



# MBBC

**More Bicycling = Better Community!**

**Mount Baker Bicycle Club Newsletter, Vol 22, No 9, Oct/Nov 2013**

## FALL IS HERE!

**But we don't let the rain and clouds stop us!**

**There's still lots coming up in October and November so put the fenders on and get out and ride.**

*See below for races, rides, gatherings, advocacy, and events coming up to round out the remainder of 2013.*

**Weekends October through January: Cyclocross!** See p. 4-5

**Saturdays throughout fall and winter: Trail Work Parties** - led by the Bellingham Parks Dept. [cob.org/government/public/volunteer/parks/schedule.aspx](http://cob.org/government/public/volunteer/parks/schedule.aspx)

**October 13: Fourth Annual Bellingham Tweed Ride** - Meet at Maritime Heritage Park at 12:30 pm, ride departs at 1pm.

Dust off your tweeds and lace and enjoy a dandy day of pedaling on a tour through Bellingham. Show off your fashions in a photo stop at Elizabeth Park, then cruise through the Old Downtown, ending at Chuckanut Brewery for post-parade refreshments and music. All ages welcome. Co-hosted by Black Market Boutique.

Tweed Ride is an international phenomenon, celebrated on different dates throughout the US and other countries, all in the spirit of showing a refined and elegant side of cycling.

**October 13: Fairhaven Bike & Ski's "Hell of the Northwest"** - Jeff Nyman has put together a fun race for the third year in a row called "The Hell of the Northwest". Its an underground, under the wire, 3 person race and it takes place on October the 13th. The race starts at 10am at Fairhaven Park. No aerobars, no aero helmets, just straight forward bike. If interested let Jeff know by Wednesday October 9th so he can put together a start list. Contact Jeff at [aidiagrace@q.com](mailto:aidiagrace@q.com).

Last year we had 5 teams. We need more participants to make this happen so let Jeff know once you get your team of 3 riders together. The winning team gets to be added to the "Hell of the Northwest" very cool wall mounted plaque to be forever on display at Fairhaven Bike & Ski. There may be a barbecue afterward if we get enough riders.

Check out the ride on map my ride: URL below

<http://www.mapmyride.com/routes/view/259951447>

**October 13: Parks & Recreation Race Series** - Klicks Mountain Bike Duathlon, and YMCA Youth Duathlon. [cob.org/services/recreation/races/](http://cob.org/services/recreation/races/)

**October 15: State Senate Listening Meeting in Bellingham** - Plan to attend and support statewide bicycling initiatives. See details on p. 2

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*the club online:*

[www.mtbakerbikeclub.org](http://www.mtbakerbikeclub.org)  
[www.chuckanutcentury.org](http://www.chuckanutcentury.org)

*and our social sites:*

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# WEEKLY AND GROUP RIDES

the "put your fenders on, it's fall" edition



**MBBC Club Rides** - participants are asked to sign a waiver and try out the ride -- then join the club after deciding if you'll be regularly attending MBBC rides.

**Wednesday Group Workout Ride:** Winter ride is a fast trail ride with lights. 20 mile distance, meet at 5:45 pm, leave at 6pm from Boundary Bay Brewery at Railroad Avenue. Trail-capable bikes. Gather at brewery afterward (7:30p). 360-410-6431 info (Doug) - In Spring/Summer this ride is a fast road ride. We will be on the trails until sometime in March 2014 then will switch back to road.

**various Sundays "The Long Slog" Ride** - various Sundays through October. 12-14 mph pace, 30-40 miles in October. Start 9am at Boulevard Park. This is a ride for slower - yet serious - riders who want to build strength and endurance. Ride leader: Jennifer Longstaff. information: mbbcnewsletter@mtbakerbikeclub.org; 360-961-6684. Remaining dates (assuming no rainouts) Oct 13 & 27.

## More weekly rides in the area:

**Sunday Edison Social Ride** starts from Edison Elementary School parking lot. 30-40 miles, 10-14 mph, route varies. 10 am start time. For additional info: Alfred Arkley arkley@comcast.net or 360-527-8638

**Sunday Rabbit Ride:** 32mi road ride, South on Chuckanut, back via Colony and Lake Samish. All welcome; come prepared to push yourself. Pace varies by individual. Small similarly-paced groups leave from Fairhaven Bike & Ski beginning at 8am (spring/summer start time). Faster riders leave between 8:15-8:30. Leader John Hauter, info: 733-4433.

