



DELAWARE VALLEY BICYCLE CLUB

P.O. Box 274, Drexel Hill, PA 19026

JULY 1996

FREE!

Forthcoming Events

The bicycling season "heats up" with the month of July. One of DVBC's favorite speakers, bicycle designer and builder, Harry Havnoonian, returns Monday, July 1 at the general meeting. Harry will be presenting his latest engineering wonders. If you are curious about the "Furiosa Low Rider" or other new '96 HH bicycle models, come to the Springfield Peace Center, 1001 Old Marple Rd. at 7 P.M.

On July 4th, local Delaware County residents in Clifton Heights and Springfield and Lansdowne will celebrate the nation's independence with children parading their decorated bicycles through the heart of town. If your children are in such a parade, please remind them to wear their helmets, because the fun lasts as long as everyone is safe.

Later in July, organized bicycle tours will cross the states of PA, Ohio, Iowa, Maryland, and New York. Some of these rides are still open, so check the DVBC Events Calendar, which is inside this newsletter, if you want to join a multi-day tour.

Freedom Tour Report

Braving the blazing sun and the 98 degree temperature, 322 stalwart riders participated in DVBC's 20th annual Freedom Tour. The turnout was twice last year's, and riders came from as far away as Virginia. This year, the Freedom Tour was an official training ride for the Washington D. C. to Philadelphia AIDS Ride. In spite of the conditions, the ride was nearly flawless. One rider had suffered a minor cut and another was prudent to withdraw from the course before succumbing to heat exhaustion.

As I was driving the exhausted rider back to the start at Ridley Park, I found myself cranning my neck to peer over my passenger's shoulder and stare in disbelief at one astonishing bicyclist -- a rider, who wore khaki trousers banded at his ankles and a red polo shirt, was pedaling his vintage British Raleigh 3 speed roadster up the steep, steep hills of Sweetwater Road! His bicycle, which must have weighed at least 60 lbs, had 2" wide balloon tires on 28" wheels. Thus I met the Supercyclist of the Freedom Tour -- Mr. Steve Bertolini, a professional balloonman, juggler, and unicyclist from Wilmington, DE.

Kudos to all who helped to coordinate the event and sincere thanks to the administrators of the Brandywine and Ridley Parks who made this event possible. *Chris Martha*

June 3 Meeting

DVBC had two speakers at the Monday, June 3 general meeting. The first speaker was chiropractor Dr. Charles Miller, who practices in Springfield PA. In the theory of the chiropractic, keeping the spine aligned prevents the progression of arthritic disease.

Under his direction, Dr. Miller paired us up and taught us to to spot each other's misalignments and postural imbalances. As one partner leaned and stretched and twisted, the other looked for unevenness or "subluxations" that stress sensitive nerves.

For the second part of his talk, Dr. Miller used the activator, a spring loaded gun that applies a controlled burst of force to realign the vertebra and thus relieve the pressure on the nerves.

Choosing Ivan Brown, Dr. Miller made his patient lie prone upon a table. By lifting and twisting Ivan's knees, Dr. Miller located the troublespots and then he aimed the activator and fired. After the "pop," Ivan felt great relief in his post-Freedom Tour achy shoulders.

The second speaker, Gary Lutsky from the Equinox Co., presented a \$30 water bottle. Now who would pay \$30 for a water bottle? Actually the Equi-Sport Bottle contained a water filter that purifies water of chlorine and other chemical contaminants. One replaceable Equi-Sport filter can purify 100 gallons of water. Considering the cost of buying bottled water, the Equi-Sport might be a good bargain.

Get Well Wishes

DVBC president Ernie, and treasurer Frank, and assistant newsletter editor Chris have been undergoing medical procedures during June and July. In spite of their ailments, they have managed to keep DVBC rolling. The members, families and friends of the club extend to them best wishes for speedy recoveries, so that they will be back on their saddles and riding strong.

