



Matrix

Celebrating our 50 Year Anniversary

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Message from El Presidente!

I'm back! The third time is the charm. Thank you for allowing me to preside over this great club one more time. I would like to thank Alery Mollin for stepping up to take on the job as secretary, John Simmons for being our Treasurer and David Walker for putting his name in for Vice President. If they did not step up, we would not have a club. Thank You all, we are going to have some fun. I would also like to thank Judy for great leadership this past year, and the remainder of the exiting board for their great work as well. This is a big year for the club, our Golden Anniversary, 50 Years of Shasta Wheelmen! Let's show were proud to be Wheelmen. Bigger turn outs for the rides, more folks at the meetings, more help growing the club. We can make this our best year ever. I'm a little rusty at this so I'm going to call it good till next month.

Keep spinning those cranks!

Doug Holt aka (El Presidente)

**HAPPY
NEW
YEAR**

Agenda - Shasta Wheelmen January 6, 2020 - 6:00 pm @ Lulu's

January 6th, 2020 Agenda

1. Call to order
2. Introductions
3. Membership chair determining if we have a quorum
4. Approve December minutes as published in the Matrix
5. Standing Reports
 - Treasurers' Report
 - Membership Report
 - Board Meeting
6. Ride Calendar
7. Old Business
8. New business
9. Raffle
10. Adjournment

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Shasta Wheelmen General Meeting Minutes
December 2, 2019
6:00 pm @ Lulu's

1. Meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm.
2. Quorum needed = 7, 35 members present.
3. Minutes of the November 4, 2019 general membership meeting, as printed in the Matrix were voted on. Don Talkington made the motion to approve, motion was seconded by Greg Winters. The motion was passed unanimously.
4. Standing reports

A. Treasurer's Report, Linda Cannar

CHECKING - NOVEMBER		SAVINGS - NOVEMBER	
OPENING	\$5038.78	OPENING	\$5002.26
INCOME	\$240.00	INCOME	\$0.12
EXPENSES	\$15.96	EXPENSES	0
CLOSING	\$5262.82	CLOSING	\$5002.13

Notes

- Income from membership dues
- Expense from stripe processing fees

B. Membership Report, Don Talkington – 138 members

C. Board Meeting Report - President Judy Addison reported on the activities of the Board with her opening comments and throughout the meeting.

1. Old Business

A. 50th Anniversary Celebration - Patty Shackleton: The 50-mile ride will be sometime in June 2020. The Anniversary committee is meeting on Wednesday, 12/4/19 at 2 pm to make more determinations

B. Banquet Committee - The banquet committee will be combined with the 50th Anniversary committee and work on a joint event. The price for a 50th anniversary jersey will be determined by the number purchased. Interest was also expressed in getting a 50th anniversary mug to purchase.

2. New Business

A. Election of Officers - Paper ballots were distributed by Mary Davis at the meeting and the slate of officers was approved by 32 votes cast unanimously.

President	Doug Holt
Vice President	David Walker
Secretary	Alery Mollin
Treasurer	John Simmons

- B. License Plate Holders - Judy purchased 5 additional license plate holders, sold them all at the meeting, and got orders for at least 2 more.
- C. Shasta Living Streets bike path - John Crowe reported that the bike path project on Riverside Drive and Center St. Will be completed in summer 2020. The California St. portion of the project will be completed at some future date.
- D. Membership renewals - Don reported that people who join or renew in the month of December should go online or see him after the meeting for a paper form.

Meeting adjourned at 6;40 pm.

Music was provided by Gary Nelson and Judy Addison.

Gift Exchange

Respectfully submitted,

John Simmons, Secretary



MEET THE NEW 2020 OFFICERS

Left to Right: John Simmons, Treasurer / Alery Mollin, Secretary / Doug Holt, President / David Walker, VP



Some thoughts from our new officers

President Doug Holt aka "El Presidente"

Personal Life

- Born in Eureka Ca.
 - Raised in Pasadena Ca.
 - Moved to Redding in 1988
 - Married to Sherrie for 40 years
- Two grown children, Josh & Reanna. Both married and live in Sacramento area.

Professional Life

- Respiratory Therapist (1978 to present)
- Licensed Respiratory Care Practitioner (RCP) by state of California
- Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) by the National Board of Respiratory Care
- Neonatal Pediatric Specialist (NPS) by the National Board of Respiratory Care
- Asthma Educator Certified (AE-C) by the National Asthma Educator Certification Board
- Current position: COPD Educator at Mercy Medical Center Redding

Organizations

American Association for Respiratory Care and California Society of Respiratory Care

Wheelmen Life

- Joined club in 2004

- President 2007 – 2010
- Jamboree Chairman 2012
- President 2013
- Ride Schedule and Stats
- Started the bike parking with Jack Yerkes
- Ride of Silence (for as long as I can remember)
- Made a Life Member in 2014

My vision for the Wheelmen

To make the Wheelmen the biggest and the most fun cycling club in the state of California.

Interests or hobbies

I like to dabble in wood working. Enjoy home improvement projects. I consider myself to be a, “Jack of all trades and a master none.”

VP David Walker - I have lived in Redding most of my life but I was born in Southern California and my family moved here when I was 13. I have 3 adult children and 3 grandchildren. I am engaged to a wonderful woman and we are set to get married in April. We dated over 20 years ago and reunited via a chance encounter at Grocery Outlet in 2018. I am a school counselor by trade and have worked helping others in one way or another for 25 years. Cycling is my first passion, but I am also a certified scuba diver and have done many tropical dives in places such as Jamaica, The Bahamas, Hawaii and the BVI's to name just a few. I have served as a board member for the Bella Vista School District, coached youth baseball and served as president for the local childcare advisory board. My vision for the Wheelman.... Well, I am new, so I don't have many ideas yet, other than possibly adding evening rides during the warm weather months to accommodate us working stiffs.

Secretary Alery Mollin – Dear Wheelmen friends, thank you for choosing me as your secretary for 2020.

- I am excited to be part of 20/20 - 50 years of looking back and forward as a Shasta Wheelmen member and secretary. I am currently teaching American Sign Language at CVHS. This is my 7th year of teaching.
- I have worked for the state as a claims processor at State Fund.
- I have worked in the pet and grooming industry.
- I owned a business called Fuzzy Friends Mobile Grooming. I sold it when my greatest job came about as mother of a daughter and then 10 months later a son.
- I have wanted to ride road bikes since 2006 and finally in the summer of 2019 joined the Wheelmen and accomplished many bucket list goals. I appreciate the encouragement and positive attitude of every member of this great club. My ringtone on my phone is bicycle by Queen. Because - well, when I am not riding, I am thinking about my next ride.
- I am a licensed foster resource parent. I believe it is important to pass it forward and this is a way to make a difference in a few peoples' lives.
- I am open to suggestions as to how I can serve to my best abilities as the secretary to the Shasta Wheelmen 2020.
- I envision the Wheelmen being around for another 50 years by creating and maintaining an open positive welcoming and supportive attitude towards all people, bicycling enthusiasts all the way to new and interested in learning more about this sport.

Treasurer John Simmons

- Hi, my name is John Simmons and I have been your club secretary during 2019 and will be your Treasurer in 2020. I have been in love with bikes and bike riding since I was 12 years old when I got a Schwinn Varsity with my paper route money. I have done all kinds of riding in my life but the highlight for me is when I rode coast-to-coast from Reedsport, OR to Yorktown, VA with Bike Centennial in 1976.
- I have been a social worker and supervisor with Shasta County for 32 years. For 20 years I worked at Children's Protective Services and for 12 years I worked as a children's therapist with Mental Health. I am a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and retired from service in 2014.

- In addition to cycling, I am a certified soccer referee and am active in junior high and high school refereeing. I also like to cross country ski and travel in my motorhome.
- I really like the people and the ride routes that I'm getting exposed to during weekly rides. I would like to ride with the Wheelmen for as long as I can. I hope to get more involved in out of the area organized rides as well



I'm kin to the rovin' wind, that brings the northern in,
 Along that dusty road I'll peddle my bike.
 Oh the cars are big and bold, and the nights are often cold,
 But I get by as long as I can
 grab my bike,
 climb that peak,
 get to the top go screamin' downhill,
 I love my club,
 I love my bike,
 And I'll be Shasta Wheelman all of my life.

I'm up at the crack of dawn, and I'll throw the bacon on,
 Seems like rides like this will never end,
 When I get done at night, all the stars are big and bright,
 But I get by as long as can,
 grab my bike,
 climb that peak,
 get to the top go screamin' downhill,
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The hot dry wind may blow, and we'll peddle through rain and snow,
 With just a thin layer to keep us warm,
 I'll move the line along, as I sing them this song,
 But this is what you're used to when you,
 grab your bike,
 climb that peak,
 get to the top go screamin' downhill,
 I love my club,
 I love my bike,
 And I'll be a Shasta Wheelman all of my life.

"Doggone Cowboy" by Marty Robbins
 New lyrics by Gary Nelson

JANUARY 2020 CALENDAR - For more detailed route information check the online calendar link

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
01/02/20	9:00 AM	Ride #01 City of Shasta Lake CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14139381
01/04/20	9:00 AM	Cottonwood/Igo Start at Anderson Starbucks 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136352
01/05/20	9:00 AM	Down and back – Start Anderson Starbucks 33 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30403220
01/06/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting at Lulu's Restaurant 2230 Pine St. Redding	https://goo.gl/maps/PRA4j2gHd8w
01/07/20	9:00 AM	Ride #02 Palo Cedro counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136290
01/09/20	9:00 AM	Ride #03 Anderson counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 39.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136291
01/11/20	9:00 AM	Sunny Hill. Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136353
01/12/20	9:00 AM	Clover Creek Deschutes, Old Alturas. Old Oregon, Shasta View Start at Clover Creek Preserve 31 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261933
01/14/20	9:00 AM	Ride #04 Old Shasta counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 28.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136292
01/16/20	9:00 AM	Ride #05 Jones Valley Store CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136293
01/18/20	9:00 AM	Ten Bridge Ride Start at Westwood Village 47 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10374622
01/19/20	9:00 AM	Dry Creek / Bear Mt. Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 43 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/12118058
01/21/20	9:00 AM	Ride #06 Millville Plains CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136294
01/23/20	9:00 AM	Ride #07 Igo/Ono CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 41.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136295
01/25/20	9:00 AM	Swasey/Shasta Dam/Old Oregon Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30577741
01/26/20	9:00 AM	North/West/South of Palo Cedro Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 38 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10692956
01/28/20	9:00 AM	Ride #08 Bridge Bay CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136296
01/30/20	9:00 AM	Ride #09 Old Shasta CW -Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136297

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<p>Pedego Redding 862 N Market St. Redding, CA 96003</p> <p>530-605-4500 https://www.pedegoelectricbikes.com/dealers/redding/</p>	
<p>Sports LTD 950 Hilltop Drive Redding, CA 96003</p> <p>530-221-7333 https://www.reddingsportsltd.com</p>	
<p>The Bike Shop 3331 Bechelli Lane Redding, CA, 96002</p> <p>530-223-1205 https://www.thebikeshopredding.com</p>	



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Message from El Presidente!

Here it is February the days are getting a little longer. Early this month we will hit the halfway point on winter. So, the end is in sight and warmer weather is on the way. This being a Leap year we get extra day to ride and it falls on a Saturday. I placed a longer ride on this day so we can bump up our miles.

I'm on the look out for a Ride Calendar chairperson. If you're interested, please let me know. I did it this past month and Casey and Don have worked out a real nice system.

I have a question. What can I do to encourage people to read the newsletter? I was thinking public flogging but decide against it. I figured I would run out of members before I got more readers. Please give me some of your thoughts. Thanks
Keep spinning those cranks.

Respectfully submitted,
Doug Holt, President

Agenda - Shasta Wheelmen February 3, 2020 - 6:00 pm @ Lulu's

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasures' Report (John)
 - Membership Report (Don)
- 6) Ride Calendar (Doug)
- 7) Old Business
 - 50th Anniversary Committee (Patty and John)
 - Bike Month (Bill)
- 8) New business
 - Pactimo Store (Rich?)
 - Looking for Ride Calendar Chairperson (Doug)
- 9) Raffle
- 10) Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Meeting Minutes

January 6, 2020
Lulu's Restaurant

1. Call to Order by Doug Holt at 6:00 pm.
2. Quorum (is 7, 21 members present) yes per Don Talkington.
3. Approval of the minutes of the December 2, 2019 General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix. Moved by Jim Bush. Not sure who seconded the motion. Approved by group.

4. Standing Reports

A. Treasurer's Report by John Simmons

Checking December		Savings December	
Opening	\$ 5262.82	Opening	\$ 5002.38
Income	\$ 375.00	Income	\$ 0.13
Expenses	\$ 270.72	Expense	\$ 0.00
Closing	\$ 5367.10	Closing	\$5 002.51

Checking Income

330.00 from memberships, 45.00 from a donation

Checking Expense

22.47 Stripe fees, 200.00 Christmas dinner & Tip, 48.45 printer cartridge

B. Membership Report by Don Talkington: 132 members.

C. Board Meeting Report by Doug Holt. Summary quasi board meeting in January for new board members was an introductory meeting. Executive decision to have quarterly board meetings. If pressing important business must be attended to then there will be a special board meeting called.

Linda Cannar spoke for the previous board:

Item one to go ahead and pay for the tip from the Christmas dinner.

Item two was to propose that pass on to the new board anything the previous board did not want to do.

Item three still discussing the 50th anniversary events.

