



BRISBANE BICYCLE TOURING ASSOCIATION INC.

CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY - MARCH 2006

Riders must

- contact the ride leader beforehand (if ride is marked "☎");
- obey the road rules, and acknowledge that they ride at their own risk;
- bring ID, water, sunscreen, pump, puncture repair kit, tools, first aid kit;
- arrive early and be **READY TO RIDE AT THE ADVERTISED TIME.**

Rides are open to non-members for up to 3 rides.

Membership enquiries - 0413 345 315

Website: <http://bbta.org>

Rides Co-ordinator - Frances Wellington

Ph: 3851 2297(AH) Email: rides@bbta.org

The next rides planning meeting will be held on Monday 13th February at Brisbane West Senior Citizens Hall, 132 Latrobe Tce, Paddington

BBTA TOURS CALENDAR

🚴 Saturday 25 February

8:00am Pleasant times around Pomona (weekend tour)

S3 Medium Hard touring (heat)

☎ James Trimmer ☎ 3357 7569 ☒ Eumundi Butter Factory

This ride takes in the best that the Sunshine Coast and hinterland has to offer, but be prepared for hot weather. Cruise out of Eumundi Butter Factory, where we will park our cars, towards Belli Park before looping round to Cooroy. Accommodation is at the Pomona Hotel. If you are staying at the hotel you will need to book yourself. On the second day we head to Boreen Point for morning tea before cruising into Tewantin for lunch. From Tewantin it's up Gyndier Drive, "The Hill" in the Noosa Triathlon, before eventually swooping down into Eumundi. ⓘ

FORWARD PLANNING

🚴 Friday 14 April

9:00am Easter Tour 2006 "Beach & Bush Escape" 200km Med-Hard

☎ Terry de Jonge ☎ 0421 644 009 - 3846 7758 ☒ Murwillumbah

A four day tour in picturesque northern NSW starting at Murwillumbah and heading to the coast staying at Brunswick Heads, Saturday ride takes us through back roads to Lismore via a hilly climb to the small township of Federal. Sunday's pedal is a short 42km but a few hills to climb before rolling down into colourful Nimbin, Monday's return will be a flatter ride following the Tweed River back to Murwillumbah via Uki. ⓘ

🚴 Saturday 6 September

9:00am Mawson Trail S.A. Med-Hard

☎ James Trimmer ☎ 3357 7569

All or part thereof. For mtb's or 'sturdy tourers'. 2WD roads. More info James Trimmer ☎ 3357 7569 or ✉ imjimtrim@hotmail.com. *EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST INVITED*

🚴 Saturday 23 September to 1 October

7:00am BBTA Waterfalls & Waves Tour Med-Hard

☎ Terry de Jonge ☎ 0421 644 009 - 3846 7758 ☒ Armidale

This tour begins at Armidale in the highlands of NSW. We drop into the Macleay Valley following the Macleay River through to Kempsey and onto South West Rocks for our rest day. After enjoying the aqua waters of South West Rocks we head up the coast and then climb back up the Great Dividing Range up to Dorrigo. From Dorrigo we will meander back to Armidale enjoying multiple breathtaking waterfalls. This tour will include two nights bush camping with minimal amenities, but guarantees spectacular scenery. ⓘ

MEETINGS AND SOCIAL EVENTS

📅 Monday 13 February

7:30 - 9:00pm RIDES PLANNING NIGHT

Brisbane West Senior Citizens Hall, 132 Latrobe Tce, Paddington. Rides planning meetings are held on the second Monday in even numbered months (unless it's a public holiday). Come along and be part of what makes BBTA tick. All members are welcome. Help put together the next rides calendar. Supper provided. The BBTA library is usually available for borrowing.

📅 Monday 13 March

7:30 - 9:00pm ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Brisbane West Senior Citizens Hall, 132 Latrobe Tce, Paddington. Social meetings are held on the second Monday in odd numbered months (except the March meeting is the AGM). Come along and have a say in how the BBTA is run for the next 12 months. Then talk with fellow members, as you enjoy a cup of coffee or tea and a biscuit. All members are encouraged to come. The BBTA library is also available for borrowing.

