

The Freewheel

The New Mexico Touring Society (NMTS), founded in January 1980.



A recreational bicycling club promoting safe enjoyable road and off-road cycling via organized day and overnight rides for all ages and abilities.

May 2024

Web Site: <https://www.nmts.org>

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The club offers a variety of one time rides and recurring weekly rides for all abilities. **Helmets are required on all club rides.** Please check the web site frequently throughout the month for more detail and latest updates.



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Dave Olson

We had another great Awards and Recognition dinner at Little Anita's. Many thanks go to Bill Thompson for putting it together, and to Dianne Cress for the delicious cake she brought. For me, it was great to catch up with some of the folks I haven't seen for awhile. As an aside, Rich Cullison received his Lifetime Achievement Award. He lives in New Jersey now. Rich sends his best to us.

Squeaky brakes are annoying and a bit hazardous—lost braking efficiency. So, off came the rotor, some sanding & cleaning, new pads, and et voila I am cycling again sans ear plugs. I mention this to encourage you to ask or contribute to Dr. Spoke. There are some good articles such as how to wax a chain. I think some other articles on general bike maintenance would be good. Check it out.

For the mountain biking crowd, I would appreciate one of you putting together a presentation on how to set-up an MTB (sag, compression, rebound). Drop me a line, and I'll set up the venue.

Safe cycling is one of the fundamental virtues of any bike club. Tip of the hat to Jeff Hagemann as the Safety Chair and keeping us aware. A bit of a riff on my part reflecting on my flying days to those decades ago.

Focus. A moment's inattention can have disastrous consequences. A mutual friend shared his experience with me. Taking his eyes off the path to wave at someone, he rode into a post, and woke up in the hospital. Another did not observe a chain across the road with an unhappy ending. Even at moderate cycling speeds we close quickly on hazards. Road conditions such as debris,

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Upcoming One-Time Rides

Please check NMTS website for detail

Date	Name & Contact info	Distance	Start Location & Description
May 4	Rio Grande Century Chris Marsh (505-891-3464) cmarsh1956@icloud.com	1 day 100 miles	Alameda Open Space Out and back ride to Belen
May 17	Ride to Wherever Day See website for more information.	1 day	Bike to work, the grocery store, your favorite business, your school, your friend's house, or just wherever. We're celebrating biking no matter where you go!
May 11-18th	Katy Trail Kevin Golden tkevin27@aol.com	7 days 273 miles	St Louis, MO An Adventure Cycling led ride.
May 31-June 2	Ft Collins Weekend Alex & Jane Zucosky 740-381-7760	3 days 72 miles	Incycle Bikes, Ft Collins, CO 3 days riding led by former members and Ft Collins locals.
July 14-20th	Tour de Wyoming Chris Marsh (505-891-3464) cmarsh1956@icloud.com	6 days 315 miles	Laramie, WY Organized by Tour de Wyoming
Sept 21	Breakfast Burrito Ride Mark Pasnewski (505-350-9689) mpasnew@gmail.com	1 day 39 miles	722 Sagebrush Trail SE 25th and final edition of the ride.
Nov 22 & 23rd	El Tour de Tucson John Gillett (505-280-7612) jgillett@live.com	2 days 34 & choice of 32, 62 or 102miles	Tucson, AZ Pre-ride on Friday, official ride on Saturday

Treasurer's Report

As of April 30, 2024

Membership

Renewing Members	14
New Members in April	0
Total Members	164

Financial

Beginning Balance 2/29/24	\$7440.84
Total Income	\$419.82
Memberships	277.22
Dinners	142.60
Total Expenses	\$1114.82
ExSpace Storage	42.75
Awards	200.23
Patches	217.40
Awards Dinner	654.44
New Balance 4/30/24	\$6745.84



Happenings & Announcements

[2024 New Mexico Bicycle Guide](#) is available now!

[Bike 2 Wherever Day 2024](#)

Bike to work, the grocery store, your favorite business, your school, your friend's house, or just wherever! We're celebrating biking no matter where you go! Visit a pop-up table on May 17 to pick up FREE SWAG and learn more about biking in Albuquerque!

