

SPOKE Notes

Newsletter of the Cyclonauts Bicycle Club, Springfield, MA

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER



As the hiking season draws to a close, I would like to *thank* all those who volunteered to lead both on Wednesday and Saturday mornings. The weather was mild for the most part with some rainy days mixed in.

We were able to fill all of the vacant board positions and they will be officially announced at our **Annual Banquet** at Uno's April 21st.

If you haven't renewed your **membership**, please do so. If you need a form, it can be found on our website.

I look forward to a great cycling season. I will see everyone at the banquet and on the roads.

James DeSellier
President



EDITOR'S REST STOP



Hi everyone,

Just a reminder: If you wish to contribute, please don't hesitate to submit information you think will be helpful or of interest to the other club members. Send letters to the Editor, or feedback to me at donna.katz56@gmail.com regarding how SpokeNotes can be more interesting or useful to our members.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

This is a place for club members to share their ideas and opinions with respect to all aspects of cycling and our club. Please limit letters to less than 200 words.

REMEMBER:

MAY IS BAY STATE BIKE MONTH



will list **Bike Month** activities on their [Massachusetts Bike-Friendly Events Calendar](#) .

All things Bay State Bike Month can be found at <https://www.massbike.org/bike-month>

Key dates to keep in mind:

Wednesday, May 1st - Massachusetts Walk, Bike, and Roll to School Day

Sunday, May 5th - National Ride A Bike Day

May 13th-19th - Bike to Work Week

Friday, May 17th - Bike to Work Day



Enjoy the biking season and be safe!!!

THE WEBMASTER'S CORNER

When ride leaders need to cancel due to weather, I am happy to send out the ride cancellation notice. All notices must be sent to spfldcyclonauts@gmail.com . This is particularly important as my husband and I are traveling overseas, and I am not always available to send out the notice. Our President, James DeSellier has been covering the Cyclonauts email during the times when I am out of reach. I want to extend a big thank you to James. All ride cancellation notices must be sent out the night before or by 6 AM the morning of the ride. Please remember that the final responsibility lies with each rider. If riders are not certain if the ride is on, they should call the ride leader. The weather at the ride location is not always the same as where you live. Hopefully we will have good weather this spring and fewer rides will have to be canceled.

Betty Siwinski
Webmaster