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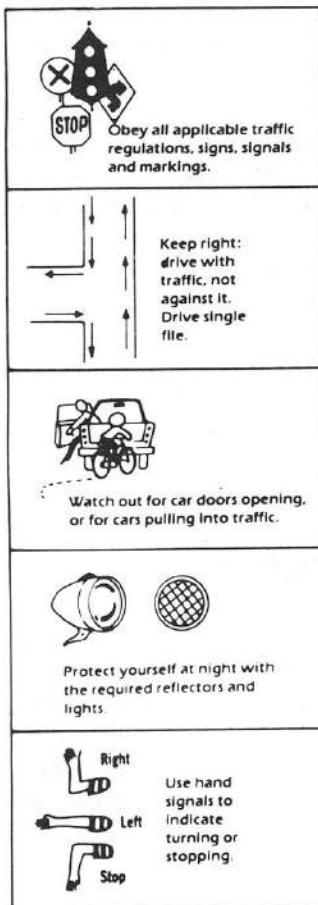
DVBC Meeting Place

Delaware County Peace Center, 1001 Old Sproul Rd. (near car wash at Rt. 320 & Old Marple Rd.). First Monday of month. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. Public welcome.

Ride Guidelines

1. Arrive 10 to 15 minutes early and be READY TO LEAVE ON TIME! Rides will start no more than 5 to 7 minutes late!
2. Make sure your bike is in proper working order BEFORE you arrive.
3. Carry a spare tube, patch kit, pump and water bottle.
4. Practice safety and obey all traffic laws.
5. Wearing a helmet is usually not mandatory, but is encouraged. (A helmet is mandatory for all rides.)
6. Do not "bike off" more than you can do. Go on rides within your ability, interest and experience.
7. **RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS:**
 - CLASS D:** For new, inexperienced riders or families: speed 5 - 7 mph, frequent stops, as few hills as possible. Group will wait for all riders. Mileage usually less than 10 miles, but longer distances permissible.
 - CLASS C-:** For average riders: 7 - 8 mph, rest stops as needed. Group will wait for stragglers. Distance recommended: 10 - 30 miles.
 - CLASS C+:** Also average riders: 9 - 10 mph, rest stops every 45 - 60 minutes. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided by the ride leader.
 - CLASS B-:** For more experienced riders: 11 - 12 mph, stops every 15 - 20 miles. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided.
 - CLASS B+:** For strong riders: 13 - 15 mph, stops every 20 - 30 miles. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided.
 - CLASS A:** For very strong riders: 16 - 20 mph, stops every 30 - 50 miles. No obligation to wait for stragglers if cue sheets or maps are provided.
- TIME TRIAL:** Timed event. Again, you must obey all traffic laws. A hard helmet is mandatory. You must yield the right of way at all times. Club time trials should not be regarded as races, but as training rides.
8. Each rider assumes his/her own risk on all time trials and touring rides.
9. Those who ride ahead of the group are on their own ride.
10. Always notify the ride leader before leaving the group.
11. Ride leaders should adhere to the advertised speed of the ride.
12. Ride leaders are not expected to be bike mechanics.

NOTE: In the case of questionable weather or road conditions, the Ride Leader may decide to cancel the event. Call the Ride Leader if in doubt. All Club rides are rated according to degree of difficulty. If you're in doubt about your cycling ability, try out a ride one class below the one you're not sure about and then work your way up. The general public is invited to all events organized and conducted by Delaware Valley Bicycle Club. A program is presented by the Club for bicyclists of all ages, all abilities, and all interests. Except for the Freedom Tour, Brandywine Tour and Club picnic, all club events are free to the general public. The general public is welcome!



