

the **Brisbane Bicycle Touring Association!**

# Tours & Events Calendar

February ~ March 2008

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## Announcing

★ **BBTA Celebrates 25 Years of Cycle Touring in 2008!**

### BBTA Meetings and Social Events

★ **Monday 11th February 7.30 - 9.00pm**  
**TOURS & EVENTS PLANNING NIGHT**



The planning process for the April to May calendar begins tonight so come along and be part of the BBTA's core activity. I encourage all tour and event submissions, from concept through to readymade creations. The library will be open & refreshments provided. Gold coin donation for supper. C/O: Fran/Rides Coordinator Ph: 3851-2297 (AH) Email: rides@bbta.org Location: Brisbane West Senior Citizens Hall, 132 Latrobe Tce, Paddington.

★ **Monday 10th March 7.30 - 9.30pm**

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



An informal get-together for members, and refreshments will follow the usual reports and election of office-bearers and committee for the ensuing year. Join in the democratic process then meet your new representatives. Gold coin donation for supper. Details TBA on "Members News" <www.BBTA.ORG> C/O: Geoff/Social Convenor Ph: 3359-4688 Email: social@bbta.org Location: Brisbane West Senior Citizens Hall (as above).



### Forward Planning

Qualify for one of five **BBTA Achievement** awards in 2008 by obtaining an official Brevet form from the website or the Rides Coordinator, fill it in during the year with your choice of rides of 50/80/100/160 to 200km in distance. Details online at <http://www.bbta.org/achievement.php>

**Notice of alteration:** Members please note that in the Ride Classification Guidelines below the pace grading for "Social" rides is now called "Steady" (with the speedo average staying the same). As all BBTA rides are social in nature, this term is more relevant to speed.

### BBTA Multi-day Tour

**Sunday 21st September to Saturday 4th October (14 days)**

#### BBTA 2008 Western Australia Wildflowers & Winery Tour

Join Gael & myself for a 14 day unsupported tour of the south west corner of Western Australia, in late September 2008. Anyone interested, please phone or email me for more details! ☎ **Leader:** Terry de Jonge Ph: 3846-7758 or 0421-644-009



### PARTICIPANTS PLEASE NOTE . . .

- Obey the road rules, and acknowledge that you ride at your 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 & guests for up to 3 rides, or for one weekend tour. Multi-day tours for BBTA (& affiliated) members.

### CONTACT BBTA. . .

- **General Rides Enquiries** - Frances Wellington/Rides Coordinator Email: rides@bbta.org Ph: 3851 2297(A/H) Mob: 0414 705 289 (A/H)
- **Specific ride enquiries** contact the ride leader.

### LEGEND

- ☎ **Further info** is available from the ride leader or online. Check online at our website [www.BBTA.org](http://www.BBTA.org) for all ride update notices (as details may change after this edition goes to print), and any added rides.
- 🏆 **BBTA Club Achievement Award eligible ride.** 🏅 **Imperial Century Medallion**
- 📄 **Necessary for every rider to register as a participant.**
- ☕ **Meal/coffee stop** during the ride. (Not used if ride finishes with meal/coffee)
- 🌙 **Night ride** OR could extend to after dark. **RWS** = Railway Station.

### BBTA Weekend Tour

**Saturday 9th to Sunday 10th February (2days, 1 night)**

🏠 7.30am "Sunshine Coast Weekend Tour" 📞 65/65km 🏕️ Camping area or cabin facilities at Landsborough Pines Caravan Park (email: info@landsboroughpines.com.au ph: 5494 1678) which has 4 star campers' kitchen, pool, bbq area for Friday and Saturday nights.

8.00 am day ride Saturday 9 February – 65km S3 to M3

**Depart:** Landsborough RWS car park – Loops around Landsborough in the hinterland – south to Beerburum along old Gympie Rd, north back to Landsborough along Steve Irwin Way for morning tea, before continuing along Steve Irwin Way and in to Mooloolah to connect with the old Rail tunnel back to Landsborough. The tunnel road from Mooloolah to Landsborough is mostly dirt.

8.00am day ride Sunday 10 February – 65 km S2 to M2

**Depart:** Stocklands Caloundra Shopping Centre car park Cnr UBD Sunshine Coast p 100 E16 near cnr Oval and First Ave. South along the bike path through Golden Beach, weave back through Pelican Waters, north along the boardwalk and streets to Currumbundi Lakes for morning tea, continue on bike paths and streets north to Buddina, return via Nicklin Way, bike paths around Lake Kawana. **Must phone** by 25 January so that bookings for cabins/tent sites can be made. **Leader:** Meryl **Email:** merylene@ourbrisbane.com **Ph:** 3491-9114

### BBTA Introductory Rides

- First Level:** These rides are very easy, flat, short distance, 'stress free' with little or no traffic. Designed for novice to Intermediate cyclists.
- Second Level:** These rides are just a bit harder, a bit longer distance, maybe some low inclines (hills) and some traffic. Designed for the intermediate cyclist.

