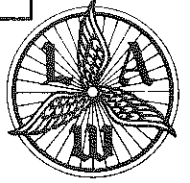


# FALL CENTURY



SEPTEMBER 19, 1981



Join the members of the Kalamazoo Bicycle Club and participate in their 11th annual Fall Century run. Visit the town of Schoolcraft, where the famous author, James Fenimore Cooper, once lived. In Scotts, tour a restored 19th century working grist mill. Sample exotic foods and ice cream flavors in Richland. In Alamo, climb the famous but devastating Alamo Hill. In between, enjoy everything from flat open farm land to hilly wooded lakes and streams country. Best of all, enjoy sharing the joys of bicycling with others like yourself.

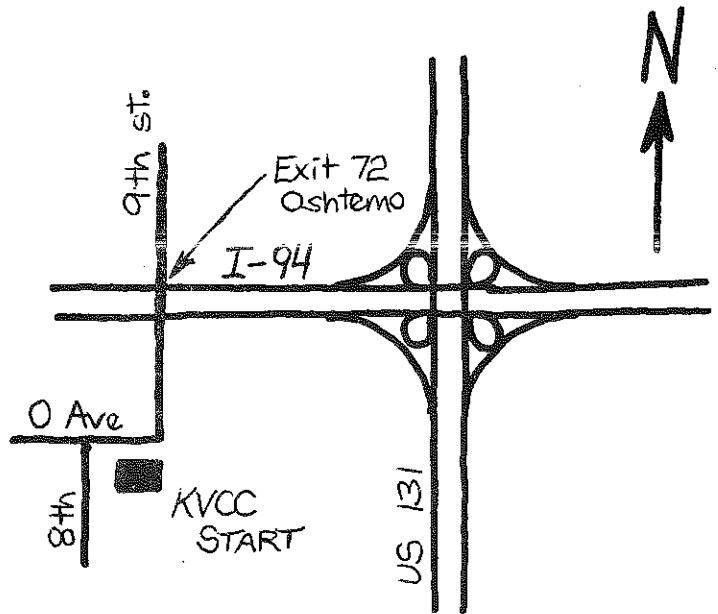
- WHEN:** Saturday, September 19, 1981. Registration opens at 7:00 a.m. and closes at 2:00 p.m. Century riders should start before 9:00. Riding is from 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
- WHERE:** Kalamazoo Valley Community College, corner of 8th St. and O Ave. Take I-94 to exit 72 (Oshtemo) and turn south. The road takes a right turn and the college is on the left after the turn. Park in the southwest corner of the parking lot.
- ROUTES:** There will be a 25 mile, 50 mile and 100 mile route. The 25 mile route is a flat round trip through Schoolcraft. The 50 mile route is a flat course through scenic farm and lake country pausing at its halfway point at Scotts Mill Park, with its restored 19th century grist mill. The 100 mile route is the famous Kalamazoo County Tour, taking you through Schoolcraft, Fulton, Scotts, Climax, Galesburg, Richland, Alamo and Almena. The first 70 miles is relatively flat; the last 30 miles is rolling to hilly and includes the now infamous Alamo Hill. All routes will be marked with Dan Henry arrows.
- COST:** \$4.50 for Kalamazoo Bicycle Club members, juniors under 14, and seniors over 65, all others \$5.00. There will be no extra charge for late registration. Fee includes high energy snacks along the route, lunch at Scotts Mill Park, "Kalamazoo County Tour" patch, sag and repair service, marked routes and map. Children under 13 must be accompanied by an adult; those under 18 must submit signature of parent or guardian with entry/release form.
- FOOD:** Besides the food available at the sag stops, there are grocery stores and restaurants in most of the small towns that the route passes through.
- PATCHES:** League of American Wheelmen National Century (100 miles), Half Century (50 miles) and Quarter Century (25 miles) patches will be available. Cost is \$1.25 each.
- SAG WAGON:** We will be patrolling the course periodically for breakdowns, both mechanical and physical! There will be a repair wagon at starting point but be prepared to make small repairs yourself, such as fixing a flat tire.
- WEATHER:** In mid-September temperatures can be as low as the low 40's in the morning going to a high anywhere from the low 50's to the high 80's - be prepared. There will be no cancellation due to weather; we ride regardless!
- QUESTIONS:** Any further information can be obtained by calling Gordon Vader at 327-9846, or Jan McLain at 327-2256 or by writing the Kalamazoo Bicycle Club, P.O. Box 527, Kalamazoo, MI 49005.

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SUNDAY: Double your bicycling fun this weekend: On Sunday, September 20, the Battle Creek Bicycle Club will be holding its annual Cereal City Century. Contact the Battle Creek Bicycle Club, 541 Garrison Rd., Battle Creek, MI 49017 for more information. Battle Creek is only about 25 miles east of Kalamazoo.



**Kalamazoo Bicycle Club**  
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KALAMAZOO COUNTY TOUR

RELEASE/ENTRY FORM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1981

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ LAW \_\_\_\_\_ AYH \_\_\_\_\_ USCF \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

In signing this release for myself or for the named entrant, I understand the intent of this release and agree to absolve all of the sponsors, organizers and associated entities from all blame for any injury, harm, loss or inconvenience suffered as a result of taking part in this tour.

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Entrant signature

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Parent/guardian signature if entrant under 18