



MONTHLY MEANDERS

JANUARY, 1981

President: Elliott Kanner, 541-9176
Vice-Pres: Dick Ryan, 381-1775
Treasurer: Richard Figge, 446-2945
Safety: Howard Paul, 824-2941
Membership: Carolyn Kropp, 685-4508
Program: Madeline Kanner, 541-9176
Editor: Phyllis W. Harmon

JANUARY



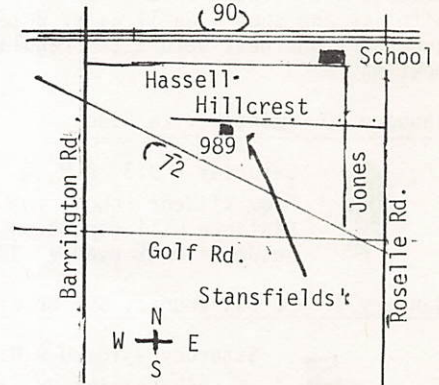
Thursday, January 1 - New Year's Ride/Walk

10:00 A.M. from Eisenhower Jr. High School
Jones and Hassell, Hoffman Estates.

Bike ride length will depend on weather. If the ground is covered by snow or ice, we'll walk.

Hot cider and coffee at the Stansfield's immediately after the ride. Short business meeting will take the place of usual January meeting.

Stansfield's address: 989 Hillcrest, Hoffman Estates. Phone: 885-4270. Optional: New Year's patch - \$1.00.



A NEW YEAR'S GREETING

Looking back at Wheeling Wheelmen activities in 1980, it's gratifying to note that they'd suffice to meet the primary objectives of progressive clubs throughout the country. A review of club bulletins received from active bicycling states like Arizona, California, the Carolinas and Florida indicate that we, too, have begun to meet standards of promoting local involvement in all aspects of bicycling, providing bicycling experience and instruction, including basic repairs, furthering the practical use of the bicycle as a vehicle, preparing an informative newsletter, keeping up with local legislation affecting bicyclists, and above all, developing a highly varied schedule of rides from small jaunts to extensive tours. The first

The first decade of the club has seen us grow in membership to a stable and dynamic organization. I'm looking forward to your participation in these activities throughout the coming year. As you'll note elsewhere in "Monthly Meanders", serious planning begins immediately after our New Year's Day ride, and I'm looking forward to working with rides and program committees very soon.

Meanwhile, Cheers and Good Wishes for 1981!

Elliott Kanner, President

SAFETY OFFICER'S CORNER - Howard Paul

We wish you all a Happy New Year
And that comes easy with new biking gear
But it can be just like hitting a cactus
If you ignore good safety practice.

Keep to the right and signal your intentions,
Obey red lights to avoid citations.
Check your bike, so everything's tight.
Do this and more and all will be right.

"CYCLISTS' SPECIAL" from Madeline

Recipe requested by members at the Christmas social at Phyllis Harmon's.

Overnight Cheese Souffle

8 slices day-old bread 1 teaspoon salt
6 eggs Dash pepper
2 cups milk 4-ounce package sharp cheese
1/4 cup (1/2 stick) grated.
butter melted

Remove crusts. Cube bread. Beat eggs in blender. Combine with milk, butter, salt and pepper. Grease 1-quart casserole and alternate layers of bread cubes, egg batter and cheese. End with cheese on top. Refrigerate overnight. Bake uncovered in 325° oven for 1 hour. Makes 6 servings.

Madeline comments a number of other ingredients could be added, if desired: parsley, lightly sauteed vegetables, mushrooms, ham pieces, etc.

P. O. Box 581-D, Wheeling, Illinois 60090

An Affiliate —

LEAGUE OF AMERICAN WHEELMEN



Coming Events

January 1 - New Year's Day Ride/Walk and Meeting



Thursday - 10:00 A.M.
From Eisenhower Jr. High - Hoffman Estates (One block west of Higgins'-IL 72- intersection with Golf Road-IL 58-, go north on Jones to Hassell at end of the street.)

Immediately after the ride: Hot cider and coffee at the Stansfields' at 989 Hillcrest, Hoffman Estates. Mileage will depend on the weather. If roads covered with ice and snow - we'll walk. Brief meeting for necessary business before the regular February 4 meeting.