NMTS Board

Position	Name	Phone	Email
President	David Olson	505-239-0136	president@nmts.org
Vice President	<vacant>		vicepresident@nmts.org
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	Chris Marsh	505-891-3464	advocate2@nmts.org
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	Bill Thompson	505-299-0302	atlarge2@nmts.org
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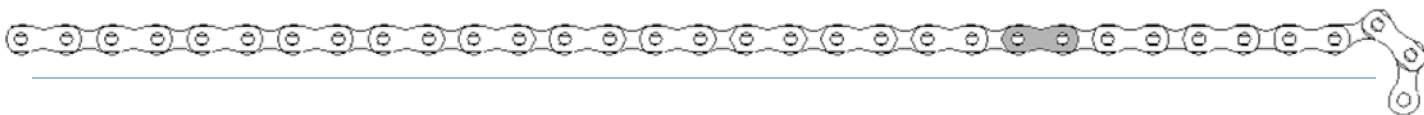
Ride Rating System

Mileage: Is total distance for the ride's route. Ride may include options for variations on the route and if so will specify additional distances within the ride description.

Pace: Is the speed a rider is expected to maintain on flat terrain with no wind. Think of it as an indicator of level of effort. Actual speed would be slower on climbs and faster on descents. The Pace is also not equivalent to average speed, because a route usually includes stops (rest stops, stop signs or lights, etc.), which will reduce the average speed.

Terrain: A descriptor of the ride's route terrain. In order from easiest to more difficult: flat; minor hills; moderate hills; frequent, steep hills; and advanced, difficult climbing.

- ◆ **The Freewheel** deadline is 6pm on the 1st day of the month.
- ◆ Please forward mileage information to Frank Bouchier, email: [mileage chair](mailto:mileage_chair) or 505-266-0323.
- ◆ Please send mileage ride sheets, change of address information and news-letter distribution to NMTS Treasurer, P.O. Box 1261, Albuquerque, NM 87103-1261 or email: treasurer.
- ◆ Send web information to Rob Brueckner, email: webmaster.
- ◆ Paid advertisements are accepted on a space available basis.
- ◆ Members may post free ads in **The Freewheel** and on the NMTS web site; see Members-only section on [web site](#).
- ◆ To submit a new ride, navigate to members only section on [NMTS web site](#).



NMTS Awards & Volunteer Appreciation Banquet is Sunday April 21st @6pm, Little Anita's Restaurant, Old Town.

Help Wanted

Santa Fe Century Volunteers Needed: The Santa Fe Century Ride is coming again on Sunday, May 19th. Support is needed at rest stop located at the Cedar Grove Fire Station #2 from 8am until 2pm. Please contact Dianne (treasurer@nmts.org)

NMTS Board Positions: Vice President and Secretary positions on the NMTS board are vacant at this time. Please contact Dave Olsen (president@nmts.org) if you are interested in either of these positions.

NMTS Ride Leaders: Ride leaders are at the heart of the viability of the club. The club is looking for road, gravel and mountain bike ride leaders. If you have an interest please reach out to our Ride Chair, Frank Bouchier (ridechairman@nmts.org) for more information.

2023 NMTS Annual Awards & Volunteer Appreciation Banquet by William Thompson



This year's Awards and Volunteer Appreciation Banquet was held at Little Anita's Restaurant on Mountain Road in Old Town on April 21st and attended by 32 members and guests. Highlight of the banquet was the recognition of the individual accomplishments of NMTS members in 2023.

Plaque Awards

Most Club Miles – Male: David Atkins, 7,237 miles

Most Club Miles – Female: Yvonne Sanchez, 2,018 miles

Most Club Rides: David Atkins, 165 rides.

Most Total Miles – Male: Eric Foltz, 12,048 miles

Most Total Miles – Female: Barbara Titus, 3,823 miles



Ride Leader of the Year: John Gillett. In recognition of his initiative in planning and leading club rides in 2023, including a recurring weekly ride as well as 14 one-time rides.

Tour of the Year: Tour de Tucson – John Gillett. This 2-day tour in Tucson, Arizona, organized and led by John Gillett, started with the Chuck Huckleberry Loop, a 55-mile circumnavigation of central Tucson. The second day was the iconic El Tour de Tucson, where most riders rode the Metric Century. The tour riders enjoyed good weather, excellent rest/food stops, and a fun visit to the convention center to puruse dozens of exhibitor booths.

Volunteer of the Year: Frank Bouchier: In recognition of his achievement as lead volunteer for the Balloon Fiesta Bike Valet, leading 9 different one-time rides during the year, and his continuing contributions as club Ride and Mileage Chairman.



Special Achievement Certificates

Standout Ride Leader Award – Chris Marsh. In recognition of his initiative and diligence in planning and leading a total of 108 club rides during the year, the most of any club member. These were combination of three different weekly rides and 11 one-time rides.