5. Old Business

- Happy New Year and 2020 it is now our 50th anniversary.
- Introduce the new logo and jersey and mug. Melissa presented various options and the members present voted on the best choices. In particular the options for a mug and there seemed to be majority interested in orange/yellow mug with some people interested in white background. Suggest ordering 2 cases of orange and one case of white.
- Jersey base cost is approximately \$65.00 plus shipping.
- Fit kit is \$40.00, and Melissa wants to make this available during the March meeting.
- The company that is providing the jersey is Verge Productions.
- Charge \$10.00 per mug. Several people stated they wanted to purchase.
- Looking to add a small fee to offset any expenses from the celebration's costs.
- Dates for the dinner and ride have been moved to May as the May bike committee requested Shasta Wheelmen to sponsor a ride as there are not many scheduled rides. June is busy for Chain Gang. Dates are May 8 for banquet and May 9 for ride.
- There are two free venues for the ride. 1) Chain Gang or 2) Shasta Living Streets. Both venues are free.

- TBD cost of meal-alcohol provided-location of banquet-music possibilities (Andy)
- There was a suggestion by Linda Cannar to develop a budget for the events.

6. Ride Calendar

- Casey Kerrigan has stepped down from ride planning and a new ride coordinator needs to be appointed. Any volunteers please contact Doug.
- Ride of silence on May 20 is booked.
- The 50th Anniversary Ride needs volunteers for rest stops at 15/30/50 mile rides for snacks etc.
- Permits and insurance was discussed without the consumption of alcohol would not be needed but liability of intoxicated people leaving should be considered.
- Jim Bush said he could see if Redding police might help The Shasta Wheelmen have a safer ride on the day of the ride.
- Spring spin and the bike month need a captain to attend the meetings and pass out swag to the riders. Bill is a possible person to coordinate this.
- (what about getting people signed up for miles?)
- Watershed festival to encourage sign-ups.
- McCloud ride was suggested as a one- or two-day ride before the weather is too hot. Location of parking and trip were discussed briefly. Is it possible to calendar dates and promote this ride? There are parking concerns due to theft.
- Scott Valley ride in May.

7. New Business

- A. Who collects membership dues? the treasurer
- B. AB 1266 is a new law that allows bicyclists to be in turn lanes and go straight at intersections. Although bill is passed, signage is to be determined. Cyclists must obey traffic laws.
- C. Getting acquainted rides will resume in April this year Monday night at 5 pm.
- D. January 14 The Bike Shop will have Trek rep there and promoting tours.
- E. We are reminded that people driving are not aware of bicyclists and if a wreck occurs, they may hit and run or even blame the cyclist for running into the driver's car.
- F. BE SAFE!

8. Raffle

Melissa won earrings made from bicycle chains.
Pam Crowe won the book "Bike Snob"

9. Meeting adjourned at 7:11pm

Respectfully submitted,
Alery Mollin, Secretary

FUTURE 2020 BIKE RIDES & OTHER EVENTS

Date	Ride Name/Description	Route URL
03/14/20	Solvang Century 50/70/100 miles	https://www.bikescor.com/registration.html
04/13/20	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
04/18/20	Whole Earth Festival @ City Hall	https://wholeearthandwatershedfestival.org/
04/18/20	Bike Around the Buttes 40/65/100 miles	https://www.bikearoundthebuttes.com/
04/26/20	Chico Wildflower	https://www.wildflowercentury.org/
04/27/20	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
05/02/20	Siskiyou Scenic Bicycle Tour	www.siskiyouscenic.com
05/09/20	Shasta Wheelmen 50 th Anniversary Ride	Stay Tuned for more info
05/15/20	Rodeo Week Pancake Breakfast	https://www.shastawheelmen.org
05/20/20	The Ride Of Silence / Redding, CA (3rd Wed in May) Start at South end of Sundial Bridge 10 mile	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/20540494
05/23/20	The Art Of Survival Century at Tulelake	https://survivalcentury.com/
05/24/20	The Art Of Survival Century at Tulelake	https://survivalcentury.com/
06/06/20	Tour Of The Unknown Coast / Ferndale, CA	https://tuccycle.org
06/13/20	Gold Country Biccycle Challenge	www.rotarygoldcountrychallenge.com
06/20/20	Castle Crags Century / Mt. Shasta City Park	https://www.castlecragscentury.com
07/18/20	Fall River Century / Fall River Mills, CA	www.fallrivercentury.com
07/18/20	Up & Down: Ride the Cascade Siskiyou Scenic Bikeway. Ashland, OR.	www.upanddownashland.com
08/08/20	Cycle Greater Yellowstone	https://greateryellowstone.org/events/
08/15/20	Crater Lake Century	www.craterlakecentury.com
09/08/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner -56 miles to Gold Beach lunch at Port Hole	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/09/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner-21 miles to Loeb Park	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/10/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner- 72 miles to Crescent City lunch at Chart Room	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/12/20	Bike the Rogue / Gold Beach, Oregon	https://goldbeachrotary.com/bike-the-rogue/
09/26/20	Ride the Rogue / Rogue River, Oregon	https://ridetherogue.org/

FEBRUARY 2020 CALENDAR - For more detailed route information check the online calendar link

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
02/01/20	9:00 AM	Olinda Happy Valley Gas Point Igo Start at Anderson Starbucks 44 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30577484
02/02/20	9:00 AM	Out to the Bear Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/8104953
02/03/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting at Lulu's Restaurant 2230 Pine St. Redding	https://goo.gl/maps/PRA4j2gHd8w
02/04/20	9:00 AM	Ride #10 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CW. - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136298
02/06/20	9:00 AM	Ride #11 End of Iron Mountain Rd counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.7 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136299
02/08/20	9:00 AM	Cottonwood Dersch Millville Plains Old 44 Start at Westwood Market 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11469006
02/09/20	9:00 AM	Middle Creek Loop Start at Sundial bridge ParkingLot 28 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19736728
02/11/20	9:00 AM	Ride #12 City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136301
02/13/20	9:00 AM	Ride #13 Palo Cedro CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.2 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136302
02/15/20	9:00 AM	Ash Creek to Wildcat Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19137252
02/16/20	9:00 AM	Jones Valley Dry Cr Start at Shasta College East Lot 29 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11468908
02/18/20	9:00 AM	Ride #14 Anderson CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 37.9 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136303
02/20/20	9:00 AM	Ride #15 Old Shasta CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 29.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136304
02/22/20	9:00 AM	Zogg/Ono Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 47 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10457128
02/23/20	9:00 AM	Shasta Dam Loop Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19741516
02/25/20	9:00 AM	Ride #16 Jones Valley CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136305
02/27/20	9:00 AM	Ride #17 Millville CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 36.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136307
02/29/20	8:30 AM	Oak Run-Bullskin Ridge-East Fern/Whitmore Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 62 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/7804880

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Message from El Presidente

Here its March. Two things happen this month that will affect our ridding. First Day Light Savings Time. It starts at 2:00 AM Sunday march the 8th So we lose a bit of light in the morning. Then on March 19th the Vernal Equinox happens at 8:49 PM. This will bring our morning light back in a rapid fashion.

The committee for our 50th anniversary has been hard at it. Those 50th anniversary mugs will be available at the March meeting.

They are priced at \$10 each. So, bring lots of cash and buy a bunch. The "Fit Kits" for our 50th anniversary kits will be at the meeting as well. So be at the meeting and make sure you get your proper size.



About being at the meeting I have a little plan. To increase readership of the newsletter and attendance at the meeting I am going to place a four to six-digit number at some point in my message. If you can tell me at the meeting what that number is, you will be placed in a drawing for a \$15 gift card. This drawing is along with the normal raffle.

We have six life members in the club. Anyone that looks at the club roster knows who they are, but you may not realize why this honor has be bestowed of them. I'm going to fill in the blanks. I will present one life member every so often over this next year. I'm going to go of my failing memory and try to present them in the order they received their life membership. I will omit myself. The first life member to be honored is Russ Azevedo and his lovely bride Norma. Russ has been a member of the Wheelmen sense shortly after its inception. He took care of the ride schedule for longer than he can remember. Has won the perpetual mileage trophy more than any other member at six. When we had the Jamboree. Russ marked the course for all the routes with his duct tape. He also peddled the course and cleaned the shoulders with his whisk broom where needed and marked all the potholes. Norma deserves life membership just for putting up with all his cycling antics. Thank you both for your service to the club. Keep spinning those cranks! (The Number is 33434)

Respectfully Submitted
Doug

Agenda (March 2, 2020)

- 1) Call meeting to order
- 2) Self-introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasures' Report
 - Membership Report
- 6) Ride Calendar
- 7) Old Business
 - 50th Anniversary Banquet
 - 50th Anniversary Ride
 - Mug sales
 - Fit Kit
 - Bike month
- 8) New business
 - Bike parking
- 9) Raffle
- 10) Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Meeting Minutes

February 3, 2020

Lulu's Restaurant

1. **Call to Order** by Doug Holt. 6:00pm.
2. **Quorum** Yes total at meeting 22 present.
3. **Approval of the minutes** of the December 2, 2019 General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix.
4. **Standing Reports**

A. Treasurer's Report by John Simmons details in the report submitted.

CHECKING	JANUARY		SAVINGS	JANUARY
OPENING	\$5367.10		OPENING	\$5002.51
INCOME	\$750.00	*	INCOME	\$0.11
EXPENSES	\$44.34	**	EXPENSES	0
	\$688.35	***		
CLOSING	\$5384.81		CLOSING	\$5002.62

* membership

** stripe

*** club liability insurance

B. Membership Report by Don Talkington 126 members.

C. Board Meeting Report by Doug Holt

5. Old Business

- A. Ride calendar February 8 Russ wants to add a ride to the ride. Metric measurement.
- B. 50th anniversary ride. Banquet-Ride
May 8th CVHS at the door is \$30.00 \$25.00 per person in advance. There will be music, food, action/raffle. Looking for speakers - Terrie Webster can possibly bring people from the city to speak. 2 massages have been provided to raffle off.
May 9 ride 8-2 50 mile ride at 8am 30 mile ride at 9. California available a food truck will be there. Music will be there. Advertising soon to go to various places, handouts and Facebook.
Swag here now- stickers, kit here next month. golden anniversary. We are involved in bike month. Everyone in the club gets a free vinyl sticker. The cost is \$.41 a piece to cover the cost to purchase more. A sizing kit will be here for next month's meeting. Mugs are \$10.00 and available soon.
If you want to order the 50th anniversary clothes log in to Verge sports (shasta20). The site is open for a year. Please be aware of the shipping fee. Order your gear with a friend to reduce the rate.
- C. Bike Month Activities are set on the calendar.

Woody's will do another open house. Plus the 4 breweries a beer a week and a release ride possibly. Woody's, Cedar Crest, Final Draft and Fall River are the places involved. Vote on the best beer.

6. Ride Statistics

- A. Randy is compiling miles.
- B. Need someone to help schedule rides.

7. New Business

- A. Doug Holt in an effort to encourage attendance at club meetings is planning some surprises for the club. Read the Matrix carefully so that if you can tell the president the number you see in the Matrix, you will be entered into a drawing for \$15.00 and if you show up for seven of the rest of the meetings you will be entered for \$100 visa card.
- B. David Walker is developing his adventure cycling business Saddle Time. He requested volunteer riders for the purpose capturing video and photos to highlight our local scenery. Several members signed up to participate. Retreat lodging will be Air BNB off Oasis road. One ride a day for 4 days. FIRST RETREAT June 19-23.
- C. The Getting acquainted rides will resume April 13 which is the 2nd and then the 4th Monday of each month. We will meet at the Sundial Bridge and depart at 5:00 pm. please post to Facebook page activity/events.
- D. Be careful! at 273 and Breslauer on Eastside the welds on the steel plates are separated, creating gaps Charlie Finkel donated a screen and projector.
- E. Mary has a bike rack available to whomever is interested.
- F. A Video developed by Teri Webster was presented with pictures of Wheelmen.
- G. Russ giving away some golf balls.
- H. Raffle- John Simmons won a book and Don Talkington won candy.

Meeting adjourned at 6:55

Respectfully submitted,

Welcome New 2020 Shasta Wheelmen Members

JOINED	LAST	FIRST	PHONE	EMAIL
02/03/20	Ferguson	Roy	530-357-2920	fergey@highstream.net
02/04/20	Robinson	Claudia	530-604-7213	Arcson19@gmail.com

News On: Kits, Banquet, Ride Jersey's, Mugs, and Stickers

From Melissa Boyd

Melissa Boyd, has established a team store for the anniversary kit at Verge

- A sizing kit is to be available for members at the club Mach meeting (Patty to order and bring to meeting).
- The club password to Verge is Shasta20. Web site is vergesport.com
- Jerseys - \$58.50
- Shorts - possibly \$85
- Arm warmers \$35
- Shipping cost \$17.50 per order
- Mugs: coffee mug with anniversary logo, orange background. Melissa will order 72 mugs. To be available at March club meeting. Cost approx. \$432. Cost about \$6 (including shipping) will charge \$10.
- Stickers: 3-inch vinyl, anniversary logo. Melissa will order 250 for approx. \$102.50. Available for giveaways.

BANQUET

- Date May 8, 2020
- Hours of availability will be 4pm — 8pm. Celebration will be advertised as 5:30 — 8pm.
- Cost \$90.00 facility fee plus \$20.00/PP. Decision to make profit - club will charge \$25.00 in advance, \$30.00 at the door
- Tickets will be sold for cash or check only

BIKE RIDE

- Date May 9, 2020
- Start times 8am and possibly 9am for shorter rides
- Location: California Street Labs @ 1313 California Street.

ROUTE

- Greg established two 50-mile routes. It was decided to have both the 50- and 30-mile rides go to the Dam and then add another 20 for the long ride. Route details to be worked.
- A 10-mile ride route will be established on the river trail for the possibility of any people interested in such.



