

PEDAL PRESS

MAY 1981

ride schedule

- Sat. May 2 Scotts Mill Tour
Toby Elementary School
- Sun. May 3 Spring Valley Race
First race at 9:30
- Sat. May 9 Jan McLain 327-2256
10:00 Commuter Lot at
131 and Centre St.
20-30 miles
- Sun. May 10 Mark Yancey 375-8789
1:30 Oshtemo Hardings
24-38 rolling miles
- Sat. May 16 March Madness Sanity Test
Revisited-Arne Maki
381-2175
10:00 KVCC
35 rolling or 50 rolling
to hilly miles
- Sun. May 17 Poker Run-Kevin Kimbrough
327-7690
2:00 Lexington Green
15 flat miles
- Sat. May 23 Marlene Hoyer 327-4263
1:30 Pavilion Township Hall
Q and 29th St.
25 flat miles
- Sun. May 24 Dave Hageman 382-2656
1:30 Water Tower at Spring
Valley Park to Richland
20-25 hilly miles
- Mon. May 25 Memorial Day Ride
Richard Dinda 349-3094
10:00 11th St. Commuter
Lot off Michigan
25-30 rolling miles
- Sat. May 30 Jan Hageman 382-2656
10:00 Green Meadow School
MN and 26th
18 or 35 flat to rolling mi.
- Sun. May 31 Alvin Holmes 349-3546
2:00 Commuter Lot
D Ave. and 131
15-25 rolling miles

Thursday Night Rides

6:30

10-20 flat miles

Lexington Green School

May 7 Pat Wells 345-6570

May 14 Jan Hageman 382-2656

May 21 Sandy Kimbrough 381-1724

May 28 Marlene Hoyer 327-4263



Kalamazoo Bicycle Club

general meeting

The May general meeting will be Monday the 18th at 7:30 in room 2006 at Kalamazoo Valley Community College. This is just to the left inside the tower entrance. The meeting program will be a film of the United States National Team competing in a large Canadian Stage Race.



Jennifer Carrington
Dean Schink
Rhodes Family
Hedlich Family
Rick Wade
Vicki Haan-Maring & Ed Maring
Phillip Smith Family
Corbin Family
Michael Dent
Boynton Family
Hone Family
Graham Hollis
Kathy Jacobs
Craig Robinson
Timothy and Karen Schneider
Chris VanLiere
Jason Williams
Judy and Ruthie Lee
Kevin Kenz
Laurie Polderman
Scott Ingram
Mary Franklin
Bill Anderson
Diane Rutgers
Kim Robin
Paul Gold
George Jarvis
Lynn LaVanway
Carol Schardt
John Sharrock
Roy and Connie Shively



from the handlebars

The weekend of May 2 and 3 should be an exciting one for Kalamazoo area tourists and racers alike. On May 2 we will be holding our first annual Scotts Mill Tour, which is our premier spring ride. We will have three marked routes available: 14 miles, 31.5 miles, and 53.5 miles. A cyclist may ride as many times on one route, or any combination of routes, from 7:30 am to 7:30 pm, starting at Toby Elementary School, corner of 25th Street and QR Ave. All routes will stop for snacks at Scotts Mill Park, famous for its authentically restored operating 19th century grist mill. Snacks and lunch will also be available at the start/finish point. Tourists will enjoy the varied scenery, from woods and lakes to open farm country, and racers will appreciate the opportunity to ride up to 125 miles on a smooth, moderately challenging course.

On Sunday, May 3 we will be holding our annual Spring Valley Road Race at Spring Valley Park on Mount Olivet Rd. in Parchment. We will have a full program of races for novice (beginning) racers of all ages, in the morning at 9:30, and a full program for USCF licensed amateurs beginning at noon. If you would like to try bicycle racing, here is your opportunity: the novice races are relatively short in distance, with the emphasis on learning and fun rather than "blood and guts" competition. If you have never seen a bicycle race, the USCF licensed amateurs should put on a good show, particularly the Senior Men category 1 and 2 race, a 100km event beginning at 1:45

We hope that you will be able to join us on this weekend—May 2 and 3—we have something for every type of bicyclist!
Gordon Vader



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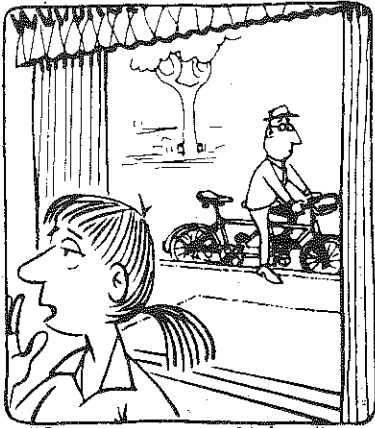
PH. 349-6384

Thinking about going to the L.A.W. Convention in Ames, Iowa this July? We are planning to pedal there. Join us if you wish. 650 to 700 miles in 6 days, leaving Friday, July, 3rd. Camping (usually), sag, maps, sharing costs. If interested call Richard Dinda 349-3094 or Debbie Dinda 381-8668.

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VIRGIL PARTCH, FIELD NEWSPAPER SYNDICATE

HELP: I need a TOSROV registration! If you have one you are not going to be able to use PLEASE call me.
Gordon Vader 329-0576

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 _____

Kalamazoo Bicycle Club

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: There was \$337.50 deposited in the checking account and \$290.33 was paid out. This leaves a balance of \$244.76.

SCOTTS MILL TOUR: At least four volunteers are needed on May 2 to help staff the registration, snack, and lunch tables, either all day or part of the day. Also, we would like as many people as possible to donate a batch of cookies for the snack tables. These can be brought to the ride or contact Pat Wells 345-6570; she can store them in her freezer.

SPRING VALLEY RACE: The date has been changed from April 26 to Sunday, May 3. Kevin Kimbrough reported that Lowenbrau has donated 40 T-shirts and 12 visors for the race. Volunteers are needed on the day of the race for sweeping the course, registration, and lap counting. Several members offered to help-if you would like to volunteer, call Jan McLain 327-2256.

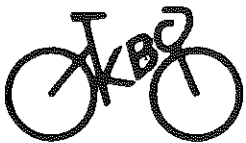
LEAGUE OF MICHIGAN BICYCLISTS: Sandy Kimbrough suggested that the club join the League of Michigan Bicyclists. A motion was made; it was voted on and approved.

After the business meeting was finished, Fred Tobin of the Kalamazoo Area Transportation Study (KATS) presented a plan for a bikeway/bikelane system for greater Kalamazoo, and answered many questions from our members. We then saw an excellent movie about Reynolds 531 Bicycling Tubing, called "531-The Winner"; then Paul Wells gave an informative lecture on custom frame building. Many thanks to Fred Tobin and Paul Wells for taking part in our meeting.



HELL TO PARADISE

Is anyone interested in riding Hell to Paradise any time this summer? I want to ride it again and wouldn't mind a crowd. If interested, contact me between now and summer. Kevin Kimbrough.



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