## **Scheduled SBC Rides/Events**

This section lists "one-time" club rides and special events. It's a good practice to check the club's Facebook page and/or the SBC Members Facebook group, as often rides are scheduled at the last minute before the weekend and don't appear on this schedule.

# C/SLOW-C LOLLI NO POP - NO DROP RIDE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 | 5:30 PM 17 Miles, 10-16 mph

Ride Start: Scheels parking lot next to Casa Real (formerly Quaker Steak), 1120 W. Lincolnshire Rd, Spfld Let's ride about 17 miles south on the InterUrban Trail through Chatham to the end of Main Street, turn around and come back. See the "Slow C" Collection in the Club's RidewithGPS Club section for route details. Lights are RE-QUIRED for safety.

For more info, call Bob Coady (217) 416-2181

# GR (NOT SO DIRTY) PETERSBURG SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 | 8:00 AM

**Distances: Various** 

Ride Start: New Salem State Park Visitors Center, Petersburg, IL It's been a while since we've had a big group gravel ride. Let's meet at New Salem to do a nice weather ride of the 51mi Dirty Petersburg route! This route doesn't have any C-stops, so bring plenty of food and water for a 3+hr ride. Casey will be leading a group that will probably average around 15mph.

## **Routes:**

New Salem 30 - https://ride-



withgps.com/ routes/44279564 New Salem 40 - https://ridewithgps.com/ routes/44279550 New Salem 50 - https://ridewithgps.com/

routes/44279515 Check the Facebook Event (QR Code) for more info.

### C/SLOW-C PARK TO PARK

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 | 5:30 PM 19 Miles, 10-16 mph

Ride Start: Washington Park (lot south of the lagoon), 1501 South Grand Avenue W, Spfld Meet in Washington Park and cruise through town to Southwind Park and back. See the "Slow C" Collection in the Club's RidewithGPS Club section for route details. Lights are REQUIRED for safety.

**For more info,** call Bob Coady (217) 416-2181

# D/EZ WASHINGTON PARK CARILLON RIDE

## FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 | 9 AM

Location: Washington Park Carillon, 1740 West Fayette Ave, Spfld 62704 Meet at the Washington Park Carillon and enjoy the Botanical Garden plant and floral displays before a neighborhood D-ride to Incredibly Delicious Bakery & Restaurant for brunch.

**For more info,** call John Sanford at (217) 416-7156

# GR RURAL CYCLERY GRAVEL RIDE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

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# C/SLOW-C KREKEL'S KRUISE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 | 5:30 PM

#### 20 Miles, 10-16 mph

Ride Start: Krekel's Custard & Hamburgers, 2121 N. Grand Ave E, Spfld Begins and ends at Krekel's. Let's kruise to the Riverton Fast Stop and back, then enjoy custard, hamburgers and other snacks! Bring your treat money! See the "Slow C" Collection

in the Club's RidewithGPS Club section for route details. Lights are REQUIRED for safety.

For more info, call Bob Coady (217) 416-2181

# D/EZ WABASH TRAIL RIDE TO PANERA FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6 | 9 AM

**Location:** Meet at trail parking lot behind Sonic Drive-in Restaurant, 1312 Wabash Avenue, Spfld 62704 Let's go for a D-ride on the Wabash Trail and have brunch at Panera!-**For more info,** call John Sanford at (217) 416-7156



# ABCD ROGER SCHNELTEN'S 45TH ANNUAL OKTOBERFEST PARTY

# SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8 | 1:00 PM

**Location:** 245 Circle Drive, Spfld Don't miss the 45th Oktoberfest Party & Bike Ride. Live music, food, drinks, games, bonfire and bikes

A bike ride is being planned. This is a combined party between the Springfield Ski & Travel Club and the Springfield Bicycle Club. More information is available on the flyer in this newsletter.

