

# DBC Ride and Event Calendar

February 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Sunday Women's Race Skills 9:00am  Sunday No Drop 11:00am	2 Early Bird Special 6:15am  Morrison's Monday 9:00am Fast Morrison Monday 9am	3 Mocha Joe's Loop 8:45am Mocha Joe's Loop 9:00am	4 Solano Baking Co 8:45am Solano Baking Co 9:00am Women's Weds 9:00am	5 Steady Eddy's 8:45am Steady Eddy's 9:00am Napa/Bayarea Hill Climbing 9:30* Winters Dinner Ride 6pm*	6 Early Bird Special 6:15am*  Vaca Rolling Hills 8:00am Ride Around Town 10am*	7 Coffee and a Roll 9:00am  RH Phillips Brunch 10am*
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Unless otherwise specified, all rides begin at the Starbucks, 2038 Lyndell Terrace, (38.562 Lat; 121.768 Long) across from Sutter Davis Hospital in West Davis. Rain will cancel any ride. If in doubt, call the ride leader. If you would like to lead a ride, please contact John Seabury, Ride Calendar Master. Location of starting points for rides beginning elsewhere will be stated clearly in the ride description. Coordinated transportation to these starting points, if necessary, will be made by the ride leader. **Announced ride time is the time at which the ride starts. Come early to sign in and get maps and/or pre-ride instructions.**

### Terrain:

1. Flat(Davis to Woodland, Sacramento)
2. Easy/Gentle grade (Antioch Bridge)
3. Rolling (Dunnigan Hills, Auburn Road)
4. Moderate/Easy (Solano to Monticello Dam)
5. Moderate grades (Cardiac/Cantelow)
6. Steep, long grade (Mt. Diablo, Marshall)

### Lead a ride!

Leading a Club ride is a great way to highlight a unique ride you've done and to share it with other Club members.

Contact: [dbcridecalendar@gmail.com](mailto:dbcridecalendar@gmail.com)

### Pace/Speed (on level road)

1. Leisurely/Relaxed (< 10 mph). For families, children, buggers; waits.
2. Tourist (9 to 12 mph). Stops as needed; waits for stragglers.
3. Moderate (12 to 16 mph). Solid riders; regroups every 45 min.
4. Brisk (16-18 mph). Experienced; no obligation to wait.
5. Fast (19-21 mph). Strong riders; few stops; no obligation to wait.
6. Strenuous (21 mph & faster). Very strong riders.

## Regularly Recurring Rides

\* Asterisked rides have a starting location other than Starbuck's  
Consult ride description for location.

### **RH Phillips First Saturday Brunch\***

February 7, 1st Saturday, 10:00 am (T2/P3/45 mi)  
Anne Huber, 530-758-8115 or [ahuber@jsanet.com](mailto:ahuber@jsanet.com)

Meet at the Woodland Nugget parking lot. This is a lovely ride through rolling hills of northern Yolo County ending up at RH Phillips winery for their monthly food and wine pairing. The meal varies each month and its description may be posted on the DBC listserv. Price has varied between \$8 and \$13. You can bring your own lunch if you wish.

### **Second Saturday Saunter\***

February 14, 2nd Saturday, 10:00 am (T1/P2/10-30 mi)  
Dutch Martinich, 530-756-8234 or [dmartinich@att.net](mailto:dmartinich@att.net)

Meet at Aileen Johnson's bench in front of Veteran's Memorial at 14th and B Streets. This is a ride for people that like to look at the scenery, smell the flowers, and socialize. This is a good ride for those that are new to cycling, for those that are new to the club and would like to know how they would fit in, and for those that just like a leisurely pace. There will be a different ride every month including a local bikeway tour, an architecture tour of old Woodland, perhaps a birding ride, and even a pub ride. Spandex and carbon-fiber not required.

### **3rd Saturday (except May and October)**

February 21, 3rd Saturday, 9:00 am (T-1-T5/P4/60m)  
David Joshel, 510-717-5133 or [davidjoshel@hotmail.com](mailto:davidjoshel@hotmail.com)

Cantelow, Steiger Hill, and Pleasants Valley Roads. Ride together as a group at a pace of 16-20 mph. Optional coffee stop in Winters.

