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Cue Sheet

January 2004

Over 25 years and still Riding!

A club serving the western suburbs, Northern Illinois, and beyond.
We ride anywhere, any time of day or night, year round. Come join the fun!

2002/2003 Board Recap

As the 2002/2003 Board moves on we reflected on the activities of the past two years.

This Board came together in December 2001 to determine goals that were consistent with the purpose of the club, "To promote interest in safe bicycling in all of its phases". The main goal was to work together in an open environment with support from the President to develop a reasonable and clear strategy and support it with sound tactics and terrific execution.

From the survey completed by the Board members, we developed the following Strategy Statement: "To make EBC Ride Leaders and Ride Variety the best and safest in Chicagoland."

To support the development of quality ride leaders, a Ride Leader Training Workshop was prepared by Ed Curtin, Ted Sward, Richard Diebold, Dave Polkow and Chuck Ziemer. The workshop was presented in May 2002 by Ted and Ed. A Ride Leader Mentor program was made available to match new ride leaders with experienced ride leaders. The Ride Captain coordinates requests for mentors. Cue Sheets were requested from experienced ride leaders and placed on file. Some are also available on the website.

To enhance ride variety we encouraged the addition of new ride leaders and the continued creativity of the experienced ride leaders. More members have become ride leaders. Again this year more club miles have been recorded than last year.

To enrich camaraderie we attempted to be open and responsive to all members. Ellen Johnson the Membership Director has had a very positive impact on potential and new members. She has been an enthusiastic spokesperson for membership and also during club meetings. Adding an invitational coordinator increased the opportunity for members to attend other rides together. The opportunity for recognition was increased by the program to publish total annual mileage achieved by members.

To enhance safety we obtained an outstanding safety chair in Ted Sward and promoted safety whenever.

To make them more relevant to today's club, the by-laws were rewritten and adopted. The changes were developed under the leadership of Chuck Ziemer and aided by Susan Kilgore and Bill Coates.

To enhance financial stability dues were increased and expenses were reduced. Significant savings were achieved by reducing newsletter printing and mailing costs. The distribution of newsletters via email has more than doubled.

Thanks to the Board members who are leaving their posts this year and to the Standing Committee members for 2003.

Board

President: Bob Sack for leading the board through the process to develop and carry out programs related to the desired strategy. He established an open and collaborative environment that enabled board members and other club members to offer opinions and feedback. He did this even though he was a "part-time" participant while snow birding in Florida and Arizona.

Vice-President/Ride Captain: Ed Curtin for serving in this position for five years. During this time the total club mileage grew from 53,674 in 1998 to over 115,000 in 2003. The number of last minute events went from practically none to 10% to 20% of the total events. He was also instrumental in preparing and presenting the Ride Leader Training Workshop.

Treasurer: Chuck Ziemer for serving on the board again as he has several times before during the past 26 years. He provided the practical and experienced feedback to keep fiscal responsibility visible.

Upcoming Events

Chili Ride

Sometime in February or March?

Bike Show

March 26—28, Navy Pier

Metro Metric

July 25, Hampshire, Illinois

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Cue Sheet will publish your want ads—free!

E-mail **Larry Gitchell** at LarsofMars@aol.com or mail to **Larry Gitchell 315 E. Palmer Ave., Northlake, IL 60164-1843**

Please let us know when your articles have been sold or when your Equipment Wanted request has been filled. Ads will be deleted after three months. Notify us if you want them to run longer. Space permitting, we will accommodate you.

