

## From the President . . .

If all goes according to plan, you will be receiving this newsletter as we are completing the last few days of "Bicycling through the Baltics with Betsy". Of course I'm writing this even before we leave, to meet our "*demanding*" editor's early deadline! So all I can share of the trip at this point is the adventure of packing.

Betsy, who is our club's *most* pro bicycle-traveler, travels with her clever folding Bike Friday ("Pumpkin") in its neat little suitcase. We, who are our club's *least* pro bicycle-travelers, jumped at the opportunity to buy *second hand*, a clever take-apart Family Tandem Bike Friday. (now named "Dapple", short for *Roa Dapple*) Pumpkin and Dapple look "adorable" together. . . which is SO important to Lawrence, my husband...

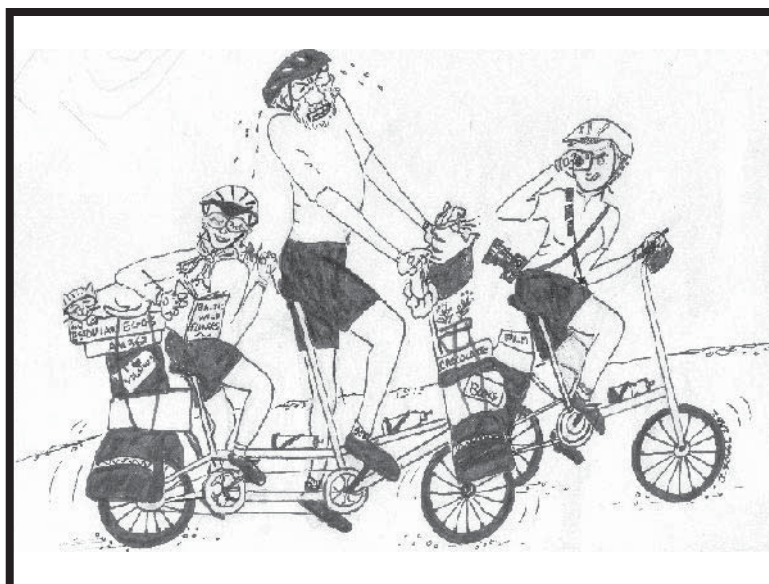
Actually, what *is* important to Lawrence is "frugality," hence the packing adventure. The idea was that we would reduce our "new bike traveler" anxiety of getting bicycle on plane, bicycle on train, bicycle on bus, etc. by adopting the Bike Friday way of life. However, we soon found out that their cute little suitcases would cost us close to \$400! Surely we could do better than that!

We measured our largest bike part and set off to find the matching suitcase cheap! Flea Market, Goodwill, Ebay. . . Orchard Supply. . . Macy's. . . then it became obvious: people don't buy suitcases that are 40 inches long. In fact, the airlines don't take suitcases that are 40 inches long. In fact...we found out, when considering our last resort... that our clever tandem Bike Friday didn't even fit in Bike Friday's own suitcases! Hum. But it is adorable.

We were now in the bike box business, just like ordinary bike-travelers, and Lawrence (never passing by a free offer) was filling up the garage with mountain bike boxes, road bike boxes, BMX boxes, just to be sure. It wasn't until he brought home the ultimate electric bike box that the glint in his eyes told me he had found it -

complete with all the styrofoam corner pieces and extra bubble wrap. We would have two "small" boxes, each with half a bike in it. Hopefully *both* boxes would arrive in Lithuania with us.

Last night the ceremonial packing took place. I was wisely gone, for a long time, doing the bulk mailing for Santa Cruz Mountains Challenge. In that time Lawrence and Howard (experienced and equally frugal bike traveler-friend) did the deed. I am now wondering how much to tip the airport porter. But a bigger question looms: do we save these "designer" bike boxes and send them on to Estonia on a very slow boat to await our departure, or - could it be that in the Baltics there are bigger, cheaper suitcases to lure us into another packing adventure???