### **Saturday Coffee and a Roll**

Saturdays, 9:00 am (T1/P4-5/30 mi)  
Gary Button, 916-454-1679 or [1fastbiker@sbcglobal.net](mailto:1fastbiker@sbcglobal.net)

A Saturday morning quick out and back to Steady Eddy's in Winters, ending at Davis Farmer's Market. May go longer depending upon consensus. Start at Lyndell Terrace Starbucks. Note new start time for the winter.

### **\*\* The Ed Martin Memorial Ride Series**

Coordinator: Jim Skeen or [skeenjw@sbcglobal.net](mailto:skeenjw@sbcglobal.net)  
All rides start at Lyndell Terrace Starbuck's.

### **Women's Race Skills Ride**

Sundays, 9:00 am (T1/P5-6/40 mi)  
Michele Feikert, 530-312-3286 or [michele.t.feikert@seminis.com](mailto:michele.t.feikert@seminis.com)

Same course as race team Tues/Thur race rides, with all three sprints (regroup after each sprint). That route heads out to Winters via CR 29 and Buckeye, head back on Putah Creek Rd, right on Stevenson Bridge Rd, then Sievers to Tremont to Old Davis Rd back into Davis. If you are interested in joining the women's DBC race team, please contact the Ride Leader or join us on the road. Some DBC race team men accompany us to give instruction and tips.

### **Sunday Morning No Drop - Ed Martin Series\*\***

Sundays, 11:00 am  
(T1/P3-low 4 NO DROP/34 mi)  
Alan Hill, 530-792-8900 or [arhill8711@aol.com](mailto:arhill8711@aol.com)

Co-leaders are Alan Hill, Stu Bresnick, and Steve Kahn. Call ahead @ 792-8900 for free coffee.

### **Monday at Morrison's (slower) - Ed Martin Series\*\***

Mondays, 9:00 am (T1/P2-3/24 mi)  
Dan Cucinotta, 530-756-1711 or [scucher@comcast.net](mailto:scucher@comcast.net)

Following country roads, a shorter ride that will meet up with the faster group at Morrison's Deli in Woodland at around 10:30 am before returning to Davis.

### **Monday at Morrison's (faster) - Ed Martin Series\*\***

Tuesdays, 8:45 am (T1/P3/35 mi)  
Paul Grant, 530-756-3610 or [pwgrant@mac.com](mailto:pwgrant@mac.com)

Following country roads north to the scenic town of Yolo, then returning to Morrison's Deli in Woodland to meet the slower group for a beverage, snack and lively conversation before returning to Davis.

### **Mocha Joe's Country Loop (slower) - Ed Martin Series\*\***

Mondays, 9:00 am (T1/P4-5/40 mi)  
Barry Bolden, 530-297-5123 or [boliverb@dcn.org](mailto:boliverb@dcn.org)

Ride past the fields and orchards to the west and south before enjoying a treat at Mocha Joe's in South Davis. A slightly slower pace than the ride beginning at 8:00.

### **Mocha Joe's Country Loop (faster) - Ed Martin Series\*\***

Tuesdays, 9:00 am (T1/P4-P5/39 mi)  
Phil Coleman, 530-756-4885 or [pkcoleman@comcast.net](mailto:pkcoleman@comcast.net)

Ride past the fields and orchards to the west and south before enjoying a treat at Mocha Joe's in South Davis.

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### Women's Wednesdays\*

Wednesdays, 9:00 am (T1/P4/20-30mi)

Marilyn Dewey, 530-753-9188 or [deweyms@hotmail.com](mailto:deweyms@hotmail.com)

Meet in front of Wheelworks, 3rd and F Streets, for an easy 1 to 2 hour ride to improve skills and fitness in a low-key, fun environment.

### Solano Baking Company (slower) - Ed Martin Series\*\*

Wednesdays, 8:45 am (T1/P3/35 mi)

Dan & Sharon Cucinotta, 530-756-1711 or [scucher@comcast.net](mailto:scucher@comcast.net)

Ride south to Dixon past orchards and fields, relax at Solano Baking Company in Dixon before returning to Davis. A bit slower pace than the ride beginning at 8:00

### Solano Baking Company (faster) - Ed Martin Series\*\*

Wednesdays, 9:00 am (T1/P4-P5/39 mi)

Phil Coleman, 530-756-4885 or [pkcoleman@comcast.net](mailto:pkcoleman@comcast.net)

Ride south to Dixon past orchards and fields, relax at Solano Baking Company in Dixon before returning to Davis.