For Sale : Easton carbon fiber bar, used, 195 gm, 44 cm \$45 (\$180 new), Cinelli Solido stem, used, 110 mm, 135 gm \$25 (\$100 new), has reversible rise so it can be either +/- 10°. Call or e-mail **Rich Kuhlman 630-462-5427**, rkuhlman99@comcast.net. (10/03)

Road bike for sale : Cinelli road bike size 57cm (c to c). Color red with yellow tape. Completely equipped with Shimano Dura Ace components including pedals. Cinelli bars and stem, Campy wheels and seat post. Sel Italia saddle. Frame is Columbus SLX tubing. \$1300 with dickering; \$1200 without dickering. **Roland Porter: porter411@comcast.net** or call **630-655-1890**. You can ride at the speed of fun (or even faster) on this beautiful bike. (10/03)

Free: Inner tube for tire size 27 x 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ - 1 $\frac{1}{4}$. First come, first receive! Call **Vicki Krstansky** at **708 354-3246** or e-mail Mgcfngrs10@juno.com (11/03)

EBC Hotline—630-415-BIKE

Call for Ride updates, membership, and general information. To organize an unscheduled ride, call **Sharon Ganske 630-462-3734** or e-mail **Sharon** at ganskesh@hotmail.com
EBC Website
www.elmhurstbicycling.org

There is no January, 2004 Meeting

February Meeting is
Thursday, February 12th, 7:00 PM
Community Bank of Elmhurst
—Program—
2003 Awards Presentation

Collating Party

Friday, January 23th at 7:00 P.M.
At the home of **Judy** and **Charlie Mikesell** in Villa Park
Call **Judy** at **630-833-1036** for details

Deadline Pressure

The deadline for submissions to the February 2004 Ride Schedule is January 10th, the second Saturday of January. Call Ride Captain **Sharon Ganske, 630-462-3734**, email **Sharon** at ganskesh@hotmail.com, or see **Sharon** at the monthly meeting.

And remember, you can submit a ride to **Sharon** anytime for inclusion in the unpublished rides sections of the **HOTLINE 630-415-BIKE** and website www.elmhurstbicycling.org. Unpublished rides are also posted to the club list server.

Editorial Guidelines

Cue Sheet welcomes articles, comments, notices and want ads. Please limit the length of all items to 1/2 page or less. Remember to keep it interesting, timely, and leave your reader wanting more. Proofreading or at least a pass through the spelling checker is a must! Please keep fancy formatting to a minimum, as items will have to be reformatted for publication. The editor retains the right to reduce or revise copy, as well as deciding when and if it is printed. Thanks for helping to make Cue Sheet the best bike club Newsletter anywhere!

The deadline for the February 2004 Cue Sheet is Monday, January 12th. Send items to:

Larry Gitchell

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Northlake, IL 60164-1843

Phone: **708-409-0105** or **708-421-0120** (both lines have voicemail)

Email: LarsofMars@aol.com

We're growing every month!

Type	Memberships	Members
Family	74	178
Individual	174	174
Total	248	352

Staying Connected

Please inform us of any additions or changes to your address, phone number, or email address. We'll print them in **Cue Sheet** as they change. It's our way of updating the EBC Directory on an ongoing basis.

Send changes to:

Mary Moroney

Database Manager

Elmhurst Bicycle Club

P.O. Box 902



February 1st through the 6th 2004 are the dates for the fabulous annual UP Cross Country ski trip. The Michigan UP always has plenty of snow for skiing and snow shoeing.

The cross country ski trails are all groomed and some of the very best in the Midwest.

We will stay at the Indianhead Motel in Ironwood, MI. The Cross country ski package is \$175.00 based on double occupancy and \$215.00 for a single and includes:

5 nights lodging (Sunday thru Thursday night)

UP Ski Trip 2004

5 Trail use fees
5 Dinners at area supper clubs (\$10.00/person credit each night)
5 Continental Breakfasts
Downhill skiing is also available at a number of different venues. The package includes the same as above except instead of trail passes, lift tickets are included. The package costs more because of the lift tickets.

Those wishing to go on the trip will be responsible for making their own reservations with the Indianhead Motel. Their number is 906-932-2031. A block of rooms have been set-up so call early and tell them you are going to be with the Elmhurst Bicycle Club.

If you are interested in downhill skiing, you can ask for the details. After making your reservation, contact **Ed Curtin** by phone at **847-981-1677** or via e-mail at curtine1@comcast.net. **Ed** will keep track of who is going and keep everyone informed with trip information.

