



*Next CBC Meeting - July 15 2019*

**The Tailwind 070319**

**CBC Summer Celebration  
Featuring  
Shreq's Scavenger Poker Rides**



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There will be 2 rides in the CBC Summer Celebration, a 15-miler and a 30-miler. Both rides will be at a leisurely, social pace. Hopefully participants will ride together, working as a team, to discover unknown locations along the routes. When a location is discovered, playing cards will be handed out by the Card Carrier. The 15-mile ride will have 5 hidden locations, the 30-miler will have 7.

As the riders return, they will have the opportunity to acquire two “Wild” cards to enhance their poker hand by answering 2 trivia questions. The questions will be about something passed along the routes.

At the end of the rides and trivia test, the rider with the highest ranking, 5 card poker hand wins. In the case of a tie, the winner will be decided by Rock/Paper/Scissors/Lizard/Spock. Just kidding, checking to see if you were paying attention... a drawing will be held.

Clues to the unknown locations will be handed out before the rides start. Using the clues, participants, riding and working together, should be able to discover the right spots. At that point, the Card Carrier/Sweep/Ride Leader will allow the riders to pick a card from the deck.

Participation in the Scavenger Poker Rides will cost \$5. Sign-up using the **REGISTER NOW** button at the this link... <https://chattanoogaclub.com/cbc-calendar-mw/#!event/2019/7/6/the-rides-at-cbc-summer-celebration>. Or sign-up the morning of the Ride.

Participation in the Scavenger Poker Ride is not required for a rider to come along and enjoy the rides.

Both rides start & end at the Soddy Daisy Veteran’s Park, 9057 Dayton Pike, Soddy Daisy TN.

### **30 Mile Scavenger Poker Ride**

- 8:30 am
- Card Carrier/Sweep/Ride Leader – Cindy Pape
- 7 hidden locations
- There will be hills
- One store stop around mile 18
- Social pace, riding as a group, 11-13 mph average at rides end.
- Restrooms available at the start
- Sign-up using the **REGISTER NOW** button at this link... <https://chattanoogaclub.com/cbc-calendar-mw/#!event/2019/7/6/the-rides-at-cbc-summer-celebration>

### **15 Mile Scavenger Poker Ride**

- 9:30 am
  - Card Carrier/Sweep/Ride Leader – Lou “Shreq” Pape (423-580-3691)
  - 5 hidden locations
  - As flat as it gets in Soddy Daisy
  - No store stops
  - Social pace, riding as a group, 10-12 mph average at rides end.
  - Restrooms available at the start
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- Sign-up using the **REGISTER NOW** button at this link... <https://chattanooga-bicycle-club.com/cbc-calendar-mw/#!event/2019/7/6/the-rides-at-cbc-summer-celebration>

**Don't forget the KABOBS ON THE BARBIE lunch at 12:00 at the Verteran's Park. Bring your own or purchase for \$5.00. Please bring an appetizer, side dish or a homemade dessert. CBC will provide beverages and SMORES! *You don't have to ride to kabob!!***

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Attendees in your party: \_\_\_\_\_  
# OF CHICKEN KABOBS \_\_\_\_\_ # OF BEEF KABOBS \_\_\_\_\_ # OF VEGGIE KABOBS \_\_\_\_\_

I am going to share with my fellow riders: \_\_\_\_\_ an appetizer, \_\_\_\_\_ a side dish, \_\_\_\_\_ a dessert.

**PLEASE RSVP BY JULY 1ST to [p.nihells@gmail.com](mailto:p.nihells@gmail.com)**



## CYCLE SEQUATCHIE

*I know the Cycle Sequatchie seems a long way off but it will be here before we know it. CBC is responsible for this event and we need participation from our members. We need volunteers. We always had great support from our members for the 3-State and we need it again for this event. [You can find a list of volunteer opportunities for the event by clicking here.](#)*

**In addition to offering a fun cycling event for both locals and out-of-towners, the ride will serve as the primary fundraiser for the club, much as the 3 State 3 Mountain Challenge was for many years. As a first-year event, our**

expectations for revenue are modest, but we believe the ride has great potential to turn into a significant fundraising event.

