***** RIDE SCHEDULE *****

STANDING RIDES: Wednesday and Thursday rides are discontinued this month due, respectively, to lack of participation and enchroaching sunsets. Thursday rides — our best attended tours— will resume next May. Weekend rides continue; all riders are, of course, welcome.

SATURDAY: SEPTEMBER 3 A KALAMAZOO COUNTY TOUR. Riding from 7:30 am at Kalamazoo Valley Community College.Loops 25, 50, 100 miles. Details on flyer.

Just this once we'd like to meet all our members. The 25 mile tour is almost entirely flat, and riders are allowed four hours to complete (even longer, if you'll settle for no patch). The fifty is also flat. The century—well, that's another story....

We expect about 250 riders. Traditionally this has been our biggest annual event. This year's eill be the best ever — most scenic, finest roads, complete services, friendly workers, and best attendance. See you there.

footnote: We've still posters to post and brochures to pass out. Any location is appropriate; the need isideas, and helpers. We may also need help at the registration table. Volunteer to Joel at 349-3094.

KBC MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE: YOU ARE ENTITLED TO RIDE ON SEPTEMBER 3 AT REDUCED RATES. Individual riders \$2.25. Families will be assessed \$4.50 for three members, and additional 75¢for each additional rider.

- SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 4 A Kalamazoo County Tour for the Committee. Anyone who wants to ride a second century is invited to join the sag wagon crew at 7:39 am rules are the same as for Saturday except no sag service. A second group aiming for the shorter tours will leave at 12:30.
- MONDAY SEPTEMBER 5 9:30 am from Oshtemo H^Arding's (Michigan & 9th) 25 miles, moderate hills mixed with flat terrain. If you want a LAW QUARTER CENTBRY PATCH \$1,00. Ride free. 3 to 4 hours Doug **St343-3**229
- ALSO MONDAY SEPTEMBER 5 Bike-a-thon for Muscular Dystrophy, riding from Chicken Coop at corner of Centre & Westnedge. Registration from 8:45am Riding from 10 am. Pledge information at any Chicken Coop. KBC MEMBERS: If you are willing to marshall contact Joel 349-3094. (marshalling gets you a free dinner.)
- * * * SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL CENTURY MONTH ***
 Note that each weekend features another club's tour, this month. Each tour has special charms; members are urged to sample oune or more. September's a good month to ride better weather than most. Come out an ride.
- SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 MAPLE LEAF METRIC, from Comstock Park, Michigan at 9am.

 Two 30+ loops through rolling terrain fo Kent County, two food stops.

 \$3 by Sept. 3, \$5 after that; Rapid Wheelmen, Mick Groff, Box 1008,

 GrandRapids MI 49501 1-457-0589
- SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 11 3:30 pm. from Kalamazoo Valley Community College 2 loops; 45 miles to Marcellus & bsck, or 20 miles, mostly flat. $3\frac{1}{2}$ hours to marcellus & back. Debbie Dinda, 349-3094.
- SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17 CALCO TOUR: Battle Creek Michigan. 7 am. 25/50/100. \$2.50 by Sept. 1 or \$3.50. From Chapel Hill Methodist Church, Battle Creek Bob Spencer, 313 S. Moorland Dr. BAttle Creek Mi 49105 1-962-5294
- SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 18 3;30 pm from Lexinton Green School (Sprinkle Road & Milham) loops of 12, 19 and 25 miles, primarily flat 25 mile loop may have a few rolling stretches. 2-3 hours to complete. jini Caruso 381-0135.

- SATURDAY SEPTEMBER · 24 9:30 am, from Pavilion Township Hall, (Q&29th) 20 miles to Vicksburg flat, 2-2½ hours, sandy Kimbrough 327-7690
- SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 25 APPLE CIDER CENTURY: Three Oaks Michigan. 7am. \$4.50 advance, \$4. family. \$6 late. 100/50/25. fees include continental breakfast, dinner refreshments, and century lunch available. Winding country roads along rushing streems grassy pastures, through apple orchards. Three Oaks Spokes Bicycle Club, 303 East Michigan Street Three Oaks MI 49128.
- SATURDAY OCTOBER 1 GLEEP: Tour of Gull Lake: After a one year lapse, the GIEEP tour's back with us. Those who've participated before won't need any encouragement to return. Imagine: Kids on Stingrays. Racers on Colnagos. Housewives and serious tourists and unicyclists. Highwheelers, and tandems and ordinary meighboorhood riders. Guaranteed You'll not feel out of place Clear your Calenday for Oct. 1. KBC will offer a ride out to Gleep with the mileage to count toward Gleep patches that Morning.

GLEEP: 8 am starting from Ross Township Park on the east side of Gull Lake. Awards will be given for all ages ans sexes. Food will be available for sale. Families invited. Ride fees are \$2.50 for adults, \$1.50 for people under 16). (50¢ less for each with preregistration.) GLEEP is the Gull Lake Environment Educational Park.