FUTURE 2020 BIKE RIDES & OTHER EVENTS

Date	Ride Name/Description	Route URL
03/14/20	Solvang Century 50/70/100 miles	https://www.bikescor.com/registration.html
04/13/20	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
04/18/20	Whole Earth Festival @ City Hall	https://wholeearthandwatershedfestival.org/
04/18/20	Bike Around the Buttes 40/65/100 miles	https://www.bikearoundthebuttes.com/
04/26/20	Chico Wildflower	https://www.wildflowercentury.org/
04/27/20	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
05/02/20	Siskiyou Scenic Bicycle Tour	www.siskiyouscenic.com
05/09/20	Shasta Wheelmen 50 th Anniversary Ride	Stay Tuned for more info
05/15/20	Rodeo Week Pancake Breakfast	https://www.shastawheelmen.org
05/20/20	The Ride Of Silence / Redding, CA (3rd Wed in May) Start at South end of Sundial Bridge 10 mile	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/20540494
05/23/20	The Art Of Survival Century at Tulelake	https://survivalcentury.com/
05/24/20	The Art Of Survival Century at Tulelake	https://survivalcentury.com/
06/06/20	Tour Of The Unknown Coast / Ferndale, CA	https://tuccycle.org
06/13/20	Gold Country Biccycle Challenge	www.rotarygoldcountrychallenge.com
06/20/20	Castle Crags Century / Mt. Shasta City Park	https://www.castlecragscentury.com
07/18/20	Fall River Century / Fall River Mills, CA	www.fallrivercentury.com
07/18/20	Up & Down: Ride the Cascade Siskiyou Scenic Bikeway. Ashland, OR.	www.upanddownashland.com
08/08/20	Cycle Greater Yellowstone	https://greateryellowstone.org/events/
08/15/20	Crater Lake Century	www.craterlakecentury.com
09/08/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner -56 miles to Gold Beach lunch at Port Hole	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/09/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner-21 miles to Loeb Park	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/10/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner- 72 miles to Crescent City lunch at Chart Room	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/12/20	Bike the Rogue / Gold Beach, Oregon	https://goldbeachrotary.com/bike-the-rogue/
09/26/20	Ride the Rogue / Rogue River, Oregon	https://ridetherogue.org/

MARCH 2020 CALENDAR - For more detailed route information check the online calendar link

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
03/01/20	9:00 AM	Clover Creek Deschutes, Old Alturas. Old Oregon, Shasta View Start at Clover Creek Preserve 31 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261933
03/02/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting at Lulu's Restaurant 2230 Pine St. Redding	https://goo.gl/maps/PRA4j2gHd8w
03/03/20	9:00 AM	Ride #18 Igo/Ono CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 40.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136308
03/05/20	9:00 AM	Ride #19 Bridge Bay CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.0 Miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136309
03/07/20	9:00 AM	Ten Bridge Ride Start at Westwood Village 47 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10374622
03/08/20	9:00 AM	Russ' Birthday Ride includes Rainbow Lake Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 83 km	
03/10/20	9:00 AM	Ride #20 Old Shasta CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136310
03/12/20	9:00 AM	Ride #21 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136311
03/14/20	9:00 AM	Dry Creek / Bear Mt. Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 43 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/12118058
03/14/20		Solvang Century 50/70/100 miles	https://www.bikescor.com/registration.html
03/15/20	9:00 AM	Cottonwood Dersch Millville Plains Old 44 Start at Westwood Market 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11469006
03/17/20	9:00 AM	Ride #22 End of Iron Mountain Rd to gate CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136313
03/19/20	9:00 AM	Ride #01 City of Shasta Lake CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14139381
03/21/20	9:00 AM	Old Shasta/Bear Mt. Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/15937087
03/22/20	9:00 AM	North/West/South of Palo Cedro Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 38 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10692956
03/24/20	9:00 AM	Ride #02 Palo Cedro counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136290
03/26/20	9:00 AM	Ride #03 Anderson counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 39.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136291
03/28/20	9:00 AM	Swasey/Shasta Dam/Old Oregon Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30577741
03/29/20	9:00 AM	Shasta Dam Loop Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19741516
03/31/20	9:00 AM	Ride #04 Old Shasta counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 28.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136292

FRIENDS OF THE SHASTA WHEELMEN - Show your membership card for available discounts

<p>Bikes Etc. 2400 Athens Ave. Redding, CA 96001</p> <p>530-244-1954</p>	
<p>Chain Gang Bike Shop 1540 Division St Redding, CA 96001</p> <p>530-243-9951 http://chaingangbikeshop.com/</p>	
<p>Jefferson State Adventure Hub 872 N Market St. Redding, CA 96003</p> <p>530-768-5055 www.jsahub.com</p>	
<p>Pedego Redding 862 N Market St. Redding, CA 96003</p> <p>530-605-4500 https://www.pedegoelectricbikes.com/dealers/redding/</p>	
<p>Sports LTD 950 Hilltop Drive Redding, CA 96003</p> <p>530-221-7333 https://www.reddingsportsltd.com</p>	
<p>The Bike Shop 3331 Bechelli Lane Redding, CA, 96002</p> <p>530-223-1205 https://www.thebikeshopredding.com</p>	



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Celebrating our Club's 50th Anniversary

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Message from El Presidente

April Showers make the flowers bloom in May! Let's hope so after that bone-dry February we had. Plus, we need the May flowers for our 50th anniversary celebration ride.

Speaking of the 50th anniversary activities the committee is looking for a few Wheelmen to lend a helping hand. So please put some serious thought into where you could help.

May is also the "Bike Challenge" I need every member of the club to sign up for our team. Let's be the biggest badest club in the challenge. The only way we can accomplish this is with everyone's help. So, let's all make this our best year ever. Thank you for the help ahead of time. (12095)

It's time to highlight another Life Member. This person is arguably the best President this club has had. I'm talking about Earl Talken. He was the point man for the Share the Road. He designed the club logo we still use today. He designed our "Share the Road" jerseys. He was my mentor as past president in my first term. Sherrie calls him Yoda due to his infinite wisdom. He handled all the graphic art needs from tee shirts to brochures. He and his wife Betty even staged a rest stop at their home for the Jamboree. Thank you, Earl and Betty, for all you have done for the club.

Keep spinning those cranks!

Respectfully Submitted
Doug

NOTE: APRIL MEETING IS
CANCELLED DUE TO CV-19

Agenda (4/6/2020)

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasurer's Report
 - Membership Report
 - Board Meeting
- 6) Ride Calendar
- 7) Old Business

50th Anniversary Banquet
50th Anniversary Ride
Bike Month
Bike Parking



- 8) New business
- 9) Raffle
- 10) Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Meeting Minutes

March 2, 2020

Lulu's Restaurant

1. Call to Order by Doug Holt 6:00 p.m.
2. Quorum yes total 30 people in attendance at the time of counting.
3. Approval of the minutes of the February 3, 2019 General Membership Meeting
 Patty suggested corrections as follow:
 - Minutes date not December 2 it is Jan 6, 2020
 - The McCloud ride is not The McCloud ride it is The Gilman Road Ride.
 Patty Shackelton made the motion to approve with correction and Andy seconded, motion was approved.

4. Standing Reports

A. Treasurer's Report by John Simmons

FEB CHECKING	AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION
OPENING	\$5384.41	
INCOME	211.00	membership & donation
EXPENSES	10.35	Stripe fees
	15.25	Banquet Tip
	40.00	50 th Anniversary
	16.17	Domain Name
CLOSING	\$5513.64	

FEB SAVINGS	AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION
OPENING	\$5002.62	
INCOME	\$0.08	Interest Earned
EXPENSES	0	
CLOSING	\$5002.70	

B. Membership Report by Don Talkington. Total members 128.

C. Board Meeting Report none given.

Special guest speaker Ann Thomas from Shasta Living Streets.

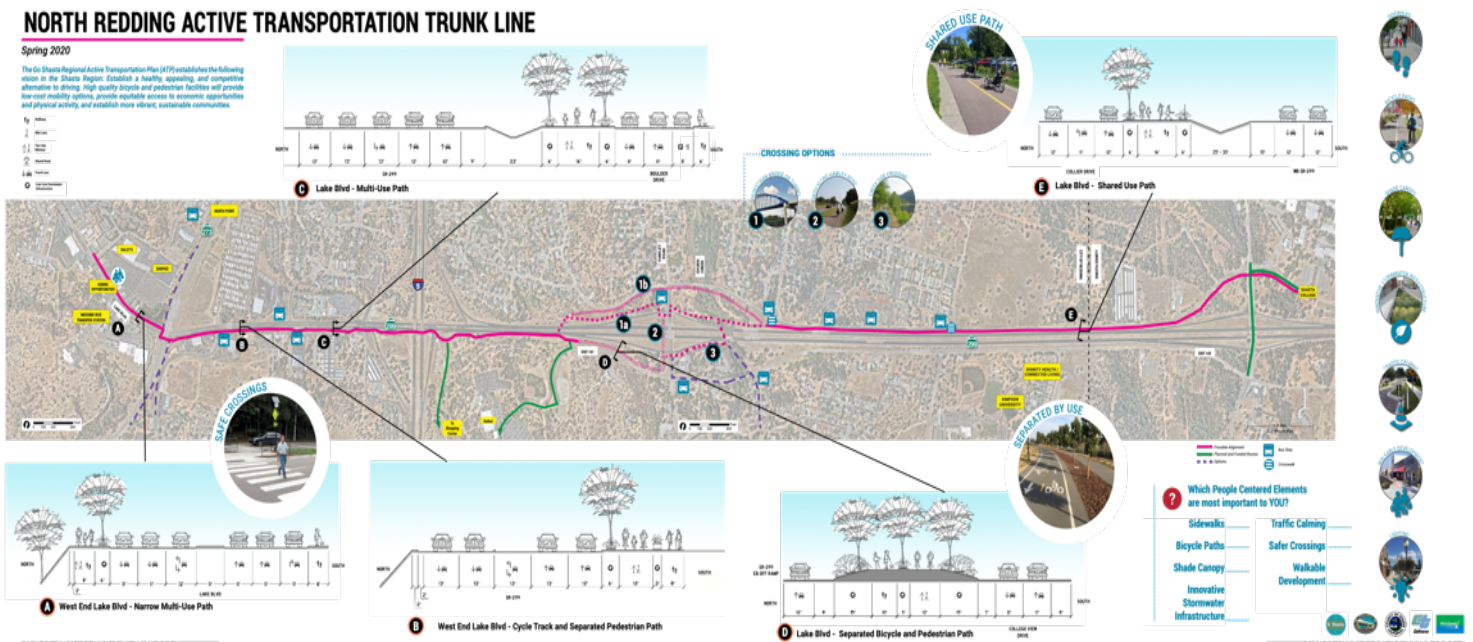
- Ann is a long-time friend and supporter of Shasta Wheelmen. Reason for this visit today is that Ann is on the Active Transportation Advisory Group for bike, walk. Active Transportation (ATP) is grant funded from the State of California. This group meets Once or Twice a year. These (non-cyclist) approximately twelve people meet to present and approve or suggest different projects for the streets of Redding. This next meeting is in about ten days. You must be a guest or invited to this meeting. Looking to the City of Redding, Public works to design high quality infrastructure.
- There are 3 projects up for approval right now.
 - Along Victor Avenue, proposal not good enough- White lines not safe lanes.
 - Wheelmen are used as a reference to decision making in these (road meetings.)
 Looking for preferred types of infrastructure. AND ways to educate people what the differences are regarding protected bikeways and painted lines.
 - Low stress bikeways are the focus of what Shasta Living Streets wants to establish in Redding. Network of bikeways that are around the city and are connected. Right now, under construction is the LOOP TRAIL. Diestelhorst to downtown is coming this summer. This is the first piece that will accomplish the goal of Low Stress Bikeways. Court Street to Cal-Trans. It will be two-way

protected onto Center street under Eureka way. Plus, more and then stop at California Street. Cool things like a Reflection Point, and then asphalt murals.

- There are several loops around the city of Redding in thought/preparation and development.
- This document describes the importance of Low Stress Bikeways. Cal-Trans designed this from engineers. Speed of vehicles is the main determining factor of the creation of this plan. The HQ of State highways Brock Miller.
- Second project is from Hartnell to Cypress. (painted white lines)
- Multi-path- sidewalk level-(not wide enough based on standards and recommendations)
- Now Hartnell to Cypress and then down Cypress - (painted white lines next to high speed traffic) This is not a network.
- All buffers will be paint at this time. It is not a true buffer. There is research to support the importance of stress free/safe roads to ride bikes.
- Idea is that we all need better all-inclusive stress-free bicycling roadways. There are model streets not necessarily model cities. Parking protected bike lane is on Victor in front of Enterprise Park, and this is the best example we have in our city now. Best city overall is San Francisco.

Shasta Living Streets is in the works of providing a Bike Warehouse. Services to improve bicyclist trail tourism. Start TBIF- Try biking its Friday! office hours from 7:30 am to 10:00 pm for people to park their bikes at the Warehouse. Plus, other services staffed by VOLUNTEERS WHICH ARE NEEDED. on 1313 CALIFORNIA STREET. Street Labs is a location and a project. Shasta Living Streets is an organization. There is a website (which is so-so) Facebook and Instagram are more useful. Events will be on the website. This is all in the beginning stages. There is an E-bike charging station. Parking for bikes all day. Webinars are available one is this Wednesday and possibly this Friday- is about the importance of and meaning of Low stress bikeways. There are a fleet of children bikes to help people to teach their children how to ride bikes. One day for now. Ideas are welcome too.

Here are three of the projects:



VICTOR AVENUE

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? Which People-Centered Elements are most important to YOU?