To reach that point, we need this first year to be a success. So please help us spread the word about the ride, and consider getting involved as a volunteer. [You can find a list of volunteer opportunities for the event by clicking here.](#) All volunteers will receive an event t-shirt along with lunch & beer tickets!

We are especially looking for help with the rest stops and would love to have someone step up to help with recruiting & coordinating the volunteers. If you would like to take a lead role at a rest stop or with the volunteer effort as a whole, please let us know and we'll get you plugged in!

Of course if you want to do the ride, by all means [sign up!](#) We want all of our club members to participate in whatever way feels right.

You can find more details about the event at: [CycleSequatchie.com](http://CycleSequatchie.com)

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Shannon Burke

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Join us OCT 5th for Cycle Sequatchie!



**Boom Days/DeSoto State Park Bike Weekend**  
**September 19-23\*\*, 2019**

**SAVE THE DATE!!!**

This is an event for everyone! We'll be spending the weekend at **DeSoto State Park** in Fort Payne, AL. That much is the same for everyone. The rest can be tailored to your tastes.

**The Boom Days Celebration** in Fort Payne, AL is happening this weekend. It's a 2 day festival, on September 21st and 22nd, with music and events. We'll take some time to enjoy the fun!

<https://boomdays.com/>

**How do we get there?**

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### **Bike Tour:**

For those wanting to bicycle from Chickamauga to DeSoto State Park, we will pedal an approximately 50 mile route on Friday, September 20th and return on Monday, September 23rd.. We'll be climbing Lookout Mountain out of Menlo, GA. There are two options for the tour: You can load up your bike and carry all of your own gear OR you can just ride your bike and let "Saggy" Bob Olson carry everything for you. He will be sagging for the ride.

### **Don't want to bike to the park?**

#### **Drive there:**

Drive to the park on Thursday, September 19th and stay until Sunday or Monday, September 22nd or 23rd. We will have bike rides planned, out of the park, on Friday through Sunday.

### **Where do we stay?**

DeSoto State Park has something for everyone! There's camping, cabins and a motel at the park. We recommend you make your reservations as soon as possible. Find a camping buddy and split the cost! **\*\*YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR OWN RESERVATIONS\*\***

<https://www.alapark.com/desoto-state-park>

Camping is \$37 per night (plus fees). You can have 2 tents OR 1 camper and 1 tent on each site. The Papes will be on site #17 and the Olsons will be on site #19. We are in the Upper Loop.

We'll have more details about this tour during the summer. Please RSVP or direct any questions to Peggy Olson, (920) 412-0999, [pbiker10@yahoo.com](mailto:pbiker10@yahoo.com).

### **New database shows best cycling routes in area**

A new online database highlights tested, safe and scenic cycling routes at a variety of distances in the Sequatchie Valley.

Article in the [Times Free Press, Tues, Feb 12](#).

### **CBC Facebook Group!**

Did you know there is a new Facebook Group just for CBC members? It's a great outlet to keep in contact with your fellow biking friends. You can pass on messages about club rides, organized rides, interesting bike articles or memes or anything bike related. Keep it friendly and keep it clean!

Here's the link to get you started!

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/332991920650147/>



**Jerseys, T-Shirts & Socks are available in the CBC Store**

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CBC short sleeve T-shirts, Jerseys and Socks are for sale now in the Club Store. T-Shirts will be shipped when purchased.

There is also a tab referring to '**Clearence**' items. These are items left over from previous events or club jerseys that were not sold at the time. Especially for new members, this is a great chance to get some older clothing. It is restricted to the sizes mentioned. However many folks wear clothing designated for the opposite sex. In these items it really doesn't matter. It just depends on how it fits. So check these out.

### **Ride Pictures**

Had a great time on the **Chickamauga Dam to Moccasin Bend Ride**, especially when we stopped at the Chattanooga Bakery for Moon Pies!

The riders were: Daisy Blanton, A.B. Maynard, Tony Thompson, Sharon Tingley and Chuck (photographer).

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We rode around on part of the Chick Greenway and a little on the skirts of downtown before crossing the bridge to Moccasin Bend. Sharon Tingley, Daisy Blanton, Tony Thompson, A.B. Maynard and Chuck(photographer).