Founding Member Award – Bike of the Month Club – John Sturtevant. Do you ever wish you had a bike that matches the color of your car? Or your shoes, helmet, or favorite jersey? This fella says "Why not?" He embraces the idea that you can never have too many bikes. Not that there's anything wrong with that!

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“We are in need of a Vice President and Secretary. I ask your serious consideration”

President’s Corner (cont’d from page 1)



water, potholes, and so may not be readily apparent reducing reaction time. Stay focused!

The Santa Fe Century is coming up this month. As most know. Dianne Cress will lead the NMTS rest stop support located near Cedar Grove. If interested in helping out, drop her a line. May can be a weird month for weather. A couple of years ago, I went out dressed for summer only to discover on arrival it was near Arctic conditions—some hyperbole.

No more excuses for me. My bikes are singing their siren song. The temperatures are well above freezing, and ski season is pretty much behind us. Hope to see you on the trail.

Ride often, safe, and fun.

MARKETPLACE

Specialized E5 Allez cly/cmln 52

Color: clay

Purchase date: 2021

Details: like new, carbon fiber forks, wght 21 lbs, 16 speed (2x16), Front 34-50, Rear 12-32, Shimano shift levers, documentation/receipt of purchase, caliper brakes, odometer miles: 115, stored covered in garage.

Sale: \$500, original price \$1,000.00 from High Dessert Bicycles,

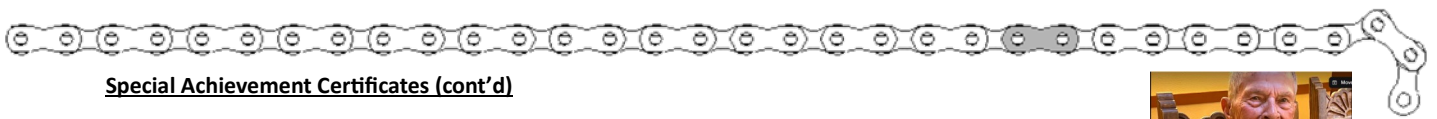
Contact info: Mary, busimef@gmail.com, 505-899-0885 (LANDLINE)



2020 Specialized Roubaix Expert, 58 cm

Di2, 165 Ultegra Cranks, 50-34 chainrings, 11 Speed, 4iiii dual-sided power meter, Zipp 303 wheels, 100 mm stem, 42 cm bars, Shimano EW-WU111 wireless unit installed, Specialized Turbo Cotton, 28mm tires (new). Never crashed or dropped, always well maintained, waxed chain. Original owner (Max). No pedals. \$3200.00 o/b/o. 505-270-5258, Albuquerque





Special Achievement Certificates (cont'd)

Can't Keep a Good Man Down Award – Gary Shaw. Most cyclists are pretty resilient. After a crash or medical procedure, they chomp at the bit to get back on their bikes as soon as their flesh and bones heal. But, there's one fella in particular who lives up to the mantra, "you can't keep a good man down!" He's had physical setbacks that would've derailed all but the toughest among us, yet he keeps going strong! No amount of adversity or time off the bike can change his determination to get back to his love of cycling. His dedication and discipline are unmatched, and he's the kind of fella you'd like to have a beer (or IPA!) with.



Oldest Bike Fleet Award – Holly Evans. Holly Evans owns 5 bikes and none have a carbon or titanium frame, disc brakes, aerodynamic wheels, suspension systems, STI Shifters, less than 36 spokes per wheel, or more than a 7 speed cassette. Yes, she rides bikes from 27 years to 42 years old and does not miss or want newer, lighter technology. She is comfortable and happy with her (folding) 1996 Bike Friday, 1982 Motobecane (with 1 1/4" wheels & tires), and 2 Miyatas (one from the 1980's with a 6 speed cassette & 2 chainrings and another 1980's touring model). All of them are regularly used and in excellent condition. The fifth bike, a 1989 Kawahara, is saved for guests needing a bike when visiting. She treats all her bikes like old, dear friends because they are. Holly enjoys the good "ole" days of biking and (probably) owns the oldest fleet of bikes in the NMTS.