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Bicycle Facilities

Shade Canopy

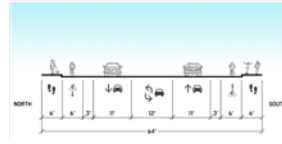
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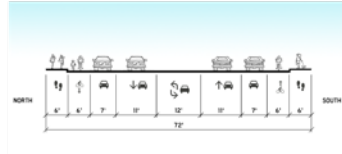
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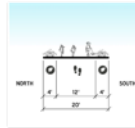
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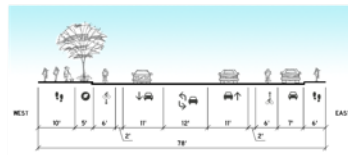
A Cypress Ave - Facing East (At cemetery)



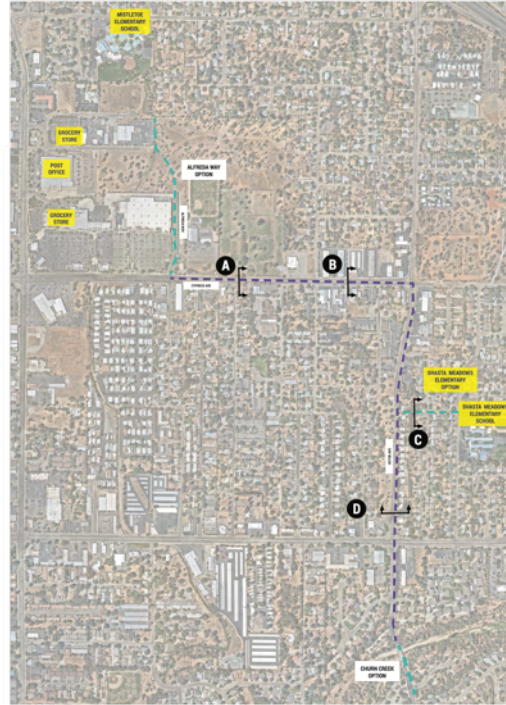
B E. Cypress Ave (at businesses) Facing East



C Alley to School - Facing East



D Victor Ave - Facing North



TURTLE BAY TO DOWNTOWN REDDING

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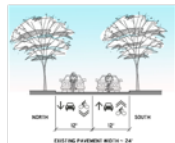
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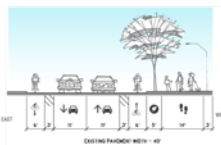
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A Cemetery - Facing East



B Sundial Bridge Dr - Facing Southwest



C SR-44 Overpass - Facing North



5. Old Business

- A. The Matrix stated that Randy is doing mileage, but Nolan Randall is doing the monthly miles
- B. Anniversary banquet and ride overview Patty and Linda- mugs for sale \$10.00.
Fit Kit here today to try on and find the right size for you. VERGESPORTS.com
find team store- team code is shasta20. Then set up an account for yourself and buy your gear. Sizes run small to if in doubt order up.
- C. Banquet - Doors open at 5 the meal is at 6 pm, May 8 at CVHS. The count is needed \$25.00 per person up until the May 4 meeting. Next day, May 9, is the ride. We will have a 50, 30 and 10 mile ride. All these are out of 1313 California street. Food trucks will be there.

There are still people needed to volunteer to help with the ride. MC is Randy.

- Need setup and takedown for banquet-CVHS Talon Hall is open at 4 PM.
- Decoration committee Mary Davis, Judy Adison, Norma Acevedo.
- Programs will be developed and then submitted to Don Talkington will set up and print for us.
- Slide show will play through with several years' worth of (shows)
- Need volunteers for the rest stop that is on Chaffee OHV rest stop the West side south of Shasta DAM before the uphill climb.
- Time rest stop is open (9am to 11am) 2 people to help at rest stop.
- One leader for each ride and one bicycle rider sag no car sag because most of the ride is on a trail.
- Rides are free this day- flyers and sponsor letters are available to hand out to non-Wheelmen.
- One volunteer is needed for insurance waiver & signatures-maybe sign up to become a Wheelmen.
- Need publicity committee to make sure clear information is sent out to the community.
- Need after ride-celebration set up people someone with a truck. Strong person to help move stuff.
- March 10 is the next meeting for the 50th committee planning. Linda Cannar's house at 3:30.
- Wheelman song - Judy will bring guitar.

5. Ride Calendar David reported. nothing to add, this month is done.

Next month-

- April there is a birthday ride to add.
- Suggestion made to add a Saturday ride to be the 50th-50 mile ride on Saturday and then the next Sunday add the 30 mile ride on a Sunday. Greg Winters has created Ride Sheets for all three rides.
- Bike month- meetings are at the Public Library in Redding.
- Swag is suggested as black socks with bike month printed on the side of them.
- Bigfoot mountain bike challenge is at the same time with black socks also.

APRIL

- April 13 -27 GET Acquainted rides are on the Second and Fourth Mondays starting at the bridge- will update regarding all the bridge replacement work and possible reroute to a different loop due to any blocks from construction at the time)
- April 18 Watershed festival - Need volunteers for bike parking and membership sign ups.
- April 24 (possible start at the Chain Gang ride bides to Kool April Nights parade. Park Bikes at a bank - Watch parade and then ride back to avoid traffic.)

- GET Acquainted rides May 11 and 25 - are on the Second and Fourth Mondays starting at the bridge- will update regarding all the bridge replacement work and possible reroute to a different loop due to any blocks from construction at the time)

MAY

- May 1 - Spring spin needs a sponsor. Caldwell park at the bike park. Wheelmen will receive a stipend for parking bikes at this event- (trying to be by the beer tent) need volunteers to help park - See sign-up sheet.
- May 6 - National bike to school day. If you would like to volunteer to ride with a group of students, contact Doug Holt.
- May 15 - Pancake breakfast parking at the Cornerstone bank parking lot just south of the event. - free food for the first 50 people. plus, a quarter page ad for bike challenge month in the Enjoy magazine.
- May 16 - Saturday There is a history ride starting at the Sundial ride (need more details) slow ride.
- May 17- Woody’s Family Fun Cycle Festival-ride starts at 12:30 will ride a Loop. We can park bikes there at Woody’s.
- May 20- Ride of silence - Sundial bridge starts at 7:00 pm.
- May 30- Tentative- E-bike demo at the food truck park. 6 to 8 pm. (still working with four breweries in town to have a beer hopper ride) Lighted ride with Angie at Chain Gang, tickets to vote for the best beer of the date.

JUNE

- June 4 - Bigfoot Mountain Bike celebration at Maxwell’s.
- June 5 -Shasta Bike Month Celebration at Chain Gang.

6. New Business

Most new business is regarding rides and volunteer requests

7. Raffle

- Bike Snob Abroad- Winner is John Crowe
- Starbucks \$10.00 gift card - Winner is Linda Cannar
- Magic number from Matrix- John Crowe- \$15.00 Starbucks card

If you show and provide the magic number 7 of 9 meetings can qualify for a Visa gift card valued at \$ 200.00 to be awarded at the December 2020 meeting. A gift card from Lulu’s was donated for the raffle

8. Adjournment at 7:12 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Alery Mollin, Secretary

Welcome New 2020 Shasta Wheelmen Members

Joined	Last	First	Phone	Email
02/03/20	Ferguson	Roy	530-357-2920	fergey@highstream.net
02/04/20	Robinson	Claudia	530-604-7213	Arcson19@gmail.com

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BANQUET

- Date May 8, 2020
- Hours of availability will be 4pm — 8pm. Celebration will be advertised as 5:30 — 8pm.
- Cost \$90.00 facility fee plus \$20.00/PP. Decision to make profit - club will charge \$25.00 in advance, \$30.00 at the door
- Tickets will be sold for cash or check only

BIKE RIDE

- Date May 9, 2020
- Start times 8am and possibly 9am for shorter rides
- Location: California Street Labs @ 1313 California Street.

ROUTE

- Greg established two 50-mile routes. It was decided to have both the 50- and 30-mile rides go to the Dam and then add another 20 for the long ride. Route details to be worked.
- A 10-mile ride route will be established on the river trail for the possibility of any people interested in such.

MESSAGE FROM THE LEAGUE OF AMERICAN BICYCLISTS

Stay Safe, Ride Smart



Dear Club Leader:

As always, thank you so much for supporting the League of American Bicyclists as a member bike club. With concerns and strategies over limiting the spread of COVID-19 circulating online, we wanted to take the opportunity to offer some resources for riding under current conditions. Here at the League, we're no strangers to taking dramatic measures to limiting the spread of the virus, having [cancelled the in-person 2020 National Bike Summit](#) this week, and replaced it with live, online content.

As of March 15, our partners in bicycling at [USA Cycling](#) have recommended races and other gatherings, such as group rides, be canceled or postponed and is suspending permits on all events through April 5. They also put together some [pointers on riding during this time](#).

It isn't in our authority to order clubs to cancel organized rides, although we do recommend rescheduling all events and gatherings.

Our friends at Bicycling Magazine put together a [great FAQ on riding amid COVID-19 concerns](#), along with an [update on ride etiquette](#). Of course, solo riding outside is perfectly safe and a good way to stay healthy, physically and mentally, while practicing social distancing. We hope you'll take this opportunity to get a breath of fresh air and enjoy your neighborhood streets.

If you have questions about our insurance program or the League's actions during this time, don't hesitate to reach out.

Be safe, stay well and pedal on,

Kevin Dekkinga
League of American Bicyclists
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FUTURE 2020 BIKE RIDES & OTHER EVENTS

Date	Ride Name/Description	Route URL
05/02/20	Siskiyou Scenic Bicycle Tour	www.siskiyouscenic.com
05/08/20	Shasta Wheelmen Banquet	Central Valley High School
05/09/20	Shasta Wheelmen 50 th Anniversary Ride	Stay Tuned for more info
05/15/20	Rodeo Week Pancake Breakfast	https://www.shastawheelmen.org
05/20/20	The Ride Of Silence / Redding, CA (3rd Wed in May) Start at South end of Sundial Bridge 10 mile	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/20540494
05/23/20	The Art of Survival Century at Tulelake	https://survivalcentury.com/
05/24/20	The Art of Survival Century at Tulelake	https://survivalcentury.com/
06/06/20	Tour of The Unknown Coast / Ferndale, CA	https://tuccycle.org
06/13/20	Gold Country Biccycle Challenge	www.rotarygoldcountrychallenge.com
06/20/20	Castle Crags Century / Mt. Shasta City Park	https://www.castlecragscentury.com
07/18/20	Fall River Century / Fall River Mills, CA	www.fallrivercentury.com
07/18/20	Up & Down: Ride the Cascade Siskiyou Scenic Bikeway. Ashland, OR.	www.upanddownashland.com
08/08/20	Cycle Greater Yellowstone	https://greateryellowstone.org/events/
08/15/20	Crater Lake Century	www.craterlakecentury.com
09/08/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner -56 miles to Gold Beach lunch at Port Hole	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/09/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner-21 miles to Loeb Park	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/10/20	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner- 72 miles to Crescent City lunch at Chart Room	R.S.V.P. Ron Prior 530-722-5101
09/12/20	Bike the Rogue / Gold Beach, Oregon	https://goldbeachrotary.com/bike-the-rogue/
09/26/20	Ride the Rogue / Rogue River, Oregon	https://ridetherogue.org/







LATE BREAKING NEWS – THESE EVENTS HAVE BEEN POSTPONED OR CANCELLED

04/06/20	6:00 PM	club meeting	CANCELLED
04/13/20	5:00 PM	Get Acquainted Ride	POSTPONED UNTIL MAY
04/18/20	see web	Bike Around the Buttes	POSTPONED
04/18/20	11:00 AM	Whole Earth Festival @ City Hall	POSTPONED
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Message from El Presidente

I hope this message finds everyone doing well during the pandemic. We will get through this and move on. All Wheelmen sanctioned events, meetings and rides are still on hold for this next month. We must wait to see what the Governor says before we can get back to the new normal. The June meeting could still be a problem. I will need to find out from Lulu's how they are going to be able to accommodate us with the possibility of continued social distancing.

Remember the national bike challenge is still on for May. So even though we must ride alone at least we can still ride. So, sign up for the Wheelmen team and let's give them hell!

This past month we lost a fellow Wheelmen, Ron Prior. Ron was a great member of the club. He stepped up when asked and was Treasure of the club for four and a half years after Gene Leaches passing. He was also the mileage leader for four years in a row. He started the Turkey Roll the annual Thanksgiving Day ride. He was leader of the San Francisco ride for several years. He also led the Harris Beach ride after Helen and Bill Hoogstad retired from the club. May his rides all be epic, and his roads be as smooth as glass.

Keep spinning those cranks!

Doug



Agenda

There will be no meeting on May the Monday May the 4th. Hence no agenda

Shasta Wheelmen General Meeting Minutes

April 6, 2020 Meeting Was Canceled no minutes

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR MARCH 2020

CHECKING	March 2020	Note	SAVINGS	March 2020
OPENING	\$5513.64		OPENING	\$5002.70
INCOME	\$240.00	1	INTEREST	\$0.07
	\$330.00	2		
	\$5.00	3		
EXPENSES	\$574.89	4	EXPENSES	0
	\$6.21	5		
CLOSING	\$5447.54		CLOSING	\$5002.77

1. membership
2. mug sales
3. donation
4. 50th Anniversary (mugs=433.70, stickers=108.59, jersey materials=15.00, stamps=16.70)
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Sporting our new colors while social distancing!

IN MEMORY OF RON PRIOR....

The Shasta Wheelmen lost one of our own on 3/25/20. Ron Prior, longtime member and friend to all of us, passed away.

Ron was a long-time member and was well loved in our cycling community. He served as treasurer from 2005-2009, and he led many out of area rides. Some that we remember, are the Winter to San Francisco 4 day ride, and the Harris Beach Annual Event. We shall miss him!