### Welcome New Club Members:

Muriel Rose  
Earle Coutant  
Christopher and Holly Bolling  
Colleen Gegen  
Brien Anderson  
Tim Hess  
Judy Lyons  
Philip Sims  
Stacey White

The following memberships expire in July and August:

Mike Andalaria  
Pat and Glenn Armstrong  
Richard and Martha Bedal  
Bill Best  
Piet Canin  
Con Champness and Sharon Stratico  
Steve Clifton  
Sharon Curtaz  
Mary Ann and Tiffany Daly  
Keresha Durham and Cornelius Paul  
James Graham and Fancy Bulley  
Tom Graves  
Jody Greene  
Andrew Harris and Erin Murphy  
Judy and Osman Isvan  
Karen Kefauver  
Barbara and Ed Kilduff  
Juan Kuchich  
Tom and Nancy Larson  
Chimene Lee  
Tim McCloskey  
Ross and Darcy Palmer  
Bill Patterson  
James Quinn  
Shirl Remaly  
Elisabeth Bertrand and Jacques Russell  
Katie and Bob Scott  
Tom Shanle  
Jim Sprint  
The Stetaks - Patti, John, Alison, & John

Don't forget to **sign and date the membership application** found on Page 7 and send it along with your new membership or renewal dues. It is important to protect you under the liability policy the club holds through the **League of American Bicyclists (LAB)**. We think it is so important that you aren't "really" a member until you sign the form.

## Summer General Meeting

Monday, July 22, 2002  
at 7:00 pm

### Place:

Simpkins Swim Center,  
17th Avenue  
(next to Shoreline Middle School), Santa Cruz

### Agenda:

Review of Business/  
Minutes  
Club Activities Report  
Announcements  
Update on Mountain Challenge

### Program :

Representatives from Voler Cycling wear will be on hand to showcase their cycling clothes. They will be bringing different styles and cuts of jerseys and samples of shorts and other cycling wear and accessories for you to try on for size.

This will help you select the correct size for your club jersey (see design on page 4).

See you there!

## South County Riders Wanted

The County bicycle committee is still in need of a representative from the City of Watsonville. If you live in or work in Watsonville (or know someone who does) and are willing to put in a few hours per month to work for improving bicycle conditions, please contact Heath Maddox (trc042@co.santa-cruz.ca.us). More info available at <http://www.sccrtc.org/bike.html>

The Roadrunner is the official newsletter of the Santa Cruz County Cycling Club. It is published bimonthly, mailed free to all members, and is available at local bicycle shops, bookshops, etc. Submissions (articles, photos, etc.) are gladly accepted. Email or a diskette are easiest, but we'll entertain all options.

Contact us at: SCCCC P.O. Box 8342 Santa Cruz, CA 95061-8342, or on the web at [www.santacruzccycling.org](http://www.santacruzccycling.org)

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It's been a busy month for the editors! As we go off to press, Anita just completed Sierra to the Sea and Penni is off to join the other European AIDs Riders in Amsterdam. Thanks to everyone who got their articles in early to accommodate our schedules.

As always, send us ideas for upcoming issues, and don't forget to submit your own interesting articles and stories. You can submit your articles via e-mail or fax (831-338-2117).

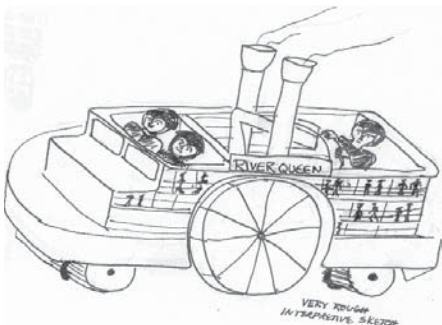
Happy reading.... Anita and Penni

## Tragedy for the Queen

*by Scott Campbell*

Saturday, May 25 the first day of racing in Arcata. The sky is covered in cream puff clouds that make for a cool 40° air temperature. My brother, Bob and Mike Andalora are up early to prepare for our rookie attempt at racing in the 34th Annual Arcata to Ferndale World Championship Kinetic Sculpture Race. We are all feeling a little anxious and nervous for the race to begin. As we load all the gear we will need for this 3-day race through sand, water and mud we discuss what type of music we want to listen to on the journey.

