

New Club Jersey Available!

Many people have been asking over the past year when and whether we are going to begin selling club jerseys again. The wait is over!

The club's board decided it was time to go with a new design, so we engaged with a designer to create a new look. The result has received good reviews from all who have seen it thus far. To see what the artwork looks like in color, check out the website.

Even more exciting is that a number of sponsors have stepped up to subsidize the jersey cost in exchange for us putting their logo on the pockets. Those who have contributed are: RAP Express, Hammer Nutrition, Turin Bikes, Bike Source, and Midlife Cycling. As a result of their help, the cost this year will be **only \$45**. (In recognition of the fact that they have been with us since the start, logos from the Spoke and Schwab will also appear on the jersey.)

These are high quality jerseys made by Voler. They are four color, full zip, with a club-cut sizing. We have short-sleeve jerseys, sleeveless jerseys, and wind vests available (we are not doing long sleeve jerseys with this particular order).

To make our bulk order deadline, we need to receive your order by January 10th, 2008. We will then have them ready for you in the March timeframe. You can also place your order online by clicking the link on the website.

We will have samples (without the artwork) available at the December club meeting and at some of the upcoming rides in case you wanted to confirm proper sizing.

Club Changes

by Mark Michel

The end of the 2007 season has brought a number of changes to the club.

Rita Saunders has been our club treasurer for more years than she would care to count! Not only has Rita done an excellent job keeping our books in order, she has always been one of the most fun people in the club to ride with. Actually, Rita was the first person I met when I started riding with the RMCC, as she was the ride starter that day. Regardless, Rita's schedule has gotten rather busy of late and she has decided to relinquish her duties. Thanks, Rita, for helping the club out for so many years!

John Klever will be taking over as treasurer.

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New Year's Day Century

After one-year hiatus due to the successive blizzards last winter, the New Year's Day Century is back this year (hopefully)!

In 2002, club member Val Phelps came up with the idea of doing a New Year's Day Century. That first year, there were a relatively few number of riders. Since then, the ride grew tremendously. Two years ago we had over 40 riders at the event.

Because this is a mid-winter ride, this is not a hammerfest century. Rather, it is a way for people to do an enjoyable ride together and celebrate the New Year.

We start at our regular Northglenn start point. The ride then heads west toward Boulder, then up US 36 to Lyons. From there, we head east and then return via our usual route by the Riverdale Golf Course. Because of the way the loop is designed, there are many ways to shorten the ride if you so desire.

The ride is on Tuesday, January 1st, starting at 8:00 AM. As with all rides, it will proceed unless conditions are unsafe for riding. If you have any questions, contact Jim Kraychy at 303-264-9040 or jkraychy@aol.com.

Bike Source Opens New Store

For several years now, Bike Source at County Line and University in Highlands Ranch has been one of our club sponsors. Club members have consistently given them positive reviews for their knowledgeable and helpful staff.

Well, they have opened a second Denver location at 2665 South Colorado Blvd, at the intersection with Yale. At 22,000 square feet, this is the largest Bike Source location dedicated solely to cycling. They feature bikes from Specialized (including a large selection of S-Works bikes), Serotta, Cervelo, and Electra. If you are in the market for a new bike, I recommend getting a professional fit done first, and Bike Source offers this service—they have multiple Serotta-certified fitters on their staff. They also have a dedicated Tri-Shop for the multisport members of the club.

And, of course, they have a large service department with experienced mechanics and plenty of small parts available to get your repairs done quickly and correctly.

Bike Source gives us 15% of regular prices on accessories, clothing, shoes, and repair parts, as well as 5% off components, wheels, framesets, and wetsuits. Check out their new store!



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For the last year, Carol Havrda has been the "RMCC Web Chick." She has decided to step aside from that role as well. We've really appreciated the work she's done to keep us all abreast of what's going on (which is always a lot) as well as in updating the look of the site. The fact that she was willing to do that even though she doesn't get to ride with us as much since she moved to Durango was particularly selfless on her part.

I'll be taking over the website administration. Since the RMCC pay level is not high enough to allow me to quit my day job, I'll be stepping aside as the newsletter editor after a four-year stint. Cary Stewart, who many of you have gotten to know this year, will be taking over the newsletter. As result of this

change, we can expect the newsletter to become much more interesting!

Finally, earlier in the year Rick Melick stepped aside as the person responsible for recruiting club sponsors. Whenever you've saved money with a discount from one of our sponsors, Rick has been the one who made that happen. Longtime club-member and rider extraordinaire Mike Fulton has taken over this role, and has been doing some great work already, getting us discounted jerseys!