Darcey Prior, his daughter, shared her memories of her dad.

"As some of you have heard, we lost my father, Ron Prior suddenly early yesterday due to complications from large blood clots in his lungs. He had relatively no symptoms and this was very acute. This had absolutely nothing to do with covid19 or any corona virus. We were lucky and grateful to be able to be there with him when he went.

My father was one of the healthiest people I've ever known. Even at 77, he rode his road bike more than I ever have. He played the trombone in the Shasta community college band for over 30 years in addition to playing with other groups at nursing homes and at the mall for Christmas.

He ran for many years, many races all over and directed the Turkey Trot a few times when I was in high school. He enjoyed history, desserts, coffee with friends, and traveling around the United States with my mother (there traveled a few times in their camper across the US) and with us when we were kids.

During the difficult times we are already facing with the virus, it's only proved to be more challenging when the inevitability of life catches you off guard. Not being able to be with people during times of grief is so hard. As some of you know, I am living with mother now and that's allowed us both great comfort.

Great energies are shifting in all kinds of ways. Please be kind to one another and appreciate the people in your life. Tell them. Share love and compassion for all, no matter how different they maybe. After this virus dissipates, we will be able to have a proper gathering at the vets cemetery to honor my father. Until then, sharing loving, positive energy (prayers or whatever you may call it) is always appreciated and know that we are sending it back to you all as well. ❤️. Love you dad, happy adventures." Darcy Prior



OBITUARY FROM THE RECORD SEARCHLIGHT

Ronald Taylor Prior passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on March 25, 2020 in Redding, CA due to complications from a large blood clot in his lungs. Ron was born in Rock Rapids, Iowa, youngest of 2 brothers and one sister, to Ester and John Prior. He grew up in the greater Los Angeles area and was drafted into the Army at age 22. After being stationed in Germany, he returned and settled in the Northern California area. Ron met his wife of 50 years, Gena Prior in Redding and then moved to Sacramento where they attended college and he trained as a respiratory therapist. After graduating, they returned to Redding where Ron enjoyed a long career at Redding Medical Center (SRMC) and eventually retired in 2003 after 25 years of service.

Throughout his life, Ron was always very active. Early on he was an avid runner completing and placing in many marathons, a few fifties and hundred milers. He was an active member of the SWEAT Running Club, directed the Turkey Trot 11 years (with the aid of his wife and family), and assisted with countless other local races and track meets. When he was no longer able to run, Ron turned to cycling with the same vigor. He was a 17 year member of the Shasta Wheelmen and attended many group rides. Under the Wheelmen, he was awarded the most miles ridden in a year award multiple times into his 60s (over 5000 miles in a year!). On group rides, he was known for his friendly demeanor and making certain that no one was left behind.

No matter the sport, Ron incorporated his love of travel into all adventures, he loved taking the backroads. He enjoyed local and U.S. history and would make certain that many of the family road trips included stops to national parks, historic landmarks and routes, as well as forts and battlegrounds. Together with his wife, they traveled via the backroads in their camper across the U.S. four times.

In addition to loving travel and sport, Ron played the trombone for over 38 years in various groups including the Shasta Community College Band and other brass ensembles. He enjoyed playing at the mall at Christmas as well as going to nursing homes to brighten the days of the residents.

Ron was happiest on his bike, a trail or the backroads while traveling with his wife and dog and stories with his social coffee group regarding all of the above. He was a great part of the local community and will be greatly missed by many, especially his loving wife Gena, daughter Darcey, and son Ryan.

**A celebration of life will be held at the Veteran's Cemetery in Igo at a future date.
Published in Redding Record Searchlight from Apr. 16 to Apr. 21, 2020**

Current River Trail Closure (4/21/20)



May is Biked Month

Where WILL YOUR Bike TAKE You?

Sign Up and Win a Bike and Prizes for Simply Riding Your Bike!

- Join the Bike Challenge from May 1-31... get entered into a drawing each day you ride
- Prizes include a Trek Bike, One Night Stay at the Sheraton, Lake Shasta Caverns Passes, Headwaters Adventure Kayak Rentals, Turtle Bay Passes, Strider Balance Bike, Rare Air Trampoline Park Passes, Gift Cards, Bike Swag, and so much more!

Join Us for the Shasta Bike Month and Challenge Celebration Party June 5th

To...

- Fun
- Education
- Opportunity
- Adventure
- Health
- Saving \$
- Sustainability
- Family Time
- Friendship
- Fitness
- Stress Relief
- Happiness







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Message from El Presidente

Here it is June, the summer Solstice is just around the corner. The heat is going to be up, and with any luck COVID-19 will die off in our lovely Shasta County heat!

Speaking of COVID-19 we need to discuss opening the ride schedule again. If by June 1st we don't have any spikes in cases of COVID I say we open the ride schedule with the caveats 1) keep your social distance 2) don't ride if you're not feeling well or if someone in your domicile is not feeling well. This may be the new normal for a while and we are just going to have to figure out a work around. We are going to have a June meeting. We can hash out the particulars at the meeting. Where we are going to have the meeting is up in the air. As I write this LuLu's is opening back up. I need to find out what our meetings will look like there. We may meet at Lulu's or at the amphitheater near the Sundial bridge. I will put out a Google group message when I get things sorted out.

I hope everyone has been able to meet their goals for the Bike Challenge this Month. (1034)

Keep spinning those cranks!

Doug



Agenda for June 1st, 2020 Meeting

Time and Place to be Announced

- 1) Call to order
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Shasta Wheelmen General Meeting Minutes
 May 4, 2020 Meeting Was canceled no minutes

Treasurer's Report for April

CHECKING	April 2020		SAVINGS	April 2020
OPENING	\$5447.54		OPENING	\$5002.77
INCOME	\$90.00	*	INTEREST	\$0.04
EXPENSES	\$100.00	**	EXPENSES	0
	\$4.14	***		
CLOSING	\$5433.40		CLOSING	\$5002.81

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05/06/20	Elzner	Keith	530-355-4936	kelzner@icloud.com
05/08/20	Beamer	Kenneth	208-659-7818	krbeamer59@gmail.com

Membership Report

There 123 members as of 5/3/2020.







The work on the River Trail has finally been completed. If you haven't seen it yet, take a spin. You won't be disappointed! And go up the Middle Creek Trail for the red poppies. They are out in all their glory right now.

Don't forget to continue logging your miles for the Shasta Bike Month which ends May 31. The Challenge Celebration Party is June 5.

JUNE 2020 CALENDAR (Monthly Meeting June 1st, 6 pm, at the Ampitheater just west of Sundial Bridge Entrance)

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
06/02/20	7:30 AM	Ride #22 End of Iron Mountain Rd to gate CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136313
06/04/20	7:30 AM	Ride #01 City of Shasta Lake CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14139381
06/05/20	5:00 PM	Shasta Bike Month Celebration at Chain Gang Bikes	
06/06/20	7:30 AM	Wildcat/Dersch Start at Anderson Starbucks 45 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14253162
06/07/20	7:30 AM	Westwood/Milleville Plains Start at Westwood Village 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136348
06/08/20	6:00 PM	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
06/09/20	7:30 AM	Ride #02 Palo Cedro counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136290
06/11/20	7:30 AM	Ride #03 Anderson counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 39.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136291
06/13/20	7:30 AM	Veteran's Cemetery / West Redding Cottonwood Loop Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 44 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136337
06/14/20	7:30 AM	Turtle 52 Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 52 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/7954288
06/16/20	7:30 AM	Ride #04 Old Shasta counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 28.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136292
06/18/20	7:30 AM	Ride #05 Jones Valley Store CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136293
06/20/20	see link	Castle Crags Century / Mt. Shasta City Park ***** CANCELLED *****	https://www.castlecragscentury.com
06/20/20	7:30 AM	This and That – Start at Anderson Starbucks 36 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30403299
06/21/20	7:30 AM	Ten Bridge Ride Start at Westwood Village 47 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10374622
06/22/20	6:00 PM	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
06/23/20	7:30 AM	Ride #06 Millville Plains CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136294
06/25/20	7:30 AM	Ride #07 Igo/Ono CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 41.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136295
06/27/20	7:30 AM	Swasey/Shasta Dam/Old Oregon Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30577741
06/28/20	7:30 AM	Shasta Dam via River/Rail Trail 36 mi Start at Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31691809
06/30/20	7:30 AM	Ride #08 Bridge Bay CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136296

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Message from El Presidente

Here it is July already! How time flies when you're sequestered at home for three months! Sequestering reminds me of social distancing. That is what we will be doing at the next meeting down by "old man river". We will meet at the same place we had the June meeting. Just west of the driveway to the Sundial Bridge by the cement stage – Sundial Bridge Amphitheater.

I would like to send out a big congratulations to all my fellow Wheelmen that participated in the bike challenge in May. We were the number one team in the large team category. Strong work one and all on this achievement #22120. I also want to give a big shout-out to our illustrious team captain Mr. Gary Nelson. He was the number one rider in the challenge. Great job Gary! And thanks for being the club team captain.

Remember you need to read the whole Matrix and find the magic number I have placed in my riveting rant. I will still be having a drawing for all those who can tell me the number for the month. The drawing will be for a \$15 gift card. Then all the people who told me the number for 5 of the seven meetings (March, June, July, August, September, October and November) will be placed in a drawing for a \$200 gift card at the December meeting. So, everyone still has a shot, but you must be at every meeting and give me the number. So good luck.

Keep spinning those cranks!

Doug



Agenda for July 6th, 2020 Meeting at the Sundial Bridge Amphitheater

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
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**Shasta Wheelmen General Membership Minutes
June 1, 2020
Redding Sundial Amphitheatre**

1. **Call to Order** by Doug Holt at 6:01
2. Quorum is 6 and there were 25 present.
3. **Approval of the minutes** of the March 2, 2019 General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix Jim Bush made the motion and Greg Winters seconded the motion, minutes were approved.

4. Standing Reports

- A. Treasurer's Report by John Simmons. Storage on Collyer's is due this month if the club pays for 11 months they get the 12th month free.

Treasurer's Report for May

CHECKING	May 2020		SAVINGS	May 2020
OPENING	\$5433.40		OPENING	\$5002.81
INCOME	\$600.00	*	INTEREST	\$0.04
EXPENSES	\$40.20	**	EXPENSES	0
CLOSING	\$5993.20		CLOSING	\$5002.85

* Membership

** Stripe fees

- B. **Membership Report** by Alery Mollin as forwarded by Don Talkington. Total membership as of June 1, 2020 is 123 members.

C. **Board Meeting Report by** Due to COVID 19 we were unable to have a Board Meeting Doug

4. Old Business

- A. 50th celebration suggested to be moved to October 9 and 10. Ride and banquet many people to be recognized and much to celebrate. It is better to place on a calendar than to wait and not be able to schedule. Discussion regarding the possible second wave of Covid-19 and better the beginning of October for celebration.

5. **Ride Calendar** –David Walker is the assigned scheduler.

6. New Business

- A. Open ride schedule by making official that rides are sanctioned by the club.
- B. Continue to publicly document the need to be safe with social distancing and mouth covering. Suggestion to order 200 neck gaiters. Tubes made of continuous material with the design to match up with the 50th anniversary jersey. Custom printed about \$4.00 each - Sell for \$5.00 each. 4-6 weeks for shipping.
- C. Monday night, getting acquainted ride starts next Monday 8th at 6 pm. We will meet at the south end of the sundial bridge and ride to the Keswick dam. This ride is the second and last Monday of every month.

D. Next months' meeting discussed regarding LULU's- Doug will ask if we can reserve the meeting room in the fall. There were suggestions to hold the next meetings outside in the amphitheater. There is concern about it being too hot. There is concern about losing the position of the first Monday of the month at LULU's. Also discussion as to all the locations meetings have been over the past many years. Suggestion to provide virtual meetings for the members to watch from home.

E. Want to do something for Ron Prior. We lost him in March. We need to pay him respect and what can we do for him? Looking to have a bench installed maybe at Veteran memorial or maybe somewhere else. Waiting to find out if a bench be installed? Floated the idea of having a memorial ride and pot luck at Ann Wright house. Gary and Patty can help with that ride. Ann suggested having it at her home in the end of July. We can get a card and a check -maybe donate or have the club write a check. Waiting for more information. Fall River ride is July 18th. Give an honorary lifetime past membership recognition. Ron was a very considerate, active Wheelman member for his life. More thought needs to go into what to do a memorial membership. His name is on the trophy. To be discussed at next month's meeting. Gena wants there to be a ride at Harris Beach as a memorial ride.

F. Cups for sale \$10.00 each, Stickers there for everyone to take one or two.

G. We need to make sure we post the winning team and all wheelmen involvement from the Ride month. Gary Nelson deserves congratulations for 2,600 miles.

7. **Raffle** - 2 people remembered the number-

- Socks to Phil Addison
- John Crowe wins #3 book of Bike snob.
- Linda Cannar wins \$15.00 coffee card.

8. **Adjournment** at 6:51 pm.



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05/06/20	Elzner	Dana	530-355-1337	rekede04@yahoo.com
05/06/20	Elzner	Keith	530-355-4936	kelzner@icloud.com
05/08/20	Beamer	Kenneth	208-659-7818	krbeamer59@gmail.com

Shasta Bike Month & Challenge Results



Top Work Place

Cal Fire's wheels were burning this year with heavy miles making them the Shasta Bike Challenge champions for large workplaces for the third year in a row. City of Redding pedaled in behind Cal Fire and kept a good distance

from Caltrans and Shasta County HHS which were neck in neck during most of the challenge. The Central Valley Water Board came through again and took 1st place for medium workplaces but had Nichols, Melburg, & Rossetto tailgating them from the start. For our small workplaces, Lawrence & Associates took 1st again in with Remedy Engineering and Division of Drinking Water following close behind.