Before the race our vehicle must be inspected by the race officials. First is the Art Committee judging the overall look and looking for bribes, which we had not prepared for. On to the Safety Judge. He wants to know if we have all the mandatory safety equipment on board. Life vests for the water crossing, tooth brushes for good hygiene, sun screen to protect us from the sun's harmful rays, and flares for the search party when we get off course. We passed even though we forgot the flares. Next was the brake test. We ride as fast as we can down a slight incline and on command bring our vehicle to a safe stop within the allotted distance. Despite a little confusion as to when the Judge actually said STOP! we completed our test.



Now we wait for the noon siren to signal the start of the race. A local radio station reporter interviewed us for their live coverage of the race. Spectators stop by to chat and ask questions. Everyone says we have one of the best looking entries. It's a real ego bust to get so much attention.

The noon siren sounds and pandemonium erupts. The racers are supposed to circle the town square of Arcata twice before heading out on the course to Eureka. Someone forgot to tell the racers which way to go and the result is vehicles going in both clock-wise and counter clock-wise directions. Somehow we all manage to avoid any accidents. We are directed to head out on the course without circling the square even once.

Out on the road we are being passed by faster vehicles and passing vehicles that are dealing with mechanical problems. This is very exhilarating. Then disaster rears it's ugly head. We are experiencing a problem with the drive chain slipping. It's making it difficult to climb the slightest hill. We stop to make an adjustment and discover that the frame of our River Queen has cracked in two places thus rendering us grounded even before we get a chance to test the waters. We had to declare that we would not be able to continue the race. Women are crying and men are shaking the bowed heads. It's a sad scene.

It's not too bad though. We receive an award for being the first vehicle out of the race. The Golden Dinosaur is a beautiful hand-made trophy that we proudly accept with a speech in which we vow to return next year to "Ace" the course.

## Cycling Resources and Websites

Check out the Bike Church at The Hub, our local tool co-op. Open with volunteer mechanics to help you Monday through Thursday from 3-7 p.m. at The Hub, 224 Walnut St., Santa Cruz. ([www.santacruzhub.org](http://www.santacruzhub.org))

Check [www.sccrtc.org](http://www.sccrtc.org) for updates from The Regional Transportation Commission including the bicycle hazard reporting form to report road hazards anywhere within the county.

[www.santacruzcycling.org](http://www.santacruzcycling.org)  
Santa Cruz Cycling Club

[www.mbosc.org](http://www.mbosc.org)  
Mountain Bikers of Santa Cruz

[www.santacruzhub.org](http://www.santacruzhub.org)  
The Hub

[www.sccrtc.org](http://www.sccrtc.org)  
Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission

[www.bike2work.com](http://www.bike2work.com)  
Bike to Work programs and events

[www.bikeleague.org](http://www.bikeleague.org)  
League of American Bicyclists

[www.adventurecycling.org](http://www.adventurecycling.org)  
Adventure Cycling

[www.cabobike.org](http://www.cabobike.org): California Association of Bicycling

[www.cyclecalifornia.com](http://www.cyclecalifornia.com)  
Cycle California magazine (century sponsor)

[www.actc.org](http://www.actc.org)  
Almaden Cycling Touring Club

[www.artcycles.com/tandems](http://www.artcycles.com/tandems)  
Bay Area Roaming Tandems

[www.BikeRoute.com](http://www.BikeRoute.com)  
National Bicycle Greenway





## Race Team Update

*by Brent Chapman*

2002 has been quite an eventful season for the SCCCC Race team. Early races of the season were the Spring Mountain Bike series by CCCX.

