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SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 10:30 A.M. - The annual Percy Anderson Memorial Father's Day ride will be led by Earl Forman (a real father). The ride will start at the Duck Feeding Area at Norumbega, Auburndale, Rts 128 and 30. This will be a moderately paced ride of approximately thirty-five miles. The lunch stop will be the Wayside Inn, Sudbury, and the route will cover rural portions of Lincoln and Sudbury. Leader: Earl Forman, 894-2084.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY-SUNDAY, JUNE 24-25-26: Rawsonville, Vermont, is again the starting point for TOSRV-EAST '77, the Tour of Scenic Rural Vermont. This year's tour will be the sixth annual running of TOSRV-EAST. The tour begins in Rawsonville, which is just south of So. Londonderry, and winds north on Rt 100 beside the Black River, and on through Green Mountain National Forest. The route passes through Calvin Coolidge's home town, Plymouth, (his home is a short distance off the route) and photographers will love Moss Glen Falls and Granville Notch, not to mention the view from challenging Terrible Mountain. Cool off by wading in a bubbling mountain brook, or snack on delicious Vermont cheese.

This trip is for the experienced cyclist only - a total of 212 hilly miles will be covered in two days. At the end of the first day's ride will be a bountiful buffet and an overnight stop at a youth hostel in Waterbury Center. Send a self-addressed stamped envelope (don't forget to include your phone number) for

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making a reservation or requesting information. Cost of the week-end is still only \$17 and includes rustic Friday night accommodations, Saturday evening buffet and overnight, and country breakfast on Sunday. Your canceled check is your receipt. Detailed information will be mailed two weeks prior to the trip. There will be additional \$1.00 linen charge (payable to the hostel) if you don't bring your own sheet sleeping sack. Space is limited to 80. No refunds after June 1. Make checks payable to TOSRV-EAST and mail to Dot Rostron, 737 School Street, Lowell, MA 01857; telephone 1-452-3225.

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 10:00 A.M. - Meet in Uxbridge, Mass. for a ride sponsored by the Naragansett Bay Wheelmen. This is a hilly area, very rural, with old mill towns right out of the Industrial Revolution. It starts at Uxbridge High School. Directions: Southwest on Rt 16 through Milford and Mendon, 3½ miles past Mendon, pass Stevens Knitting Mill on right, 1 mile past mill Rt 16 hooks left, just at this point take a right for 3/10 miles to school. If you reach 122 you've gone too far; go back 2/10 mile.

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 10:00 A.M. - Meet at the Hatch Shell for a 25 mile ride through South Boston to Quincy. Leader: Tom Carr

SUNDAY - MONDAY, JULY 3 and 4 - Watch the races. No firm details yet, but in previous years the senior races began at 2:00 p.m. These are important races for the USCF and attract the top races in the country. A very different style of riding

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION: Membership in the Charles River Wheelmen also includes a membership in the national cyclist organization, League of American Wheelmen, and includes a subscription to the monthly newsletters of both clubs.

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than one sees on a CRW ride, 25 miles in 2 hours. Downtown Fitchburg on Sunday and downtown Walpole on Monday. These are criterium races which means the racers ride around a course, about one mile long, so spectators are able to keep posted on the progress of the entire race. Junior races, 10 miles, probably start at noon.

SUNDAY, JULY 3, 10 A.M. - Something new - a joint event with the Narragansett Bay Wheelmen. We will have a contest to see which group can turn out the most riders. The NBW has been running as high as 100 on some of its rides this year. We have something for all you reluctant wheelmen and wheelwomen a **FIFTEEN MILE RIDE!** For the hardier regulars there will also be a thirty mile loop ... and be prepared for some fast riding with the NBW. Ride is flat and passes through Sharon, Foxboro, Mansfield and Norton. Starting point is Sharon Shopping Center, Exit 8 (S. Main Street) off I-95, Sharon. Leader: Mike Brien, 1-222-8083.