REGULAR RIDES

🚴 Saturdays

6:00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph

☎ Gerard Galvin ☎ 3323 3506 ☒ Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. Like a hard fast ride but like me can't keep up with the roadies? A spin to Wynnum and return, with the pace dependent on the majority of those riding. If you are building pace, you are most welcome to come along (... perhaps invite a partner for company as your PB progresses up to the group's pace). Meet up at the halfway point at Wynnum for a brief stop, and afterwards joining everyone for breakfast. Route description will be provided for newcomers.

6:00am Wynnum Dash - 61km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph

☎ Peter Brennan ☎ 3324 0982 ☒ Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. A ride with only one stop at the halfway mark (Pandanus Beach, Wynnum) with coffee or breakfast at the end at 'Caffe di Moda'. We head out from Stones Corner, along Old Cleveland, Bennetts and Lytton Roads out to Fisherman's Island, then to Wynnum where there is a 10 minute break. Head through Lota, Wynnum Rd back to the start. ✉ pd.brennan@bigpond.com

3:00pm Saturday Arvo Ride -18km - (S2) Easy

☎ (Varies) ☒ Windsor Railway Station car park (opp. Brown St) Come along and try our regular easy-paced ride, mainly on bikeways and back roads, with very few hills. The route takes us to Kalinga Park and back, returning by 4.45pm at the latest. Join in for coffee afterwards at a nearby cafe.

🚴 Sundays

3:00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - 20km - (S2) Easy

☎ (Varies) ☒ Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones Corner) An easy-paced ride suitable for both novices and experienced riders. There are four alternative routes: **West End - New Arvo circuit** to Highgate Hill, Orleigh Park, Southbank. **Bulimba Circuit** to Bulimba via Norman Creek, and back via Bennets Rd, **Griffith Uni** to the Uni and back on the bikeway, or **New Farm Park** via South East Freeway bike path and Storey Bridge return via East Brisbane. return by 4.45pm and join in for coffee at a nearby cafe. **Not every Sunday. Check calendar for details & route.**

🚴 Mondays

6:15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - (M1) Easy/Medium

Jim Forayter ☎ 0407 175 488 ☒ Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate Bayside 'easy-going' night ride from Sandgate to the Palace Hotel at Woody Point for dinner (special \$6.95 fish 'n chip 'n salad). Secure bike parking. Expect average 19kph. Suitable lights etc. a must otherwise no ride.

☎ means that riders are **expected** to phone/email the leader beforehand to register as a participant. ☕ means that there will be a meal or coffee stop **during** the ride (Not used if the ride **finishes** with coffee/breakfast). 📣 means that the ride will depart at the advertised time **sharp**.

ⓘ means further information is available on the website and/or contact the ride leader.

RWS = Railway station

RIDE GRADING: terms such as Easy, Hard etc. take account of the distance, speed, and difficulty of the terrain. Codes such as S2, MF3 etc. give information about the pace and terrain (only).

L = leisurely pace, lively conversation.
S = social pace (speedo average up to 18kph).
M = moderate pace (speedo average 19kph plus).
MF = moderately fast (speedo average 24kph plus).
F = fast pace (speedo average 30kph plus).

1 = basically flat (uphill stretches are few and far between).
2 = some hills (more than 2/3 of the ride is on flat terrain; steep climbs are short, and few and far between).
3 = moderate hills (up to 1/3 of the ride is uphill; may include long or steep climbs, but not long and steep).
4 = serious hills (mostly hills AND/OR includes one or two climbs comparable to - but not more difficult than - Mt Cootha).
5 = challenging (contact ride leader for details).

Note: "Trip average" speed will depend on the terrain, timing of stops, and other factors. Stops to regroup or rest will be more frequent and longer on L and S rides than on M, MF and F rides.

