

2017 Tour of Minnesota
June 16th - 23rd, 2017



**Registration
Is Now Open**

We are pleased to announce that registration is now open. Please check the web site for the link
or

[Click Here to Register](#)

or check our web site at
www.tourofminnesota.com

Registration cost \$485

The registration cost will include meals on

riding days, 6 breakfasts, 6 lunches, 5 dinners, camping facilities, showers, gear transport to camping sites, sag vehicle support, bicycle repair service by Penn Cycle, and a commemorative t-shirt by [Innovative Graphics](#). Riders will pay for meals on the day off, snacks along the route and other items of interest along the route.

Welcome

We want to welcome you to the Tour of Minnesota community. We welcome all new and returning riders. We are glad you can join us. We have a few things that are new this year:

1. **Pork Belly Ventures Tent Service**
2. **Events Bike Ride Services massage service**

You can find details below and on our web site.

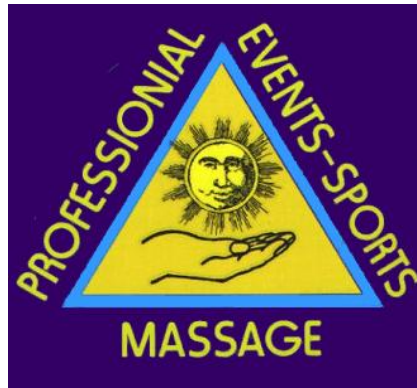


Pork Belly Ventures

We are proud to announce that Pork Belly Ventures will be providing tent and porter service for the Tour of Minnesota. Pork Belly has been providing tent and porter service for RAGBRAI for more than twenty year. This is an optional additional service at your own cost.

[Click here to sign up for](#)

tent service



Massage

Tired? Sore? Need a massage? We are proud to announce Glen Morey of Events Bike Ride Services to provide massages during the Tour. If you would like a massage, please contact Glen:

C: 727-457-6994

[Email Glen for a massage](#)

[Click here to sign up for a massage](#)

Hotel Options

New this year, we have added a cities page to the web site. If you plan to stay in a hotel/motel on the tour, check out [hotels](#). The hotels listed near the top are closest to our camping sites.

Shuttle

If you are staying in a hotel listed on the cities page, we offer a shuttle service for your gear for \$2.00 per day.

[Camping locations and addresses](#)

Available on the bottom of our <http://www.tourofminnesota.com/cities.html>

Pass It On

Have you traveled with the Tour of Minnesota formerly the Klobuchar Ride and had a good time. If so, please pass this email on to your friends that might consider doing the ride. We would love to have them join us.

Swag

**Innovative Graphics Commemorative
(included with Registration)**

[Youth Sizing Chart Tshirt](#)

[Women's Sizing Chart Tshirt](#)

[Men's Sizing Chart T-shirt](#)

Womens'e Jerseys by Floravelo

[Floravelo Women's Sizing Chart](#)

Men's Jerseys by Primal Wear

[Primal Mens Sizing Chart](#)

All swag can be viewed on our swag page at <http://www.tourofminnesota.com/swag.html>

Route

**The 2017 Tour of Minnesota
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June 16th 2017, we will start in Stillwater and stay in the following cities: North Branch, Moose Lake, Superior, Danbury, St. Croix Falls/Taylor's Falls and back to Stillwater. Yes, we will be in Wisconsin for a couple of days.

6/16 Stillwater meet 4:00-8:00 for check in
6/17 Stillwater to North Branch **56** miles

6/18 North Branch to Moose Lake **71**

6/19 Moose Lake to Superior **48**

6/20 Superior day off

6/21 Superior to Danbury **52**

6/22 Danbury to St. Croix Falls/Taylor's Falls **55**

6/23 St. Croix Falls/Taylor's Falls to Stillwater **56**

Shortest day **48** miles

Longest day **71** miles

Average day **56** miles

Approximately **338** miles

Your mileage may vary.



Maps

We will have maps in many formats including FrontPack app available online and you will receive a print set of maps at check in.

Download the app here:
[Download FrontPack App](#)

You can find it online at:
<https://www.thefrontpack.com/Maps/Tour/2297>
If you are not familiar with FrontPack, check out the web site for more information. One thing I really like about it is you can download the route to your phone and use it without cell coverage.

Please invite me to be your friend.

Thank You

A great big thank you to Tonsha Hokanson at Innovative Graphics for her work on our commemorative t-shirts. They look awesome!

A giant thank you to Pam and Trish Willy for their fabulous women's jerseys design. They look great.

Thank you to Curtis Carlson for our Google Earth maps and links. They really are amazing.

Thank you to Steve Resnick for partnering with the Tour again this year, that's three years in a row. I can't wait to get more people signed up this year.

Follow us on social media

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Instagram

[drumminglibrarian](https://www.instagram.com/drumminglibrarian)

Tour of Minnesota Web Site

www.tourofminnesota.com

Bob's Blog

<https://drumminglibrarian.me>

Bob's Bikers Group started by Dusty Pence

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/BobsBikers/>

Helpful Hint

How to keep you devices charged on a bike tour. Listen to Johnny Lam, a friend of mine, tell

you some strategies to keep your devices charged on a a bike tour. Check out a short video at: [Milestone Rides.](#)

Agents in the Field

We have many agents in the field such as Dick Borst, John Ameal, Vi Olson and Bob Fier. Would you like to drop off some posters and brochures at your local bikes shops? If you would like to be one of the few, the proud, the agents in the field, drop me an email and I will mail off some materials.

FAQ

If you have questions, please check the FAQ on our archives page at <http://www.tourofminnesota.com/archives.html>. You will also find previous updates, packing lists and much more. When I post the routes in various format, you will find them on this page.

[Check us out at www.tourofminnesota.com](http://www.tourofminnesota.com)

If you have questions, feel free to contact us:

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