

Cyclmasters Hot News

Upcoming Events

Tomorrow (**Monday, January 8**) is the buffet dinner at **Nona Maria's at 5:30 PM**. Sign-ups are complete and we have an excellent turnout. It will be a great time. Thanks to Pat Somerhalder and Patsy Chase for organizing this. Remember to wear your SaddleBrooke name badge if you have one. Otherwise, stick-on name badges will be provided.

The **Recreation & Activity Fair** is being held at the MountainView Country Club on Saturday, **January 27 from 8:30-11:30 AM**. Our club has prime booth space with the goal of showcasing our club and signing up new members. I'll be soliciting volunteers to help out. Stop by and see us if you're in the area.

The next **club meeting/social** is **Monday, February 5 at 5:30 PM** at the HOA1 Activity Center. Mark your calendars!

Pennies for Progress Update

We are still compiling miles but, as of this writing, we are at 193,374 miles which means we will be designating **\$1,933.74** for a local charity or cycling related donation. Tom Erb, our Charitable Giving Coordinator, will be facilitating ideas on where our club can make the most impact. Thanks to all of you who participated in this effort. Together we got it done and will make a difference.

Club Clothing

There will be a separate email coming out about this, but Linda Merritt is going to conduct a **Cyclmaster Clothing Sale** at her house on **Monday, January 15 from 1-3 PM**. If you haven't gotten your new jersey, t-shirt, or cap now's your time to get them. More news to come on this event.

Website update

Dave Corrigan, our Webmaster, has been hard at work over the holidays upgrading our website so it can be used as our communication vehicle. There are a number of steps yet to implement and you'll be hearing more on that in a dedicated communication. Thanks Dave. Stay tuned!

Safety

We are really promoting cycling safety for 2018. Rod Hutton and Denise Edwards, our Safety Advocates, made a great presentation at our December meeting highlighting their plans for the year. A rider identification program has been initiated. Identification packets will be available free to all members at all club functions. Or, if you prefer, contact Rod and Denise directly and they'll get a packet to you. They are simple and effective. Get one! Also, Rod & Denise are working on safety classes for the club. Stay tuned!

Wow! There's a lot going on. Don't miss out. Get involved. Ride safe.

Mike Brenny