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39th Reston Century - Registration is Open!

Registration for the 2022 Reston Century is OPEN. Limited to 1000 riders, special members only pricing through July. Opportunities to volunteer and route will be revealed soon!

Reston Century Ride Registration

39th Reston Century - Call for Volunteers

Hello All RBC'ers!

My name is Stephen Krill (aka PH), and my name is Steven McLaughlin (aka V). We are the co-chairs of the 2022 39th Annual Reston Century to be held on 21 Aug 2022 from the Reston Town Center. All active club members should have already received an email which was sent 5 May announcing details and registration of the event. If you intend to ride, please take advantage of the RBC members' registration early discount. This discount registration ends 31 Jul 2022.

We need your help! We are looking for a **Volunteer Coordinator** for the event. This position will give you a behind the scenes view of what it takes to run and be a part of our club's biggest yearly event. You may reach out at rbcRestonBikeClub@gmail.com if you are interested in volunteering.

We are also looking for event volunteers. There are many areas for pre-event, event and post-event positions whereby you can make a difference. Checkout the Signup link below and save the dates to join us for some good fun as well as needed assistance to make this event a success. Signing up early will help guarantee that you get the position you desire.

Looking forward to having another great club event!

PH & V

[Reston Century Volunteer Signup](#)

REMINDER: SIGN THE LIABILITY WAIVER

It's a new year which means it's time to sign a liability waiver for 2022. Remember, you only have to do this once a year! Click the button below to access the waiver:

[Link to Liability Waiver](#)

Bike to Work Day - May 20, 2022

RBC will have a presence at the Herndon pit stop in the morning. If you're interested in helping rep the club (and hanging out with cool people), please contact [James T Ruffin](#).

[Bruce Peltzer](#) will rep at The Bike Lane (the official Reston pit stop). If you can step in to help either one of these guys, please contact them for the stop you're interested in. Both of them are taking off work to do this so I'm sure they'd appreciate some back up!

[Click here](#) to register for Bike to Work Day DC 2022.

Featured Ride: RBC Family Bike Ride

If you'd like more info about the Family Bike Ride, please contact [Jake Welch](#).

Please join the Reston Bike Club for a day of fun with the kids and a family bike ride the Cross County Trail near Lake Accotink.

Date/Time: May 22nd 10am – 12pm

Start Location: The Audrey Moore/Wakefield REC Center and following the trail south going around Lake Accotink

Area Amenities: Family fun activities and ice cream stand nearby

Distance: 5 miles

Suggested Ages:

- Kids on bikes: 5-9 (with adequate ability for distance)
- Kids in trailers: any age

Sign up and route in Events Calendar.

Monthly Photo Challenge

[#rbcphotochallenge](#)

March/April Photo Challenge Winner:

Ed Shanahan

A board member will reach out regarding your prize!

May Theme: Fun Jerseys

Do you have a favorite jersey? Show us! What do you like about it?
Colors? Design? Fit? Material?

Must be a current RBC member (dues paid) in order to win. Posts must be made on the RBC Members Only page and tagged with [#rbcphotochallenge](#).



Welcome New Members!

Kimberly A
Gillian B
Judy B
Todd B
Carlsen H
Nathan C
Marci C
Mark C
Hamad D
Qi D
William D

Corey D
Stephanie E
Mike F
Donald G
Lisa G
Zev G
Ramsey H
Michael H
Robert J
Katie K
Stephanie K

Adam K
Silvia M
Denise N
Quan N
Quynh N
William O
Russell R
Steven r
Charles S
Jesse T
Jonas V

The Club Store is Open!

STICKERS AND MAGNETS

Show off your RBC pride by purchasing a sticker and/or magnet. Add to your beer fridge magnet collection. Adorn your car-mounted bike rack with a sticker. There are so many uses for RBC stickers and magnets that we just can't list them all!

Click on the RBC logo below to visit the RBC Store.

Stickers are \$2 each

Magnets are \$3 each

Order together and save!

Free delivery within 10 miles of Reston.



Events Calendar

Please make note of changing start times for certain weekly rides as many are starting earlier due to shortened daylight hours.

- Weekly Women's Rides:
 - Monday from The Bike Lane
 - Monday from Green Lizard
 - Thursday from The Lake House @ Lake Newport
- 5's @ 5 on Tue. and Thu. with Mike D.
- Wednesday Rambles with Laura R.
- RBC 2.0 at 5:30 from Fox Mill on Tue. and Thu.
- RBC 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 rides from Hunter Woods on Tue.
- RBC 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 rides from Art Space on Thu.
- Saturday morning A/B/C rides from Art Space
- Saturday morning C ride from Ashburn
- Sunday Tours with Chip
- Social Chocolate Rides with Laura R., Kelley and Karen H.

There are new rides being added regularly, so check back often.

If you don't see a ride you'd like to do, reach out to us and we'll support you in setting it up!

Click the "Events Calendar" link above or download the Wild Apricot For Members app (links below) for updated events listings.



RBC Online

Did you know RBC has TWO Facebook presences? One is for the whole world to view and comment on (our official page). The other is for Members Only and it's where people post impromptu rides, #rbcphotochallenge posts, trading/selling gear and other fun stuff.

[Public RBC page](#)

[RBC Members Only Group page](#)

If you are on Facebook, a current (dues paid up) member, and interested in what's going on in the heart of the club, you should be part of the Members Only group. Just put in a request, we'll do a quick check for dues status, and let you in!

Let's Ride!

The 2022 event registration season is open! If you know of an event that we should share with the RBC community, please send me an [email](#)!

May 13 - 15 [Wilmington Grand Prix Weekend](#)

May 14 - [Tour de Hunter Mill](#)

May 15 - [Ride to End ALZ - Nation's Capital](#). We've created a "Reston Bike Club" team for anyone who would like to join. Ride registration is \$50 and the objective is to raise donations for Alzheimer's research. Click [here](#) to visit the RBC donation page.

May 21 - 23rd Annual [Tour de Chesapeake](#)

May 24 - 34th Annual [Tour de Madison](#)

June 4 - [2022 Armed Forces Cycling Classic Challenge Ride](#)

June 12 - [Loudoun 1725 Gravel Grinder](#)

August 6 - [Mountain Mama Road Bike Challenge](#) (Go Jim Carley!)

August 21 - SAVE THE DATE! 39th Annual Reston Century

Also, check out [BikeReg's Mid-Atlantic listing of events](#) throughout the region.

Virginia Cycling Resources

Check out this link for [Cycling Virginia](#)! 2022 is the 4th year for this website and with over 60,000 unique visitors last year, it is your one stop resource for information on cycling in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

[Virginia is for Lovers](#)

[Bicycling in Virginia \(VDOT\)](#)

[Virginia Bicycling Federation](#)

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