▶▶ Wednesday 1 February

8.00am Loganlea To Jimboomba - The Paris Option - 85km - (M3) 🍷

📞 Bob SCHOFIELD 0412 713 487 📧 Loganlea R.W.S. (Carnival Street) UBD P 242, Ref. K20. Ride via Park Ridge and quiet back roads down to Jimboomba for a coffee break. We continue on through Mundoolun to Tambourine and turn northwards to Logan Village, where there will be the option of another coffee stop. We shall then head west as we follow the Left Bank (the Paris Option) of the Logan River through Chambers Flat and Logan Reserve for a southerly approach to Loganlea RWS.

▶▶ Friday 3 February

6.00pm Ride 'n Dine - 20km - L2

📞 Robert Byrnes 03369 0707 📧 Roma St Parkland cafe. A restaurant ride imposing only modest athletic demands before getting down to the real business of the evening at an unpretentious BYO restaurant in the West End. Lights essential, high-visibility gear always handy.

▶▶ Saturday 4 February

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph

📞 (Varies) Gerard 03323 3506 📧 Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

6.00am Wynnum Dash - 61km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph

📞 Peter Brennan 03324 0982 📧 Carpark end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

7.00am Deducted Points - 60km - (M2) 🍷

📞 Bob SCHOFIELD 0412 713 487 📧 Wynnum North Esplanade, adj Elanora Pk, Wynnum UBD Pg143, Ref H15. A ride that hugs the bayshore, visiting Wellington and Cleveland Points and going south as far as the Eddie Santaguiliana Way Trail. Return via Birkdale bike paths to bayside and use the "new" bikeway from Lota station to the bayside. Definitely only a MODERATE pace and regroupings as necessary.

3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)

📞 Anthony MALONE 03201 4728 📧 Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St). See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶▶ Sunday 5 February

7.00am River Then Breakfast - Extended version - 40km (M2)

📞 Iain Moore 03848 3617 or 0402 110 645 📧 Lincoln St, Stones Cnr. South East Freeway to the City then follow the River to Indooroopilly and then to Tennyson, Yerrongpilly, Tarragindi and back to Stones Corner for some breakfast at a local Cafe. Please ring by Friday night before the ride so there is an idea of how big a table to book. 📧 ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

8.00am Nudgee Beach - 24km - (S1) Easy

📞 Jeffrey FOREMAN 03262 4410 📧 Toombul Shoppingtown, Sandgate Rd, near Coles. An easy flat ride to Nudgee Beach for breakfast at Pam's Cafe. However we shall visit the Ann Beasley Lookout which is a short stiff climb.

2.00pm Sandgate Saunter - 20km - (S1) Easy 🍷

📞 James TRIMMER 03357 7569 📧 Shorncliffe RWS. Bikeways & bike paths. Dead flat scenic ride around bayside Sandgate.

3.00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - New Farm - 20km (S2)

📞 Peter PLEASANTS 032075672 📧 Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones Corner). See 'Regular Rides' section for details. 📧 peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

▶▶ Monday 6 February

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium

📞 Jim Forayter 0407 175 488 📧 Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶▶ Thursday 9 February

9.00am Logan BUG Community Ride - 25km - L1 Slow'n Easy

📞 Bob SCHOFIELD 0 NO NEED TO BOOK, JUST TURN UP AT THE START 10 MINS. PRIOR TO THE STARTING TIME. 📧 Loganlea RWS (Carnival Street) "Back to Basics" Means shorter rides, easier pace, more regroupings - like BUG rides were six months ago! So come along for good company and enjoyable cycling over approx. 20 kilometre routes on local bike paths and cycle-friendly quiet streets. Slightly earlier starts will compensate for the warmer weather. 📧 www.loganbug.org

▶▶ Saturday 11 February

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph

📞 (Varies) Gerard 03323 3506 📧 Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

6.00am Wynnum Dash - 46km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph

📞 Peter Brennan 03324 0982 📧 Carpark end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

