

KALAMAZOO BICYCLE CLUB NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY 1976

NEXT MEETING MONDAY MARCH 15, 7p.m. KALAMAZOO COLLEGE LIBRARY.

MEETING SUMMARY: The Spring Century, May 1, will be done in cooperation with Portage Parks and Recreation. We agreed to raise the fees by 75¢ and to give patches to all riders. The new price still leaves us with the lowest priced Century in the LAW Bulletin. The club has clarified its policy in regards to club patches for family memberships; the first two are free, any more 50¢ each. The treasurer pointed out at the rate we are having LAW patch rides and giving away patches free, we could spend \$60-\$100 on LAW patches this year. The group felt the budget can't stand that load. Therefore we decided LAW patches will now be available at cost, \$1.00 each.

THE RACE COMMITTEE (mostly Russ Schipper and Jeff Smith) needs volunteers to help with almost all aspects of getting the race set up. Call Russ 349-4643. Russ and Jeff can't do it alone and won't!

March 13 The South-Central Michigan Planning Commission is meeting to plan recreation Trails. They have asked us to send five members representative of our membership. The meeting will be all day, and a second meeting will be set up March 13. Joel is going, if you'd like to join him, call him at 349-3094 early in the week. Applications have to be in by March 5.

Agenda March 15: THE RACES, THE CENTURY, THE RIDE SCHEDULE, A MEMBERSHIP DRIVE AND BIKE POLITICS. Also, Warren Fritz has promised to tell us about the New York Bicycle Show.

RIDE SCHEDULE: Roller Races, February 29, Muncie Indiana; March 7 Chicago; March 14 Chicago. Joel Dinda (349-3094) has the details.

SUNDAY RIDES EVERY SUNDAY BUT FEBRUARY 29. Almost any weather. Easy rides, 5-15 miles. ride leader Joel Dinda 349-3094 for time and starting point.

St. Patricks day ride March 20 About 20 miles from KVCC at 10a.m. This is not an easy ride but the scenery makes it worthwhile. LAW Holiday patches, \$1.00. Ride Leader Joel Dinda 349-3094.

SPRING VALLEY RACES April 17 and 24; May 9 and 16

SPRING CENTURY MAY 1. Fall Century September 4; Wine, Cheese and Color October 9.

KALAMAZOO BICYCLE CLUB MEMBERSHIP FORM

Member ship entitles person to newsletter, distinctive club patch, membership card, and reduced entry fees at specified club sponsored events. KBC meets the third Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Kalamazoo College Library northwest corner of Academy and Thompson streets.

DUES: Check one. _____ Young adult (under 15) \$2.00; _____ Adult, (15 and up) \$3.00. _____ Family (all members of household) \$5.00

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO KALAMAZOO BICYCLE CLUB.

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____ AGE _____ BIRTHDATE _____ SEX _____

NAME AND AGES OF FAMILY MEMBERS IF FAMILY MEMBERSHIP

SIGNATURE _____ PARENT _____ (if under 18)

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