**For more info** call Roger Schnelten at (217) 529-0780

## C/D 4TH ANNUAL BOOS CRUISE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15 | 9:30 AM

Location: DeStihl Brewery, 1200 Greenbriar Drive, Normal, IL It's time for the annual Boos Cruise, the October tour of Bloomington/Normal breweries. This year is a little different. Starting a little later and in a different location. Instead of making it our first stop, we'll start at DeStihl Brewery, take a 22-mile ride through town and countryside to arrive at Lil' Beaver Brewery. Another 10 scenic miles through the Evergreen Memorial Cemetery where Adlai Stevenson and the niece of Frank L. Baum, namesake for Dorothy from the Oz books, are buried, and we arrive at Keg Grove Brewey located right along the Constitution Trail. Finally, we'll head back to DeStihl Brewery for lunch and a total of 37 miles of riding.

For more info, call or text Jen Rockwell at (217) 622-2699

# D/EZ ART ASSOCIATION / TERRAIN BIENNIAL RIDE MONDAY, OCTOBER 16 | 9 AM

Location: Springfield Art Association / Edwards Place Historic Home, 700 North Seventh Street, Spfld 62702 Meet at the Springfield Art Association and cruise the Enos Park neighborhood to view homes decorated for Terrain Biennial 2023, a grassroots worldwide public art festival (terrainexhibitions.org).

Brunch afterwards at Yellowbird Coffee House and Bakery **For more info,** call John Sanford at (217) 416-7156

# D/EZ STANFORD CONNECTOR TRAIL RIDE TO VICTORIA / DREAMLAND PARKS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 | 1PM

Location: IDOT Hanley Bldg, 2300 South Dirksen, Spfld 62764 Meet at the southeast parking lot at the Lost Bridge Trail and ride west on the Springfield Park District Stanford Connector Trail to Dreamland and Lake Victoria Parks for refreshments at Yannis Gyros Restaurant. For more info, call John Sanford at (217) 416-7156

# D/EZ UIS SHAKESPEARE GARDEN MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20 1PM

**Location:** LincolnLand College Trutter Center

Meet at LincolnLand College Trutter Center for a ride to Lake Springfield and the paved trail to UIS Shakespeare Garden with refreshments at the UIS Student Union.**For more info**, call John Sanford at (217) 416-7156

# D/EZ WASHINGTON PARK BOTANICAL GARDEN DOME

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8 | 1PM

**Location:** Washington Park Botanical Garden Dome, 1740 West Fayette Ave, Spfld 62704 Meet at the Washington Park Botanical Garden Dome to view the Winter Floral Show with 500 poinsettias, decorated evergreens, tropical flora and fauna, followed by a bike ride to Incredibly Delicious Restaurant and Bakery. For more info, call John Sanford at (217) 416-7156



# **Area Rides / Events / SBC Travels**

# **ABC WHEEL FAST BIKE SHOP** TRAINING RIDE

#### **WEDNESDAY EVENINGS**

Location: Meet at Wheelfast Bike Shop in Chatham and plan on 16-20 miles.

## MTB MOUNTAIN BIKE WITH SIMBA

## **WEDNESDAY EVENINGS I 5:30 PM**

Group trail rides are on for 2023! The plan is to alternate weekly between Lewis trails and the lake, weather/conditions permitting. Each ride will consist loosely of 2 groups:

A/ Group: This is fast and full gas. B/ Group: More of a chill and social pace and is essentially no drop We all meet up at 5:30 then head out in groups for about an hour to an hour and a half of riding. Feel free to join whichever group you want.. SIMBA isn't about rules and regiments, and I think this will benefit everyone... the overall vibe is fun and inclusive. The main reason for these rides is to promote and grow the community and Mtb culture in Springfield...

Also nobody cares if your bike costs 8 grand or 8 bucks; it's about fun, and Dirt Life... pull up! One more note; there is no designated "leader" for these rides/ groups.