8.00am Logan Village Wander - 42km - (M1) - Easy 🍷

📞 Kerry NEIGHBOUR 0411 620 667 📧 Loganlea RWS (southern side). A fairly flat and comfortably paced ride. A good chance to see some country down south at a reasonable pace. It is fairly flat, so would suit a newer rider. Not my usual gallop! We also take a few more detours out past Park Ridge way - it is always good to see a bit more countryside! 📧 kerry@dojitraders.com

3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)

📞 Peter PLEASANTS 032075672 📧 Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St). See 'Regular Rides' section for details. 📧 peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

▶▶ Sunday 12 February

7.00am Cedar Creek - 50km - (S3) - Lotsa hills. 🍷

📞 Frances Wellington 03851 2297 📧 Ferny Grove RWS (carpark opp. Bunowen St). Challenging social country ride. Flat warmup then steady climb over the hill to Samford. Rolling hills, then we wind our way through peaceful picturesque valley for a BYO morning tea and a dip in the delightful Cedar Creek. Return to Samford, join in for a coffee at Samford at local cafe. Optional Lanita rail trail (flat compact dirt/bush) back to Ferny Grove, or straight back over the hill for roadies.

9.30am West End Riverside Drive Leisure Ride - 10km - (L1)

📞 Iain Ivory 03876 1563 📧 Southbank 1, Citycat Terminal, Southbank Parklands. An ideal ride for people who want to ride in a group at a very, very leisurely pace. Mainly flat route and one very, very small hill. Route goes from Southbank 1 CityCat Terminal, passes QLD Art Gallery along bikeway/boardwalk to West End Riverside Drive and then to West End CityCat Terminal and then returns back to Southbank 1 City Cat Terminal. The group will gather for coffee at the end of the ride at one of the cafes in Southbank. Finishes approx. 11.00am. 📧 ripplesNwaves8@yahoo.com

3.00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - Griffith Uni - 20km (S2)

📞 Iain Moore 0402 110 645 ah 3848 3617 📧 Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones Corner). See 'Regular Rides' section for details. 📧 ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

▶▶ Monday 13 February

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium

📞 Jim Forayter 0407 175 488 📧 Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶▶ Thursday 16 February

9.00am Logan BUG Community Ride - 25km - L1 Slow'n Easy

📞 Bob SCHOFIELD 0 NO NEED TO BOOK, JUST TURN UP AT THE START 10 MINS. PRIOR TO THE STARTING TIME. 📧 Loganlea RWS (Carnival Street) "Back to Basics" Means shorter rides, easier pace, more regroupings - like BUG rides were six months ago! So come along for good company and enjoyable cycling over approx. 20 kilometre routes on local bike paths and cycle-friendly quiet streets. Slightly earlier starts will compensate for the warmer weather. 📧 www.loganbug.org

▶▶ Friday 17 February

6.00pm Ride 'n Dine - 20km - L2

📞 Robert Byrnes 03369 0707 📧 Roma St Parkland cafe. A restaurant ride imposing only modest athletic demands before getting down to the real business of the evening at an unpretentious BYO restaurant in the West End. Lights essential, high-visibility gear always handy.

▶▶ Saturday 18 February

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph

📞 (Varies) Gerard 03323 3506 📧 Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

6.00am Wynnum Dash - 46km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph

📞 Peter Brennan 03324 0982 📧 Carpark end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner. See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

7.30am Canefields Wander - 75km - (M2) 🍷

📞 Bob SCHOFIELD 0412 713 487 📧 Beenleigh RWS. Alamein/Bellwe Streets UBD P. 284, Ref. D1. A nostalgic meander through the canefields, taking in the Albert River at Alberton, the Sugar Mill at Woongoolba, the foreshore at Cabbage Tree Point (because we can) and on to Jacob's Well for a coffee stop. Return via Norwell, maybe Alberton and certainly Yatala, for anyone who wants to detour for a world-famous pie.