Pictures from Chuck's **Friday River Walk Leisure Ride**. The riders were front row to back: Fred Buttner, Daisy Blanton, Loretta Leda, Jon Bell, Marty Pinson, Raleigh Cooper, Howard Rowe, Cindy Pape, Joe Nivert, Dave Bennett, Pete Williams, Bob Haag and Chuck (photographer).

John Oakey, Mike Hartline, Gray Fletcher, and Lou Pape watched the bikes.

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Lou Pape was showing off his new mirror



Daisy Blanton crossing the bridge over Chickamauga Creek.



Fred Buttner & Fat Chicken crossing Chickamauga Creek.



Saturday, the family and Chattanooga Bicycle club member friends remembered **Carol Zitzow**. She was a great leader in all she did through life. She inspired me with her cool demeanor and the ease she portrayed in teaching others what she knew from her experiences. One of her favorite rides was through the Signal Mountain community during Halloween. During Halloween it was an "enchanted" ride with the beautiful homes, the decorations and the Fall colors on the top of the mountain. Saturday we did this ride and the scenery was gorgeous, even this time of the year. We rode early to avoid the late afternoon heat. The most breathtaking part of the ride is always the "Brow overlooks", aside from the hills in various points of town that also capture your breath but in a different way.... Big thanks to Uwe Zitzow and his family for putting this together, ride leader - Alan Voss, ride sweep - Del Sudkamp. Carol would have been proud! Cindy Pape

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The views are amazing.



Lou not only has a new mirror. He has a decorated bike.

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Scarecrow pictures to make it look like October!

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We rode by the Zitzow's home so we would know where to go for the lunch after the ride. It has so much of Carol in it.



This past **Sunday's Riverpark/Downtown** Group Option Ride toured Fort Wood, visited the UTC campus, and included a stop at the Farmer's Market. The peaches, blueberries and produce in general was so appetizing that the group plans to stop there again this coming Sunday; only this time prepared to buy and carry some of that luscious fruit and whatever else one's bike bag may hold. So if you're looking for a leisure ride that's a bit different, we'll see you next Sunday; launch time 10am.

Pictured with The Statue Guy are Rich Rudner, Patti Nihells and Jim Johnson (Chuck Puglisi, photographer).

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The riders on the **Monday Night City Ride** on July 1 were: Sharon Russell, Carter Simmons, Richard Russell, Forrest Simmons, David Eagle, Walter Amador, and Chuck (photographer).

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**N GA Lite ride thru Lookout Valley.** They were flying at the Hang Glider park so we got to watch several land and take off. Of course, we completely forgot about pictures until we were back loading up our cars. A.B. Maynard, Sharon Tingley, Daisy Blanton, Debbi Bowman, Sandy Mauser and Chuck (photographer). Art Thompson escaped before we thought about a picture.

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### **Weekly CBC Birthdays**

#### **July 4 - July 10**

Katie Bishop, 7/3; Steve Hancock, 7/4; Jacob Volzer, 7/10

### **Monthly Membership Notices**

Please be sure to notify us of any email change since all our communication is generally online. Thanks.

#### **Welcome New and Returning Members for the Month of July**

Frank Martin, Kevin Mowery, David Ward

#### **Membership Renewals Due in the Month of August 2019**

Debbie Bowman and Sandy Mauser, Terry Hunt, Jim Reagan, Lee Reed, Robbie Wheat

[Renew Online](#)

**2019 May CBC Meeting Minutes & 2019 June CBC Meeting Agenda**

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**2019 June Annual meeting minutes.**

<http://chattanoogabicycleclub.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/June-2019-mtg-minutes.pdf>

**2019 June annual meeting agenda.**

<http://chattanoogabicycleclub.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/CBC-General-meeting-agenda-6-17-19.pdf>

**Outreach Discussion Group Agenda**

<https://chattanoogabicycleclub.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/03/Outreach-Discussion-Agenda-03-18-19.pdf>

**This Week's Upcoming Rides - check the CBC ride calendar for more details and activities**

<https://chattanoogabicycleclub.com/ride-calendar/>

**Thursday, July 4, 9:00 AM - Urban Ride - Happy 4th of July! Ride - Ride Leader: Chuck**

Phone: (865) 321-0893 Email: [cjp0124@gmail.com](mailto:cjp0124@gmail.com)

Start at: Hubert Fry Center on the Riverwalk

Length of Ride: Approximately 18.5 or 24.5 miles.