Thanks to Rita, Carol, Cary, Rick, Mike, and John for helping out the club. And, thanks to all of our volunteers—most especially ride starters!. The RMCC has been blessed to have so many people willing to contribute to the club, and I think we are in good hands going forward.

Upcoming Club Rides.

Date	Start	Description	Miles	Starter
Saturday 12/15 10:45	Northglenn	Northglenn Show and Go Ride	30-50	Tom Foss: 303-233-4972 foss.tom@gmail.com
Sunday 12/16 9:45	Ken Caryl	Ken Caryl and Beyond Show-and-Go	30-40	Tom Boyle: 303-948-8947 boyle254@msn.com
Sunday 12/16 9:45	Erie	Sunday Fixed Gear Ride	50	Mike Prendergast: 303-344-6326 mike.rmcc@gmail.com
Saturday 12/22 10:45	Northglenn	Northglenn Show and Go Ride	30-50	Tom Foss: 303-233-4972 foss.tom@gmail.com
Sunday 12/23 9:45	Ken Caryl	Ken Caryl and Beyond Show-and-Go	30-40	Diane Benoit: 303-697-1463 dianembenoit@comcast.net
Sunday 12/23 9:45	Erie	Sunday Fixed Gear Ride	50	Mike Prendergast: 303-344-6326 mike.rmcc@gmail.com
Saturday 12/29 10:45	Northglenn	Northglenn Show and Go Ride	30-50	Tom Foss: 303-233-4972 foss.tom@gmail.com
Sunday 12/30 9:45	Ken Caryl	Ken Caryl and Beyond Show-and-Go	30-40	Tom Boyle: 303-948-8947 boyle254@msn.com
Sunday 12/30 9:45	Erie	Sunday Fixed Gear Ride	50	Mike Prendergast: 303-344-6326 mike.rmcc@gmail.com
Tuesday 1/1 8:00	Northglenn	New Year's Day Century	100	Jim Kraychy: 303-264-9040 jkraychy@aol.com
Saturday 1/5 10:45	Northglenn	Northglenn Show and Go Ride	30-50	Tom Foss: 303-233-4972 foss.tom@gmail.com
Sunday 1/6 10:45	Ken Caryl	Ken Caryl and Beyond Show-and-Go	30-40	Diane Benoit: 303-697-1463 dianembenoit@comcast.net
Sunday 1/6 9:45	Erie	Sunday Fixed Gear Ride	50	Mike Prendergast: 303-344-6326 mike.rmcc@gmail.com

Northglenn The Wagon Road Park & Ride at 120th and Huron (just west of I-25)
Ken Caryl The park-and-Ride on the northeast corner of Shaffer Parkway and Ken Caryl Avenue in west Littleton.
Erie Meadow Sweet Park at 318 Wheat Berry Drive in Erie. Erie is east of Boulder and northwest of Denver.



JERSEY ORDER FORM

For 2008, RMCC is offering our club jersey in an attractive and dramatic new design!

RMCC wishes to thank RAP Express, Hammer Nutrition, Turin Bikes, Bike Source, Midlife Cycling, Denver Spoke and Schwab Cycles for helping underwrite costs of our club jersey. (Rear pockets and sleeves will sport sponsor logos, not shown on images below.) Because of their generosity, we are able to offer a high quality Voler four color, full zipper, club cut jersey, sleeveless jersey, or wind vest for \$45.

ORDERING DEADLINE: To make our bulk order deadline, please have your order to us by January 10, 2008. We expect orders will ship in the March timeframe. You may order by sending in this form, going out to the website (www.rmccrides.com) and printing one out there, or ordering online using your credit card.

Orders are Due by January 10th. Items are expected to ship in March.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone (Daytime) _____

City _____

Phone (Evening) _____

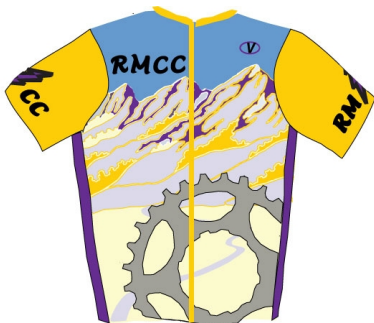
State _____ Zip _____

E-Mail _____

Item	Size (Indicate number you wish to purchase)						Price	Total
Short Sleeve Jersey	XS ____	S ____	M ____	L ____	XL ____	XXL ____	\$45 each	_____
Sleeveless Jersey	XS ____	S ____	M ____	L ____	XL ____	XXL ____	\$45 each	_____
Wind Vest	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL	\$45 each	

Grand Total: _____

Payment is due with your order (check or money order)



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