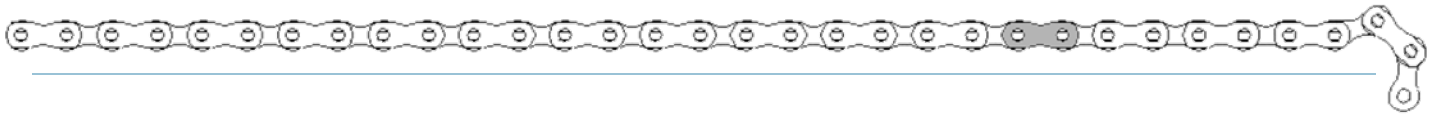
Super Ride Leader Support Award – Linda Ballenthin. Making it to the end-of-pavement turnaround in Placitas is a reward in itself, but when there's a friendly face there, twice this year, to greet you with home-baked goodies and yummy drinks, that's icing on the cake! That same friendly face also greeted riders at the La Ventana rest stop during the El Malpais ride. For those kind efforts, NMTS is rewarding her an honorary one-year membership as thanks from all of us on two wheels!

No Special Equipment Required Award – Bill Thompson. Bill drove to the start of a weekly ride at Alameda Open Space – without his bike. This required a trip back home to retrieve the bike and the return to the start, starting his ride about 30 minutes after the other riders.

Median Rider Award – Rob Briscoe. With 102 club members having recorded club miles in 2023, Rob rode 670 miles and becomes the median rider – half of the riders recorded more club miles and half recorded fewer miles.

Mileage Patches

- 1,000 - 1,500 miles: Bob Waggoner, Rick Myers, Brian Wagner, Jerry Duarte, Gary Shaw, Russ McCoy, Roger Riggs, Ken Jacobson, Dean Denning, Dale Higginbotham, Darcy Lewis, Will DeMay, Fred Mitchell, Tom Sullivan, Will Ferrell
- 1,500 - 2,000 miles: Darrell McCombs, Mary McCulloch, John Ballenthin, Darlyne Garner, Dorothy Brethauer, Barbara Titus, Lisa Elrod, Kevin Golden, John Britt, Roy Okamoto, Crystal Wagner-McCombs
- 2,000 - 2,500 miles: Yvonne Sanchez, Ralph Butler, Mark Fodness,
- 2,500 - 3,000 miles: Al Martinez, Greg Titus
- 3,000 - 3,500 miles: Steve McKenzie, Jim Fordice, John Sturtevant, Bill Thompson, Jeff Hagemann
- 3,500 - 4,000 miles: John Gillett, Wesley Young
- 4,000 - 4,500 miles: Rob Brueckner
- 4,500 - 5,000 miles: Frank Bouchier,
- 5,500 - 6,000 miles: Patrick Perkins
- 6,500 - 7,000 miles: Chris Marsh
- 7,000 - 7,500 miles: David Atkins



Please help make Santa Fe Century a success in 2024 by volunteering for the Cedar Grove rest stop.

April One Time Ride Recaps

Date	Name	Summary
April 6th	"Get A PR on Tramway Climb" Led by John Gillett	The ride was planned based on a prediction of west winds at 20+MPH, and the prediction proved correct. We never had such a quick and easy passage up Tramway. However, (isn't there always a "however?") the west-facing aspect of the ride was cold and difficult, regardless of it being all down-hill. And the north/south portions found us leaning westward while being buffeted by crosswinds. At ride's end, we all agreed with Gary Shaw, "This is the dumbest ride I've ever been on!" Then we went in to La Reforma, and all was well.
April 12th	Friday Constitutional	Road ride led by Jeffrey Hagemann. 8 riders, 34 miles
April 14th	Rio Puerco View	Gravel ride led by Eric Foltz. 2 riders, 42 miles
April 19th	Friday Placitas EOP	Road ride led by Rob Brueckner
April 20th	Bad Ass Coffee	Road ride led by John Gillett. 14 riders, 36 miles.
April 23rd	Around the Mountain	Road and gravel ride led by Greg Titus and only individual determined enough. 72 miles.
April 26th	Friday Constitutional	Road ride led by Jeffrey Hagemann. 6 riders, 35 miles.
April 26th	Fat Tire Friday—Placitas	MTB ride led by Eric Foltz





