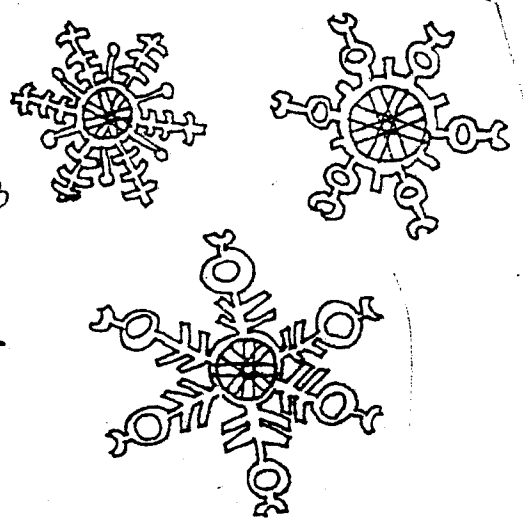


January 1983 NEWSLETTER



Things that are happening;

President's Report

Special thanks to Sue and Jerry Pavlat, and Tom and Sandy Beaman for their effort

in putting on the club Christmas party. Other club members also deserve thanks for their contributions and the great turn out.

- REMINDERS -

FEBRUARY PARTY - The Valentines/Washington-Lincoln birthday/Chinese New Years party will be held February 12th at the Yarmouth Commons Club House which is located on Clinton River Road near Barfield. The club house will be decorated for Valentines day and will accommodate 75 people. Since this is a family event the club will provide \$25.00 for prizes for the children. This will be a bring your own drinks and a dish to pass; the club will provide glasses and coffee. Time will be announced in the next newsletter along with further details.

DUES: The following memberships expire in February: Sandy Cryderman(I), Julie Anderson(F), Richard Priest (F), Gail Herrington (I), Peter O'Leary (F), Tony San Augustine (I), and John Welsh (I). Remember your dues must be paid in full to receive \$7.00 towards a club jacket.

JACKETS: The club will pay \$7.00 towards the cost of a club jacket for each member. There will be a maximum of 2 jackets allowed per family membership. Jackets are now available at Pavlat't to try on for ordering your proper size, and orders must be placed by Feb. 7th (our next meeting) to get the jacket. A \$7.00 deposit per jacket is also required at the time of ordering.

FLEA MARKET

The bikes/parts/swap/sell meet is still planned for January 15th in the back room of the bike store, from 10a.m. to 5p.m.. The following is the work schedule

for those who have volunteered to work:

- Sandy B. 10:00 - 11:00
- Ken K. 11:00 - 12:00
- Fred S. 12:00 - 1:00
- Duane N. 1:00 - 2:00
- Dee W. 2:00 - 3:00
- Howie S. 3:00 - 4:00
- Ken K. 4:00 - 5:00

This is planned to be a joint venture with the Slow Spokes and the two clubs will split the cost of providing coffee and donuts. Anyone who will have items for sale or swap should bring them marked or priced to the store on Fri. Jan. 14th after 5:30p.m. Folding tables are also needed. People selling merchandise are to come to pick up their remainders between 4:30 & 5:00 Jan. 15th.

RACQUETBALL/WALLYBALL: The date is set for Jan. 15th at the Clinton Racquet Club. Please bring in your \$2.00 deposit A.S.A.P. We would like to have 20 people show up. It was great fun last time and of course, we plan to eat somewhere afterwards.

AWARDS: The CRR has received two awards recently. 1) Was a placque for leading a group for the Chiquita Banana Ride in July last year. We thank Charlie Freeman for accepting it at for us at the Bike Federatiön Dinner. 2) We received a certificate of appreciation for participating in the St. Clemens Thanksgiving Day Parade. We would like to thank the hardy souls who showed up for the parade in the snow and rain who helped us achieve this award, Frank Lopiccolo, Dave Mc Cracken, Bill Washburn, Jennifer Koch who joined Ken for a great ride in the muck and slush, but had a lot of fun representing the club. (Come to think of it, the Banana ride was pretty wet too).

Ride NEWS

Ray Dominick has volunteered to be the overall ride coordinator for the 1983 ride season. He will outline his general plans for ride scheduling at future meetings. He plans to develop a library of rides and keep the sign in sheets. He is also considering some members suggestions regarding recognition of mileage ridden at the end of the year. **GLAD TO HAVE YOUR HELP RAY!!!!!!!**

We are still waiting for volunteers to be ride coordinators for the Belle Isle Marathon mens team, and the Blue Water Ramble. The positions should be filled soon if these activities are to be effectively handled.

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UNDAYS: Meet with the Slow Spokes at the boat ramp at Stoney Creek at 12:30p.m., weather permitting. Bathroom facilities and coffee machines are available.

P.A.L.M.: This year's P.A.L.M. ride sponsored by the AYH is planned for June 26th through July 1st and will run from Grand Haven to Port Huron. There will also be a crossing of the Blue Water ridge. Tim Phillips brought in some applications which are available at Pavlat's.

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L.A.W.: This years L?A?W? rides are as follows:

Gear UP 83 - in Slippery Rock, PA May 27 - 30
Gear SOUTH - in Athens, Georgia, June 16 - 19
Gear WEST National Rally, In Seattle, Washington July 28 - 31

There are applications and information about these rides in the January issue of the American Wheelmen Magazine, or see Ken Koch at the next meeting.

FEBRUARY MEETING : The February meeting will be held at the Huron Elementary, Mon. the 7th at 7:30p.m. The school is located on Terra Bella, N. of 17 mile, W. of Garfield.