Submitted by **Ed Curtin**

January 2004

ELMHURST BICYCLE CLUB CALENDAR

APPROVED SNELL or ANSI HELMET IS RECOMMENDED ON ALL RIDES.
 USE OF HEADPHONES IS PROHIBITED BY THE ILLINOIS VEHICLE CODE,
 AND THEREFORE IS NOT ALLOWED ON ELMHURST BICYCLE CLUB RIDES.
 CALL THE EBC RIDE HOTLINE 630-415-BIKE FOR UPDATES.

Disclaimer

Elmhurst Bicycle Club Release and Liability Waiver

For liability protection and insurance purposes, it is the policy of the Elmhurst Bicycle Club ("EBC") to require all of its members to sign the Release and Liability Waiver which is a part of the EBC Membership Application. Guests of the EBC (which term includes all non-members of EBC) who wish to participate in any EBC bicycle ride **must** sign the equivalent release and liability waiver contained on the EBC Ride Sheet before the ride starts. Any guest refusing to sign the release and liability waiver may **not** participate in the ride. Should the ride continue, however, with the participation of the non-signing guest, the ride will no longer be considered to be an EBC sponsored or sanctioned ride.

Date	Time	Distance	Start	Ride Leader	Ride Description
Thu., Jan 1	9:00 AM	25 miles 12-14 mph	Depot Elmhurst	Larry Gitchell 708-409-0105 H 847-288-7936 W	New Years Day - First Ride of the Year Ride to Uncle George's Pancake House
Thu., Jan 1	10:00 AM	10 miles 10-12 mph	Depot Elmhurst	Joanne DeZur 630-833-7688	New Years Day - Second Ride of the Year Ride to Uncle George's Pancake House
Sat., Jan 3	9:00 AM	Determined by riders that show	Depot Elmhurst	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will determine the ride leader, distance and pace.
Sun., Jan 4	9:30 AM	20-25 miles 16-18+ mph	Panera Bread Elmhurst	Dave Polkow 630-832-8131	This will be a non-stop 90 minute ride Leader will show up as long as the forecasted high temperature is at least 20 degrees. Call if you have any questions.
Sun., Jan 4	12 Noon	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will decide ride leader, distance and pace.
Mon., Jan 5	7:00 PM	Board Meeting	Roland Porter's House	Roland Porter 630-655-1890	Monthly Board Meeting
Tues., Jan 6	9:30 AM	3 Hour Hike	McDowell Grove FP	Ted Sward 708-354-5782	Ted's Tours - Part 6 Meet at McDowell Grove FP (NW Naperville) McDowell Rd. and Raymond Rd. 1.1 mile N of Ogden Ave., Rt 34 on Raymond. South of I-88 and Diehl Rd. Bring snacks.
Wed., Jan 7	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Parking lot at Maple St. & Park Ave. Lombard	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Intermediate Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
Wed., Jan 7	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Fast Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
		No January Club Meeting		Roland Porter 630-655-1890	Mark your calendar for the first club meeting of 2004 on February 12. Don't miss the annual awards presentation.
Sat., Jan 10	9:00 AM	Determined by riders that show	Depot Elmhurst	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will determine the ride leader, distance and pace.
Sat., Jan 10	9:30 AM	2 Hour or 4 Mile Hike	Green Valley FP 79th Street Woodridge	Susan Kilgore 630-515-1865	How Green is the Valley Hike starts at the Thunderbird campground off 79th Street west of Green Rd. Optional breakfast before the hike at 8:15 am at Grandma's in Lisle. Grandma's is on route 53 south of Maple.
Sun., Jan 11	9:30 AM	20-25 miles 16-18+ mph	Panera Bread Elmhurst	Dave Polkow 630-832-8131	This will be a non-stop 90 minute ride Leader will show up as long as the forecasted high temperature is at least 20 degrees. Call if you have any questions.
Sun., Jan 11	12 Noon	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will decide ride leader, distance and pace.
Mon., Jan 12	10:30 AM	Downhill Ski	Wilmot Mountain Cafeteria Wilmot, Wisconsin	Helen Korth 630-665-0369	Downhill Skiing No snow here? Wilmot has groomed and manmade slopes. Wilmot is located on the IL/WI border, 17 miles W of I94. Take I94 N to Rt.173, go W for 14 mi., go N on Wilmot Rd for 3 mi. to ski area.
Tues., Jan 13	9:30 AM	3 Hour Hike	Teason's Woods FP	Ted Sward 708-354-5782	Ted's Tours - Part 7 Meet at Teason's FP at the intersection of 111th St. (Route 83) and 104th Ave. (Willow Springs Rd.) SE corner. Palos area. Bring snacks.