The first event at Soquel Seventh day Adventist conference grounds, featured a brutal series of climbs. SCCCC racer Mike Martin took 5<sup>th</sup> place, with Jeff Bronack just behind in 7<sup>th</sup>, Barnaby Lee in 9 and Brent Chapman in 11<sup>th</sup>. Justine Heaton took 5<sup>th</sup> in the woman's sport category.

The second event was at Fort Ord with Mike Martin taking 1st (on a Single speed Cyclo Cross bike!) and Jeff Bronack taking 4<sup>th</sup>.

The third Race again at Fort Ord on a slightly different course had Brent Chapman with a 4<sup>th</sup> place (using a loaner single speed no suspension bike!)

Another early season race included the Monterey Road Race which the majority of the men's team racing together gaining some respectable results. Jeff Bronack taking 19<sup>th</sup> in his first Road Race, which was a combined senior 4/5 category with a field of 88 racers. The most impressive part of the race was the tide of green and blue from Santa Cruz all together. SCCCC team racer, Brent Chapman pulled a one lap flyer in this his first road race.

For the Sea Otter Classic, 5 of the SCCCC racers attempted the courses. Jennifer Chapman Raced her first road race in the only category available, 3/4. Brent Chapman raced senior sport, David Gill Senior Expert, Mark Ripley Senior Expert, Justine Heaton, Sport.

The Santa Cruz Criterium featured a 2 lap flyer from Doug Smith in the masters category and a 6<sup>th</sup> place by David Gill. In the Senior 5's, Brent Chapman took 3<sup>rd</sup> in his first Criterium, Heath Maddox with 12 and 14<sup>th</sup> by Jeff Bronack. Jennifer Chapman used this race as her first Criterium as well and took 8<sup>th</sup> place.

The Wente Vineyards road race in Livermore featured Jennifer Chapman in the senior 4/5 category, she placed 5<sup>th</sup> in the category 5 group putting her in 20<sup>th</sup> place in the NCNCA standings. Doug Smith raced the Master 45's with a respectable 30<sup>th</sup>.

The Two Rock road race in Napa Valley proved to be a great opener for Brent Chapman who was in good placing for the final sprint climb to the finish but was unfortunately tangled in a crash. Brent took 19<sup>th</sup> out of 78.

Cats Hill Criterium proved to be as tough on the racers as the history books tell. For the Senior 5, Heath Maddox and Brent Chapman made a strong start for the green and blue. Brent eventually was bumped again in another wreck, but only effected his drivetrain for one round of the 23% climb. Brent managed to catch up the the main pack only in time for a wreck that put a stop to Heath Maddox dominant position in the race. Brent ended up taking a surprising 6<sup>th</sup> place while Heath took a respectable 16 of 41 starters. For the masters 45 4/5 category Gary Google was easily in the top 10 but due to a camera malfunction there was no result posting for Gary or Doug Smith.

24 hours of Adrenalin Mountain Bike race for Norba National championships was the next attempt for the four man relay team featuring David Gill, Chris

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Andrews, Chapman, and Steve Hess. Steve who substituted for the team came from the team sponsor "The Bike Trip" performed very consistent and fast time results. Brent Chapman had to end his turn at the 12 mile laps in the early A.M. after he crashed and bruised his ribs. Team SCCCC (or "team Santa Cruz" in the records) took a respectable 5<sup>th</sup> place (ranked against teams with semi pro racers).

The Memorial day criterium in Morgan Hill featured a wreck by racer Gary Google who was incredibly fortunate to leave with minor injuries.

For non-racing news ...Brent and Jennifer Chapman rode the MS Road ride fundraiser for 100 miles on June 15th and were cheered on by all the other riders and SCCCC members on the ride.

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## Club Jersey Design

David Gill has provided this graphic of the club jersey design.

Hopefully we will be submitting another order for Jerseys in the very near future.