### BBTA Regular Day (or night!) Tours

🚲 **Monday evenings** - every week this calendar 🚲

● 6.15pm "The Palace Night Ride" 🏠 🌞 M1 25km Av. 19kph **Depart (sharp on time):** Hoffs Cycles carpark, Bowser Pde Sandgate. Bayside night ride to Palace Hotel at Woody Point for dinner (\$10.95 + drinks). Secure bike parking. Suitable lights, etc. a must otherwise no ride. **Leader:** Jim Forayter 0407-175-488

**Tuesday & Thursday mornings** - alternates/one day each week

● 8.00am 'Big Oasis' 🏠 S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM **Depart:** Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Very pleasant flat ride to either (Tuesday's) Laguna Cafe at Sandgate (57km on) - or to the Cannery at Banyo (43km), depending on the riders fitness - or (Thursday's) to Nudgee Beach (43km) with morning tea at Pam 'n Harry's, spinning along Kedron Brook and Jim Soorley (Shultz Canal) bikeway's. **Leader:** Geoff Snell Ph: 3359-4688 or 0408-702-294

### RIDE CLASSIFICATION GUIDELINES

- **Speedo Average** is the km (averaged hourly) whilst you are 'in the saddle'.
- **Stops to re-group or rest** are more frequent & longer on the slower rides.

### PACE GRADING

- L** = leisurely pace (speedo average under 15kph)
- S** = steady pace (speedo average up to 18kph)
- M** = moderate pace (speedo av. 19kph plus)
- B** = brisk pace (speedo average 22kph plus)
- MF** = moderately fast (speedo av. 24kph plus)
- F** = fast pace (speedo average 30kph plus)

### HILL GRADING

- 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).

## Thursday mornings - every week this calendar

● 9.00am "Logan BUG Ride" Unrated 30km to 80km

Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS (UBD P.242 Ref.K20). (NOT BETA ride) This is a "pot luck" ride. Distance, and pace depending on the group. Coffee after wards at Waterford West. For more info contact Leader: Samantha Kajewski 0488-749-026 or Leader Kurt Doerr 5546-3482

🚲 Saturday mornings - choice of 3 rides to Wynnum every week 🚲

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2

"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Faster paced rides aimed at self sufficient riders. One stop at midpoint in Wynnum. Outbound via Balmoral and Lytton, longer ride includes Fisherman Island Circuit. Shorter takes more direct route from Lytton to Wynnum. After 10 minute stop in Wynnum, all riders return via the bay front at Lota and through Cannon Hill. Cue sheets available. All riders meet for after ride coffee/breakfast @ Coffee Club, Stones Corner. Leaders: Peter Brennan (F2/61km 🏆) 0408-983-474; Ginny Scott (MF2/61km) 3376-7781; Graham Roberts (MF2/46km) 0403-687-305

🚲 Saturday afternoons - Northside - every weekend this calendar 🚲

● 3.00pm "Saturday Arvo Ride" S2 18km EASY

Depart: Windsor RWS carpark (opp. Brown St). Designed to provide a variety of terrain, traffic conditions and surfaces, this steady ride is ideal for the newcomer and uses a few combinations of bikepaths and manageable back streets to vary the route slightly from week to week. Lots of re-groupings. Experienced leaders. A very sociable ride and a good way to get into/back to cycling.

Always optional coffee stop towards end of ride at local cafe.

Refer day by day listing for dates & leader contact details.

🚲 Sunday afternoons - Southside - most weekend's this calendar 🚲

● 3.00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride" S2 18km EASY

Depart: Lincoln Street, Greenslopes (Stones Corner). Come along on most any Sunday and try the Southside version of the 'Arvo' ride, designed along the same lines as the Saturday ride for newcomers. Coffee after at "Fasta Pasta" at Stones Corner. Sunday Arvo ride routes vary from week to week >>refer day by day listing for route & leader contact details.

● 3:00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - New Farm Park" 20 km S2 EASY

Scenic ride via the SE Freeway bikeway heading north to skirt the city reaches of the Brisbane River to Kangaroo Point, then it's over the Storey bridge, and along the riverside bikeway and leafy backstreets of New Farm for a brief stop at the Park. Return detours after re-crossing bridge via East Brisbane, Mowbray Park and Coorparoo.