Weekly Rides

Sunday 9:00 AM	Chris Marsh, Dorothy Brethauer 505-362-9940, 505-504-5870 cmarsh1956@icloud.com, dmbreth@gmail.com	<p style="text-align: center;">Sunday Bosque Trail, all paces, flat, 36 miles</p> <p>This is a variation of the familiar Sunday Bosque ride. We will have different ride leaders each Sunday. The basic route is to head south on Rio Grande Blvd (to avoid the crowds on the trail near the Open Space) and turn right to rejoin the bike path (at Candelaria, Campbell or further south). The group will pause at Rio Bravo and ride around the Chris Chavez loop, and head north again on the Bosque bike trail. New option to ride down to the Valle de Oro National Wildlife Refuge (for 36 miles). Participants have their choice of coffee shops - Java Joe's at 906 Park Avenue; Bike-In Coffee at 949 Montoya St. NW (accessible from the bike path south of I-40); or others. All paces; ride can be shortened if desired.</p>	Alameda Open Space Parking
Sunday 9:00 AM	Rob Brueckner, Steve McKenzie webmaster@nmts.org Resumes May 19th	<p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 50, 15(±1) mph, Minor Hills, 50 miles</p> <p>We do this ride for 50 miles just about every Sunday, so now we're making it public. It's a change of pace from the crowded Bosque trail, and also more mileage available on Sundays. Steve and I ride from home, so without that the mileage is a bit less than 50.</p> <p>Park in outer Home Depot lot or one of the parking lots on Jager Drive and meet at the exit to 550 just south of the Home Depot lot. Or meet us at Rail Runner on 313 or anywhere else along the way. Partial rides are welcome, and the more the merrier for coffee, usually at Starbucks on Alameda. Approximate route: ridewithgps.com/routes/42480405.</p>	Home Depot, Rio Rancho
Monday 9:00 AM	Jim Fordice 505-803-3640 jim@fordice.net Resumes May 27th	<p style="text-align: center;">Flexible Monday Ride, 16(±1) mph, Moderate Hills, 40 miles</p> <p>This ride is intended for those who want to start their week off with a moderately challenging ride. The goal is to vary the course each week, do some climbing, and stop for coffee. A typical ride will be to climb up Tramway, add a finger or two into the foothills, descend Constitution, and loop back to the start via the North Diversion Channel. Other weeks we will do a loop on the west side or go to Mesa del Sol.</p>	Alameda Open Space Parking
Monday 9:00 AM	Tom Sullivan 505-299-6545 tdsulli@outlook.com	<p style="text-align: center;">Start the Week Rite Ride, All Paces, Flat 12 miles</p> <p>There are two versions of this ride. On most Mondays, the ride is an out on back on Tramway (https://ridewithgps.com/routes/32929927). On the 4th Monday of the month the ride begins at Alameda Open Space for a ride mostly on the Bosque trail (https://ridewithgps.com/routes/34984174).</p>	O'Bean's Coffee House, 12760 San Rafael NE
1st & 3rd Tuesdays 9:00 AM	Ralph Butler 505-377-1456 ralph.butler@gmail.com Resumes May 21st	<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday Fast Pace Ride, 20(±1) mph, Minor Hills, 50 miles</p> <p>Various routes around the ABQ Metro; sometimes North to Algodones.</p>	Promenade shopping center
Tuesday 9:00 AM	Dave Atkins 505-681-1884 dlatkins@centurylink.net Frank Bouchier 505-266-0323	<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday NE / NW Loop, All Paces, Minor Hills, 46 miles</p> <p>Starting from the Flying Star Café on Juan Tabo, the route alternates with 1) the Bosque Trail route on even-numbered Tuesdays (March 12, 26) with pickup points at Tramway and Manitoba, top of Tramway Hill, and Alameda Open Space (@10am) and 2) the North Diversion Channel Trail route on odd-numbered Tuesdays (March 5, 19) with the same pickup points. Optional food stop at Flying Star Café on Rio Grande Blvd. The specific even-day route is at https://ridewithgps.com/routes/32851185; the specific odd-day route is at https://ridewithgps.com/routes/32851904.</p>	Flying Star Café, Juan Tabo and Montgomery
Tuesday 9:15 AM	Chris Marsh 891-3464 c@candimarsh.com	<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday Westside Ride, All Paces, Moderate Hills, 40 miles</p> <p>This ride is planned to meet "Tuesday NE / NW Loop" ride group at Alameda Open Space. Start at the Rio Rancho Sports Complex (by the Dog Park). Go to https://ridewithgps.com/routes/33005636 (even Tuesdays) https://ridewithgps.com/routes/32928147 (odd Tuesdays) for the specific route. Optional food stop at Flying Star Café on Rio Grande Blvd.</p>	Rio Rancho Sports Complex (by the dog park)



Weekly Rides (cont'd)