So be sure that you attend the next general meeting so you can try on various sizes and styles and have a better idea of what to order.

This is your chance to support your club and get out there and wear our colors!

## Volunteer Opportunity - Riding with Kids

*by Saskia Lucas*

I am leading a program called Bicycle Adventure Club (BAC). BAC is for children between the ages of 9 and 12 and is being offered through the Santa Cruz Montessori School where I teach during the regular school year. BAC participants will be taken on bicycle excursions at the best regional sites for off-road and road riding. Additionally, the kids will learn basic bicycle maintenance, emergency roadside repair, bicycle safety skills and they will gain exposure to different types of cycling through presentations, demos and videos. The goals of the program are to get the kids excited about cycling for recreation and transportation and to make the children safer and more confident riders.

BAC is looking for adult volunteer assistants to lead the rides. There will be approximately 5-7 children in each group. I know many of the children from my classes and they

are a joy to be with: so full of life, enthusiasm and curiosity.

If you are interested in spending a few hours this summer riding in a beautiful place with a great group of kids, please contact me as soon as possible. Below is a tentative ride schedule for the last two sessions. You may email me at [saskia\\_lucas@yahoo.com](mailto:saskia_lucas@yahoo.com) with the ride(s) (include date) you would like to help lead or call me at (831)460-0215. Please include a second and third choice of dates and/or rides in case your first choice is already taken.

SCCCC is sponsoring some scholarships out of its bicycle education fund so that children whose families can't afford to send them to BAC can participate. There are still scholarships available so if you know of any children who would benefit from this opportunity, please contact me. For additional information about the program, please contact the Santa Cruz Montessori School at 476-1646 or stop by the school office at 6230 Soquel Drive in Aptos.

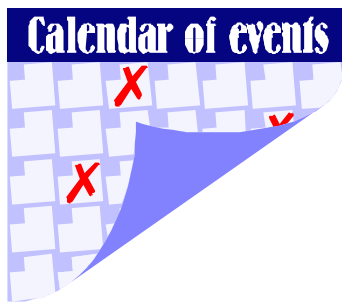
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### SECOND SESSION: 6/24-7/19

Wed. 6/26	East Cliff and Opal Cliff	1:00-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 6/28	Nisene Marks	11 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Mon. 7/1	West Cliff and Wilder Ranch (coast side)	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Wed. 7/3	Swanton Rd. & farm visit	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 7/5	Cloverdale Rd. & Pigeon Pt. light house	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Mon. 7/8	Pescadero Creek Park, Old Haul Rd.	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Wed. 7/10	Big Basin (from park headquarters)	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 7/12	Elkhorn Slough and Gizdich Ranch	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Mon. 7/15	Wadell Creek (lower Big Basin)	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Wed. 7/17	Monterey	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 7/19	TBA - kids' choice!	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.

### THIRD SESSION: 7/22-8/16

Wed. 7/24	East Cliff and Opal Cliff	1:00-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 7/26	West Cliff and Wilder Ranch (coast side)	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Mon. 7/29	Nisene Marks	11 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Wed. 7/31	Swanton Rd. & farm visit	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 8/2	Wadell Creek (lower Big Basin)	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Mon. 8/5	Monterey	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Wed. 8/7	Big Basin (from park headquarters)	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 8/9	Elkhorn Slough and Gizdich Ranch	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Mon. 7/12	Pescadero Creek Park, Old Haul Rd.	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Wed. 8/14	kids' choice!	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.
Fri. 8/16	Cloverdale Rd. & Pigeon Pt. light house	9:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.



## New Rides and Events in the Schedule

Be sure to check out all the new rides posted in the shedule on pages 4 and 5. We have added the following club sponsored revents to the regular schedule:

**Second Sunday Standard** - on the second Sunday of each month, starting August 11, this ride will start at the public parking lot on Soquel Avenue and Cayuga Street, at 9:00 am. The ride will be approximately 30 miles through the city, and will be the same route, destination, and start time each month. Exact route to be available at the first ride.