RIDE CALENDAR

**Free membership for ride leaders*
Helmet use is mandatory on all rides!

Mon, Jul 1 • 6:30 a.m. Miles: 15-25 • Class B <i>Daily Pre-Work Ride</i>	Get your day of to an energetic start with various rides out of the Drexel Hill area. Longer rides will be done in other locations on the weekends. Starting time is approximately 6:30 - 7:00 a.m.; call for exact time and location: Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610) 789-0187.
Mon, Jul 1 • 7:30 p.m. <i>DVBC Meeting</i>	Doors open at 7:00, meeting starts at 7:30. Delaware County Peace Center, Springfield Friends' Meeting, 1001 Old Sproul Rd., Springfield.
Thu, Jul 4 • 9:00 a.m. Miles: 25 • Class C <i>Gladwyne</i>	Meet at the Drexel Hill Cyclery at 703 Burmont Rd., Drexel Hill. Enjoy a hilly, but easy-paced ride to Gladwyne through some very scenic areas. Call Saturday night if you are coming. Frank Havnoonian: (610) 449-3305 (evenings) for more information.
Thu, Jul 4 • 7:30 a.m. Miles: 5-30 • Class C <i>Pancake Breakfast</i>	Meet at Manhattan Bagel in the Manoa Shopping Center (W. Chester Pk. & Eagle Rd., Havertown). Plan most Thursdays to enjoy easy-paced rides to various restaurants for a pancake breakfast. Bring money for breakfast. Please call if you are coming and get details then. Joel and Kate Perlsh: (610) 789-7673.
Sun, Jul 7 • 8:00 a.m. Miles: 20-40 • Class B <i>Sundays w/ Dan & Tom</i>	Come out for the slightly longer, weekend version of the Pre-work ride. Starting time is around 8 a.m. Call Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610)789-0187 for strating time, location and ride distance.
Sun, Jul 7 • 9:00 a.m. Miles: 30 • Class C+/B- <i>Summer Sizzle</i>	Meet at the water fountain at the visitor center at Valley Forge Park off Rt. 23. Enjoy a scenic ride through the Yellow Springs & Kimberton areas. For more information call Aileen at (610) 337-8413.
Mon, Jul 8 • 6:30 a.m. Miles: 15-25 • Class B <i>Daily Pre-Work Ride</i>	Get your day of to an energetic start with various rides out of the Drexel Hill area. Longer rides will be done in other locations on the weekends. Starting time is approximately 6:30 - 7:00 a.m.; call for exact time and location: Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610) 789-0187.
Mon, Jul 8 • 7:00 p.m. <i>DVBC Board Meeting</i>	DVBC Executive Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Delaware County Peace Center, Springfield Friends' Meeting, 1001 Old Sproul Rd., Springfield.
Thu, Jul 11 • 7:30 a.m. Miles: 5-30 • Class C <i>Pancake Breakfast</i>	Meet at Manhattan Bagel in the Manoa Shopping Center (W. Chester Pk. & Eagle Rd., Havertown). Plan most Thursdays to enjoy easy-paced rides to various restaurants for a pancake breakfast. Bring money for breakfast. Please call if you are coming and get details then. Joel and Kate Perlsh: (610) 789-7673.
Sat, Jul 13 • 7:30 a.m. Miles: 80 • Class B <i>Mays Landing & Back</i>	Meet at Kingsway Regional High School (Rts. 322 & 551 in N.J., just across the Com. Barry Bridge) for a flat ride to Mays Landing and back on scenic back roads. This is a joint ride with the South Jersey Wheelmen. For more information call Bob Leone at (610) 833-2096.
Sat, Jul 13 • 8:30 a.m. Miles: 30 • Class C <i>Brandy Bike/Canoe</i>	Meet at the Northbrook Canoe Co. on Northbrook Rd. off Rt. 842, south of West Chester at 8:30 A.M. Bring lunch. Call ahead (610-793-2279) to reserve a canoe for the optional 1:00 p.m. apres-pedal paddle. Call Fran (610-431-2675) for more info or for a canoe partner.
Sun, Jul 14 • 8:00 a.m. Miles: 20-40 • Class B <i>Sundays w/ Dan & Tom</i>	Come out for the slightly longer, weekend version of the Pre-work ride. Starting time is around 8 a.m. Call Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610)789-0187 for strating time, location and ride distance.
Sun, Jul 14 • 8:30 a.m. Miles: 40-50 • Class B <i>Tour D'Main Line</i>	Meet at Duffy Real Estate, 243 Haverford Ave., Narberth. See how the other half lives as we tour the back roads of the Main Line. Bring lunch and your granny gear - lots of hills. For more information call John Benigno at (610) 642-5659.
Mon, Jul 15 • 6:30 a.m. Miles: 15-25 • Class B <i>Daily Pre-Work Ride</i>	Get your day of to an energetic start with various rides out of the Drexel Hill area. Longer rides will be done in other locations on the weekends. Starting time is approximately 6:30 - 7:00 a.m.; call for exact time and location: Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610) 789-0187.
Tue, Jul 16 • 7-9:00 p.m. <i>Delco Cycling Committee</i>	Delaware County Cycling Committee Meeting, Helen Kate Furness Library, Providence Rd., Wallingford, PA. For more info call Ira at (610) 565-4058.
Sat, Jul 20 • 6:30 a.m. Miles: 125-130 • Class B <i>Ocean City & Back II</i>	Meet at Kingsway Regional High School (Rts. 322 & 551 in N.J., just across the Com. Barry Bridge) for a flat ride to Ocean City and back on scenic back roads. This is a joint ride with the South Jersey Wheelmen. For more information call Bob Leone at (610) 833-2096.
Sun, Jul 21 • 9:00 a.m. Miles: 34-45 • Class B <i>Pete's Produce</i>	Meet at the Moylan-Rose Valley train station at Woodward & Manchester (Rose Valley) Rds. Enjoy this classic 34-mile ride through the scenic Ridley and Chester Creek valleys with an optional 11-mile loop by Crum Creek to stretch the ride to 45 miles. For more information call Ray at (610) 565-4058.