3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)

📞 Tony Malone 03201 4728 📧 Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St). See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶▶ Sunday 19 February

6.30am YeeeeHaaaa Samford Trail Ride - 35km - (S3) 🍷

📞 Chris B. 0418 794 680 or 3260 6248 📧 Ferny Grove RWS carpark opposite Conavalla St. Ride from Ferny Grove to samford via disused railway line and horse trails. We will stop at the Samford Bakery for coffee etc. before heading back to Ferny Grove. Road bikes not suitable as approx. half of this ride is on dirt and grass.

3.00pm Kalinga Park BYO BBQ - via Sandgate - 40km - (M1)

📞 Iain MOORE 0402 110 645 ah 3848 3617 📧 Kalinga Park enter through Park Avenue Woolloowin. Ride to Sandgate and back via the Boondall wetlands and then BYO BBQ in Kalinga park at approximately 5.30pm. 📧 ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

3.00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba - 20km (S2)

📞 Peter PLEASANTS 032075672 📧 Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones Corner). See 'Regular Rides' section for details. 📧 peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

▶ Monday 20 February

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium
Jim Forayter ☎ 0407 175 488 ☒ Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶ Thursday 23 February

8.00am Loganlea To Jimboomba - The Paris Option - 85km - (M3) 🚲
☒ Bob SCHOFIELD. ☎ 0412 713 487 ☒ Loganlea R.W.S. (Carnival Street)
UBD P 242, Ref. K20. Ride via Park Ridge and quiet back roads down to
Jimboomba for a coffee break. We continue on through Mundoolun to
Tambourine and turn northwards to Logan Village, where there will be the
option of another coffee stop. We shall then head west as we follow the Left
Bank (the Paris Option) of the Logan River through Chambers Flat and Logan
Reserve for a southerly approach to Loganlea RWS.

▶ Saturday 25 February

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph
☒ (Varies) Gerard ☎ 3323 3506 ☒ Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner.
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

6.00am Wynnum Dash - 61km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph
☒ Peter Brennan ☎ 3324 0982 ☒ Carpark end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

8.00am Logan Village Wander - 42km - (M1) - Easy
☒ Kerry NEIGHBOUR ☎ 0411 620 667 ☒ Loganlea RWS (southern side).
A fairly flat and comfortably paced ride. A good chance to see some country
down south at a reasonable pace. It is fairly flat, so would suit a newer
rider. Not my usual gallop! We also take a few more detours out past Park
Ridge way - it is always good to see a bit more countryside!
☒ kerry@dojitraders.com

8.00am Pleasant times around Pomona - (Weekend tour)
☒ James TRIMMER ☎ 3357 7569
See BETA Tours Calendar for details.

3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)
☒ Peter PLEASANTS ☎ 32075672 ☒ Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St).
See 'Regular Rides' section for details. ☒ peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

▶ Sunday 26 February

7.00am River Then Breakfast - 30km (M2)
☒ Iain Moore ☎ 3848 3617 or 0402 110 645 ☒ Lincoln St, Stones Cnr.
South East Freeway to the City then follow the River to Indooroopilly and
then to Tennyson, Yerrongpilly, Tarragindi and back to Stones Corner for
some breakfast at a local Cafe. Please ring by Friday night before the ride so
there is an idea of how big a table to book. ☒ ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

9.30am West End Riverside Drive Leisure Ride - 10km - (L1)
☒ Michael AFFLECK ☎ 3345 2095 or 0422 443 579 ☒ Southbank 1, Citycat
Terminal, Southbank Parklands. An ideal ride for people who want to ride in
a group at a very, very leisurely pace. Mainly flat route and one very, very
small hill. Route goes from Southbank 1 CityCat Terminal, passes QLD Art
Gallery along bikeway/boardwalk to West End Riverside Drive and then to
West End CityCat Terminal and then returns back to Southbank 1 City Cat
Terminal. The group will gather for coffee at the end of the ride at one of the
cafes in Southbank. Finishes approx. 11.00am.
☒ maf17@aapt.net.au