Top Teams

With no surprise, the Shasta Wheelmen had 22,120 miles (the most of any team in the challenge), sending them right to the top with 1st place for large teams. They averaged 351 miles per participant with 63 members on their team. Chained Ganged Together for Small Businesses was not too far behind with their 70 riders taking in 2nd place followed by Shasta Uncorked for 3rd. Don't Stop Pedaling cycled off with 1st place for medium sized teams, followed by the elevation hungry Redding Composite/Shasta High School Mountain Bike team. Shasta HS Alpine rose to the top for small teams.

Top Schools

For schools, Foothill High School snuck in and took a 1st place victory from our reigning champs, Grant School. 5 schools participated this year.

Top Individual Riders

With so many riders and so many individual accomplishments, it is hard to acknowledge the pedal effort of each participant but we want to shout out a couple of amazing riders. Gary Nelson, an avid cyclist knocked out a blazing 2,682 miles during the local challenge. Dan Sendek, Gary Meurer, Bruce Boughn, Mel Kwong, Peter Alexander, Joe Fernandes, John Deaton, ShastaPT Wanda, ShastaPT Marisa, Al Shabazian, and AK were also a force to be reckoned with by flexing out over 1,000 miles during the challenge. Kareem Speake was the top commuter with 22 days of cycling for transportation. Peter Alexander, our biggest bike month advocate, was one of our top riders with 130 trips throughout bike month. And lastly, our top female rider with 1,078 miles, ShastaPT Wanda, a passionate cyclist who can be seen every year on the leaderboard. We also do not want to forget our top encourager, Paige Cibart for encouraging 7 cyclists during the bike challenge. We also had 69 riders who rode all 31 days of bike month. You know who you are and you deserve a round of applause for your cycling commitment.

We want to thank all the participants for joining us in this year's challenge. And a huge thank you to all the team captains who put together teams and encouraged individuals to bike more. We also want to give a tremendous thank you and credit to all our sponsors for making the challenge possible and even more exciting with prizes. The Shasta Bike Challenge and Month would not be possible without the full effort of our community, partners, volunteers, and friends working together to provide one of the biggest and most successful cycling efforts in the Nation during Bike Month. Our momentum was carried and seen across the Nation.

Due to COVID-19, we were unable to host our annual bike events. These events allow fellow riders to join together and share their passion of riding in our beautiful community. Though we have been physically distant from one another, our statistics show we have socially not grown apart. As a community, we hit the streets and trails to throw down some very impressive numbers. We would like to thank you for riding amid these unprecedented times

For Individual Results:

<https://healthyshasta.org/wp-content/uploads/Unorganized/Shasta-Bike-Challenge-Results-2020.pdf>

Thanks to those who rode participated in the June 14 **Alzheimer's Ride**. If you didn't receive swag, please contact John Crowe.



First **Monday Night Ride of 2020** was a success, thanks to Jim Bush. And thanks also to other members who rode June 8 with the Get Acquainted Ride.









JULY 2020 CALENDAR – Color key Tan=weekend rides, Blue=weekday rides, Green=club meeting

If the hyperlink route URL does not work for you, please reference the hyperlink calendar online

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
07/02/20	7:00 AM	Ride #09 Old Shasta CW -Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136297
07/04/20	7:00 AM	Westwood Zogg Start at Westwood Village 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136349
07/05/20	7:00 AM	Ponderosa / Inwood Start at Anderson Starbucks 60 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136345
07/06/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting (Sundial Bridge Amphitheater – cement stage just west of park entrance)	-
07/07/20	7:00 AM	Ride #10 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CW. - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136298
07/09/20	7:00 AM	Ride #11 End of Iron Mountain Rd counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.7 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136299
07/11/20	7:00 AM	Veteran's Cemetery / West Redding Cottonwood Loop Start at Anderson Starbucks 42 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11043109
07/12/20	7:00 AM	Palo Cedro/Cottonwood/Happy Valley Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 62 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/15809062
07/13/20	5:00 PM	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
07/14/20	7:00 AM	Ride #12 City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136301
07/16/20	7:00 AM	Ride #13 Palo Cedro CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.2 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136302
07/18/20	7:00 AM	Sunny Hill. Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136353
07/18/20	see web	Fall River Century / Fall River Mills, CA	www.fallrivercentury.com
07/19/20	7:00 AM	Palo Cedro North/West/South Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10692956
07/21/20	7:00 AM	Ride #14 Anderson CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 37.9 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136303
07/23/20	7:00 AM	Ride #15 Old Shasta CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 29.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136304
07/25/20	7:00 AM	Shasta Dam Loop Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19741516
07/26/20	7:00 AM	Out to the Bear Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/8104953
07/27/20	5:00 PM	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
07/28/20	7:00 AM	Ride #16 Jones Valley CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136305
07/30/20	7:00 AM	Ride #17 Millville CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 36.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136307

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Message from El Presidente

Here it is almost August, we're in the "Dog days of summer". With any luck we will not overheat too bad. You just never know.

While I am on the subject of heat, we need to revisit the "Heat Rule" (#118). The 2019 Board of Directors made the decision, "if the temperature is going to be greater than 100 degrees on a ride day as per the National Weather Service (Weather.gov) the ride would start one half hour earlier.

This rule applies to all months except July and August when the start time is already 7:00 AM. The only problem is we cannot find this in any of the Board meeting or General meeting minutes. So, we will have a vote at our next meeting and make this sound rule the law of the land.

Its time turn the spotlight on another Life Member. This month I have my sights on Jack Yerkes. Jack has one hell of a pedigree with this club. He was Vice President for seven years. He was the chairman of the Shasta Jamboree for numerous years. Anybody at the state, county and city level that has anything to do with cycling issues knows Jack. Jack has been the club's representative at about every meeting with all these entities. Jack has done more bike parking at events than I can shake my frame pump at. So, the next time you see Jack thank him for all he has done and continues to do for the Shasta Wheelmen. Thanks "Uncle" Jack. I deeply appreciate all you have done and do. And thank you "Aunt" Glenda for supporting Jack in all his endeavors for the club. You are the best!

Keep spinning those cranks! Doug



Agenda for August 3rd, 2020 Meeting at the Sundial Bridge Amphitheater

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasurer's Report
 - Membership Report
- 6) Ride Calendar
- 7) Old Business
 - Heat Rule
 - Ron's Memorial
- 8) New business
 - Future Meetings
 - The well is dry (Please bring things to discuss)
- 9) Raffle
- 10) Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Membership Minutes
July 6, 2020 – Sundial Amphitheater

1. Call to Order by Doug Holt at 6:02 pm
2. Quorum yes confirmed by Don Talkington members present 16 members one guest.
3. Approval of the minutes of the June 1, 2020 General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix - Don Talkington makes the motion and Greg Winters seconds, all approved. Change the days for the getting acquainted ride to the second and fourth Monday of the month.
4. Standing Reports
 - A. Treasurer’s Report by John Simmons. The renewal check to the League of American bicyclists was mailed out on April 23, 2020 and forwarded and possibly lost. There is no penalty for being late. Moved to pay the \$ 100.00 renewal via debit card and ask them to destroy the check when they get it.

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OPENING	\$5993.20		OPENING	\$5002.85
INCOME	\$30.00	*	INTEREST	\$2.04
EXPENSES	\$984.00 \$2.07	** ***	EXPENSES	0
CLOSING	\$5077.13		CLOSING	\$5004.89

- membership
- ** Storage Unit paid annually
- *** Stripe fees

B. Membership Report by Don Talkington 121 members.

4. Old Business:
 - A. Ron Prior memorial funds- the cost of the bench-engraving-delivery plus - is approximately \$1,300.00- Donation checks can be made out to Shasta Wheelmen in memorial to Ron Prior in the memo. The club will then write one check donation to Gena Prior by August 7 which is the day of the memorial. Motion by Doug Holt - Second by John Simmons -Approved.
*Ride at Harris Beach - Jack Yerkes and Gena Prior will host this ride.

Ann Wright wants to host a ride for those who are not going to Harris beach for the 3-5 day ride. Suggesting the club provide sandwiches and leave at 7:30 am August 1, 2020. This is a Saturday and Ann is looking to see if there is interest in the ride. (hot). Most in attendance felt that the Harris Beach and bench donation were all we could do at this time.

- B. The 50th anniversary is still on hold - Ride thoughts - October 9 for the ride.
- C. The Covid pandemic is putting several events on hold.
- D. Meeting at LULU’s will resume in September (Labor day?). The August meeting will be at the park to the West of the entrance of Turtle bay.

5. Ride Calendar by Don Talkington
(David Walker recused himself for June and July and August- he should be picking up the responsibility forward) July 11. Mcloud- Pilgrim Creek road ride. Harris Springs possible 5% grade. This ride is about 30-40 miles. Temperature about 75 degrees.

6. New Business

- A. Jim Bush and Don Talkington designed business cards to hand out to people inquiring about the club. The cards have a line to write in your name and number as a referral. It also has the club website and email address. He handed out a few to each person present. If you want a few to hand out, Contact Jim Bush.
- B. Gators are in and available for \$5.00. Alery Mollin has them and will make them available to you.
- C. Cloud storage Dropbox plus annual renewal \$9.99 provides 2TB (Terra bytes) of storage under the Shasta Wheelmen name Account available to leadership. All documentation stored in this account. Motion by Don Talkington, Lisa Creps motioned to move to vote. John Crowe seconded the motion. All in favor- Approved.
- D. Email to be monitored by Don Talkington. info@shastawheelmen.org. Petition to have the leadership/Board members/officer, add the account to monitor to be available to answer questions that people have about the club.
- E. Shasta Wheelmen -we need the following people to be trained as alternates
 - * Web Manager Alternate
 - * Membership Chairman Alternate.
- F. Make some announcement regarding excessive heat and times when 7:30 am is the scheduled start time and some notification to all members that we will leave at 7:00 am. This occurs normally in the last few weeks of June and possibly in September. Maybe refer people to check the Facebook page.

7. Raffle: Socks John Hauder and James Bush

Number was the number of miles the club rode in the challenge. The winner is Lisa Creps gift card.

8. Adjournment at 6:51pm



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Ron Prior's Funeral

Will be held on Friday August the seventh 2020 at 1230 PM (Sharp!)

In the chapel at the Northern California Veterans Cemetery 11800 Gas Point Road Igo

There will be a get together following at the Davis House (Mary and Ed's)

Thw McCloud Ride was a hit




Several members participated in the Fall River Century



AUGUST RIDE CALENDAR - Color key Tan=weekend rides, Blue=weekday rides, Green=club meeting

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
08/01/20	7:00 AM	Olinda Happy Valley Cottonwood Balls ferry Start at Anderson Starbucks 34 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/13817171
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08/04/20	7:00 AM	Ride #18 Igo/Ono CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 40.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136308
08/06/20	7:00 AM	Ride #19 Bridge Bay CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.0 Miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136309
08/07/20	12:30 PM	Ron Prior's Funeral at the Veterans Cemetery Chapel 11800 Gas Point Rd, Igo, CA 96047	
08/08/20	7:00 AM	Millville Plains Dersch Hwy44 Black Butte Wildcat Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11424879
08/09/20	7:00 AM	Jim Bush Birthday Ride, start at his house 19321 Bonne Fin Rd, Cottonwood and meet for snacks afterward 36 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/33469701
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08/11/20	7:00 AM	Ride #20 Old Shasta CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136310
08/13/20	7:00 AM	Ride #21 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136311
08/15/20	7:00 AM	Jelly's Ferry Start at Anderson Starbucks 43 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136325
08/16/20	7:00 AM	Jamboree Cool Down Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 33 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10457267
08/18/20	7:00 AM	Ride #22 End of Iron Mountain Rd to gate CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136313
08/20/20	7:00 AM	Ride #01 City of Shasta Lake CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14139381
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08/23/20	7:00 AM	Hooker, Jellys Ferry Start at Anderson Starbucks 42 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11752985
08/24/20	6:00 PM	Get Acquainted Ride - Meet at South End of Sundial Bridge	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30853918
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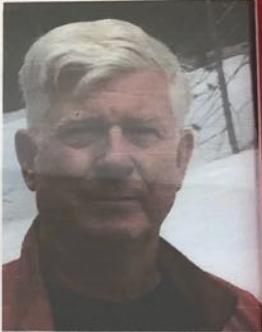

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End of ride	56.3 mi

Day 2 Harris Beach OR to Loeb Pk.