RIDE CALENDAR, *continued*

Sun, Jul 21 • 8:00 a.m. Miles: 20-40 • Class B <i>Sundays w/ Dan & Tom</i>	Come out for the slightly longer, weekend version of the Pre-work ride. Starting time is around 8 a.m. Call Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610)789-0187 for strating time, location and ride distance.
Sun, Jul 21 • 7:30 a.m. Miles: 32 • Class C <i>Kountry Kitchen</i>	Meet at Kingsway Regional High School (Rts. 322 & 551 in N.J., just across the Com. Barry Bridge). Enjoy a flat ride on scenic back roads to a good breakfast at the Kountry Kitchen restaurant. This is a joint ride with the South Jersey Wheelmen. For more information call Bob Leone at (610) 833-2096.
Mon, Jul 22 • 6:30 a.m. Miles: 15-25 • Class B <i>Daily Pre-Work Ride</i>	Get your day of to an energetic start with various rides out of the Drexel Hill area. Longer rides will be done in other locations on the weekends. Starting time is approximately 6:30 - 7:00 a.m.; call for exact time and location: Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610) 789-0187.
Sun, Jul 28 • 8:00 a.m. Miles: 20-40 • Class B <i>Sundays w/ Dan & Tom</i>	Come out for the slightly longer, weekend version of the Pre-work ride. Starting time is around 8 a.m. Call Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610)789-0187 for strating time, location and ride distance.
Sun, Jul 28 • 9:00 a.m. Miles: 20 • Class C <i>Ridley Creek St Park</i>	Meet at the Drexel Hill Cyclery at 703 Burmont Rd., Drexel Hill. Enjoy this leisurely ride to scenic Ridley Creek State Park & back. Expect a few hills. For more information, or if the weather is questionable, call Bob Martin at (610) 352-2114.
Mon, Jul 29 • 6:30 a.m. Miles: 15-25 • Class B <i>Daily Pre-Work Ride</i>	Get your day off to an energetic start with various rides out of the Drexel Hill area. Longer rides will be done in other locations on the weekends. Starting time is approximately 6:30 - 7:00 a.m.; call for exact time and location: Tom Sota at (610) 789-7248 or Dan Coraluzzi at (610) 789-0187.