3.00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba - 20km (S2)
☒ Iain Moore ☎ 3848 3617 or 0402 110 645 ☒ Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones
Corner). See 'Regular Rides' section for details. ☒ ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

▶ Monday 27 February

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium
Jim Forayter ☎ 0407 175 488 ☒ Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate
See 'Regular Rides' section for details

▶ Saturday 4 March

* **4th to 12th March is BIKE WEEK. Contact Bicycle Queensland**
Phone: (07) 3844 1144 Email: bqinfo@bq.org.au

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph
☒ (Varies) Gerard ☎ 3323 3506 ☒ Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner.
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

6.00am Wynnum Dash - 46km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph
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down south at a reasonable pace. It is fairly flat, so would suit a newer
rider. Not my usual gallop! We also take a few more detours out past Park
Ridge way - it is always good to see a bit more countryside!
☒ kerry@dojitraders.com

3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)
☒ Tony Malone ☎ 3201 4728 ☒ Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St).
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶ Sunday 5 March

6.00am Mt Tambourine Trek - 85km - (MF4) Hard. 📞
☒ Peter Brennan ☎ 33240982 ☒ Bob Jane T-Mart, opp Beenleigh RWS.
Early start to beat the traffic up the 'hill' and probable hot weather.
Warm up on rolling terrain from Beenleigh to Tamborine Village (25km)
before ascending the 7km climb. Travel through Eagle Heights, up & down to
Oxenford and on to the Strawberry Farm for a well earned icecream.
We follow the V1 cycleway from Oxenford to Beenleigh.
☒ pd.brennan@bigpond.com

8.30am Bulimba Creek - 25km - (S2) Easy
☒ Jeffrey FOREMAN ☎ 3262 4410 ☒ Carpark at Minnippi Parklands. UBD
map 162 B16. A generally flat ride to Wishart following Bulimba Creek. There
is a short climb to get around Pacific Golf Course. Bikeway most of the way.
Coffee etc will be at Tingalpa on return journey.

3.00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba - 20km (S2)
☒ Peter PLEASANTS ☎ 32075672 ☒ Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones Corner).
See 'Regular Rides' section for details. ☒ peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

▶ Monday 6 March

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium
Jim Forayter ☎ 0407 175 488 ☒ Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶ Thursday 9 March

9.00am DON'T RIDE TO WORK TODAY! - 40km - L1 Easy/Social
Bob SCHOFIELD ☎ 0412 713 487 ☒ Logan R.W.S., Carnival Street UBD
P.242, Ref. L20. A Logan BUG Community Ride with a difference, combining
two local loops of approx. 20kms. each so you can vary the distance to suit.
Just come along and celebrate not having to ride to work. A very leisurely
pace of around 15kmh will be maintained, with plenty of rest stops and
regroupings, as necessary. Come along ten minutes before the scheduled
starting time for a social ride on bikeways and quiet back streets in the City
of Logan. ☒ iskra@bigpond More info: www.loganbug.org

▶ Saturday 11 March

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph
☒ (Varies) Gerard ☎ 3323 3506 ☒ Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner.
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3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)
☒ Peter PLEASANTS ☎ 32075672 ☒ Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St).
See 'Regular Rides' section for details. ☒ peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

▶ Sunday 12 March

5.40am Nambour Express - 120km - (M3) Hard 📞
☒ James TRIMMER ☎ 3357 7569 ☒ Windsor RWS Sharp on time! 5.40am
Train to Nambour, follow rail line return. Train departs Central at 6.06am.