<p>Wednesday 9:00 AM</p>	<p>Jeffrey Hagemann 505-720-4926 hagemannjeff@gmail.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday Out and About Ride, 13(±1) mph, Moderate Hills, 35 miles</p> <p>Ride usually alternates between a westside ride (odd) and eastside ride (even). Adjustments to route may be made depending on weater and wind conditions. Please check website weekly for update. Usually back to AOS by noon.</p>	<p>Alameda Open Space Parking</p>
<p>Thursday 9:00 AM</p>	<p>Dave Atkins 505-681-1884 dlatkins@centurylink.net</p> <p>Frank Bouchier 505-266-0323</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday NE / NW Loop, All Paces, Minor Hills, 55 miles</p> <p>The route goes north and west on Tramway to Alameda Open Space, Bosque Trail including Chris Chavez Loop, and optional food stop at one of several different restaurants Downtown or the UNM area. Return by Constitution / Paseo de las Montañas Trail / Morris / Lagrima de Oro back to Flying Star Café on Juan Tabo. The specific route is at ridewithgps.com/routes/32871428 .</p>	<p>Flying Star Café, Juan Tabo and Montgomery</p>
<p>Thursday 9:15 AM</p>	<p>Chris Marsh 505-891-3464 cmarsh1956@icloud.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday Westside Ride, All Paces, Moderate Hills, 50 miles</p> <p>This ride is planned to meet "Thursday NE / NW Loop" ride group at Alameda Open Space. Start at Rio Rancho Sports Complex in Rio Rancho (by the dog park). Go to https://ridewithgps.com/routes/35001033 for the specific route. Optional food stop at various locations around Albuquerque.</p>	<p>Rio Rancho Sports Complex</p>
<p>Thursday 9:00 AM</p>	<p>John Gillett 505-280-7612 jgillett@live.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday Fast-Paced Ride, 19(±1) mph, Minor Hills, 47 miles</p> <p>Various routes around the ABQ Metro and East Mountains. Thursday's start location and route will be posted on the NMMS web site by mid-day on the preceding Wednesday.</p> <p>May 2 is "La Reforma - Algodones Loop". Predicted winds are NW, so theoretically the return ride will be "easy." Coffee stop at Starbuck's Bernalillo. ridewithgps.com/routes/42469990</p>	<p>see web site ride schedule</p>
<p>Thursday 2:30 PM</p>	<p>Steve McKenzie 408-416-7278 sbmckenzie@gmail.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday Gravel, 12(±1) mph, Flat, 20 miles</p> <p>Easy gravel ride south to Central or Bridge St and back. Please text me if you plan to attend. No ride on March 21st.</p>	<p>Boxing Bear</p>
<p>Friday 9:00AM</p>	<p>Frank Bouchier 505-266-0323 fbouchier@outlook.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">East Mountain Ride, frequent steep hills, 44 miles</p> <p>This ride will vary from week to week. We start at Tramway & Central (southwest corner of the Smith's parking lot) and proceed into the mountains. Potential destinations include the Ski area, Crest, Oak Flats, Sedillo Hill or others depending on what the group feels up to. Send the leader suggestions ahead of time if there is a particular ride you would like to do.</p> <p>Plan for May 3: Crest Road to snow play area , 50 miles if we turn around there. This is an out and back ride so you can go as far or as short as you like.</p>	<p>Smith's near Tramway & 1-40</p>



April 2024 NMTS Mileage Report

2024		2023		2022		2021		
Period	Trips	Miles	Trips	Miles	Trips	Miles	Trips	Miles
Jan	204	6,571	243	8,117	285	10,766	103	3,717
Feb	226	7,091	200	6,759	194	7,312	131	4,527
Mar	216	6,960	245	8,741	275	10,412	258	10,186
Apr	276	9,150	329	12,088	330	12,138	242	9,878
May			334	12,772	353	12,794	300	11,418
Jun			306	11,523	330	12,138	288	11,132
Jul			323	11,550	433	15,766	388	14,573
Aug			318	12,222	332	11,926	366	13,976
Sep			283	10,819	331	11,449	335	12,721
Oct			256	9,303	233	8,520	241	9,825
Nov			251	9,220	235	8,601	331	12,457
Dec			219	7,665	245	8,444	247	9,123
Total	922	29,772	3307	120,779	3576	130,266	3230	123,533

Mileage Notes: This month featured 444 rides, 276 individual trips riding 9,150 miles.

Currently reported mileage includes the following:

Club Miles: miles recorded while participating in group club rides.