*Free 1996 membership for anyone leading 4 or more listed rides in 1995. Call Ira (610-565-4058) or Doug (610-543-4664) for details.



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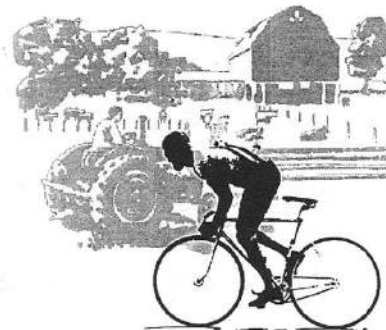



20th Annual Brandywine Tour!

September 8, 1996

28, 50 and 100 Mile Routes

Sponsored by the Delaware Valley Bicycle Club



TIME: 8-9 A.M. for 100-milers; 9-10 A.M. for 50-milers; 10-11 A.M. for 28-milers.

PLACE: Chadds Ford School on Route 1 (1/4 mile west of Route 100), Chadds Ford, PA.

COST: \$8.00 pre-registration (postmarked by September 1, 1996); \$10.00 at the gate. **Tour will be held rain or shine!**

Expected Attendance: 350-500 riders.

Services Provided by DVBC: Food stop, maps, sag wagon, portable rest rooms and well marked routes.

Routes: Scenic country back roads through the beautiful Brandywine River Valley. Century route passes through three counties including Lancaster County. Full and Half-Centuries pass through King's Cattle Ranch in Buck and Doe Run. The 28-mile route is mostly flat except for Harmony Hill Road which has a covered bridge. All riders have a food stop in Embreeville. Century riders also have a food stop in Lancaster County.

Description: You travel at your own pace, with family or friends, or make new cycling friends. All ages, all abilities and all types of bikes are welcome. The 28-mile route is a great opportunity for newer cyclists and leisure riders. Meet new biking friends with similar abilities while enjoying an outstanding ride.

Safety: HELMETS ARE MANDATORY. Make sure your bike is in good condition; use safe cycling habits; obey all traffic laws.

We recommend carrying a spare tube/patch kit, tire pump & tire irons. Each rider assumes his/her own responsibility.

About DVBC: DVBC promotes all forms of cycling! Paid membership exceeds 200 cyclists. We're affiliated with LAW, Pa. Bike Federation, USCF, and the Bike Coalition of Delaware Valley. DVBC is the premier bike club in Delaware County and a nonprofit organization. We lead several free rides every month for all levels of cyclists. Our monthly meetings are open to the public.

More Information: Please call Frank at (610) 449-3305 or Ernie (610) 259-3327.

20th Annual Brandywine Tour • September 8, 1996

Pre-registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____ Age: _____ Distance: 28 miles ☐ 50 miles ☐ 100 miles ☐

Waiver/Release

In consideration of the acceptance of my application for entry in the above event, I hereby waive, release, and discharge any and all claims for damages for death, personal injury, or property damage which I may have, or which may hereafter accrue to me, as a result of my participation in the said event. This release is intended to discharge in advance the promoters, the sponsors, the Delaware Valley Bicycle Club, the promoting clubs, the officials, and any involved municipalities or other public entities (and their respective agents and employees), from and against any and all liability arising out of or connected in any way with my participation in said event, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons mentioned above.

I further understand that serious accidents occasionally occur during bicycle riding; and that participants in bicycle riding occasionally sustain mortal or serious personal injuries, and/or property damage, as a consequence thereof. Knowing the risks of bicycle riding, nevertheless, I hereby agree to assume those risks and to release and hold harmless all of the persons or entities mentioned above who (through negligence or carelessness) might otherwise be liable to me (or my heirs or assigns) for damages.

It is further understood and agreed that this waiver, release, and assumption of risk is to be binding on my heirs and assigns.

signature (if you are under 18 years of age, then your parent or guardian must sign)

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(Please send this signed form with a check or money order to:

**Brandywine Tour
Delaware Valley Bicycle Club
P.O. Box 274
Drexel Hill, PA 19026**

Please postmark pre-registration by September 1, 1996.

