

## 2024 Regular Group - Schedule One — March 27 through May 13/15 Our 31st Year All Rides Start at 9:30, Kick Off Meeting at 9:00

March 27 9:00

**Kickoff Meeting** 

Meet at the Plymouth Community Center, 14800 34th Street, for the 2024 PPBC Kickoff Meeting and our 31st year. We will meet in classroom 1A/1B, on the far west end of the building. There is no ride scheduled for the March 27 or April 3.

April 8/10 9:30 W. Medicine Lk/Wayzata/Luce Line Leader: Laurie Netznik 952-356-9663

Meet at West Medicine Lake Park, 2111 West Medicine Lake Dr, Plymouth. From the parking lot on the west side of Medicine Lake ride to Luce Line and into downtown Wayzata. Trail: Limestone and blacktop. Some short hills into Wayzata. Distance: about 12 miles. (Start Location)

April 15/17 9:30 Wayzata/Dakota Trail/Mound Leader: Therese Chenevert 612-202-8487

Meet at the beach house parking lot in Wayzata - 238 Grove Lane East, Wayzata, MN. Ride on the Dakota Rail Regional Trail from Wayzata to Mound. Coffee Stop and return to Wayzata. Trail: Level on paved rail bed, about 18 miles roundtrip. (Start Location)

April 22/24 9:30 Minneapolis Lakes Leader: Ron Kirsch 763-607-7720

Meet at the Triangle Park - Drew Ave. So. & Cedar Shore Dr. near Cedar Lake. 3501 W 24th St. The ride will go along the south side of Cedar Lake and around Lake of the Isles, Lake Calhoun (Bde Maka Ska) and Lake Harriet. Coffee stop at Turtle Bread. Trail: Paved bike paths and low-traffic city streets. Distance, approximately 12 miles. (Start Location)

April 29/May 1 9:30 Maple Grove Loop Kevin Krueger 952-210-6570

Meet in the parking lot at Fish Lake Regional Park, 14900 Bass Lake Road (entry to the park). We'll ride a loop through Maple Grove on bike paths along the west side of Fish Lake, the south side of Rice Lake and into Elm Creek Regional Park. There will be a coffee stop on the way back to Fish Lake. Ride is mostly on paved bike paths, with some hills in Elm Creek Park; about 20 miles. – (Start Location)

May 6/8 9:30 Heron Rookery Leader: Bob Flynn 612-280-9540

Meet at the Triangle Park - Drew Ave. So. & Cedar Shore Dr. near Cedar Lake. 3501 W 24th St. Ride the Midtown Greenway to the Hiawatha Trail. Cross the river and continue north through N.E. Mpls to the Heron Rookery. Coffee stop along the way. Return by crossing the river on Plymouth Ave. to Van White Blvd, connecting to the N. Cedar Lake Trail back to Triangle Park. Trail: Blacktop bike trails and city streets. Distance: Approx. 20 miles. Bring binoculars for better viewing the herons. (Start Location)

May 13/15 9:30 W. Medicine Lake/Basset Creek Trail Leader: Bill Lundberg 763-235-3701

Meet at West Medicine Lake Park, 2111 West Medicine Lake Dr, Plymouth. Ride to Luce Line, then to Golden Valley. Continue on Luce line to Hwy 100, north along 100 to Basset Creek Park in Crystal. Ride Bassett Creek Regional Trail, through Crystal & New Hope to Medicine Lake. Continue along Medicine Lake to Northwest Blvd, south along Northwest Blvd, southeast to West Medicine Lake Park. Trail: Mostly flat, few gentle hills, on city streets and trails. About 20 miles. (Start Location)