**Sunday Brunch Rides** - on the last Sunday of each month, a liesurely ride of approximately 25 miles through various locations in Santa Cruz county with a stop for brunch, relaxation, and socializing. These rides will always start at 10:00 am to give you a chance to sleep in a little in the morning.

**Ride and Swim Party** - The regular Saturday ride on August 24 will be combined ride and social event. The ride will start at Daphne and Larry Gulling's home at 7450 Vine Hill Road (the first house on the right after turning off HWY 17). Please carpool from CCC (meet at 8:30 am) or Zanotto's parking lot in Scotts Valley (meet at 9:00 am). Bring your own meat to BBQ and

a dish to share. After a 30 - 40 mile ride we will come back to the Gullings for a late lunch and swim.

**Waves to Wine** - September 28 and 29. This is a fund raising ride for research, education, and support to those people with MS and their families. There are multiple routes (25, 50, 75, and 100 miles) available for this two day ride that starts and ends each day in Santa Rosa, so everyone can participate. Daphne Gulling is team captain for this ride and provide information about the team jerseys, fundraising and logistics. Call her for details at 438-4321 or Daphneg@threshold.net.

**Second Annual Grizzly Century Campout!!!** October 5. This ride starts at Bass Lake. We camp. we eat, we ride, we laugh a lot, we east some more. Daphne will make all the camping arrangements and organize dinner the first night. We'll be fed the rest of the time. According to Daphne "this is one of hte best rides I've ever done - and I've done a few!". Camping on Friday and Saturday nights (Hotel options available for those who can't camp. We know that Lilly Ann will certainly be camping after getting all that experience in Europe. Right???) Call Daphne at 438-4321 or email her at Daphneg@threshold.net for more information.

**Santa Cruz National Bicycle Greenway Festival** - August 11 at San Lorenzo Park, kick off festival for the 2002 ride across the USA to support the Greenway. <http://www.BikeRoute.com>



## Santa Cruz Mountain Challenge

Once again, on August 3rd, we are hosting the annual Santa Cruz Mountains Challenge. Not only is this is the club's annual fund raiser, it is becoming widely known as one of the best rides in the area. This is our chance to show people from all over the state, our beautiful Santa Cruz Mountains and let them experience our club's awesome hospitality.

Last year we received a lot of positive feedback from the riders. We were also very successful in raising money for our advocacy programs.

This year we have a good team that has been working on the ride but we can still use more volunteers. Hopefully, all club riders who aren't on vacation or working that day will come out and support the ride and help out. If you are interested in joining us for lots of fun, contact: Jim Keenan 728-5951.

If you would like some extra flyers to pass out around the neighborhood or at work contact Jim Keenan (sidejimsid@aol.com or 728-5951), Janet Fogel (jlfogel@prodigy.net or 438-0706) or Anita Dyer (adyer@pacbell.net or 335-5792).

## SCCCC Membership Application/Renewal Form

The Santa Cruz County Cycling Club is a group of cycling enthusiasts with a wide variety of interests and abilities. A bimonthly newsletter is published with a schedule of rides and announcements. Annual membership dues are \$15 for individuals, \$20 for Family, \$8 for Juniors (under 18), Race Team members add \$5.00 to dues per person.