July '96 Bicycling Events



3-7: LAB National Rally, Dayton, OH
(413) 288- BIKE.

7: Delaware Doublecross: White Clay BC. 8 AM, Port Penn, DE. \$8 before 6/30; \$10 at start. SASE; Aaron Chen, 446 Haystack Drive, Newark, DE 19711, (302) 731-1456.

14: ACS Bike-a-thon. 66 mi. from Independence Hall to Lenape Park, Mays Landing, NJ. \$75 donation includes T-shirt and picnic celebration. \$15 for bicycle transport back to Phila. Call (215) 985-5314 for a registration form.

14: 14th Annual Gold Coast Tour. Huntington (L.I., NY) Bicycle Club: \$15 Tour & T-shirt. 25/50/65/100 mi. 6:30 A.M., Hazeltine, Long Island. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the Long Island Head Injury Assoc. SASE: Huntington Bicycle Club, PO Box 322, Huntington Station, NY 11746.

14: Warwick Country Roads Bicycle Tour. Warwick, NY. Orange County off NYS Thruway. Proceeds help Community 2000 Bike Path Project and Doc Fry Community Center \$20 by 7/5; \$25 after. T-shirt for pre-registrants only. Various routes, 9 to 83 mi. SASE: Doc Fry Community Center, Warwick Country Roads Bicycle Tour, P.O. Box 21, Warwick, NY 10090.

14-19: The Whole Hudson River Valley. \$499. Send \$50 deposit to Bicycle Club of Phila., c/o Pete O'Dell, 538 Basilica Circle, Phila., PA 19128. (215) 482-1440.

20: Tour de Lebanon Valley. 7 A.M. 50 km. Loops. Moderately hilly. \$10 until 7/13; then \$12. Lebanon Valley BC c/o Jim Deaven, 124 W. Church St., Annville, PA 17033. (717) 867-0950.

21: Raritan Valley Round-Up '96. 100/50/25/ 12 mi. 7 A.M from North Branch Park, North Branch, NJ. Info: Howie Glick, 3 Tracy Drive, Fords, NJ 08863.

21: Climb to the Clouds. Weston or Bolton, MA. Starts 8 Am in Weston, 9:30 A.M. in Bolton. \$5. There is no sag on this ride. Info: Ken Hablow (617) 647-0233.

21-27: Pedal Pennsylvania: Penn-Central, 7-day Pittsburgh to Philadelphia. SASE to Bob Ingersoll, 1914 Brandywine St., Philadelphia, PA 19130.

21-27: CAM Cycle Across Maryland Tour. SASE to CAM VIII, 7 Church Lane -- Suite 8, Baltimore, MD 21208.

21-27: NYRATS '96: New York Ride Across the State. Sponsored by Niagara Frontier Council of Hostelling International. \$540 includes T-shirt, 6 nights' lodging, snacks, sag and celebration banquet. Riders will be responsible for their own meals except as noted. Call 716-852-5222 for info. or write: Niagara Frontier Council of American Youth Hostels, P.O. Box 1110, Ellicott station, Buffalo, NY 14203.

28: Double or Nothing Tandem Ride: Tandems East. SASE to Mel Kornbluth, 86 Glynwood Rd., Pittsgrove, NJ 08313.

28-August 2: Maine Moose Tour: SASE: Maine Wheels Bicycle Club, c/o Merle and Molly Glines, 225 Paris Hill Rd., South Paris, ME 04281 (207) 743-2577.

August Events

2-4: Blue & Gray Rally. Bike Federation of PA., Gettysburg U. \$50 plus room & board. Register by 6/7. SASE to B&G '96, c/o Tom Helm, 480 Saint Johns Dr., Camp Hill, PA 17011-1331. (717) 975-0888.

3: The Princeton Event. \$15 until 7/19 then no T-shirt. Princeton Freewheelers, Phyllis Suber, P.O. Box 1204, Princeton, NJ 08542-1204. (609) 921-6685.