**Tuesday Ferndale Social Ride:** starts from Pioneer Park in Ferndale, 30-40 miles, 13-16 mph route varies. Start time either 9am or 10am. To check time and other info: Bob Parker rmp-4724@hotmail.com or 360-671-6910

**Thursday South Social Ride** starts from Edison Elementary School parking lot. 30-40 miles, 10-14 mph, route varies. 10 am start time. Info: Alfred Arkley: arkley@comcast.net or 360-527-8638

**Saturday Donut Ride:** 24 - 45 miles, race pace, departs from Kulshan Cycles, 7:30 am Oct thru Feb and 7 am March thru Sept. Watch for shift to later start time toward the end of September. Goes to Ferndale and return, or if you wish continue to Birch Bay and return. Every week of the year!!

**Saturday Recumbent Ride:** Second Saturday of the month at 10 am. 14 mile intown course begins at Kulshan Cycles. Sporadic depending on weather. Info: Robert Parker at rmp-4724@hotmail.com or 360-671-6910

everybody  BIKE

## Attend State Senate Transportation Listening Session in Bellingham: October 15, 6pm at the Cruise Terminal

The state senate is holding listening sessions across the state to hear the transportation priorities of Washingtonians. The Bicycle Alliance of Washington is asking Whatcom County to attend the meeting on October 15th in support of trails and bicycling. It's important that the senators hear from non-Puget Sound residents/organizations on the importance of bicycling in our next transportation revenue package. We want a great turnout to show that bicycling is a priority across Washington - not just in Bellevue and Seattle (as some pundits have suggested).

The Bellingham session will be held on Tuesday, Oct 15, 6-9pm, at the Bellingham Cruise Terminal, 355 Harris Ave in Fairhaven. Attendance has been overflowing in other communities, so if you can attend please plan to arrive early to sign up to testify.

Bellingham needs to have a solid turnout for testimony to note the import of bicycling, trails, and safe routes to school. It's important not only to the elected officials, but to other transportation stakeholders to have a strong showing from bicyclists, business owners, local government representatives, and active transportation supporters.

If you have questions, contact Bicycle Alliance's Statewide Policy Director Blake Trask: 206-310-4762, blake@bicyclealliance.org

Reports and speaking points can be read on the Bicycle Alliance's website:

[bicyclealliance.org/2013/09/12/what-to-tell-the-state-senate-about-bike-transportation](http://bicyclealliance.org/2013/09/12/what-to-tell-the-state-senate-about-bike-transportation)

[bicyclealliance.org/2013/09/05/make-your-voice-heard](http://bicyclealliance.org/2013/09/05/make-your-voice-heard)

submitted by Blake Trask

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2013 MOUNTAIN BIKE FESTIVAL



3RD ANNUAL SHOOT THE TRAILS AWARDS
OCTOBER 19TH @ 7PM
DEPOT MARKET SQUARE - TICKETS \$15
VIDEO & PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST
PRIZES, RAFFLE, AND BEER.
SUBMIT VIDEO & PHOTO ENTRIES TO
ADMIN @ WHIPSMTB.ORG

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October 19 & 20: WMBC Mountain Bike Festival "Shoot the Trails" Awards, Depot Market Square, 7pm on the 19th, \$15 admission. Chuckanut Enduro Race on the 20th at Larrabee Park. whipsmtb.org/events/ & poster at right

November 3: Fall Fling - MBBC Quarterly Ride - A club ride with something for everyone. Road, Bike Paths, Mountain, Trails. Meet at Sehome Starbucks, 9am November 3 for carpool to Anacortes. Cider after riding and celebrate fall. Ride leaders: Eric Stromerson and Bill McCourt. RSVP and get in on a carpool by contacting ericbs63@aol.com or bmccourt@outlook.com

November 28: Thanksgiving Ride - Work off some calories so you can enjoy an extra piece of pie at dinner later. Meet at Cornwall Park (Squalicum entrance) at 10am, quick jaunt to Ferndale or Lynden. Ride leader Marie Kimball, bikebham@yahoo.com

December 6: Superhero Lighted Bike Parade - Don your superhero cape and light up the holiday Art Walk as we parade slowly through downtown Bellingham, visiting the Tree Lighting Ceremony. Meet at 6 pm at Bellingham Public Market on Cornwall Avenue. everybodyBike.com