SUNDAY, JULY 10, 10:30 A.M. - A 32 km. ride through Milton, Quincy, Braintree, Randolph and Canton. Roads will be arrowed and there will be a rest stop at a donut shop in Five Corners, Braintree. The ride itself will start at approximately 11 a.m. at the Trailside Museum parking lot, Rt 138 on the Milton/Canton line, and will be preceded by a climb (on bicycles) of Great Blue Hill. The hill climb will begin at 10:30, also from the Trailside Museum parking lot. Leader: Jacek "Rudy" Rudowski, 361-5273 evenings.

SUNDAY, JULY 17, 10:00 A.M. - Meet at the Duck Feeding Area on the Charles River at the intersection of Rts 128 and 30. We will ride a loop of approximately 50 miles, going through Sudbury and Hudson, and using back roads. Leader: Quentin Klein, 527-1557

SUNDAY, JULY 17, 9:00 A.M. - RHODY ROUNDUP - Fort Adams State Park, Newport, Rhode Island. Annual event hosted by the Narragansett Bay Wheelmen. Rides of various lengths up to 75 miles.

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS: Effective May 15th the new mail address of the CRW is 3 Bow Street, Cambridge, MA 02138. We want to thank Ben Olken of The Bicycle Exchange for his generous offer of allowing us to use his address.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

by Erving Pfau

Many individuals in the cycling community of Eastern Massachusetts have been concerned with efforts of certain legislators on Beacon Hill to modify our access to and use of public roads in this state. Activist cyclists have often found it difficult and time-consuming to keep abreast of the status of the numerous proposals and bills. Proposed legislation must wend its way circuitously through a

myriad of re-writes, committees, hearings and deliberations before reaching an early death or a floor vote. Then to the second chamber where the process may be repeated where upon a compromise bill may be created with further extensions to the process.

In order to be effective, input in the form of cards, letters, personal contacts and presence at hearings must be directed by interested cyclists to the legislative committee members and to one's own representatives and senators. And correct timing is important in this communications process. Contact after the crucial vote or committee meeting is obviously useless. And that is why a new organization of concerned bicyclists has been created in Boston, called the "Boston Area Bicycle Coalition"; its mailing address is 3 Joy Street, Boston, MA. The BABC is intended to be a sort of umbrella organization which will include under it such other organizations as CRW, AYH and any other such clubs as well as individuals with like interests. Already actively involved are our own Ed Gross, Jim White of AYH, Anita Brewer of the Metropolitan Area Planning Council, Kathy Buckley of the Central Transportation Planning Council, Dr. Jonathan Fine, Dr. Cutler West, John Troja (who brought you the great Boston Bikemap), and numerous others.

One of the primary activities of this group is to keep its members informed of all legislation, pending or proposed, with names of the principals and committees involved along with dates, times and locations of all public hearings or meetings scheduled to discuss such legislation. In order to carry out this activity, a bulletin will be published which will be mailed out in time for members to take action effectively. It is also intended that the BABC will sponsor rallies and other activities whose main intent is to demonstrate the size, strength and unity of mind of the concerned cyclists of the Metropolitan Boston Area.

I hope the members of CRW can actively support this new organization so that we can all be heard.

EAST COAST BIKE TRAIL GUIDE MAPS

by Jim White (AYH) Boston Area Coordinator, East Coast Bike Congress

If you have the East Coast Bike Trail Guide Map published last summer, beware! Part of it is obsolete! A new map, covering those parts of the trail that have been upgraded will be published soon.

At the urging of the East Coast Bicycle Congress, our Massachusetts Committee have studied, tested and tentatively mapped a new version of the trail in this state. The major objective of the change was to find a trail less heavily travelled by motorists, and one more scenic and pleasant. The new trail does all this and more. It avoids major accident locations in Boston by using the Esplanade and Charles River bike paths, and side streets in Brighton, Newton and Needham.

Outside of the urban towns, the new trail follows scenic country roads, including a half mile of dirt roads in Dover, Sherborn, Holliston, Hopkinton and Upton.

The new trail merges with the old trail in Northridge. The newly marked trail totally by-passes the noisy and sometimes dangerous Rt 16. For those interested in the historic value of the mills and canals along the Blackstone River, there will be an optional unmarked route.

I urge those who have a copy of the current map to write to "East Coast Bicycle Congress, 5300 Akron Street, Philadelphia, PA 19124" and request a copy (free) of the two new map segments.

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