

Queen City Wheelmen

Cincinnati, Ohio

October 3, 1980

TIME TRIALS - Tuesday, October 7th, will be the last time trial event for the 1980 season. Starting time has been moved to 6:30 PM.

AWARDS BANQUET - The Awards Banquet is being held this year on October 12, 1980, at 6:00 PM, Peppercorn's in Clifton. Special awards, a unique slide presentation of the Rivertown Rally, a few door prizes and a great M.C., Mr. William Mirbach and his dashing personality, all promise to make this the event of the year. Come and enjoy some of Cincinnati's best bicycling stories (yawn), see one of Cincinnati's best bicycle races on slides, hear from some of Cincinnati's best biking personalities (Kent Frazier? -- Becky Smith?), and enjoy winning a door prize. Hope to see you there. There will certainly be something for everyone!

We will be toasting those of you who took the time to send in your dues for the 1980 season not only for your participation, but your unending faith in this club and its goals for a better season next year. Sincere thanks.

ACTIVITIES & IDEAS IN SEARCH OF CHAIRMEN AND/OR VOLUNTEERS

Training Ride Coordinator: Presently the Sunday training rides are scheduled to leave Clifton at 9:15 AM and head west through Ross to Oxford and return. The distance is approximately 100 miles. Earlier turn arounds are at the option of the individual.

A coordinator is necessary to:

- (1) Map an eastern route.
- (2) Give route and other information to new riders.
- (3) Develop tentative schedule for publication in newsletter
- (4) Be accessible by phone.

Burnet Woods Criterium Chairman: Once regarded as the "Best in the Midwest", there is still a lot of interest in this event. It didn't happen in '80. To make sure it gets off the ground in '81, we need to start putting things together now.

- (1) Select date - 1st or 2nd Sunday in April.
- (2) Obtain commitment from Park Board.
- (3) Advise State Reps to avoid conflicting schedules.
- (4) Prepare race applications and distribute.
- (5) Line up prizes.
- (6) Public Relations.
- (7) Recruit volunteers.
- (8 - 99) Etc.

Note: To use park property, we must furnish liability insurance which will cost approximately \$200. This leaves the race chairman only \$100 or so to spend in excess of entry fees.

Roller Exhibition Chairman: From time to time, those among us who have some style have the opportunity to show off and promote cycling as well as the Queen City Wheelmen. We just set up the rollers and ride them at some public gathering. We've even rented a roller race set from Kettering for special occasions: Bob Hart Sports Show, U.C. Spring

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Sports Show. Campus Cyclery or some other supportive shop may help with transportation and expenses. If sufficient financial support is available, a legitimate roller race is possible for Novice & USCF classes. A shopping mall is the ideal location for such an event. The club has never gotten anything like this together before, so you won't have any experience to draw on.

Miscellaneous Events: Members and non-members alike have been known to step forward and say, "WHY DOESN'T SOMEONE?" We're big on ideas, but somewhat weak on execution at times. Here's some of the ideas proposed:

- (1) Club ride and cook-out or brunch ride.
- (2) Overnight training ride.
- (3) Track-type event indoor or out.
- (4) Fixed-gear training rides.
- (5) Full-moon night ride.
- (6) Exercise physiology clinic.
- (7) Club road race series.
- (8) Roller party.
- (9) Motor paced training ride.
- (10) High speed multi-tandem ride.
- (11) Swap shop.
- (12) Other.

If you're interested in any of the foregoing major or miscellaneous projects as Chairman or Volunteer, just clip the attached form (plain paper is OK too!) and send it to Queen City Wheelmen, 5070 Western Hills Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45238.

I'd like to help the Queen City Wheelmen in the following way in 1981:

<input type="checkbox"/> VOLUNTEER	<input type="checkbox"/> TRAINING RIDES	<input type="checkbox"/> ROLLER EXHIBITION
<input type="checkbox"/> CHAIRMAN	<input type="checkbox"/> CRITERIUM	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____

I can be reached by calling: _____

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