CYCLE MOLES - indoor training for outdoor adventure
Indoor Training for Outdoor Adventure!
Winter Cycle Moles
11/4 - 2/28; 4 Months - 30 Classes!
Level 1 60 min Mon & Wed; 7:00 - 8:00am
Level 2 90 min Tue & Thu; 6:45 - 8:15pm
Come get your inner Mole on!
Register online!
800 McKenzie Ave Bellingham, WA 98225 360.733.5050 www.cyclemoles.com

EVERYBODYBIKE SEEKING ASSISTANCE WITH TRAVELOGUE PROGRAM IN 2014

The bicycle travel slide show series this winter is seeking volunteers to host the sessions. The presenters and venue have been set for the 2014 monthly shows, but everybodyBike won't have staff available to host the Jan - Mar series.

The city has donated free space at the Old Federal Building courtroom, which has good acoustics and seating. A volunteer (or group) is needed to take the lead on reminders, set up, introducing, publicizing, coordinating computers and projectors, etc.

For more details if you'd like to help, please contact Ellen Barton at everybodyBike: (360) 671-BIKE or info@everybodybike.com

The last slide show presentation of 2013 is scheduled for November 13 at 7pm, tentatively planned at the Whatcom Middle School auditorium.

The November 13 program is: Sights and stories from travel in southern France will be featured in the November Bicycle Travel presentation. Then we'll see and hear about the culture and conditions traveling by bicycle through Burma.

# NEW SEASON AND INTRODUCTION OF NEW VENUE

by Ryan Rickerts, Cascade Cross

There are currently only three permanent dedicated cyclocross courses in the country.

And one of them is right here in Bellingham!

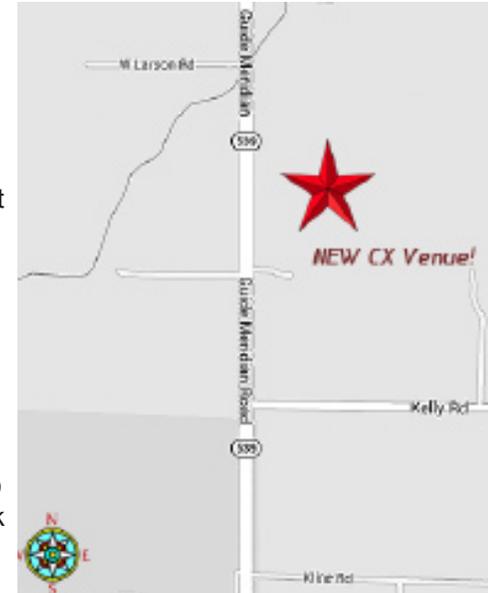
In December of 2012, I was introduced to Cisco Rodriguez, a man who had been working on a project to bring BMX back to Bellingham for over a year already. This was in line with another long term dream project for me, to see more BMX racing in our area, but with his 7 year old son Gus already involved as well as himself (and even his 4 year old daughter on a strider), he had more connections to the BMX community in this region, what their needs were, and most importantly he had secured a lease of good land and a few buildings close to town!

The 30-acre private venue he obtained on the Guide Meridian is the former 9-hole golf course called New World Golf. It was abandoned for over five years and reclaimed by Mr. Rodriguez to convert into a top-notch USA BMX sanctioned race course called Bellingham BMX. After two full years of hard effort obtaining permits, upgrading buildings, and countless hours of moving dirt, his family was able to reintroduce this family-friendly sport of BMX to Bellingham! Many locals have taken advantage of the opportunity since racing started in late June 2013. However, he only needs about 5 of those 30 acres, so...

**Cascade Cross** was invited to come in and turn the remaining 25 acres into a permanent cyclocross and mountain bike venue. I started scouting the land in March 2013 when it was pretty wet and very overgrown. I found a line that I believed I could condition in time for fall (with a lot of weekends, equipment, & help). We began by trying to restore the existing grass into a smooth, fast surface but by late July determined it would be too lumpy, therefore we wound up just roto-tilling & scraping off the top layer with heavy equipment. So for now, even after raking & compacting the surface as best we can, we have very good early season mud conditions!

The course is rolling hills with some sand but also some very sticky sections. Leave your filetread at home! It's time to break out the November - December tires,

seriously! If you're a singlespeeder, you might also want to gear down from your usual roadie set-up. I would not call this course "mountain bikey," but it's muddy, hilly, and harder to keep the momentum rolling. We also have a nice, open, forested section to give you that single-track feel but still with room to pass.