Average Speed: 10-13 mph

Rest stops available at the beginning and during the ride.

This is a no-drop ride.

In observance of the 4th of July, this ride will pass the Chattanooga National Cemetery. It will then tour through historic Fort Wood. The ride will arrive at the intersection of Houston and 3rd Avenue.

18.5 mile version: Folks who need to scoot home for July 4 preparations have the option to use the pedestrian crossing light at Houston and Riverside Drive (That accesses the Riverwalk at Battery Place.) to take the Riverwalk back to the start.

24.5 mile version: Riders with time for more miles will take 3rd down to Chestnut, left on Main, tour the historic homes on Eveningside Drive and Morningside Drive, and then return to the start via Willow, Dodson, Wilder and the Riverwalk.

<https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30427158>

**Thursday, July 4, 6:00 PM - Battlefield - A, B, C Groups - Please note: I don't see this ride on the calendar for this day and suspect it is canceled due to the 4th.**

A weekly ride through the Chickamauga Battlefield and surrounding area. Meet in lower parking lot of Visitors Center. Rest rooms may or may not be open at start, so plan accordingly. Dependent on group, there may be option for mid-ride store stop.

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A Group

Distance 25-35 miles. Average overall pace at ride's end is 18-20mph.

Ride leaders:

Ben Keim 423.504.8597 ([benkeim03@hotmail.com](mailto:benkeim03@hotmail.com))

Barry Matlock 423.475.3208 ([barry.matlock@gmail.com](mailto:barry.matlock@gmail.com))

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B Group

Distance approx. 25 miles. Average overall pace at ride's end is 15-16 mph early in season. We'll work together to increase that pace with the goal of a 17-18+ avg by end of season. No drop.

Ride Leaders (will alternate weeks):

Richard Russell 423.598.1243 ([rwr.tnruss@gmail.com](mailto:rwr.tnruss@gmail.com))

Sharon Russell 423.240.2700 ([slr.tnruss@gmail.com](mailto:slr.tnruss@gmail.com))

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C Group

Distance 15-25 miles, depending on participants. Average overall pace at ride's end 12-14 mph. No drop.

Ride Leaders (will alternate weeks):

Sharon Russell 423.240.2700 ([slr.tnruss@gmail.com](mailto:slr.tnruss@gmail.com))

Richard Russell 423.598.1243 ([rwr.tnruss@gmail.com](mailto:rwr.tnruss@gmail.com))

**Friday, July 5, 9:30 AM - Riverpark Twenty or Thirty Mile Leisure Ride - This ride consists of two loops. The first loop is**

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a leisurely ride that follows the Riverwalk from the Hubert Fry Center to the Wheland Foundry Station in St. Elmo, and then returns to Hubert Fry Center. The ride has a “bring your own snack” stop at the Blue Goose Hollow Station on the way back from St. Elmo. Near the end of the loop, riders have the option of either heading back to Hubert Fry Center, or adding the second loop, a ten mile ride that follows the South Chickamauga Creek Greenway. 20 or 30 miles (rider choice!), 9-10 mph, no drop. The average speed for the second loop will be a bit higher!

<https://ridewithgps.com/routes/26460895>

Chuck, 865/321-0893, [cjp0124@gmail.com](mailto:cjp0124@gmail.com)

**Saturday, July 6, 8:30, 9:30, 12:00 AM - CBC Summer Celebration/Poker Run** - 30 Mile Scavenger/Poker Ride start time is 08:30am. 15 Mile Scavenger/Poker Ride starts at 09:30am. Kabobs at 12:00. See above.

**Sunday, July 7, 8:30 AM - McMinn County Loop (Bikeways of the Scenic South, Three Rivers Way)** - This ride epitomizes what we love about Three Rivers Way. It gives you everything you want in a scenic ride, from wide-open farmland to curvy streamside rollers to legitimate climbs and fast descents. And it even has a perfectly placed convenience store halfway through!