7.00am Beenleigh>Burleigh>Robina - 80km - (MF2) - Road bikes 🚲
☒ Kerry NEIGHBOUR ☎ 0411 620 667 ☒ Beenleigh RWS (actually the
carpark opposite). Our normal Gold Coast ride - only this time we go down a
bit further (to Robina). This is a brisk ride, although very social in nature.
Generally a fairly fast ride to Southport for a snack, then a scenic ride
through the Gold Coast at a moderate pace. Very scenic and flat roads -
would suit roadies. You will need train fare back from Robina.
☒ kerry@dojitraders.com

3.00pm Sunday Arvo Ride - *New West End circuit* - 20km (S2)
☒ Jeffrey FOREMAN ☎ 3262 4410 ☒ Lincoln St, Greenslopes (Stones Corner).
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▶ Monday 13 March

5.45pm Anyone for a night ride ? - 50km - M1 Medium
Frances Wellington ☎ 3851 2297 ☒ Banyo Shop, Cnr St Vincents & Tufnell
Rd's Banyo. Come for an cool evening bayside ride via the Boondall Wetlands
out to Shorncliffe for dinner at The Palace Hotel, and then proceeding back to
Banyo via Sandgate Rd. Lights are a must, otherwise no ride.

▶ Saturday 18 March

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▶▶ **Sunday 19 March**

7.00am Classic Century (modified) - 160km - (MF3) Hard ☕

☞ James TRIMMER ☎ 3357 7569 ☒ Queen's Park Ipswich
This is an old style achievement ride. Instruction and map provided, go at your own pace. Route is Rosewood, Laidley, Atkinson Dam, Lowood then Fernvale, Haigsleigh to Walloon. A ride for wimps. Tallagalla after a hot, hard 140k a bit much so we will detour. I will aim for a sub 8 hour ride.

8.30am Downfall Creek & Kedron Brook - 30km - (S2) Easy

☞ Jeffrey FOREMAN ☎ 3262 4410 ☒ Toombul S'town, Sandgate Rd, near Coles. This ride follows Downfall Ck from Virginia to the Bushland Centre at Cherside West. From there it goes along Trouts Rd to Everton Park & onto the Kedron Brook bikeway & then to Toombul. Coffee etc. at Toombul after the ride.

9.30am West End Riverside Drive Leisure Ride - 10km - (L1)

☞ Ilan Ivory ☎ 3876 1563 ☒ Southbank 1, Citycat Terminal, Southbank Parklands. An ideal ride for people who want to ride in a group at a very, very leisurely pace. Mainly flat route and one very, very small hill. Route goes from Southbank 1 CityCat Terminal, passes QLD Art Gallery along bikeway/boardwalk to West End Riverside Drive and then to West End CityCat Terminal and then returns back to Southbank 1 City Cat Terminal. The group will gather for coffee at the end of the ride at one of the cafes in Southbank. Finishes approx.11.00am.
☒ ripplesNwaves8@yahoo.com

▶▶ **Monday 20 March**

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium

Jim Forayter ☎ 0407 175 488 ☒ Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate
See 'Regular Rides' section for details

▶▶ **Saturday 25 March**

6.00am Wynnum Cruise - 46km - (MF2) - av. 26kph

☞ (Varies) Gerard ☎ 3323 3506 ☒ Car park end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner.
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

6.00am Wynnum Dash - 46km - (F2) - av. 28/30kph

☞ Peter Brennan ☎ 3324 0982 ☒ Carpark end of Lincoln St, Stones Corner
See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

7.30am Maximim Points - 102km - (M3) ☕

☞ Bob SCHOFIELD ☎ 0412 713 487 ☒ Wynnum North Esplanade, adjacent Elanora Park Bowls Club. UBD P. 143, Ref. H14.
Visit every one of the twelve named coastal points between the Brisbane and Logan Rivers, with some bike paths and quieter roads along the way. We'll keep together at a moderate pace and re-group often, taking one rest stop halfway out. Stop for coffee/breakfast in Redland Bay village after 65KMS., on the return journey. A shortcut to breakfast will cut out some hills and save 10kms. but you'll miss the world-famous Point Talburpin. On the way back we'll minimise the hill-climbing. Rail options after 82kms.
☒ iskra@bigpond.net.au
(Cue sheet in PDF or Excel format available on request).