Club Rides and Trips: Number of club rides. Multi day rides will yield more than 1 trip.

Young Rider: Club miles recorded by members under 40.

New Member: Club miles recorded by those in their first full calendar year of membership.

Working Stiff: Club miles recorded by members who are employed full time. Send a note to mileagechairman@nmts.org if you would like to be included.

Total Miles: Miles recorded bicycling outdoors using the Ride With GPS Total Miles Challenge.

Commuting Miles: Miles recorded on the Ride With GPS Commuting Miles Challenge.

Details for all of the NMTS mileage programs are available at <https://www.nmts.org/club.php> in the linked "Club Miles Program" and "Total Miles Program" documents.

Club miles, rides and trips are collected by default for all club members. If you would like to have your data omitted from this report or would like to be included in the Young Rider or Working Stiff categories send an email to mileagechairman@nmts.org.

The mileage tables shown on the following pages use the color coding nomenclature shown below.

Red: New Member in 2022
Blue: New Member in 2023
Green: Working Stiff



April 2024 Club Miles

(in order of Mileage Total for the month, descending)

Name	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name		
Marsh, Chris	602	Gillett, John	199	Dunlay, Terry	142	Valdes, Norberto	80	Marks, Peter	43
Bouchier, Frank	535	McCombs, Darrell	198	Ferrell, Will	137	Randour, Charles	75	Lee, Jon	42
Atkins, David	533	Okamoto, Yoshihiro Roy	195	Evans, Holly	133	Lewis, Darcy	74	Foltz, Eric	42
Brueckner, Robert	523	Fordice, Jim	183	Jacobson, Ken	128	Duarte, Jerry	56	Taylor, Ronald	37
Hagemann, Jeffrey	523	Butler, Ralph	174	Titus, Barbara	127	Ballenthin, John	54	Gee, James	37
McKenzie, Steve	350	Young, Wesley	168	Fellows, John	122	Rafferty, Faye	50	McCoy, Russ	36
Sturtevant, John	309	Perkins, Patrick	166	Wagner, Brian	107	DeMay, Johanna	50	Hall, Mike	36
Titus, Greg	302	Garner, Darlyne	165	Riggs, Roger	92	Golden, Thomas Kevin	49	Higginbotham, Dale	35
Fodness, Mark	264	DeMay, Will	162	Sullivan, Thomas	90	Mitchell, Fred	45	Briscoe, Rob	34
Sanchez, Yvonne	250	Wagner-McCombs, Crystal	160	Keith, John	90	Olewine, Lisa	45	Sundt, Daniel	34
McCulloch, Mary	216	Levine, Ken	145	Simonson, Don	84	Olewine, Michael	45	Pasnewski, Mark	28
Shaw, Gary	200	Brethauer, Dorothy	144	Elrod, Lisa	82	Peach, Justin	44	Waggoner, Bob	27

April 2024 Club Miles by Name

(in order of Last Name, alphabetical)

Name	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name			
Atkins, David	533	Evans, Holly	133	Higginbotham, Dale	35	Mitchell, Fred	45	Simonson, Don	84
Ballenthin, John	54	Fellows, John	122	Jacobson, Ken	128	Okamoto, Yoshihiro Roy	195	Sturtevant, John	309
Bouchier, Frank	535	Ferrell, Will	137	Keith, John	90	Olewine, Lisa	45	Sullivan, Thomas	90
Brethauer, Dorothy	144	Fodness, Mark	264	Lee, Jon	42	Olewine, Michael	45	Sundt, Daniel	34
Briscoe, Rob	34	Foltz, Eric	42	Levine, Ken	145	Pasnewski, Mark	28	Taylor, Ronald	37
Brueckner, Robert	523	Fordice, Jim	183	Lewis, Darcy	74	Peach, Justin	44	Titus, Barbara	127
Butler, Ralph	174	Garner, Darlyne	165	Marks, Peter	43	Perkins, Patrick	166	Titus, Greg	302
DeMay, Johanna	50	Gee, James	37	Marsh, Chris	602	Rafferty, Faye	50	Valdes, Norberto	80
DeMay, Will	162	Gillett, John	199	McCombs, Darrell	198	Randour, Charles	75	Waggoner, Bob	27
Duarte, Jerry	56	Golden, Thomas Kevin	49	McCoy, Russ	36	Riggs, Roger	92	Wagner, Brian	107
Dunlay, Terry	142	Hagemann, Jeffrey	523	McCulloch, Mary	216	Sanchez, Yvonne	250	Wagner-McCombs, Crystal	160
Elrod, Lisa	82	Hall, Mike	36	McKenzie, Steve	350	Shaw, Gary	200	Young, Wesley	168