The time of the event shown in the calendar above is the actual departure time. Please allow time for bicycle assembly and inspection, filling of water bottles, inflating tires, etc.. prior to departure. The advertised pace will be at the discretion of the ride leader to allow for resistance to the wind and terrain. The pace is considered to be the maximum speed attained on a level road without appreciable head wind or tailwind. Please select the ride that best fits your ability. Know for yourself whether you are comfortable to sustain the pace and finish the advertised distance.

Date	Time	Distance	Start	Ride Leader	Ride Description
Wed., Jan 14	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Parking lot at Maple St. & Park Ave. Lombard	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Intermediate Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
Wed., Jan 14	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Fast Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
Sat., Jan 17	9:00 AM	Determined by riders that show	Depot Elmhurst	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will determine the ride leader, distance and pace.
Sat., Jan 17	9:30 AM	3 Hour Hike	Front of Library Riverside	Gerry Fekete 708-352-0913 Joanne Dybala 630-493-1514	Riverside Ramble Meet in front of the Riverside library. Call for directions if needed. Parking is available in non-permit lot south side of tracks.
Sun., Jan 18	9:30 AM	20-25 miles 16-18+ mph	Panera Bread Elmhurst	Dave Polkow 630-832-8131	This will be a non-stop 90 minute ride Leader will show up as long as the forecasted high temperature is at least 20 degrees. Call if you have any questions.
Sun., Jan 18	9:30 AM	1 1/2 Hour or 3 Mile Hike	Bemis Woods FP Western Springs	Susan Kilgore 630-515-1865	Bemis Woods Hike Hike the trails at the western end of the Salt Creek Bike Trail. Park entrance is off of Ogden Ave, just east of I-294. Drive into the park all the way to the western most parking lot.
Sun., Jan 18	12 Noon	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will decide ride leader, distance and pace.
Tues., Jan 20	9:30 AM	3 Hour Hike	Waterfall Glen FP	Ted Sward 708-354-5782	Ted's Tours - Part 8 Meet in the parking lot of the Park Ranger's Residence/Outdoor Education Camp, .7 mile west of Rt. 83 on Bluff Rd. Bring snacks.
Wed., Jan 21	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Parking lot at Maple St. & Park Ave. Lombard	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Intermediate Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
Wed., Jan 21	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Fast Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
Fri., Jan 23	7:00 PM	Monthly Collating Party	Judy Mikesell's House Villa Park	Judy Mikesell 630-833-1036	Newsletter Collating Party Join fellow members in preparing next month's newsletter for mailing. Takes about 45 minutes. Call Judy for directions.
Sat., Jan 24	9:00 AM	Determined by riders that show	Depot Elmhurst	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will determine the ride leader, distance and pace.
Sat., Jan 24	10:30 AM	2 Hour Hike	Maple Grove Park Downers Grove	Susan Kilgore 630-515-1865 Mary Ann Badke 630-663-0295	Ice Festival Hike We'll hike in and around the downtown area, spot some SEARS homes, find an historic site and view lots of ice sculptures. Plan on a coffee break during the hike. Park is located just west of Dunham Street and Conely School on the north side of Maple.
Sun., Jan 25	9:30 AM	20-25 miles 16-18+ mph	Panera Bread Elmhurst	Dave Polkow 630-832-8131	This will be a non-stop 90 minute ride Leader will show up as long as the forecasted high temperature is at least 20 degrees. Call if you have any questions.
Sun., Jan 25	12 Noon	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will decide ride leader, distance and pace.
Tues., Jan 27	9:30 AM	3 Hour Hike	Little Red School House	Ted Sward 708-354-5782	Ted's Tours - Part 9 New route. The Little Red School House, is 1/2 mile south of 95th St. on Willow Springs Rd. (Flavin/104th Ave.) Bring snacks.
Wed., Jan 28	10:30 AM	Downhill Ski	Wilmot Mtn. Cafeteria Wisconsin	Helen Korth 630-665-0369	Downhill Skiing No snow here? See Jan. 12 for details.
Wed., Jan 28	6:30 PM	Determined by riders that show	Gazebo Glen Ellyn	Determined by riders that show	Wednesday Night Fast Pace Show and Go The riders that show will decide the ride leader, distance and pace.
Sat., Jan 31	9:00 AM	Determined by riders that show	Depot Elmhurst	Determined by riders that show	Weekly Show and Go. The riders that show will determine the ride leader, distance and pace.