3.00pm Saturday Arvo Ride - 18km - (S2)

☞ Bernie Woodhouse ☎ 0411 164 934 ☒ Windsor RWS car park (opp. Brown St). See 'Regular Rides' section for details.

▶▶ **Sunday 26 March**

7.00am River Then Breakfast - 30km (M2)

☞ Iain Moore ☎ 3848 3617 or 0402 110 645 ☒ Lincoln St, Stones Cnr. South East Freeway to the City then follow the River to Indooroopilly and then to Tennyson, Yerrongpilly, Tarragindi and back to Stones Corner for some breakfast at a local Cafe. Please ring by Friday night before the ride so there is an idea of how big a table to book. ☒ ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

7.30am Boonah or Bust! - 100km (M3) Hard

☞ James TRIMMER ☎ 3357 7569 ☒ Queens Park, Ipswich.
Another BBTA 'classic ride' to Boonah via Middle Rd, Peaks Crossing and Kalbar. Plenty of rollers. Maybe some headwinds.

7.45am Up hill and down dale - 65km (M4) ☕

☞ Peter Pleasants ☎ 32075672 ☒ Birkdale RWS
This ride aims to take in most of the hills of Birkdale, Gumdale, Grassdale Road, Carindale, Priestdale and Rochedale (and a few more) while avoiding anything really stupid like Mt. Petrie Road or West Mt. Cotton Road. It is almost entirely over lightly trafficked roads or off-road cycle tracks (including the Bulimba Creek cycle track). Coffee stop at Rochedale South. Return along Ford and Avalon roads.
☒ peterpleasants@iprimus.com.au

9.30am West End Riverside Drive Leisure Ride - 10km - (L1)

☞ Michael AFFLECK ☎ 3345 2095 or 0422 443 579 ☒ Southbank 1, Citycat Terminal, Southbank Parklands. An ideal ride for people who want to ride in a group at a very, very leisurely pace. Mainly flat route and one very, very small hill. Route goes from Southbank 1 CityCat Terminal, passes QLD Art Gallery along bikeway/boardwalk to West End Riverside Drive and then to West End CityCat Terminal and then returns back to Southbank 1 City Cat Terminal. The group will gather for coffee at the end of the ride at one of the cafes in Southbank. Finishes approx.11.00am.
☒ maf17@aapt.net.au .

▶▶ **Monday 27 March**

6.15pm The Palace night ride - 25km - M1 Easy/Medium

Jim Forayter ☎ 0407 175 488 ☒ Hoffy Cycle carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate
See 'Regular Rides' section for details

▶▶ **Sunday 2 April**

7.00am Easy Imperial Century - 160km - (M2) Hard

☞ James TRIMMER ☎ 3357 7569 ☒ Windsor RWS
Advance notice As flat as I can make it out to Beechemere & return. Gong hunters welcome. **First timers start training NOW!**

BBTA Ride Leaders . . .

✓ **Please endeavour to lead your ride in accordance with its pace and description.**

BBTA Riders . . .

✓ **Please check the 'pace' code of your selected ride. Some rides are too fast for some riders.**

✓ **If in doubt, contact the ride leader.**

✓ **Courteous riders will arrive 10 minutes before the advertised starting time.**

Safety on Rides . . .

✓ **All riders are expected to obey the road rules.**

✓ **Bike helmets are compulsory on all rides.**

✓ **Adequate lights (to see and to be seen) and reflectors are essential for any night rides. Suitable safety apparel is recommended.**

✓ **Bring a pump, suitable spare tubes, tyre levers and puncture repair kit, plenty of water and nourishment on all rides, especially bush rides.**

✓ **In the interests of rider safety, the management committee or Ride Leader reserves the right to refuse any rider from commencing or continuing any ride where it is deemed unsafe for that rider to participate in or continue on a given ride.**

Wet Weather . . .

✓ **The ride will go ahead, rain, hail (maybe not) or shine.**

**Thank you Everyone
Have a Great day out !**