

PEDAL PRESS

MARCH 1981



ski or ride schedule



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| Sun. Mar. 1 | Ski or Ride
2:00 from KVCC
Paul Wells, 345-6570 | Sat. Mar. 21 | Ride, 10:00
from KVCC
20-30 Rolling mi.
Paul Wells, 345-6570 |
| Sat. Mar. 7 | Ski or Ride
10:00 at WMU Preserve
Drake Rd. between
Stadium and Parkview | Sun. Mar. 22 | Ride, 2:00
from Kalamazoo Central
High School
17-22 mi.
Dan Ferrara, 382-3200 |
| Sun. Mar. 8 | Ride, 2:00
from Green Meadow School
10-20 flat to rolling mi.
Jan Hagaman, 382-2656 | Sat. Mar. 28 | Ride, 10:00
from Lexington Green
School
10-30 mostly flat mi.
Dave Hagaman, 382-2656 |
| Sat. Mar. 14 | Pot of Gold Ride
10:00 from Pavilion
Twp. Hall, 25 mi.
stop at Leprechaun Cafe
in Fulton
Marlene Hoyer, 327-4263 | Sun. Mar. 29 | March Madness Sanity
Test, 1:00 from KVCC
35-50 rolling to hilly
mi. We go <u>down</u> Alamo
hill! Mark Yancey,
375-8789 |
| Sun. Mar. 15 | Ride, 2:00
from KVCC
19-30 flat to rolling mi.
Mark Yancey, 375-8789 | Sun. Apr. 26 | Spring Valley Road Race |



Kalamazoo Bicycle Club

general meeting

from the handlebars

The March general meeting will be Monday the 16th at 7:30 p.m. in room 2006 at Kalamazoo Valley Community College. Mark Yancey will share his slides and pictures from the roller races. If you were unable to see the races when they happened, take this opportunity to see how it was done.

NEW WORLD BICYCLES & SKIS



5942 Lovers Lane
Portage, Michigan 49081
Telephone (616) 345-1830

LEAGUE OF MICHIGAN BICYCLISTS

The annual membership meeting for the League of Michigan Bicyclists will be held Saturday, March 28, in the Student Union at Michigan State University, room 332.

The Meeting will begin at 9:30 and meetings and workshops will extend throughout the day until 5:00. Anyone interested send your registration by March 21 to:

League of Michigan Bicyclists
P.O. Box 13001
Lansing, MI 48901

Any other information that you need can be gotten from Sandy Kimbrough or Pat Wells.

Village Cyclery
Wheel-
Specialist
Schoolcraft
679-4242

PATCHES...

Every member of the Kalamazoo Bicycle Club is invited to take part in our yearly mileage patch program, if they so desire. 1981 KBC members will find a mileage chart attached in this month's newsletter; on it you may keep a daily and weekly record of mileage ridden on KBC's rides and events. If you ride rather than drive to a club ride, you may also count the mileage to and from the ride. Mileage ridden in any other bicycle club's rides or event may also be counted; mileage ridden during a racing event may not be counted. At the end of your cycling year, total up your mileage and turn it in, and the KBC will award you with a free mileage patch, and a mileage bar patch that states your mileage to the next lower 500 mile increment, and the year of the award. Last year, 19 club members participated in this program; Alvin Holmes ended up on the top of the heap with 3,568 club miles!!!!

Those of you who use your bicycle for transportation to work or school may be interested in purchasing a League of American Wheelmen Commuter Patch, available from Gordon Vader, 329-0576, for one dollar.

The L.A.W. also has holiday patches that we will have available on the following holiday rides: Valentines Day, St. Patricks Day, Easter, Memorial Day, July 4th, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Years. The price is \$1.25 per patch.

Incidentally, the mileage charts previously mentioned are also handy for recording commuting miles, total miles, etc.-extra copies will be available from the club secretary. New members and late renewals will receive a chart with their membership cards.

GORDON VADER



Patricia Nieman
Donna Ryskamp

WHAT THE KBC FOLKS ARE DOING
....VASA SKI RACE

The following members participated
(and even finished) the VASA in T.C.

- Pat Florian
- Scott McLain
- Butch Riebe
- Donna Ryskamp
- Jim Stark

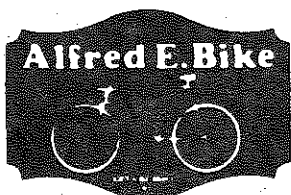
(sorry if we forgot anyone)

JOIN NOW!

....ROLLER RACE RESULTS

- Group A 1st Ken Nowakowski
- 2nd John Nuiver
- 3rd Terry Florian
- Group B 1st Gordon Vader
- 2nd Marcus Edwards
- 3rd Randy Diderson

Thnaks to all the members who put
in their time to make these races
a success. A special thanks to
Brian Chappell for the use of the
rollers.



officers

President	Gordon Vader	329-0576
Vice President	Scott McLain	327-2256
Secretary-Treasurer	Jan McLain	327-2256
Road Captain	Mark Yancey	375-8789
Program Director	Scott McLain	327-2256
Librarian	Randy Vader	327-9518
Newsletter Editors	Pat and Paul Wells	345-6570

membership form

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Birthdate _____ Sex _____

For family membership, please list entire family:

Name _____ Birthdate _____ Sex _____

Signature _____ Date _____

(if under 18)

Parent Signature _____

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DUES (check one)

- _____ Adult membership \$5.00
- _____ Family membership \$6.00
- _____ Youth (17 or younger) \$2.50
- _____ Senior (60 or older) \$2.50

Mail to: KBC

Box 527

Kalamazoo, MI 49005



minutes

TREASURER'S REPORT; The treasurer reported that \$97.00 was deposited in the club checking account and \$127.27 was paid out, leaving a balance of \$417.76.

RACING: Spring Valley Road Races will be held on Sunday, April 26th, with a full program of novice and licensed amateurs. Kevin Kimbrough expressed the need for someone to take his place as race promoter for next year, as he is moving out of town. This is an important and much needed position. Without someone to organize things we cannot hold any races!

MAPLE HILL CYCLE SHOW: As reported in last month's issue, the Kalamazoo Bicycle Club will have a booth at the Maple Hill Mall bicycle and motorcycle show, March 16-22. Anyone interested in serving on the committee or in staffing the booth on evenings or Saturday and Sunday may contact Gordon Vader or Pat and Paul Wells.

BIKE TRIP TO THE CONVENTION: Richard Dinda is organizing a ride to the L.A.W. convention, July 11 and 12, in Ames, Iowa. The group will leave around July 3. The distance will be about 620 to 700 miles. Anyone interested in riding or in driving a sag vehicle, contact Richard Dinda. 349-3094

MAPS: A packet of maps of ten Kalamazoo County bicycle tours, ranging from 15 to 100 miles, called "Cycling in the Zoo" is available for \$2 from Gordon Vader.

"AMERICAN CYCLING" MAGAZINE: Gordon reported that there is a new bicycling magazine on the market, covering all areas of cycling including racing, touring, commuting, clubs, and legislation, called "American Cyclist". As a promotion, this magazine is encouraging clubs to sell subscriptions by offering a one dollar rebate for every subscription sold, and cash prizes to the three clubs that sell the most subscriptions. Subscription blanks are available from Gordon Vader. Kevin Kimbrough suggested that the club support this new magazine by subscribing, it was discussed, voted on, and approved.

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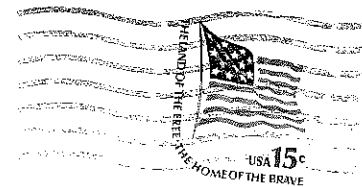
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