

MONTHLY MEANDERS

March, 1979

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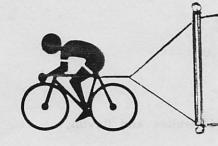
MARCH MEETING

NO.

Date: Wednesday, March 7, at 8:00 P.M.

Place: Wheeling Community Center

131 N. Wolf Rd. (Just north of Dundee Rd.)



Program: Flea Market - bring your excess biking goodies and other sports stuff to sell. Also, bring money to buy the bargains. No commission to club. Dealers and all your other friends are welcome. Please try to bring your items before 8:00 so they can be marked if necessary and displayed.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PILGRIMAGE





It's been a long cruel winter, hasn't it. What better way to celebrate it's demise (perhaps imminent) than to join us on our annual tribute to good old St. Pat.



Date: Saturday, March 17 - 10:30 to 11:00 A.M. Place: Kildeer School on Old McHenry Rd. in Long Grove Distance: 40 Km. (25 miles)



A map will be provided to guide us to Kelsey RoadHouse restaurant (for those wishing to warm up) and thence back to Long Grove

(for those wishing to warm up there). Let's remember that last year's ride was just great - there was snow covered ground everywhere, but roads were clear and dry.





Would you be intested in riding with fellow WHEELING WHEELMEN on a summer tour? One possibility is to bike to and from the Amishland/Lakes weekend. Several people at the February meeting said they were tentatively interested. Contact Rich Figge if you would like to add your name to the list.



1979 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL RIDE

Distance: 72 KM (Klub Members) See map below

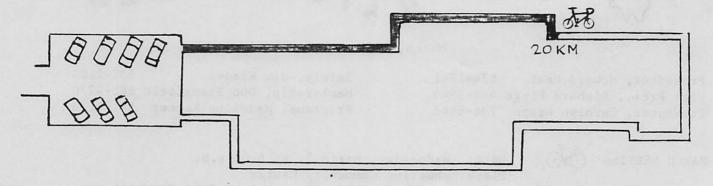
Completion Date: Before May newsletter

Individual Non-

completion Penalty: No May Newsletter

Registration Fee: \$5.00 per person / \$7.00 per family

Registration Form: With February Newsletter (or ask for another)



COMING UP

CHICAGO COUNCIL SPRING BREAKOUT RIDE



Sunday, April 1, at 10:00 A.M. at Caldwell Woods, Milwaukee and Devon. Lunch at Hackney's on Lake.

L.A.W. CONVENTION IN SAN DIEGO



Ardie Sorenson of the Elk Grove B.C. has blocked air space for June 23-July 2 and June 28 - July 7. For information call her at 593-7945.

Trails for Illinois Symposium

March 24-25, Holiday Inn, Morris, Ill.

For information, write Illinois Dept. of Conservation

Trails Symposium

601 Wm. G. Stratton Bldg.

Springfield, Ill. 62706



SAFETY TIP OF THE MONTH



As you approach an intersection, be especially careful about cars on your left = either ahead or behind you - as they may turn right-into you, or ahead of you and you will hit them.

Where a cyclist joins several cars stopped for an intersection, the same caution applies. Some experienced cyclists join the cars in their lane-and move into the right side position, just after the right turn area is passed.



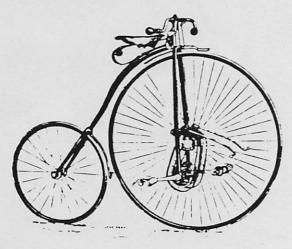
Former League of American Wheelmen members have let their membership lapse and few new bikers have joined. Bikes have been legislated off most roads and are restricted to bike paths that go nowhere. Your trusty Schwinn, Fuji, or Peugeot is as good as ever, but, where will you go - WHERE WILL YOU GO!!!

Your L.A.W. membership - don't leave home without it.

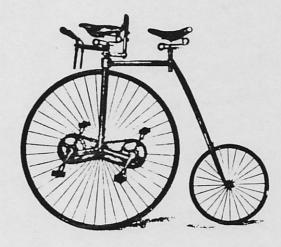
Maybe the above prediction is too dire, but the L.A.W. is our national voice. For non-members an application form is enclosed. Use it today, and you'll be receiving the L.A.W. bulletin within a month or so. It's worth the membership fee, even without the other benefits. It's a complete magazine containing technical up-to-date medical advice, bike routes, bike adventures, safety tips and the most beautiful cover photos of any periodical.

THE GOOD OLD DAYS

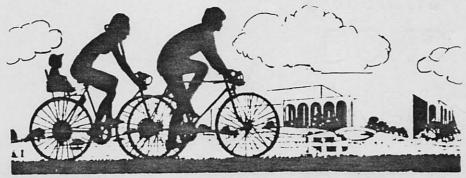




An 1884 Ordinary with real sprockets and a chain. Eat your heart out Jim Parsons.



Want a tandem? Just replace the handlebars with a seat and add another crank.



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