Summit County, Colorado Bike Trip

July 31-August 7, 2004

Mountain biking, road biking, and bike paths! Terrific scenery!
Shopping! Hiking! Luxury Condos! Horses! Fishing! Golf!

For more information, contact:

Roger Kasch 847-372-8290 kaschr@yahoo.com or
Karen+Bill Schwartz 630-963-6250 cteach3@comcast.net

Got Mileage?

Aware that many club members put in miles on their bikes for various purposes such as commuting, shopping, errands, tours and riding to and from club rides, we thought it would be interesting to gather and publish those miles for the year 2003. Compile your own mileage and report the miles to **Sharon Ganske** by January 8, 2004. The February 2004 newsletter will include a list with all of the participants.

Directions to ride starting locations

Starting Point	Directions
Community Bank of Elmhurst Elmhurst, IL	330 West Butterfield Road, at the intersection of Butterfield Road and Spring Road. The Community Bank is on the southwest corner. Meeting room is on the second floor. Please don't bring bikes into the meeting room.
Depot Elmhurst, IL	Rides start from the public parking lot just east of York Road on Vallette Street. Vallette St. is ¼ mile south of St. Charles Road, York Road is 1 mile west of I-290.
Gazebo Glen Ellyn, IL	On the Prairie Path between Park Ave and Main Street. By car, take Roosevelt Road (Route 38) or North Ave. (Route 64) to Main Street Glen Ellyn (about 1¼ miles west of I-355) and head into downtown Glen Ellyn. The Gazebo is in the middle of the train station parking lot on the south side of the UP tracks.
McCollum Park Downers Grove, IL	McCollum Park is located at the SE Corner of 67th and Main Streets in Downers Grove.
Spring Rock Park Western Springs, IL	Spring Rock Park is located at 47 th Street and Central, just East of I-294 (Tri-State Tollway). The parking lot entrance is off Central north of 47th Street.
Villa Park Depot, Villa Park, IL	The Villa Park Depot is located at the intersection of Villa Ave. & Park Ave. on the IPP. Approximately 2-3 blocks South of the Villa Ave. & St. Charles Road intersection in Villa Park.
Volunteer Park Wheaton, IL	Milepost zero on the Prairie Path Main Stem., at the intersection of Liberty and Carlton Streets in Wheaton. ¼ mile north of Roosevelt Road, ½ mile west of Main Street / Schmale Road.
Waterfall Glen Forest Preserve Darien, IL	Rides typically start from the parking lot on Northgate Road. This is just south of Interstate 55 and just to the west off of Cass Avenue.
Panera Bread Elmhurst, IL	Panera Bread is located on the west side of York Road, just south of North Avenue (Route 64), in the same building with CVS Pharmacy.
Parking Lot at Maple and Park Lombard, IL	The start is located in the parking lot at the NE corner of Maple Street and Park Ave., just east of Lilacia Park and the Helen Plum Memorial Library in Lombard.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Individual(\$20) Family(\$25) New Renewal

[Indicate with ** next to any information you **do not want** to appear in the club directory]

EBC's membership year runs from January 1 to December 31.

