



Hi,

The weather is beautiful, it's staying light longer, and I'm seeing more bikers everyday...the club rides have all started and are being very well attended...the summer weekends are quickly filling up with biking events. Isn't this a great time of year!

Just a few thoughts: Be sure to check out the website to find out the dates and times of the rides that have already been scheduled...Consider bringing a beginning biker (new rider or new to group riding) to the Monday night ride. This a great opportunity to expose them to bicycling, and you can remind them that no one gets dropped...We still have a few Springbike jerseys left for \$68, t-shirts for \$12, and a newly found batch of socks for \$10. The jerseys and socks are limited in the numbers and sizes available so let me know quickly if you want one. We have looked at re-ordering jerseys, and found out they would be more expensive and we would have to buy at least 25. If we did order additional jerseys we would have to have at least half of them pre-ordered and paid for. If you are interested just e-mail me or talk to me so that I know what the club is thinking.

In closing, I just want to thank the individuals that are so good about reaching out to the new members that show up at the rides. I'm glad someone spoke to me many years ago when I first showed up.

See ya on the road,

Tim Weston

### **5th Annual Cycle For Life**

June 10, 2006

Check in begins at 6:15 am

50 mile ride - 7:00 AM

25 mile ride - 8:00 AM

\$15 before June 8, \$20 the day of the ride

<http://www.bcfo.org/cycle.php>

100% of the proceeds remain local to provide financial assistance and support for families facing breast

### **For Hardcore riders who want a metric century 2 days in a Row!**

Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am

25, 45 and 65 mile options

Start at Stadium Parking Lot

MSSU Campus on Duquesne south of Newman Road

\$25 if you register by April 22

\$35 late registration

[www.joplindaybreakrotary.com](http://www.joplindaybreakrotary.com) Contact: Mike Woolston: 417.626.5526

Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup>

Dogwood Metric Century

7:30 am 62 miles

Registration at 7:00 a.m. Starts and finishes at Sparta High School. Cost \$20. 62 miles (100 km) and lunch is provided after.

There will be rest stops.

\$20