for about one mile of gravel.
Leader--Jim Nelson
- July 23--Sun. 6AM--12 mi. Breakfast run from Lincoln Park, Rock Island.
Leaders Claude and Gwen Patton
- August 6--Sun. 7AM--57mi. ride from Rock Island Court House to Lake Storey
Park, Galesburg, Ill. Bring lunch for noon picnic at the park.
Swimming. Optional 30 mile ride starts from Andover, make
arrangements for your return transportation ahead of time. Leader
Terry Burke.
- Aug. 20--Sun. 6:30 AM--20 mile breakfast run from VanDerVeer Park, Dav.
Leaders--Walter and Dorothy Barchman.
- Sept. 3 Sun. 6:30 AM--110 mile ride to Nauvoo, Ill. Grape Festival.
Arrange for your return transportation ahead of time. Start
from Rock Island Court House. Leader--Terry Burke
- Sept. 17--Sun. Noon--Bring your picnic lunch to Sauk-Trail State Park, Ill.
South from I-80 at Annawan exit.
1 PM--Choice of 30 mile or 60mile circuits. Of special interest is
the old strip mine country near Atkinson. Leader Irvin Gerkes.
- Oct. 1--Sun. 1:30 PM-- 32 mile circuit from Muscatine, Iowa, corner of Hershey
and Main. First 10 mi. is under scenic bluff. (1 mile uphill on rte.
61 shoulder and 1 mile gravel near Cranston).
- Oct 15--Sun. 1:30 PM--Scenic Savanna, Illinois Ridge Road. 10 mi level, or
32 mi. hilly--Start from home of Judd Law, 1 mi. North of hospital.
Eat after ride at Handels Steak House. Leaders--Claude and Gwen Patton
and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Sager of Savanna.
- November 6, Monday--Annual Meeting as arranged by the Board of Directors. Election
of officers and discussion of proposed events for 1973.