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President's Message *by Paul Beach*



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I'm looking out our front window, it's snowing (about 6-8") and temperatures in the teens! When will it be warm enough to go out in shorts/jersey and enjoy our great sport of cycling with our S.I.W. friends? Soon we hope! The Club has a lot of rides and events this year, as always, to look forward to.

Finally, after years of trying, our S.I.W. bike club has been able to relocate our Adopt-A-Highway program. We will now be picking up trash in front of S.C.H.S.; US31 from the light at SR403 to Perry Crossing. I believe this will be a safer and better area to clean. This is an area which we actually ride in, where the community can see us as helpful, responsible, and concerned cycling citizens. Also, please notice the new S.I.W. Adopt-A-Highway signs!

Hopefully we'll see each other on a ride soon!

Have fun and ride safe!

God bless,

If you are a bicyclist in the Southern Indiana/Louisville area and would like to ride with a great group of people with similar interests, come check us out! Just pick up a Southern Indiana Wheelmen or Slowspokes ride schedule from the Clarksville Schwinn bicycle shop. If you have any questions, please contact one of the club officers or visit our web site at www.siwheelmen.org.



**Mark Your
Calendar!**

**Next Club Meeting
Thursday, March 19, 2015
Clarksville Library**

We will begin promptly at 6pm

Come join us & support your club

**Happy, Happy
Birthday from
all of us to
you.**

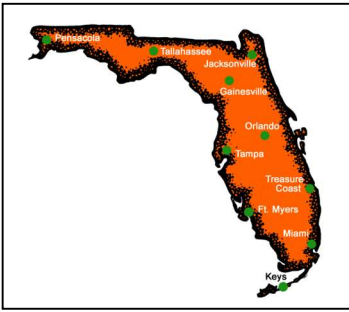


March

<i>Mike Duczeminski</i>	3-2
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<i>Dick Thorn</i>	3-22
<i>Jessica Korte</i>	3-23
<i>Randy Hein</i>	3-26
<i>Eric Happel</i>	3-26
<i>Bob Quinn</i>	3-28
<i>Kathy Denison</i>	3-31

April

<i>Don Forsee</i>	4-02
<i>Derek Baerenklau</i>	4-04
<i>Greg Miller</i>	4-04
<i>Alan Luger</i>	4-05
<i>Kaitlyn Hutton</i>	4-07
<i>Shana Nicholson</i>	4-07
<i>Lawrence Beattie</i>	4-08
<i>Mark Campisano</i>	4-09
<i>Dena Shofner</i>	4-11
<i>Amy Guidry</i>	4-13
<i>Claudia Fritzingler</i>	4-16
<i>Pat Mudd</i>	4-16
<i>Scott Aldridge</i>	4-18
<i>Scott Baerenklau</i>	4-27
<i>Brenda Hutton</i>	4-28



SIW Florida Trip January 2015

Twenty one SIW members gathered in Kissimmee, Florida starting January 11 through January 18, riding 4651 miles. Individual mileage ranged from 33 miles to 282. Our housing consisted of 10 one bedroom condos with full kitchens and plenty of room for all members to meet for snacks and games. Jan Campbell reserved rooms and spearheaded all arrangements for us to attend a 90 minute sale meeting which we received \$150.00 credit card for listing to their sales pitch. Great Job Jan. Also, all condos were in Campbell's name so everyone is Mr. and Mrs. Campbell. That was a total of 22 Campbell's.

The second week our total number was 14 plus as Tommy Sutton and Doris Herp joined the troop. Total miles 2765. Grand total 7416. WOW, four members rode 500 plus miles.

We drove to trailheads in and around Clermont, Groveland, Dundee, Lakeland, Polk City, and Winter Garden. On our last day, January 24, five members braved the 25 mph head winds with gusts up to 35 mph. We did find a new trail from Lake Minneola to Groveland with nice new pavement.

Mexican Train (Dominoes) and whisky sours go together well. After the rides we gathered at the hot tub. Total miles for 14 days, 7719.

The Campbell Clan



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SIW Racing Team



Up Coming Rides/Events Mark your Calendars 2015



NO DEFINITE DATES FOR RIDES BELOW

Silver Comet
Maryland
Little Miami Trail, Ohio
Michigan
Rain Ride
Amish Pre Ride
Amish



July
Aug
Aug



Cherry Pie Ride February 22nd



Rescheduled to March 1, 2015 due to weather.

See you on March 1st.

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