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Cuesheet







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Turn right to stay on Railroad St	2.5 mi
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Turnaround at Loeb Park	10.6 mi
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Keep left to stay on Chetco Ave	20.5 mi
Turn left onto Old US Hwy 101	20.7 mi
Slight right to stay on Old US Hwy 101	21.1 mi
Turn right	21.1 mi

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Cuesheet

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Sharp right onto Oceanview Dr	4.0mi
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Turn right onto Hwy 101 S/US-101 S/Oregon Coast Hwy	7.5mi
Slight right to stay on Hwy 101 S/US-101 S/Oregon Coast Hwy	8.1mi
Turn left onto Co Road D5/Ocean View Dr	9.0mi
Continue onto Sarina Rd N	14.6mi
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	\$8.28	***		
	\$10.73	****		
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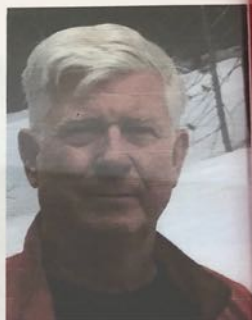


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Thursday 9/10/2020

Cuesheet

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Turn right onto Mill Beach Rd	1.7 mi
Turn left onto Railroad St	1.7 mi
Turn right to stay on Railroad St	2.5 mi
Turn left onto Alder St	2.6 mi
Turn right onto Chetco Ave	2.7 mi
Turn left onto N Bank Chetco River Rd	2.9 mi
Turn right	10.5 mi
Turnaround at Loeb Park	10.6 mi
Turn left onto N Bank Chetco River Rd	10.6 mi
Turn right onto Chetco Ave	18.2 mi
Turn left onto Alder St	18.4 mi
Turn right onto Railroad St	18.5 mi
Turn left to stay on Railroad St	18.6 mi
Turn right onto Mill Beach Rd	19.4 mi
Turn left onto Fifield St	19.5 mi
Turn right onto Arnold Ln	19.7 mi
Turn left onto Chetco Ave	19.9 mi
Keep left to stay on Chetco Ave	20.5 mi
Turn left onto Old US Hwy 101	20.7 mi
Slight right to stay on Old US Hwy 101	21.1 mi
Turn right	21.1 mi

Ride day #3 from Harris Beach CG Ore to Crescent City, CA
9/11/2020

Cuesheet

Turn right onto Chetco Ave	0.0 mi
Turn right onto Arnold Ln	0.8mi
Turn left onto Fifield St	1.0mi
Turn right onto Mill Beach Rd	1.2mi
Turn left onto Railroad St	1.3mi
Turn right to stay on Railroad St	2.1mi
Turn left onto Alder St	2.2mi
Turn right onto Chetco Ave	2.3mi
Slight right onto Hwy 101 S/US-101 S/Chetco Ave/Oregon Coast Hwy	2.6mi
Turn right onto Lower Harbor Rd	2.9mi
Sharp right onto Oceanview Dr	4.0mi
Turn right to stay on Oceanview Dr	4.2mi
Turn right onto Hwy 101 S/US-101 S/Oregon Coast Hwy	7.5mi
Slight right to stay on Hwy 101 S/US-101 S/Oregon Coast Hwy	8.1mi
Turn left onto Co Road D5/Ocean View Dr	9.0mi
Continue onto Sarina Rd N	14.6mi
Turn left onto 1st St	15.1mi
Turn left onto Co Route D4/N Fred Haight Dr	16.1 mi
Turn right onto Hwy 101 S/US-101 S	19.7 mi
Turn right onto Co Route D3/Lake Earl Dr	20.2 mi
Turn right onto Co Road D1/E Washington Blvd	28.8 mi
Turn left onto N Pebble Beach Dr	30.8 mi
Slight right onto Taylor St	33.1 mi
Continue onto W 5th St	33.2 mi
Turn right onto B St	33.3 mi
Turn left onto Front St	33.6 mi
Turn right at K St	34.1 mi
Turn left toward Sunset Cir	34.3 mi
Turn right onto Sunset Cir	34.3 mi
Turn right onto US-101 S	34.6 mi
Turn right onto Anchor Way	35.1 mi

SEPTEMBER 2020 CALENDAR – Color key Tan=weekend rides, Blue=weekday rides, Green=club meeting



If the hyperlink route URL does not work for you, please reference the hyperlink calendar online

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Date	Time	Description	Route URL
09/03/20	8:00 AM	Ride #04 Old Shasta counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 28.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136292
09/05/20	8:00 AM	Clover Creek Preserve Deschutes, Old Alturas. Old Oregon, Shasta View Start at Clover Creek Preserve 31 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261933
09/06/20	8:00 AM	Clover Creek Preserve, Boyle, Millville, plains, Balls Ferry, Panorama 45 miles Start at Clover Creek Preserve	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261892
09/07/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting Sundial Bridge Amphitheater (50 yards to the left of Park Entrance)	
09/08/20	8:00 AM	Ride #05 Jones Valley Store CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136293
09/09/20	8:00 AM	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner -56 miles to Gold Beach lunch at Port Hole	Jack Yerkes 530-515-2357 Gena Prior 530-722-5101
09/10/20	8:00 AM	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner-21 miles to Loeb Park	Jack Yerkes 530-515-2357 Gena Prior 530-722-5101
09/11/20	8:00 AM	Ride #06 Millville Plains CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136294
09/11/20	8:00 AM	Harris Beach, OR 3 Day Campout / Harris Beach, OR Potluck Dinner- 72 miles to Crescent City lunch at Chart Room	Jack Yerkes 530-515-2357 Gena Prior 530-722-5101
09/12/20	8:00 AM	Coleman Fish Hatchery Jelly's Ferry Start at Anderson Starbucks 42 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136350
09/12/20	See Web	Bike The Rogue / Gold Beach, Oregon	https://goldbeachrotary.com/bike-the-rogue/
09/13/20	8:00 AM	Cottonwood Dersch Millville Plains Old 44 Start at Westwood Market 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11469006
09/15/20	8:00 AM	Ride #07 Igo/Ono CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 41.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136295
09/17/20	8:00 AM	Ride #08 Bridge Bay CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136296
09/19/20	8:00 AM	Cottonwood/Fish Hatchery/Palo Cedro Start at Anderson Starbucks 45 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/13588065
09/20/20	8:00 AM	Dersch Wildcat & Black Butte Loop Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/18014197
09/22/20	8:00 AM	Ride #09 Old Shasta CW -Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136297

09/24/20	8:00 AM	Ride #10 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CW. - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136298
09/26/20	8:00 AM	North/West/South of Palo Cedro Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 38 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10692956
09/26/20	See Web	Ride the Rogue / Rogue River, Oregon	https://ridetherogue.org/
09/27/20	8:00 AM	Middle Creek Loop Start at Sundial bridge ParkingLlot 28 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19736728
09/29/20	8:00 AM	Ride #11 End of Iron Mountain Rd counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.7 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136299

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Message from El Presidente

October, fall is upon us. Let's hope for comfortable days and cool nights and clean air.

This month we are heading back indoors for our meetings. Our October the 5th meeting will be held at LuLu's starting at 6:00 PM. For those of you who don't want to attend the indoor meeting we will simulcast it on Zoom or some platform in that genera. Alery will be setting that up and will get a link out prior to the meeting.

Now last but not least our final lifetime member. The rose among the thorns Mary Davis. Mary has been a huge part of the club. Mary was the newsletter editor for many a year. She was also the go to person for registration for the old Jamboree. She headed that job up for as long as I can remember. (216) She was also the one to coordinate everyone putting all the swag bags together for the ride. Mary is also the one that keeps it "Real" for the club with her commonsense approach to life. Thank you, Mary, for all you have done and continue to do for the club.

Keep spinning those cranks!
Doug



Agenda for October the 5th meeting at Lulu's 6:00

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasurer Report
 - Membership Report
- 6) Old Business
- 7) New business
- 8) Raffle
- 9) Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Membership Minutes
September 7, 2020
Sundial Bridge Amphitheater (west of entrance to Sundial Bridge)

1. Call to Order by Doug Holt 6:00pm
2. Quorum yes 11 present.
3. Approval of the minutes of the August 2020 Previous month General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix-Patty Shackleton moves for approval. John Simmons seconded.

4. Standing Reports

A. Treasurer's Report by John Simmons. We need to sell 7 more mugs to break even. We need to sell 111 more GATOR/bandanas. Alery now has all the vinyl stickers, mugs and bandana/gators for sale.

CHECKING	Aug 2020		SAVINGS	Aug 2020
OPENING	\$5078.12		OPENING	\$5004.93
INCOME	\$150.00	*	INTEREST	\$.04
	\$1150.00	**		
	\$225.00	***		
EXPENSES	\$1200.00	**	EXPENSES	0
	\$780.00	****		
	\$10.35	*****		
CLOSING	\$4612.77		CLOSING	\$5004.97

- * membership
- ** Contributions for Ron Prior Memorial bench
- *** Bandana sales
- **** Bandana expense
- ***** Stripe fees

B. Membership Report by Alery stated 115 per Don Talkington.

C. Board Meeting Report nil

5. Old Business

A. Meeting at LULU's next month for the membership meeting. We will send out an invitation for a Zoom or Google meet to attend via a distance platform. The decision to meet will be directed by Federal/State guidelines for gathering in public.

6. Ride Calendar Time for Monday getting acquainted meetings is changing to 5 p.m.

7. New Business

A. State Bill 288 please get hold of your local assemblyman or state senator. (Dahle)
This is a way to allow easier built bike lanes. Similar bill "Complete Streets" created full movement and flow of all traffic.

B. Remember to be safe on the road.

8. Raffle First winner Pam Crowe chose a coffee card. Joe Fernandes winner of coffee card.
Number winner gets Woody's gift card John Hauder. The number was the amount raised for Priors.

9. Adjournment at 6: 28 p m.



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02/04/20	Robinson	Claudia	11343 Tanstaaf Ln.	Redding	CA	530-604-7213	arcson19@gmail.com
05/06/20	Elzner	Dana	18116 Vista Pine Ln.	Redding	CA	530-355-1337	rekede04@yahoo.com
05/06/20	Elzner	Keith	18116 Vista Pine Ln.	Redding	CA	530-355-4936	kelzner@icloud.com
05/08/20	Beamer	Kenneth	12125 Lake Blvd, Space 51	Redding	CA	208-659-7818	krbeamer59@gmail.com
05/29/20	Johnson	Larry	865 Hallmark Dr.	Redding	CA	530-935-4468	calbear72@sbcglobal.net
06/22/20	Stewart	Erik	21372 Old 44 Dr.	Redding	CA	510-504-5060	erik_stewart@hotmail.com
08/12/20	Chelonis	John	6615 Mullen Parkway	Redding	CA	530-917-0179	judgevero@gmail.com

Erik's New Bike









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Date	Time	Description	Route URL
10/01/20	8:30 AM	Ride #12 City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136301
10/03/20	8:30 AM	Clover Creek Preserve Deschutes, Old Alturas. Old Oregon, Shasta View Start at Clover Creek Preserve 31 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261933
10/04/20	8:30 AM	Clover Creek Preserve, Boyle, Millville, plains, Balls Ferry, Panorama 45 miles Start at Clover Creek Preserve	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261892
10/05/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting at Lulu's AND also by Zoom	
10/06/20	8:30 AM	Ride #13 Palo Cedro CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.2 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136302
10/08/20	8:30 AM	Ride #14 Anderson CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 37.9 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136303
10/10/20	8:30 AM	Ash Creek Dersch starting in Palo Cedro Park n Ride for 40.3 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31604861
10/11/20	8:30 AM	Ash Creek to Wildcat Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/19137252
10/13/20	8:30 AM	Ride #15 Old Shasta CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 29.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136304
10/15/20	8:30 AM	Ride #16 Jones Valley CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136305
10/17/20	8:30 AM	Basler/Benson/Lonetree Start at Anderson Starbucks 40 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10692743
10/18/20	8:30 AM	Boyle, Old Oregon, Pine Grove, Dam, Trail starting in Palo Cedro Park n Ride for 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261849
10/20/20	8:30 AM	Ride #17 Millville CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 36.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136307
10/22/20	8:30 AM	Ride #18 Igo/Ono CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 40.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136308
10/24/20	8:30 AM	Coleman Fish Hatchery Start at Westwood Village 44 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136335
10/25/20	8:30 AM	Dersch, Ash Creek, Balls Ferry, Churn Creek Start at Clover Creek for 51.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31604908
10/27/20	8:30 AM	Ride #19 Bridge Bay CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.0 Miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136309
10/29/20	8:30 AM	Ride #20 Old Shasta CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136310
10/31/20	8:30 AM	Palo Cedro / Victor clockwise Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 34 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11753400

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Message from El Presidente

Happy November, the end of this miserable year is around the corner and a brand-new year is on the way. Let's hope it is better than the one we are in now. Speaking of this year it's almost time for an election of club officers. Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, at the next meeting I would like the club to grant the Board of Directors some leeway on how this year's election is conducted. I have already bent the rules a bit and have had a nominating committee draw up a slate of officers. Thank you, Patty, Linda, and Mary. I will post the slate of officers in next month's newsletter. Below is the Club's Bylaw for the election of officers.

Section 4.03 - Election and Term of Office. At the November meeting of the members, a nominating committee shall be appointed by the President. No officer who is standing for re-election shall serve on the committee. It shall be the duty of the committee to propose a slate of Officers for the following calendar year. The slate shall be published in the December newsletter and a ballot presented at the December meeting of members. At that time nominations will be accepted from the floor and Officers shall be elected individually to the positions listed in Section 4.01. Each Officer shall serve for a term of one (1) year, commencing January 1st. Incumbent Officers shall hold office through December 31st.

So put some thought into how we can or should run this year's election, 53 and I will put my idea forth at the meeting.

I would like to thank Greg Winters for stepping up and taking over the ride schedule. Thanks Greg you saved my day. Keep spinning those cranks!

Doug



Agenda for 11/2/2020 6:00 PM Meeting at Lulu's Eating and Drinking Establishment / and Online

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasures' Report
 - Membership Report
- 6) Ride Calendar
- 7) Old Business
- 8) New business

How are we going to run this year's election of the Board?

- 9) Raffle

Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Membership Minutes

October 5, 2020

Meeting at LULU's restaurant and Google Meet

1. Call to Order by Doug Holt 6:00pm
2. Quorum yes 13 present (including online participants).
3. Approval of the minutes of the September 2020 Previous month General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix-Jack Yerkes moves for approval. Don Talkington and Lisa Creos seconded.

4. Standing Reports

- Treasurer's Report by John Simmons.

CHECKING	Sept2020		SAVINGS	Sept 2020
OPENING	\$4612.77		OPENING	\$5004.97
INCOME	\$60.00	*	INTEREST	\$.04
EXPENSES	\$144.00	**	EXPENSES	0
	\$72.00	***		
	\$4.14	****		
CLOSING	\$4452.63		CLOSING	\$5005.01

*membership

**Squarespace Annual fee

***Squarespace G Suite

****Stripe fees

- Membership Report 115 per Don Talkington.
 - Board Meeting Report nil
4. Old Business
 - A. Please remember that the 50th anniversary kits are still available in the VERGESPORTS.COM team store.
PASSCODE IS **shasta20** and will be closing December 31, 2020.

