

Country Roads Cyclists
September - October 2017 RIDE SCHEDULE

Road Captain: Amanda Bise

Contact Ride Leader for more details. Wear your helmet.

Difficulty Rating: (*) easy () moderate (***) difficult (****) extreme**

Saturday, September 2 at 10:00 AM Snake Hill – Deckers Creek Loop

Marilyn Newcome 304-598-5078

(***) Road, 25 miles or (**) Trail, 22 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton (Rt. 7 East). Road riders will bike up Dug Hill, then Fields Park Road, then Tyrone Road. From Tyrone Road, we will start climbing Snake Hill, to Masontown. From Masontown, we will return down Decker's Creek Trail to the start. Rail-trail cyclists can start with us, then continue up Deckers Creek Trail, and meet the group coming down the trail from Masontown.

Sunday, September 3 at 12:00 NOON Prickett's Fort Out and Back

Amanda Bise 304-476-3354

(**) Trail, 24 miles. Meet at the trail head at the Pricketts Fort State Park. For the Pricketts Fort State Park, take exit 139 from I -79, then follow the signs leading to the park. We will proceed north on the Mon River Trail to the Little Falls trailhead. We will then return to the start.

Saturday, September 9 at 10:00 AM Decker's Creek Trail Ride

Kelly Williams 304-292-9821

(**) Trail. 38 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton (RT 7, East). We will bike up Decker's Creek Trail to the end of the trail, then return back down the trail, to the Mon River Trail before returning to the start. **(NOTE: WVU Football at 12:00 NOON)**

Sunday, September 10 at 9:00am Mon River Trail Metric Century

Lisa Reiser 304-685-0860

(**) Trail. 64 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's Sabraton (Rt 7, east). We will bike on Decker's Creek Trail to the Mon River Trail, then head south to Prickett's Fort. After a rest, we will return north to the state line. From there, we will then head south on the trail, stopping at Mountain State Brew Company for refreshments. Afterwards, back to the start. Cyclists can join us any where along the route.

Saturday, September 16 at 12:00 NOON Decker's Creek Trail Ride AND Picnic

Kelly Williams 304-292-9821

(**) Trail. 22 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton (RT 7, East). We will bike up Decker's Creek Trail to the Masontown trailhead, then return back down the trail, to the parking lot. Next, we will proceed over to Marilla Park for a cookout and picnic. Bring food to share, or purchase food somewhere in Sabraton. **(NOTE: WVU Football at 12:00 NOON)**

Sunday, September 17 at 1:00 PM Clarksburg to Lost Creek

Joe Leroy 304-677-6551

(**) Road, 22 miles. Meet at the parking lot in front of the swimming pool at the Veteran's Park in Clarksburg. We will bike along Rt. 25 to Lost Creek. After resting at the trailhead for Lost Creek, we will return to the start.

Saturday, September 23 at 12:00 NOON Friendship Hill Out and Back

Jennifer Preville 304-282-0218

(**) Road, 34 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton (RT 7, East). We will bike on the Decker's Creek Trail to the Mon River Trail, and head north. At the state line, we will continue on the trail to Point Marion. We can explore and go to Apple Annie's for refreshments or the grocery store, then head back to start. Rail-trail cyclists can ride with us to Point Marion, and then return to the start.

Sunday, September 24 at 12:00 NOON DECKERS TRAIL or DUGHILL LOOP

Lisa Reiser 304-685-0860/Jennifer Preville 304-282-0218

(**/**) Trail, 26 miles/ Road, 16 miles Meet at Mon River Trail next to the Marriot Hotel. Choose either a Decker's Creek Trail Ride (26 miles) or the Dug Hill Loop (16 miles) We will be joined by cyclists attending the WV Bike Summit.