This is a long-term project to create one of only three permanent cyclocross courses currently in the country, and the only one in the great Pacific Northwest! The grass will return in the spring and be conditioned to a buttery smooth surface. Alternate sections will be added with varying degrees of skill required: sand pits, bridges, whoop sections, etc. We're getting an early start unveiling this amazing piece of land to the cyclocross racing public and have worked our tails off to get it ready. We truly hope you enjoy it and look forward to more challenges in the future!

The new venue officially opened for business on October 5, after a week of rain and last-minute scrambling to get the course ready and lessen the peanut-butter mud!



Chris Mellick driving the skid steer (sponsored by Birch Equipment).

Right on the heels is the weekend of October 12/13th: another huge, local festival weekend surrounding the sport of cyclocross, and another huge new partnership for Cascade Cross:

Sometime last winter, the Friends of the Deming Library approached me because they wanted to 1) showcase the recreational opportunities in the beautiful valley up the Mt Baker Highway, and 2) start a long-term project that could bring some revenue to help maintain their library and sustain their programs. They specifically wanted to use cycling to

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# CASCADE CROSS SERIES

## Cyclocross Update

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do this, and someone told them cyclocross is where it's at (and as we all know, they were right!)

Furthermore, the Whatcom County Parks wanted an event that would help draw visitors to the gorgeous setting that is Silver Lake Park in Maple Falls during the "Off Season." (Off-Season means: not fishing, camping, horseback riding for those summer-only softies.) Well folks, this is a match made in heaven. After what feels like a dozen meetings, a bucket-ton of organization & planning, and last-but-not-least the recruitment of Heather Anderson for leading our first running race to make a real sweet double-header, you've got yourself a festival weekend! Camping, food, music, kids events, logging museum tours, water activities... it's gonna be another barn burner!



abcphoto.com - Dennis Crane



Local CX schedule for the rest of 2013/14 is:

- Silver Lake Dbl Cx ~ Oct 12/13th
- Woolley Cross ~ Oct. 26
- Cross Border Clash ~ Nov 2/3rd
- Thanks Given'er ~ Nov 16th
- Logger Cross ~ Dec 14th
- Anti-Nationals ~ Jan 11th
- Fun+alley Race & Party ~ Jan 25th



See more details about each event at [cascadecross.com/races](http://cascadecross.com/races).



Cascade Cross encourages newbies to the sport, and reminds everyone that **Wednesday night CX practices** (hosted by David Neubeck, 360-738-2025, [dneubeck@hotmail.com](mailto:dneubeck@hotmail.com)) continue through Thanksgiving. Practices are at Lake Padden Ballfields, moving to Civic Field as weather requires.

All ages and skill levels are welcome. Special instruction available for kids and beginners.

You will need a 'Cross or mountain bike – preferably with bottle cages removed – and a helmet.

Note a change this year: due to rising costs for renting the fields and lights, there will be a fee for all adults who participate in the practices. \$5 per practice,

or \$30 for unlimited practices during the season. Kids are always free.

And for those of you who would rather enjoy 'Cross from the sidelines, come on out to the races! Bring cowbells and position yourself near some hills or barriers or mud and encourage your friends through the obstacles!



**Welcome new members!**

Harveen Aujla

Janice Bose

Peter Bose

J. G. Sandy Brewer-Phillips

Darcie Donegan

Shawna Fletcher

Peter Hogenboom

Joseph Nolting

Elizabeth Sheinkopf

Karen Sheldon

Monica Uttich

Randall Wade

Timothy Wilson

Boon Wong

**We're so glad to have you in the MBBC!**

Thank you also to 12 renewing members.  
You're all now renewed for year 2014

**MBBC ADMINISTRATION**

**Mount Baker Bicycle Club**

**Board of Directors and Officers:**

Marie Kimball - President; Patti Mullin - Vice President;  
Scott Dorough - Secretary; Brian Christensen - Treasurer;  
Eric Stromerson - Ride Coordinator;  
Doug Schoonover - Event Coordinator (position open)  
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**Contribute to the newsletter:  
submission guidelines:**

Contributions of articles, editorials, photographs, and artwork are welcome for inclusion in the newsletter. Anything related to bicycling will be considered; please discuss ideas with the editor in advance to reserve newsletter space or if you have questions. Final materials are due the last Friday before the last full week of every month, though earlier submissions are appreciated. Text can be submitted in any common format, for example: plain text, RTF, HTML, MS Word, etc. Please use JPG, PNG, or TIFF format for photos, and ensure they are at least 250 ppi. Articles may be edited for grammar, spelling, and space considerations.