SUNDAY OCTOBER 2 TURNING LEAVES. Edwardsburg Michigan. an MBA ride.

The tours listed below Are also worth investigating. Interested persons may call Joel (349-3094) or Jini (381-0135) or check a LAW BULLETIN for more information.

Sept. 4 Weak end Century Muncie In

Sept. 10-11 Harmon Hundred/fifty Wheeling IL

Sept 10 Maumee Valley Wheelmen Metrics: Bowling Green OH

Sept 11 Hancock Horizontal Hundred Findlay OH (HHH is the largest in the nation)

Sept 11 Capitol City Century Springfield, IL

Sept 18 September Century Flint Mi

Atomic Bike Hike Argonne IL

Halton Hilly Half Hundred Burlington ONT Canada.

MEETINGS::

ESCAPE 78 STEERING COMMITTEE: 7:30 pm Phil & JIni Caruso¹s 2301 Fairfield SEPTEMBER 12

CLUB MEETING: September 19, 7 pm Kalamazoo College Library classrooms.

It's time already to begin planning for next year. As is our habit, we'll use the September meeting to set dates for next year's major events, and to discuss program possibilities. We'll also decide on a design for the Mileage Patch program (suggestions are welcome—get sketches to Joel, or bring them to the meeting). PROGRAM: Gary Keene's agreed to share slides of his . Furopean spring.

AUGUST MEETING SUMMARY: The meeting set dues as recommended by the Executive Committee for September 77- December 78. See attached form next page.

IAN HIBELL North cape Norway, to Capetown South Africa. BY BICYCLE! Ian's promised to tell about the Green Monkey Disease, whatever that is, and to fill us in on hitherto unmentioned adventures. By all accounts he's a fine speaker and an excellent photographer.

Ian will speak at KVCC on Friday October 7 at 7:30 pm. Prices; Adults \$2.50, minors \$1.50. Tickets at the door, from your favorite bike shop, or from one of the officers.

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Doug Magainan was acquisitating the Distance Medicy lest most when he was assaulted by dogs. Two large dogs — an Irlan Setter and a familiar Magain — Manked him, the detail injuries (road ruch and bandson). The "manifest" and sendiferable stange to his bike —bed the fact and unipples the densities. Facturately, he was not corrying his doughter. Alone - was the Walry time water he've joined be althout the kiddle work.

Don't you think it about time the county started enforcing the leash ordinance? The character department shrugged the incident offf, as did the owner of the dom. Date a pursuing insurance - its a custom from and expensive. Several of us think he should sue.

Again: Don't you think it:s about time that where or conting the inch writinge? de re planning a systematic compaign, which we'll conounce next nonth; meanwhile start reporting loose dogs! Call the police. This the non Marden (363-695) Phonecalls are not enough -- put your complaints on paper. Include address of number farmhouse: type, size and color of day; noture of mescult (and your off, whosed, bit, whatever); modything also that means important. Undies to making the Worlds. MRC.

We're takking about all loose dogs - we want to get then off the roads. If dogs could do to ears what they can to biker, lety fills would be enforced. If we register enough complaints, perhaps someone will take estion.

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we are preparing a hadgat, and anot committees have begun work. I fait water will accompany some less herty wantietter.

Note these dates

June 17-21: Michiana Wine Country (pen-low)

June 22-June 25 ESCAPE 70

June 25- July 4 From Hell to Paradice (post tour)

Some flexibility remains, but the general time periods are there. Members may wish to plan their vacations appropriately.

Present Committee Chairs:

General Chair

Joel Dinda (349-3094)

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Phill Caruso (301-0135)

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Sandy Kimbrough (327-7590)

Rides and Tours

Gary Keene (383-9661)

Post tour

Registrar

Debbie Cinda (349-2094)

These people need volunteer help. Feel free to call. Also we need chairs for four committees -- Workshops; Fro- tours /Races and Wamping the Young Folks Happy. These are VITAL: call joel if your interested.

Amish land and Lokes: We talked with about 20 Kalemezocens at Howe, and suppose there were one or two more. Quer 700 avaliate enjoyed the walk moads and fine scenery. The promoters boast of their fine natural setting, and it's the excellent services they provide which make the tour. Our congratulations to make and our thanks.

Two incidente deserva mention. First: Dabbie & Joel too hame beer sugs for 🐿 bycycling the forthest to participate (only 50 alles - a glown wintery, but the prizes were mice). Second: Phil Service administ manages to addentile his crankset without one of the crank arm attacking balts; much to everywhe's surprize on Sonday he was pedalling along when his crank arm became detached. We were even more surprised when the first say wagon had the correct part in stock.