5. Ride Calendar -We need a volunteer to be the next ride coordinator.

6. New Business

- Donate to Cal-Bike. The fire and smoke in the air are not healthy at this time. \$50.00 will be donated from the club if the ride is moved to a suitable time to ride with more healthy riding conditions..
- A year ago California Specialized license plates were made available and this is year 2. The state is looking for about 7,500 people to order it from the DMV.
- Doug mentioned the need for the nominating committee to be formed for the 2021 Officers.
- Don Talkington brought up the question of the 50th Anniversary Ride and the need for a Ride Coordinator. Doug responded that he will work on both topics

7. Raffle First winner John Crowe \$15.00 coffee card. Alery Mollin winner of coffee card.

Number winner is Lisa Creps gift card . The number was the days since the last meeting at LuLu's.

8. Adjournment at 6:21 pm.

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05/06/20	Elzner	Keith	18116 Vista Pine Ln.	Redding	CA	530-355-4936	kelzner@icloud.com
05/08/20	Beamer	Kenneth	12125 Lake Blvd, Space 51	Redding	CA	208-659-7818	krbeamer59@gmail.com
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DRIVE IN STYLE WITH A BICYCLE-THEMED LICENSE PLATE Promote Bicycling for Health and Happiness



If you have a car (or a truck or a motorcycle), you can now show your support for bicycling on your license plate! The Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention Bureau of the California Department of Public Health has designed a specialty plate to celebrate the health benefits of bicycling. The plate is expected to raise millions of dollars for bicycle education and encouragement programs, such as earn-a-bike programs for at-risk youth, middle and high school programs, advocacy for bicycles as transportation, and safety and share the road education programs for drivers and cyclists.

Department of Motor Vehicles will issue the plate only after 7,500 people have placed pre-orders. Then, the bicycle plate will be available to everyone as a choice whenever they register their car each year. You have three choices when ordering a plate. You can order a custom plate, you can exchange your existing custom plate for a custom bike plate, or you can get a non-customized sequential plate.

https://www.calbike.org/license_plate/

REMINDER OF OUR NEW 50TH ANNIVERSARY RIDE CLOTHING – Melissa Boyd

ATTN: These kits are only available until 12/31/20, so if you are thinking you might order one, act fast!

The new Shasta Wheelmen 50th Anniversary jerseys are now available! Go to shop.vergesport.com and enter the password "shasta20" in the box that says TEAM STORE LOGIN.

You will see a page that has a 3D image of the Wheelmen design in the upper right (it can take a while to load!) and you can select different items to view. Scroll down the page and you will see a group of products (jerseys, shorts, arm warmers, UV sleeves). Though these are shown in a generic Verge color, all ordered products will be in the Shasta design that you saw in the 3D display. Just click on the item you want, select the size, and add to your cart. There is a link on each product page to the sizing charts.

Note: Shorts are available in both bib and standard types, men and women. THEY RUN QUITE SMALL! We suggest ordering a size larger than what you usually wear. Arm warmers and UV sun sleeves are available but run small especially women sizes.

Jerseys: There are two "fit" types available, Relaxed and Comfort fit, in both men and women sizes. Relaxed is like a Club Fit, and Comfort is a bit looser. Take one of your jerseys that fits well, lay it flat and measure from armpit to armpit (widest point). Double this number and compare it to the CHEST dimension in the sizing charts on the website. This will tell you your best size. Dimensions in the chart are the approximate size of the jersey, NOT the size of your body!

Jerseys are \$58.50, and shipping is \$17.50. Adding an extra item only adds \$.50 to the shipping cost. So, save a bunch by combining your order with friends! Orders will be sent to your home and arrive in about 3-4 weeks.



HEAVY METAL RIDE- Anderson Starbucks to Coleman Fish Hatchery 11/28/2020- 0830

Tired of the same old routes on the same old carbon bike with all those gears and disc brakes, etc? Well, time to take that cherished old metal monster off the hooks and take a ride on the welded side to the Fish Hatchery. The last Saturday of November we'll work the rust out of our forgotten steel and aluminum steeds, give them an airing and maybe work off that second helping from Thursday's feast. Break out the oil and grease and limber up that chain and bring Old Faithful to the ride! No metal? Come anyway and admire the antiques.

Gregory W. Winters



Anne Wright and her new ride:

Patty Shackleton, John Crowe, Melissa Boyd, and Al Masterson ventured to Ono to check out our beloved Ono Store post Zogg Fire on a very windy day:









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11/02/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting at Lulu's Restaurant 2230 Pine St. Redding	https://goo.gl/maps/PRA4j2gHd8w
11/03/20	8:30 AM	Ride #21 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136311
11/05/20	8:30 AM	Ride #22 End of Iron Mountain Rd to gate CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136313
11/07/20	8:30 AM	Cottonwood Dersch Millville Plains Old 44 - Start at Westwood Market 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/11469006
11/08/20	8:30 AM	Old Shasta/Bear Mt. - Start at CVS Pharmacy @ Placer/Buena Ventura 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/15937087
11/10/20	8:30 AM	Ride #01 City of Shasta Lake CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.0 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14139381
11/12/20	8:30 AM	Ride #02 Palo Cedro counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136290
11/14/20	8:30 AM	Ten Bridge Ride - Start at Westwood Village 47 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10374622
11/15/20	8:30 AM	This and That – Start at Anderson Starbucks 36 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30403299
11/17/20	8:30 AM	Ride #03 Anderson counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 39.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136291
11/19/20	8:30 AM	Ride #04 Old Shasta counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 28.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136292
11/21/20	8:30 AM	Veteran's Cemetery / West Redding Cottonwood Loop - Start at CVS Pharmacy @ Placer/Buena Ventura 52 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/15197255
11/22/20	8:30 AM	Dersch, Ash Creek, Balls Ferry, Churn Creek - Start at Clover Creek for 51.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31604908
11/24/20	8:30 AM	Ride #05 Jones Valley Store CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 32.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136293
11/26/20	8:30 AM	Ride #06 Millville Plains CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 38.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136294
11/28/20	8:30 AM	Fish Hatchery/ Cottonwood Parkville Dersch airport - Start at Anderson Starbucks 31 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136343
11/29/20	8:30 AM	Olinda Happy Valley Cottonwood Balls Ferry - Start at Anderson Starbucks 34 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/13817171

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Club meetings are held on the first Monday of each month, 6:00 p.m. at Sundial Bridge Amphitheater, Redding, CA 96001

Message from El Presidente

Ho, Ho, Ho! Happy December to all my fellow Wheelmen. It has been a year to remember and it's almost over. Even the riding light will get a little longer and the 21st of December.

Due to the pandemic this month's meeting will have to be another web-based affair. The election of the 2021 Board of Directors will be done by e-mail. So, vote early and vote often as the old saying goes. Actually, you will only be able to vote once with this system (Thanks Don).

I will also be drawing the winner for the \$200 gift card for the newsletter number. We only have three people in the running, that would be Linda Cannar, John Hauder, and Claudia Robinson. Good luck to all of you and thank you for reading the newsletter and coming to the meetings.

I would like to thank each and every one of you for the support you have given me this past year as President during these trying times. I greatly appreciate all of you and hope you will allow me to continue as El Presidente this next year.

Keep spinning those cranks!

Doug



Agenda for 12/7/2020 6:00 PM a Web-Based Event

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Introductions
- 3) Membership chair to determine if quorum is present
- 4) Approve minutes as published in the Matrix
- 5) Standing Reports
 - Treasures' Report
 - Membership Report
- 6) Ride Calendar
- 7) Old Business
- 8) New business
 - Results of election of 2021 Board of Directors
- 9) Raffle
- 10) Adjournment

Shasta Wheelmen General Membership Minutes

November 2, 2020

Lulu restaurant and Google meet

1. Call to Order by Doug Holt 6:04 pm

2. Quorum yes 11 present. 8 on line and 8 in the restaurant total 16 to the meeting.

3. Approval of the minutes of the October 2020 Previous month General Membership meeting as printed in the Matrix- Jim Bush moves for approval. Jack Yerkes seconded.

4. Standing Reports

A. Treasurer's Report by John Simmons.

CHECKING	Oct 2020		SAVINGS	Oct 2020
OPENING	\$4452.63		OPENING	\$5005.01
INCOME	\$360.00	*	INTEREST	\$.04
EXPENSES	\$50.00	**	EXPENSES	0
	\$24.24	***		
CLOSING	\$4738.39		CLOSING	\$5005.05

*membership

**California Bicycle Coalition (Dream Ride sponsorship)

***Stripe fees

B. Membership Report by Doug stated 112 per Don Talkington.

C. Board Meeting Report nil

5. Old Business -none.

6. Ride Calendar pending - Chico wildflower 2 level century on April 24 check in 25th Sunday is the ride.

<https://www.wildflowercentury.org/>

Turkey Roll out suggested.

Final ride of the year December 29-full moon suggested.

7. New Business

A. A request put forth to allow email/forms voting for the Board members this year only. Ballots will be available mid-December. Nolan Randall moved to vote approval. Bill Campbell seconded. Approved for 2020 election only. Question posed- Will there be a write in option? Answer is yes.

B. Don Talkington is stepping down from Webmaster and Membership chair on December 31, 2020.

Accepted by -

Jim Bush accepts Membership chair.

Nolan Randall accepted the Webmaster (guru) position.

C. Remember to be safe on the road.

8. Raffle First winner \$15.00 a coffee card Claudia Robinson and Bill Campbell.

Number winner gets a \$20.00 gift card Lisa Creps. The number was the amount raised for.

**Correction for last month Claudia won Starbucks gift card.

9. Adjournment at 6:31 pm.

Welcome New 2020 Shasta Wheelmen Members

Order Date	Last	First	Street	Phone	Email
02/03/20	Ferguson	Roy	5826 Heavenly Valley Ln Anderson	530-357-2920	fergy2@peoplepc.com
02/04/20	Robinson	Claudia	11343 Tanstaafl Ln. Redding	530-604-7213	arcson19@gmail.com
05/06/20	Elzner	Dana	18116 Vista Pine Ln. Redding	530-355-1337	rekede04@yahoo.com
05/06/20	Elzner	Keith	18116 Vista Pine Ln. Redding	530-355-4936	kelzner@icloud.com
05/08/20	Beamer	Kenneth	12125 Lake Blvd, Space 51 Redding	208-659-7818	krbeamer59@gmail.com
05/29/20	Johnson	Larry	865 Hallmark Dr. Redding	530-935-4468	calbear72@sbcglobal.net
06/22/20	Stewart	Erik	21372 Old 44 Dr. Redding	510-504-5060	erik_stewart@hotmail.com
08/12/20	Chelonis	John	6615 Mullen Parkway Redding	530-917-0179	judgevero@gmail.com
08/29/20	Sutter	Ann Marie	6300 Silver Pine Way Redding	530-227-1343	annsutter1@icloud.com
10/06/20	Sojka	Michael	522 McCloud Ave Redding	530-925-2952	mike.sojka@gmail.com

Halloween Ride



Farewell

Pam and I are planning to move to Asheboro, North Carolina near the end of December.

We will miss all of our friends in the Shasta Wheelmen. As most of you know, Charlie Finkel moved early this year. He and I will live close enough to ride together once in a while

I wish everyone health, happiness, and safe riding!






Don Talkington



RIDE CALENDAR – Color key Tan=weekend rides, Blue=weekday rides, Green=club meeting**If the official high temperature is 100 or above the ride will start one hour earlier**

Date	Time	Description	Route URL
12/03/20	9:00 AM	Ride #21 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles Elev 1773	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136311
12/05/20	9:00 AM	Boyle, Old Oregon, Pine Grove, Dam, Trail starting in Palo Cedro Park n Ride for 54 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261849
12/06/20	9:00 AM	Clover Creek Deschutes, Old Alturas. Old Oregon, Shasta View Start at Clover Creek Preserve 31 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/31261933
12/07/20	6:00 PM	Club Monthly Meeting at Lulu's Restaurant 2230 Pine Street, Redding	
12/08/20	9:00 AM	Ride #07 Igo/Ono CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 41.6 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136295
12/10/20	9:00 AM	Ride #08 Bridge Bay CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136296
12/12/20	9:00 AM	Palo Cedro/Cottonwood/Happy Valley Start at CVS Pharmacy @, Placer/Buena Ventura 62 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/15809062
12/13/20	9:00 AM	Out to the Bear Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/8104953
12/15/20	9:00 AM	Ride #09 Old Shasta CW -Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 30.5 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136297
12/17/20	9:00 AM	Ride #10 Shasta Dam/City of Shasta Lake CW. - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 33.4 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136298
12/19/20	9:00 AM	Cottonwood/Igo Start at Anderson Starbucks 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136352
12/20/20	9:00 AM	Palo Cedro North/West/South Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 35 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/10692956
12/22/20	9:00 AM	Ride #11 End of Iron Mountain Rd counter CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 35.7 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136299
12/24/20	9:00 AM	Ride #12 City of Shasta Lake CCW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 34.1 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136301
12/26/20	9:00 AM	Dersch Wildcat & Black Butte Loop Start at Palo Cedro Park n Ride 50 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/18014197
12/27/20	9:00 AM	Bowman/Evergreen Start at Anderson Starbucks 33 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/9623422
12/29/20	9:00 AM	Ride #13 Palo Cedro CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 31.2 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136302
12/31/20	9:00 AM	Ride #14 Anderson CW - Start at Sundial Bridge Parking Lot 37.9 miles	https://ridewithgps.com/routes/14136303

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