Route: <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/28868060>

Leave from the Cracker Barrel, 110 Burkett L Witt Blvd. Athens, TN 37303-4997 at 8:30 AM.

Average speed at end: 11-13 mph. No drop. Regroup at turns.

43 miles. 2,250 feet of climbing.

Ride leader: Jim Johnson, 423-313-5256

*Note: There is a very detailed description of the ride on the CBC calendar.*

Note 1: This is the ride leader's first time on this route. I'm experiencing all the routes of the Three Rivers Way for the first time and enjoying the experience with you.

Note 2: There will be a video team along parts of the route shooting video of us for Bikeways of the Scenic South. If you don't want to be in any scenes, please inform the ride leader before the ride. And please don't wave at the camera or look up at the drone. Thanks!

**Sunday, July 7, 10:00 AM - Sunday Riverwalk/Downtown Group Option Ride** - Riding downtown Chattanooga and nearby areas on Sunday – when vehicles and people are minimal – becomes really enjoyable. In fact, downtown transforms into this glorious “ghost town” where bike riders seemingly own the place; making it and the surrounding neighborhoods a lot of fun to ride.

This event also has the distinction of being a Group Option Ride. Every ride does launch from and return to the Riverpark's Hubert Fry Station, but the riders may select from routes such as:

Touring Fort Wood – lots of older, restored homes and businesses.

Cruising Broad, Market, and Chestnut Streets; maybe a stop at Farmers Market.

Heading toward the Dam, down Dotson and back on Holtzclaw.

Don't forget to bring a snack for our brief Recharge Stop along the way.

Ride Leader: Rich Rudner, 954-261-1828 - [rudnerr@comcast.net](mailto:rudnerr@comcast.net)

Ride Length: Approx. 20 miles

Average Speed: 11-13 mph

Rest/store stops: Available

This is a no-drop ride.

**Monday, July 8, 6:00 PM - Beginners Ride** - Hello Beginners!! Are you a beginning cyclist or one returning to riding after a long break?

Please come and join us for a fun and relaxing ride. The purpose of this ride is to gain confidence, get comfortable riding on the road with traffic, share knowledge and improve your skills. Let's get some exercise and, most of all, enjoy ourselves and have fun!

Ride time will generally be about an hour or so but each ride will be accommodated according to skill level and comfort of the group. Helmets required, rear and front bike lights are a very good idea.

Leave from the parking lot across from the Friends of the Festival office, 180 Hamm Rd, Chattanooga TN 37405.

Please feel free to call ride leader with concerns or questions.

Ride Leader: Kevin Mowery, [kevin.mowery@chattanoogaatrailer.com](mailto:kevin.mowery@chattanoogaatrailer.com)

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**Monday, July 8, 6:00 PM - Monday Night City Ride - Riverview to Points North & South** - Weekly Ride from Riverview Park. 13-16 mph overall avg. (Faster on flats/descents, slower on climbs.) No drop. Route selection (see below) will be at ride leader's discretion, and will vary depending upon season, participants, and road conditions. Also depending upon participation, we may split into faster/slower groups. No drop. Restrooms are available at start.

*Riverview-Red Bank-MoccasinBend:* <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/29488404>

*Riverview-Chattanooga Valley:* (route link to come)

Both routes include segments through city traffic. Front and rear lights highly recommended and essential during March and October.

Ride leaders:

Ed Park: 423-400-9530 / [eparkseven@yahoo.com](mailto:eparkseven@yahoo.com)

Richard Russell: 423-598-1243 / [rwr.tnruss@gmail.com](mailto:rwr.tnruss@gmail.com)

**Tuesday, July 9, 9:00 AM - N GA Lite** - This is a ride that takes place every Tuesday morning. Its location and time are variable. If the ride calendar is not edited with specific information, that means there is no ride leader and there won't be a ride that day. We will try to have a ride each week. 20-35 miles, 10-13 mph, no drop.

Daisy Blanton, 706/820-1157 h, 423/243-8203 c, [DaisyBRider@cs.com](mailto:DaisyBRider@cs.com)



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