Applicant First and Last Name (please print)		Family Members (if family membership)	
Address		Date of Application	
City		State	Zip Code
Home Phone	Work Phone	E-mail	
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<b>LEAGUE OF AMERICAN BICYCLISTS ("LAB")</b> <b>RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT ("AGREEMENT")</b> Each applicant for membership shall READ and SIGN the following Release Agreement			
<p>IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate in any way in Santa Cruz County Cycling Club ("Club") sponsored Bicycling Activities ("Activity") I for myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin:</p> <p>1. ACKNOWLEDGE, agree and represent that I understand the nature of Bicycling Activities and that I am qualified to participate in such Activity. I further acknowledge that the Activity will be conducted over public roads and facilities open to the public during the Activity and upon which the hazards of traveling are to be expected. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the Activity.</p> <p>2. FULLY UNDERSTAND that: (a) BICYCLING ACTIVITIES INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF SERIOUS BODILY INJURY INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS AND DEATH ("RISKS"); (b) these Risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions, or inactions, the actions of others participating in the Activity, the condition in which the Activity takes place, or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASES" NAMED BELOW; (c) there may be OTHER RISKS AND SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSSES, COSTS AND DAMAGES I incur as a result of my participation in the Activity.</p> <p>3. HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, COVENANT NOT TO SUE, AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the Club, the LAB, their respective administrators, directors, agents, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and leasers of the premises on which the Activity takes place (each considered one of the "RELEASES" herein) FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON MY ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS.</p> <p>I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE AND INTEND IT TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING, SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.</p>			
_____ Signature of Applicant		_____ Date	
_____ Signature(s) of additional family members 18 years or older		_____ Date	
Please complete the following for any minor (<18 years old) family members:			
_____ _____ _____		_____ _____ _____	
_____ Name	_____ Age	_____ Name	_____ Age

### MINOR RELEASE

And I, the Minor's parent and/or legal guardian, understand the nature of bicycling activities and the Minor's experience and capabilities and believe the minor to be qualified, in good faith, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activities.

I HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, COVENANT NOT TO SUE, AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON THE MINOR'S ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS AND FURTHER AGREE THAT IF, DESPITE THIS RELEASE, I, THE MINOR, OR ANYONE ON THE MINOR'S BEHALF MAKES A CLAIM AGAINST ANY OF THE RELEASEES NAMED ABOVE, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE, AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES FROM ANY LITIGATION EXPENSES, ATTORNEY FEES, LOSS LIABILITY, DAMAGE, OR ANY COST THAT MAY INCUR AS THE RESULT OF ANY SUCH CLAIM.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Guardian

### Incomplete Forms Will Be Returned

Enclosed is \$\_\_\_\_\_ dues for membership in the Santa Cruz County Cycling Club which entitles me to all the rights and privileges of membership.  
Make check payable to SCCCC and mail to: Santa Cruz County Cycling Club, P.O. Box 8342, Santa Cruz, CA 95065-8342





### **Bike Rack - Brand New.**

Holds 4 bikes. Fits sedans, hatchbacks, minivans or sport utility vehicles.

Folds completely flat for storage. See it at <http://www.allenracks.com>, model 144A. Was \$90 new. Asking \$50. Call Eva Brunner at 469-9101.

**Wanted:** an inexpensive road or hybrid bike for a friend who does not have much money and does not ride very much. 19-20-speeds would be plenty. If you have a bike to sell or know of one, please contact Mary Hammer ([mhammer6293@earthlink.net](mailto:mhammer6293@earthlink.net) or 338-6884).

If you are interested in advertising bike related clothing or gear, email [tbengt@cruzio.com](mailto:tbengt@cruzio.com), and it will be posted here at no cost.

### **Club E-Mail List**

Don't forget that the club has it's own e-mail list for communication among members.

To become a member, send an e-mail to [majordomo@employees.org](mailto:majordomo@employees.org). In the body of the e-mail enter the following message: "subscribe scccc [insert your e-mail address here]". You should receive a confirmation e-mail.

You will need to respond to that e-mail, and when that is done you will automatically be added to the subscription list.



### **Upcoming Club Meetings**

All Meetings 7:00pm Simpkins Swim Center

**July 22  
October 28**

All members are welcome to attend monthly board meetings at The Hub, 224 Walnut Street, Santa Cruz, at 7:00 pm.

The next meeting dates are:

**July 15  
September 9  
October 14  
November 11  
December 9**



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