Springfield Bicycle Club members are welcome to join in! Here's the link to SIMBA's Facebook page --just request to join and stay in the loop on their organized rides! https://www.facebook.com/groups/ SpringfieldILMountainBiking

## ABCD HEARTLAND TOUR

### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**

Location: Geneseo Brewing Company Parking Lot, 102 S State Street, Geneseo, IL

A cloverleaf century! 4 loops of 25 miles each around the beautiful countryside surrounding Geneseo, Illinois. A centrally located SAG stop provided by Geneseo Brewing Company with water and snacks until lunch is provided with live

Ride as many loops as you like, then sit and enjoy a cold beverage in the outdoor eating area. Proceeds benefit the SEAL Family Legacy group.



More Info: https://qcbc. org

## **ABCD PRAIRIE PEDAL**

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 | 7:00 AM

Location: Rock Springs Nature Center, 3939 Nearing Lane, Decatur, IL Prairie Pedal is an annual fall fundraising event for the Macon County Conservation Foundation. All proceeds support natural areas and wildlife in Macon County, Illinois.

Enjoy a 20 mile, 40 mile, or 62 mile ride through quiet country roads and have a chance to discover the vibrant prairie grasses, wildflowers, and diverse wildlife as we ride to support local natural areas and wildlife!

After the ride, enjoy a delicious chili lunch (with vegetarian option) and an assortment of refreshments.

Register on Active.com

# **GR YELLOW CHIP ROAD 2023 (FORMERLY ILLINOIS KANZA**

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14 | 8:00 AM

Location: Kansas, Illinois Eighth running of the Yellow Chip Road (formerly Ill Kanza) gravel grinder starting and ending in Kansas, Illinois. This year we're returning to the extra gnarly routes from 2021! Come on out and explore some of the best, toughest, most remote gravel roads in Central Illinois! All routes will be timed, with prizes for the top three men and women in the 3 longest routes. As anyone who's ridden here before knows, these roads can be very rough and challenging so come prepared!

For more information, follow the Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/

events/1856205214761546

## **ABCD ILLINOIS SENIOR OLYMPICS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1**

**Starting Location:** Jim Edgar Panther Creek State Park, Chandlerville, IL The Illinois Senior Olympics returns to Park Headquarters at Jim Edgar Panther Creek State Park. This is not an SBC event but the club provides support. Registration opening soon.



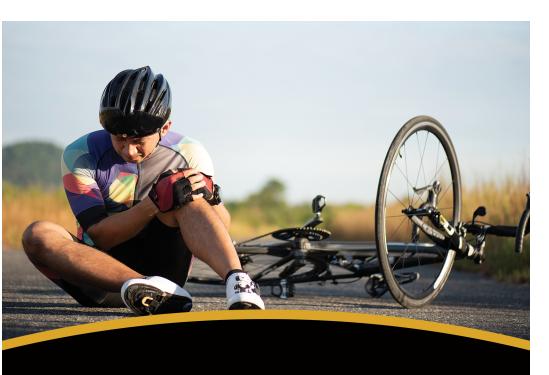
### OCTOBER 6, 7 AND 8

Starting Location: Edgewood High School, 601 E Edgewood Drive, Ellettsville, IN

Riders face a hilly 50 mile route on Saturday followed by another on Sunday. Lodging is available at area hotels or on the grounds of the school complex that serves as the ride headquarters, where riders can tent-camp, stay in their own RVs, or sleep in a climate-controlled gymnasium.

For more info www.hillyhundred.org

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Pumpkin Hop Cross runs October 6th through the 8th this year! The cyclocross event in its ninth showing brings back Friday night racing for 2023, and builds on 2021's two-day affair to make it a whole weekend of great CX racing in Beardstown. Multiple courses of grass, sand, mud, woods, stairs, and flyovers will be on offer, at least one kids-specific race, and all kinds of series points! Keep watch of the Pumpkin Hop Cross Facebook page for new and ongoing details as the summer wears on. Cyclocross season is really just four months away now! And if you've never tried cyclocross before, Pumpkin Hop Cross in Beardstown is a stellar place to start.

**For more information,** https://www.facebook.com/pumpkinhop