

Regular Group - Schedule Four - September 1/3 through October 15

Rides start at **9:30 a.m**, except for the October 6/8 and October 13 rides, which start at **10:00 a.m**.

September 1/3 9:30 Graffiti Murals and Washburn Tower (New)

Leaders: 1. Linda Platt 612-723-0838 2. Bill Lundberg 651-235-3701

Meet at Triangle Park Drew Ave. S & Cedar Shore Dr. near Cedar Lake, 3501 W. 24th St. Ride the Cedar Lake Trail to the Greenway. Exit at Bryant Ave and explore the artwork along the alleyways at the Lyndale and Lake area. We'll view the work of "professional" graffiti artists! We'll then continue along the trail on Bryant Ave to Minnehaha and on to the historic Washburn Water Tower. We'll ride along Minnehaha Creek and return via the city lakes. This is a fun ride with the only hills being near the water tower. Distance about 20 miles. (Start Location)

RWGPS Route Name: R-021...

September 8/10 9:30 Fort Snelling State Park (New)

Leaders: 1. Bob Flynn 612-280-9540

2. Colin Nelson 612-267-2594

Meet at the Wabun Wading Pool parking lot by Minnehaha Falls, 4825
Minnehaha Ave, Minneapolis 55417. We will ride the Minnehaha Creek trail to
Lake Nokomis. We will then turn south and follow the Lake Nokomis/Minnesota River
Trail. We will take Old Shakopee Rd. to 34th St. and into the airport, where we will get
on the Post Rd. Bike Lane into Fort Snelling Park. We will ride through the park, then
on to Minnehaha Falls. On Wednesday, the people interested in lunch or a beverage
can stop at Sea Salt. Distance about 20 miles. (Start Location)

RWGPS Route Name: R-022...

September 15/17 9:30 Baker Park Reserve

Leaders: 1. Joni Lauffenburger 763-458-5857

2. Kevin Krueger 952-210-6570

Meet at Maple Park, 4400 Maple Street, Maple Plain 55359. 10 miles from PCC. Ride around Baker Park Reserve trails to Maple Plain and a coffee stop at Blackwater Cafe. Ride along the Luce Line then north to Old Crystal Bay Road. Trail: City streets, paved and limestone bike trails with some moderate hills. Distance about 22 miles. (Start Location)

RWGPS Route Name: R-023...

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September 22/24 9:30 Elk River to Zimmerman (New)

Leaders: 1. Lee Neuman 763-318-9504

2. Colin Nelson 612-267-2594

Meet at Meadowvale Elementary School, 12701 Elk Lake Road NW, Elk River. 25 miles from PCC. From the trailhead we will ride north to Zimmerman on a portion of the former Great Northern Railroad. Coffee stop at Hardee's in Zimmerman. After that, we will turn around and return on the same trail. This route is 100% paved, 100% flat, and 100% straight. Distance about 21 miles. (Start Location)

RWGPS Route Name: R-024...

September 29/October 1 9:30 Nine Mile Creek Leaders: 1. Therese Chenevert 612-202-8487

2. Linda Platt 612-723-0838

Meet at Valley Park 905 9th Ave S, Hopkins 55343. Ride the Nine Mile Creek Trail and some side streets out and back for a 22 mile ride. On Monday we will stop for **lunch** at the Wooden Hills Brewing Company, and on Wednesday there is the option to continue for a 32 mile loop. Trail: Mostly flat with a few moderate hills leading to a number of long bridges. **If the lot is full park in the street on 9th Ave (Start Location)**

RWGPS Route Name: R-025...

October 6/8 10:00 Witch's Hat (& Pyres Brewery 10/8 only)

Leaders: 1. Bill Lundberg 651-235-3701 2. Laurie Netznik 952-356-9663

Meet at the Triangle Park - Drew Ave. So. & Cedar Shore Dr. near Cedar Lake. 3501 W 24th St. Ride the South Cedar Lake Trail to the Greenway, continue on the Greenway through the Seward neighborhood, cross the Franklin Ave. Bridge to Prospect Park and the Witch's Hat, take the U of M Trail to West River Pkwy to Pyres Brewery for lunch (Wednesday only). Return to Cedar Lake by way of Twins Stadium, Loring Park, and North Cedar Trail. Trail: Level paved bike trails (except by the Witch's Hat), and low traffic city streets. Distance: 20 miles. (Start Location)

RWGPS Route Name: R-026...

Monday October 13 ONLY 10:00 Brown's Creek Trail to Stillwater Leaders: 1. Bill Lundberg 651-235-3701 2. Linda Platt 612-723-0838

Meet at the Mahtomedi High School Soccer fields parking lot near 8396 75th St North, Stillwater. Ride the Gateway and Brown's Creek Trails into downtown Stillwater. Continue on to the St. Croix Crossing Bridge to Wisconsin. We will stop for coffee, and you may want to bring a snack. Trail: Paved rail bed and city streets. There are hills in town. Distance 23 miles. (Start Location)

RWGPS Route Name: R-027...

October 15 Noon Year End Luncheon at Plymouth Community Center

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