January 10 - Winter Bike Ride



Saturday - 9:30 A.M.
From Kildeer School in Long Grove. Distance will depend on temperature. Leader: Dick Ryan - 381-1775.

January 17 - Cross Country Ski or Bicycle Ride



Saturday - 10:30 A.M.
Bike or ski depending on the weather.
From North Branch Bicycle Trail off Lake Avenue between Waukegan and Harms Road. Lunch afterwards at Hackneys.
Leader: Howard Paul - 824-2941



January 25 - Cross Country Ski or Bicycle Ride



Sunday - 1:00 P.M.
Bike or ski depending on the weather.
From Deer Grove Forest Preserve entrance on Quentin Road. Take left fork to parking area near lake.
Leader: Richard Figge - 446-2945



1981 RIDES PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING

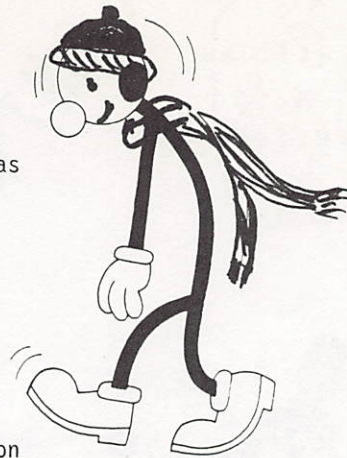


7:30 P.M. at Elliott Kanner's, 240 Inverrary Lane, Deerfield 541-9176 (First street north of Chevy Chase) Bring your suggestions, ideas, routes-- also volunteer to lead rides.

Rides Re-riden

CHRISTMAS RIDE/LUNCH

A week before our Holiday Event the temperature was a balmy 55° - but the morning of our Christmas ride it was 0° with a wind chill factor uncomfortably below zero! To top it off, there was ice and snow on the ground. John Shipley actually bicycled to the Carl Sandburg School from Lake Forest!



Eleven well bundled Wheeling Wheelmen set out on foot at a brisk pace and soon discovered we were comfortably warm and only had to burrow deeper into our mufflers when walking directly into the west wind. Coming back from our six-mile hike with the wind at our backs it seemed downright balmy!

Seven more members were waiting for the hikers at Phyllis Harmon's where the delicious aroma of Madeline Kanner's mulled wine made eating the first order of business...ham, cheese, relishes, baked beans, potato salad, Madeline's delicious quiche and brightly colored Holiday cookies contributed by Ruth Ryan and Rose Baum topped off the menu.

A brief business meeting covered the Ride Planning Committee meeting for January 7 and discussion of increased costs and mostly rained out Harmon Hundred resulted in the motion to increase dues. Be sure to send in your ballot elsewhere on this page.

Business disposed of, we could devote our undivided attention to the colorful grab bag packages stacked under the Christmas tree.

OOPS!

The enclosed Nov-Dec. L.A.W. Bulletin arrived too late for the November issue and I misplaced it when putting out December - but here it is, better late than never!



BALLOT

Send your vote immediately to: Wheeling Wheelmen, P.O. Box 581-D Wheeling, IL 60090

Motion made at December meeting to increase dues for 1981 to:

Individual: \$8.00 Family: \$10.00

For: Against:

LEAGUE OF AMERICAN WHEELMEN MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Please print or type)

New
 Renewal

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____

CHECK TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP DESIRED

- Sustaining Membership: \$35
- Individual Membership: \$15 (Age 14 and up)
- Family Membership: \$20 (Two adults and unmarried children to age 21 living at same address.)
- Life Membership: \$250 (Installment: \$37.50 every 3 months)
- Public or School Library: \$10
- Note:** Foreign memberships \$3 additional
- Please also list me as a Hospitality Home
- Please do not include my name when the League rents its mailing list to businesses providing services of interest to bicyclists.

Please find my additional contribution as indicated, to help the League's legislative efforts:

- \$50
- \$25
- \$_____
- \$15
- \$10

Enclose check or money order payable to:

LEAGUE OF AMERICAN WHEELMEN, P.O. Box 988, Baltimore, MD 21203

I'm a member of...