Year to Date Club Trips & Mileage

(in order of Mileage Accumulation descending)

Name	Rides	Trips	Miles	Avg	Name	Rides	Trips	Miles	Avg	Name	Rides	Trips	Miles	Avg
Marsh, Chris	51	51	1941	38.1	Garner, Darlyne	15	15	420	28.0	Fellows, John	4	4	122	30.5
Bouchier, Frank	45	45	1867	41.5	Rafferty, Faye	15	15	182	12.1	Higginbotham, Dale	4	4	113	28.3
Brueckner, Robert	43	43	1661	38.6	Titus, Barbara	14	14	494	35.3	Elrod, Lisa	3	3	124	41.3
Hagemann, Jeffrey	36	36	1203	33.4	Brethauer, Dorothy	13	13	371	28.5	Torres, Richard	3	3	96	32.0
Sturtevant, John	33	33	1351	40.9	Waggoner, Bob	13	13	336	25.9	Hall, Mike	3	3	36	12.0
McKenzie, Steve	33	33	1088	33.0	Ballenthin, John	11	11	376	34.2	Ware, Eric	2	2	102	51.0
Titus, Greg	32	32	1337	41.8	Wagner, Brian	10	10	357	35.7	Keith, John	2	2	90	45.0
McCulloch, Mary	31	31	1019	32.9	Lee, Jon	9	9	281	31.2	Valdes, Norberto	2	2	80	40.0
Okamoto, Yoshihiro Roy	28	28	732	26.1	Simonson, Don	9	9	170	18.9	DeMay, Johanna	2	2	50	25.0
Gillett, John	27	27	1064	39.4	Lewis, Darcy	8	8	282	35.3	Hagemann, Susan	2	2	28	14.0
Shaw, Gary	26	26	1031	39.7	Riggs, Roger	8	8	280	35.0	Gaza, Bob	2	2	24	12.0
Sanchez, Yvonne	26	26	838	32.2	Wagner-McCombs, Crystal	7	7	277	39.6	Olewine, Michael	1	1	45	45.0
Ferrell, Will	26	26	489	18.8	Randour, Charles	5	7	224	32.0	Olewine, Lisa	1	1	45	45.0
Atkins, David	24	24	908	37.8	Levine, Ken	7	7	170	24.3	Peach, Justin	1	1	44	44.0
Fodness, Mark	24	24	797	33.2	Duarte, Jerry	7	7	167	23.9	Marks, Peter	1	1	43	43.0
Fordice, Jim	23	23	876	38.1	Evans, Holly	7	7	158	22.6	Foltz, Eric	1	1	42	42.0
Butler, Ralph	21	21	873	41.6	Mitchell, Fred	6	6	232	38.7	Gee, James	1	1	37	37.0
Young, Wesley	20	20	609	30.5	Briscoe, Rob	5	5	183	36.6	Sundt, Daniel	1	1	34	34.0
Sullivan, Thomas	20	20	332	16.6	Pasnewski, Mark	5	5	146	29.2	Morganti, Chris	1	1	25	25.0
Taylor, Ronald	19	19	123	6.5	Dunlay, Terry	5	5	142	28.4	Morganti, Art	1	1	25	25.0
McCombs, Darrell	18	18	724	40.2	Jacobson, Ken	4	4	174	43.5	Olson, David	1	1	20	20.0
DeMay, Will	17	17	451	26.5	Frizzell, Erin	4	4	150	37.5	Marino, Jan	1	1	12	12.0
Perkins, Patrick	17	17	450	26.5	Golden, Thomas Kevin	4	4	148	37.0					
McCoy, Russ	15	15	614	40.9	Britt, John	4	4	147	36.8					





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Name	Name	Name	Name
Foltz, Eric	3153.8 L, Jon	1795.9 Gillett, John	1387.3 Britt, John
Bouchier, Frank	1962.2 Shaw, Gary	1738.3 Young, Wesley	1154.6 Martinez, Albert
Titus, Greg	1851.9 Mckenzie, Steve	1494.1 Ballenthin, John	1005.3 Briscoe, Rob
Sturtevant, John	1842.1 Hagemann, Jeffrey	1406.3 Mathes, John	766.9 Perkins, Patrick



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