### Steady Eddy's (slower) - Ed Martin Series\*\*

Thursdays, 8:45 am (T1/P3/30mi)

Gerry Peterson, 530-756-1254 or [gnjpeter0856@juno.com](mailto:gnjpeter0856@juno.com)

Ride along Putah Creek Road, enjoy the atmosphere and conversation at Steady Eddy's in Winters before returning to Davis. A bit slower pace than the ride beginning at 8:00.

### Napa/Bay Area Hill Climbing\*

Thursdays, 9:30 am

T5-6/P-3/30-40 mi

Deb Ford, 707-224-2288 or [napaford@aol.com](mailto:napaford@aol.com)

A new series of rides! Relaxed-but-challenging, worth-the drive rides that feature hill climbing. Designed for the rider who wants to (1) improve their climbing skills, (2) enjoy beautiful back roads, and (3) not cough up a lung! Frequent regrouping and accolades guaranteed. Feb 5 Mt Veeder (Napa start, 30 miles, summit 1500'). Feb 12 Howell Mtn (Rutherford start, 40 miles, ~ 3000' elev gain). Feb 19 Dry Creek/Trinity Roads (Napa start, 35 miles, ~ 3700' elev gain). Feb 26 Mt Diablo (Walnut Creek start, ~30 miles, summit 3849'). Details of route and meeting place on DBC listserv (or email Ride Leader). PLEASE RSVP, so I know whether to wait for you. Rain cancels.

### Steady Eddy's (faster) - Ed Martin Series\*\*

Thursdays, 9:00 am (T1/P4-P5/34 mi)

Phil Coleman, 530-756-4885 or [pkcoleman@comcast.net](mailto:pkcoleman@comcast.net)

Ride along Putah Creek Road, enjoy the atmosphere and conversation at Steady Eddy's in Winters before returning to Davis.

### Winters Dinner Ride\*

Thursdays, 6:00 pm (T1/P3/30mi)

Paul Grant, 530-756-3610 or [pwgrant@mac.com](mailto:pwgrant@mac.com)

Meet on the Russell Blvd. bike path at Lake Blvd. Now that June is behind us, we'll need to remember to bring our lights and be sure the battery is fully charged. Come out on this easy-going dinner ride to Winters. Expect friendly conversation. No-one will be left behind!

### Vacaville Rolling Hills - Ed Martin Series\*\*

Fridays, 9:00 am (T3/P5/60mi)

Larry Burdick, 530-753-7591 or [larryburdick@netzero.net](mailto:larryburdick@netzero.net)

Ride with 'The Legend' through the rolling hills to and from Vacaville. Enjoy the goodies at Vacaville's Heritage Cafe.

### Ride around the Town\*

December, Fridays, 10:00 am (T1/P2/15-18 mi)

Dutch Martinich, 530-756-8234 or [dmartinich@att.net](mailto:dmartinich@att.net)

Gerry Peterson, 530-756-1254 or [gnjpeter0856@juno.com](mailto:gnjpeter0856@juno.com)

Ride starts at Vet's Memorial Auditorium, Route changes weekly but always includes portions of the citywide green-belt system and the City of Davis bike route. Ride finishes in the downtown area and stops for refreshments if riders are interested. Contact either leader if in doubt about the weather.

### Early Bird Special\*

Mon and Fri, 6:15 am (T1/P3/20mi)

Jack Kenward, 530-753-9329 or [kenward2@dcn.org](mailto:kenward2@dcn.org)

Meet on the Russell Blvd. bike path between Arlington and Lake. Rain does not cancel this ride. Heavy rain, strong winds will cancel. Call to arrange meeting on the UCD campus.



### March Madness is almost upon us

Register before March 1st on the March Madness web page: [davisbikeclub.org/mm/Default.php](http://davisbikeclub.org/mm/Default.php) For more info contact Mary James at: [jamesclan@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jamesclan@sbcglobal.net)