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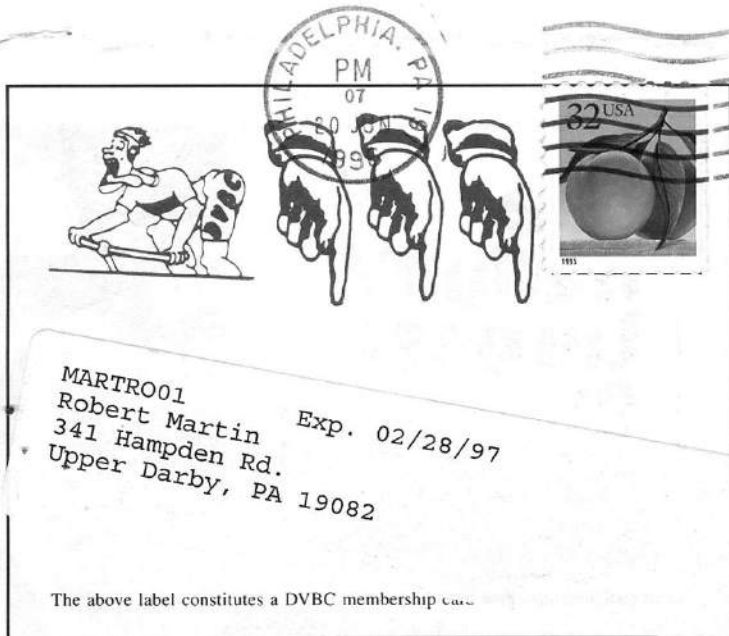
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FIRST CLASS MAIL

The Delaware Valley Bicycle Club (DVBC) is a non-profit corporation formed to educate the public as to the safe use of the bicycle through lectures, seminars, planned rides, and other activities promoting the bicycle as an efficient and enjoyable means of exercise, recreation, and transportation.

Non-members are welcome on rides, but are urged to consider their ability and experience when selecting a ride. (See Ride Guidelines.) All rides are subject to cancellation due to weather. If in doubt about the weather or level of difficulty of the ride, please call the ride leader. Though the use of safety equipment is strongly urged—and helmets are required on all rides—the club cannot accept responsibility for accidents or injury while participating in a DVBC event.

Application for DVBC Membership

(Expires 1 year from date joined/renewed)

Please print clearly and use 9-digit Zipcode, if known.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Membership: _____ (per household) \$15.00

Membership includes: *DVBC Newsletter Magazine* (10 issues per year), discounts at most Club sponsors, Club subsidized events, and free *Bicycle Touring Newsletter* published quarterly (\$3 value). Your membership attracts advertisers and helps influence local government decisions concerning bicycle issues.

INTEREST SURVEY

I'll volunteer for:

Ride Pace

- ☐ Class D: *slow*
- ☐ Class C: *average*
- ☐ Class B: *brisk*
- ☐ Class A: *fast*
- ☐ Off-Road

- ☐ Ride Leader
- ☐ Sag Wagon Driver
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- ☐ Newsletter Co-editor
- ☐ Newsletter Delivery
- ☐ Triathlon Editor

Please send your check or money order to:

Delaware Valley Bicycle Club
P.O. Box 274
Drexel Hill, PA 19026

The DVBC Safety Foundation is established to promote bicycle safety in the Delaware Valley using posters, flyers, bumper stickers and rewards.

I wish to donate to the DVBC Safety Foundation:

☐ \$1 ☐ \$2 ☐ \$5 ☐ \$10 ☐ \$15 ☐ \$20 ☐ \$25

Membership to DVBC Subdivisions

You must join the main organization (left half of this form) in order to be able to join a DVBC subdivision.

☐ \$7.00 DVBC-Team Drexel Hill (Road Racing)
Drexel Hill Cyclery

☐ \$5.00 Team Delaware Valley Bicycle Club
Team Casual! (Road Racing)

Total Amount Enclosed