**Saturday, September 30 at 10:00am Connellsville to Ohiopyle day trip AND Rockwood Overnight
Jennifer Preville 304-282-0218**

(**/**). Trail. 36/45 miles. Meet at the Martin's Grocery Store in Connellsville, PA, at the GAP trailhead. From Morgantown, take Rt 43, the Mon-Fayette Expressway (this is a toll road) to Uniontown. Continue on US -119 to Connellsville. About 1000 feet past the Sheetz, turn left into the Martin's parking lot, the trailhead parking is behind Martin's. The day trip will be an out and back to Ohiopyle, with lunch in Ohiopyle. The overnight tour will continue through Confluence and onto Rockwood for the night. Sunday we will return on the trail biking from Rockwood to Connellsville. All cyclists riding with us must be CRC club members and, as always, helmets will be required.

**Sunday, October 1 at 10:00am Connellsville to Ohiopyle day trip AND Rockwood Overnight
Jennifer Preville 304-282-0218**

(**) Trail. 36 miles. Meet at the Martin's Grocery Store in Connellsville, PA, at the GAP trailhead. From Morgantown, take Rt 43, the Mon-Fayette Expressway (this is a toll road) to Uniontown. Continue on US -119 to Connellsville. About 1000 feet past the Sheetz, turn left into the Martin's parking lot, the trailhead parking is behind Martin's. The day trip will be an out and back to Ohiopyle, with lunch in Ohiopyle. Call Jennifer, to find out where the overnight group is on their return journey.

Saturday, October 7 at 12:00 NOON Mount Morris Loop Kelly Williams 304-292-9821

(**) 30 miles. Meet at the Senior Center (yellow brick building) in Mount Morris. We will do a loop around the back roads of Mount Morris.

**Sunday, October 8 at 10:00 AM Van Voorhis Loop/Stewartstown Road
Marilyn Newcome 304-598-5078**

(***) Road, 28 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton (RT 7, east). We will bike north on the Mon River Trail to the VanVoorhis exit. From there, we will climb Baker's Ridge and then Stewartstown Road. At Point Marion, we return to Morgantown via the trail. NOTE: Trail riders can stay on the trail to Point Marion, then return (28 miles).

Saturday, October 14 at 12:00 NOON Mount Morris Loop Kelly Williams 304-292-9821

(**) 30 miles. Meet at the Senior Center (yellow brick building) in Mount Morris. We will do a loop around the back roads of Mount Morris. (NOTE: WVU Football)

Sunday, October 15 at 1:00 PM Brushy Fork Out and Back Joe Leroy 304-677-6551

(**) Road, 32 miles. Meet at the tennis courts at the Hinkle-Deegan Park, in Bridgeport. From I-79, take exit 119 onto RT 50 east, into Bridgeport, then turn right at the traffic light by the Rite Aid, onto Virginia Ave./RT 58, and continue straight onto RT 26, Hinkle Lake Road. The park will be on your right. The ride is an out and back on Brushy Fork, through rolling country with a few hills each way.

Saturday, October 21 at 12:00 NOON Mount Morris Loop Kelly Williams 304-292-9821

(**) 30 miles. Meet at the Senior Center (yellow brick building) in Mount Morris. We will do a loop around the back roads of Mount Morris.

Sunday, October 22 at 12:00 NOON Decker's Creek Trail Ride Jennifer Preville 304-282-0218

(**) Trail. 32 miles. Meet at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton (RT 7, East). We will bike up Decker's Creek Trail to Reedsville, then return back down the trail to the start.

Saturday, October 28 at 12:00 NOON Mount Morris Loop Kelly Williams 304-292-9821

(**) 30 miles. Meet at the Senior Center (yellow brick building) in Mount Morris. We will do a loop around the back roads of Mount Morris. (NOTE: WVU Football)

Sunday, October 29 at 12:30 PM White House Road Ride Marilyn Newcome 304-598-5078

(***) 25 miles. Meet at the Free Methodist Church on the left in White House, PA, Rt 857, two miles north of the PA border. Park towards the Tobin School Road side. A road ride over the hills and through the valleys of Fayette County

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 at 6:00 PM ANNUAL MEETING at BOB EVANS, in the Middletown Mall,
9634 Mall Loop Road, Fairmont**

NOTE: Many of these rides start at the parking lot behind Wendy's in Sabraton. However, the

starting times vary.