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WW Subscription list

*The WW list is a list of e-mail addresses of people who want to receive brief announcements of impromptu rides, road closures, and other information pertinent to bicycling via e-mail. Generally there are only a few messages per day. Any message sent to this list is broadcast to all of the subscribers. You can stop your subscription at any time. This facility was created by member, Patrick Goebel and hosted for several years by Jones Cyclery (cycling.com). Several years ago the WW subscription list was moved from Topica to SVBCBikes (Silicon Valley Bicycle Collation).

*The following features are available:

Option to read messages via the Web rather than via email.

Option to collect email and receive no more than one email (digest) per day.

Searchable Web-based list archives

*To post a message to the list (list members only), send your message to: wwbc@svbcbikes.org.

*To subscribe, send a message with "subscribe" in the subject or body to: wwbc-svbcbikes.org-request@lists.svbcbikes.org.

*To unsubscribe, send a message with "unsubscribe" in the subject or body to: wwbc-svbcbikes.org-request@lists.svbcbikes.org.

*To change your digest or other option go to: <http://lists.svbcbikes.org/options.cgi/wwbc-svbcbikes.org/>

*For help, send a message with "help" in the subject or body to wwbc-svbcbikes.org-request@lists.svbcbikes.org

*To view the Archives:

<http://lists.svbcbikes.org/private.cgi/wwbc-svbcbikes.org/> (SVBC, current messages, list members only)

<http://www.topica.com/lists/wwbc/> (Topica, messages prior to 6/24/04, open to public)

Western Wheelers Web Site

This site was created by Dan Connelly and was maintained by Carol Shaw for several years and then by Andy Kirk and Roger Stenerson. The current Webmasters are Michael Khaw and Roger Stenerson (webmaster@westernwheelers.org). The site contains the monthly ride schedules, ride reviews, ride statistics, rides catalog, member directory, club history, constitution/bylaws, ride leader tips, ride sign up sheets, and other useful information as well as links to other sites containing bicycling information. Point your web browser to: <http://www.westernwheelers.org>.

Western Wheelers Rides Catalog

This rides catalog was created and is maintained by Dick Blaine with the help of Carol Shaw. This is a collection of almost 500 routes provided by Western Wheelers members. General information on rides, road closures, ride rating scheme, etc. is available. An index contains one-line descriptions including the ride rating, starting point and destination. The index can be searched using most any text editor or word processing program for specific starting locations and/or destinations. The rides catalog is available through a link on the Western Wheelers Web page (see above) or on Dick Blaine's home page via a web browser. Point your web browser to http://theblaines.net/bicycling/rides_catalog.htm.

Ride and Ride Leader Data

These data are updated monthly by the club statistician. Information from club ride sign up sheets is entered into a data base. For each member the following information is extracted: the number of rides, miles ridden, amount of climbing, number of rides led, and etc. The data are available through a link on the Western Wheelers Web page.

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Bicyclists' Guide to Dining in the Bay Area

Lists restaurants, take-out, parks and coffee stops that are convenient on rides in the Bay Area. Created and maintained by Dick Blaine. Link is on WW site or direct to <http://theblaines.net/bicycling/dining.htm>.

On-Line Member Directory

1. Link to <http://www.westernwheelers.org> and click on "Member Directory" in the left hand navigation frame; alternately link directly to: <http://www.westernwheelers.org/main/pubdir/pubdir.pdf>.
2. If you do not have web access but want a copy of the Member Directory, contact the membership chair or me.
3. The on-line directory is in the form of a PDF which can be searched, downloaded, and/or printed. It is updated around the end of each month. Please check your listing occasionally and especially 1 month after you renew your membership. Contact the membership chair or me if you want to make changes to the information listed (see the Membership Application/Change form in the *Flat Tyre*).

You will be asked to enter your USERID and PASSWORD. Look at the mailing label on the most recent issue of the Flat Trye. For USERID, enter the first initial and last name of the first person listed - without punctuation; e.g. if the first line is: "Jim, Sam & Leslie O'Brien-Hartley", the USERID is jobrienhartley. All members at the same address use the same USERID and PASSWORD. For PASSWORD, enter the date on the first line exactly as it appears; e.g., 7/22/2007. Note that your membership expires in the month and year indicated. The day-of-the-month is chosen randomly and may be different each month.

Emergency Contact On-Line Member Directory

This version of the monthly on-line directory contains emergency contact information for all members. Several board members can access the information in the event that someone is injured on a ride. Access is password protected.