Please notify the MBBC of upcoming cycling events for inclusion in the events list/calendar. Provide details plus contact information.

Classified ads are a MBBC member privilege and are printed as space is available.

Email the newsletter editor:

mbbcnewsletter@mtbakerbikeclub.org, or drop a note to Editor, MBBC Newsletter; PO Box 2702; Bellingham WA 98227

**MBBC Membership Form**

New Member    Renewing Member    This is a change of address

Last name: \_\_\_\_\_ First name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Associate member: \_\_\_\_\_

(An associate member is any person living at the same address as the individual member)

I would like to receive my newsletter by (choose one):  printed & mailed, or  on-line

Would you like to help? Volunteers are our most valuable resource.

Please check any of the boxes that appeal to you and we will be in touch:

- Ride Leader       Newsletter       Board Member
- Bike to Work and School Day       Chuckanut Century
- Special Events       Website Maintenance       Education
- I can provide discounts on \_\_\_\_\_

see member benefits and download membership form at: [mtbakerbikeclub.org/membership](http://mtbakerbikeclub.org/membership)

**Membership type:**

Individual: \$15 \_\_\_\_\_

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Additional Donation: \_\_\_\_\_

(donations support community bicycling programs)

**Total enclosed:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Post Office Box 2702  
Bellingham, Washington 98227



# CHUCKANUT CENTURY RECAP – SEPTEMBER 15, 2013

◀ by Doug Schoonover, Event Organizer

photos: Peter Frye

Sunday morning the 15th started off quite foggy but as the day progressed, the fog lifted. The afternoon brought some brief thunder showers in limited areas which some got to experience and others missed altogether. There were 280 brave souls who participated even though the weather looked marginal. Around here you have to be ready to go regardless of the weather report.

Kids' Council Northwest was able to recruit a large number of capable and enthusiastic volunteers which made the day run smoothly. This year proceeds are going to them to support the TreeHouse program they run for children and teens who are grieving due to the death of a parent or sibling.

Some of the accomplishments that I am aware of -

A club member and her son set out to do 25 miles and decided to go 50. He looked pretty good at the end.

A gentleman, aged 70, did his first ever century.

Another gentleman, aged 78, did 25 miles and wants to know if anyone old did 50 miles.

There were riders as young as age 8 and a number 70 or older as well as a number of tandems and one triple set-up. ▶

I want to extend a huge "Thank you" to all the participants and volunteers that made this another successful event.



## MBBC RIDE LEADERS LED THE BELLINGHAM BAY MARATHON – AND IT WAS A WET ONE!



In a display of true heroics, 10 hardy MBBC riders represented the club as race leaders for the 3 fields in the Bellingham Bay Marathon on Sunday, September 29th.

In case you don't remember, that was the weekend of the torrential rainstorm that dropped a couple inches in town. The MBBC leaders, led by organizer Greg Rehm, suited up in all their raingear and rode ahead of the runners in the half marathon, the full marathon, and the 5K.

There have been plenty of stories of rain, hail, headwinds, and general sogginess. If you want to get the first hand account, talk to one of the cadre: John Enyeart, Bunny Finch, Ken Giffin, Hilary Higgins, Marie Kimball, Scott Klimo, Shawn Lucke, Bill McCourt, Greg Rehm and Doug Schoonover.

Thanks for representing our tough and dependable club!



▼ Hilary and Bunny lead the 5K runners.

(not pictured: Marie, Ken, John, and Bill, who led the marathon for a full 5 hours of downpour. Visualize "drowned rat.")



▶ Doug, Scott, Greg, and Shawn lead out the half marathon runners  
photos: Bunny Finch

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
		<b>October 1</b> Ferndale social ride Bike/Ped Count	<b>2</b> Wed Ride CX practice Bike/Ped Count	<b>3</b> Edison Social Ride Travelogue Series Bike/Ped Count	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Donut Ride Cascade CX Opener B'ham Trail Work
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<b>13</b> 2 Duathlons Rabbit "Hell" Ride Edison Social Ride B'Ham Tweed Ride	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Ferndale ride Senate T'portation Listening Session	<b>16</b> Wed Group Ride CX practice	<b>17</b> Edison Social Ride	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Donut Ride B'ham Trail Work WMBC Awards
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