Joining after October 1 continues your membership through the following year.

Name _____
(If family membership, list names of all members)

Address _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Phone—Home _____ Work _____ E-Mail _____
Delivery of your newsletter by email will be assumed unless Editor is notified otherwise.

The Following Is A Release And Waives Your Rights In the Event of Injury and/or Death. In consideration of being permitted to be a member of Elmhurst Bicycle Club and to participate In club rides and/or events, including transportation to and from same, I do hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, release, waive and forever discharge Elmhurst Bicycle Club, its officers and members from any and all claims, demands, actions or liabilities on account of any injury to me which may occur from any cause whatsoever, including negligence or other fault on the part of anyone released hereunder, during my participation In or transportation to or from said rides and/or events. I ACKNOWLEDGE I AM AWARE OF THE RISKS AND HAZARDS INHERENT UPON ENGAGING IN SAID CLUB ACTIVITIES, AND I DO SO ENTIRELY UPON MY OWN INITIATIVE, RISK AND RESPONSIBILITY. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THE CLUB DEPENDS ON ITS MEMBERS TO PROVIDE AND LEAD CLUB ACTIVITIES AND THAT THOSE MEMBERS RELY ON THE PROTECTION AFFORDED HEREUNDER. I hereby further agree to operate my bicycle in a manner that is safe to me and those around me, to observe all applicable safety regulations and to conduct myself In a manner that will be complimentary to the sport of bicycling. It Is my intent that this release and waiver apply at all times, notwithstanding that my membership in the Elmhurst Bicycle Club may have expired, elapsed, been renewed or reinstated after a period of non-membership. I FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND WAIVER AND UNDERSTAND IT, INCLUDING THAT IT IS INTENDED TO COVER OCCURRENCES WHICH MAY NOT YET HAVE OCCURRED AND WHICH ARE UNKNOWN TO ME, AND NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY WITH THE FULL INTENT THAT IT BE FOREVER ENFORCEABLE.

Date _____ Signature _____

Signatures of adult family members for family Membership _____

Mail to: Elmhurst Bicycle Club
P.O. Box 902
Elmhurst, IL 60126

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Membership Coordinator: Ellen Johnson for her liveliness and her energy that she brought to the club meetings. She even made announcements about membership numbers seem exciting. Her open contributions to the board meetings were missed during part of the last year while she had to focus on her "real job".

Committees

Advocacy: Mike Incopero for making sure the club is well informed about important issues.

Collating: Judy and Charlie Mikesell for continuing hospitality and dependability in getting the newsletter mailed out each month.

Database: Mary Moroney for doing such a great job of keeping track of all of the member's statistics even though the statistics keep rising each year.

Internet Bike Info: Rich Kuhlman for his contributions to the newsletter and equally importantly for his active participation at club meetings.

List Server: Marty Kotecki for making sure members can communicate with each other electronically.

Literature: Walter Chlipala for diligently lugging all of the biking literature to the monthly meetings.

Metro Metric: Joanne DeZur for a successful and exciting invitational ride. Next year we vote for less excitement.

Newsletter: Larry Gitchell for continuing to produce the best club newsletter. We look forward to another 12 months of exciting pictures of the editor.

Programs: John Park for an outstanding job in getting interesting and topical speakers.

Refreshments: Shirley Ziemer for her well thought out array of refreshments that were within the club budget.

Safety: Ted Sward for putting safety on the map for the club, including the great example that he sets. One of his articles was even featured on a bike shop website.

Sergeant -At-Arms: Mike Struglinski for his quiet, behind the scenes work to assure that our meeting room is always ready on time.

Web Master: Cindy Reedy for the creative improvements that has made the EBC website the best bike club site around.