● 3:00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba" 20 km S2 EASY

Easy going meandering ride via Norman Creek bikeway and backstreets to Bulimba for a brief stop at Vic Lucas park, return via Riding Rd, Bennets Rd, Tyber St, quiet backstreets @ Coorparoo, and Norman Creek bikeway/mangroves parkland.

● 3:00pm "St Lucia (& Lady Schonell Bridge)" 20 km S2 EASY

Easy going meandering ride via the Uni at St Lucia and Conration drive Bikeway skirting the Brisbane River and taking in a loop of the City Botanic Gardens.

● 3:00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - Griffith Uni" 20 km S3 MEDIUM

This version is just a bit more challenging with one incline outgoing, and one at midway turnaround. Takes the S.E. Freeway bikepath south to Griffith Uni, through bushland to the campus, then circuit the ring road & onto University Drive and back to the S.E. Freeway bikeway, including the great downhill run to Gaza Rd to reward us for our efforts.

## Our Day-by-Day Tours

### Saturday 2 February

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2

"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

● 7.15am "Tamborine Ride" M3 85km 🏆

Depart: Beenleigh RWS, Bob Jane T-Mart Carpark. A rolling cruise to Tamborine Village before the 7km climb up to Mt Tamborine, and a short break before the descent to Oxenford. Return via V1 to Beenleigh. Leader: Col Davies Ph: 3808-6908 Email: cjdavies@bigpond.net.au

● 7.30am "Sandgate Swift" B to MF1 45km

Depart: Coles Toombul Carpark (opposite Billy Baxters). Flat brisk paced ride along Jim Soorley (Schultz Canal) bikeway & back streets to Shorncliffe for a 10 minute stop then loop around Sandgate & return same way. Aim to average 24kph overall with 25-30kph along the open stretches of the canal. Coffee, etc after ride at Billy Baxters. Leader: Jenni Eason 3868-1789 or 0416-028-754

● 8.30am "Samford Sojourn" 4 MTB's & hybrids" M3 S3 30km MEDIUM

Depart: Ferny Grove R.W.S. (car park opp. Bunowen St). Meander along rolling sealed rolls and easy local (dirt & grassed) trails, following the Lanita Rd rail trail and having morning tea at Samford. Return (incl. the cow paddock!) is shorter and easier with a 3km. cruise to finish. NOT suited roadbikes. Leader: Geoff Snell Ph: 3359-4688 Mob. 0408-702-294

● 9.00am "A Brisbane Circuit" S1 75km 🏆

Depart: from outside the Newmarket Road Caravan park, Ashgrove Avenue (UBD 139 F17). A meandering circuit of Brisbane, some high points, some low points, rivers, and bridges, travelling 22 km/h on the flat bits, faster downhill, riding-in-the-saddle average of 16 km/h. Eat at Fairfield, then at the Bakery, Ashgrove Ave. afterwards. Leader: Stephen Jackson Ph: 0438-943-813

Email: smasj@bigpond.net.au

● 3.00pm "Saturday Arvo Ride" S2 18km EASY

Leader: James Trimmer Ph: 3357-7569. Refer regular rides section for details.

## Sunday 3 February

● 7.00am "Did I really get up early for this?" M1 100km 🏆

Depart: Windsor RWS (opp. Brown St) > Scarborough and back by 12.30pm. Aim is improve riders endurance & provide a challenge. Av. speed 19-20 kph. Out via Geebung, Deagon Deviation to Scarborough 45 kms. Return via Sandgate, Bloondall Wetlands & Schultz canal 55 kms. Only stop is at Scarborough for water & toilet. Mainly flat except for Kedron Brook Rd & parts of Wavel Heights. No tail rider, a map is provided for riders not familiar with the route. Recommend that riders bring energy food to eat on the way. Coffee at the end of the ride. Please ring if going on this ride. Leader: Kate M. Ph: 3857-7472

● 7.00 am "River then Breakfast" M2 31km MEDIUM

Depart: Lincoln St, Stones Corner. SE Freeway to the City, follow the River to Indooroopilly, Tennyson, Yerrongpilly, Tarragindi, & back to Stones Corner for breakfast at a local Cafe. Please ring by Friday night before the ride to reserve a place for Breakfast after. Leader: Ian Moore ph: 0402-110-645 or 3848-3617 Email: ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

● 8:30am "Kedron Brook & Mitchelton" S1 27 km EASY

Depart: Centro Toombul, carpark near Coles. Kedron Brook Bikeway to Mitchelton & return. Coffee etc. at Toombul after the ride. Leader: Jeffrey F Ph: 3262-4410

● 3.00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba" S2 20km EASY

Leader: Jeffrey Foreman Ph: 3262-4410. Refer regular rides section for details.

## Monday 4 February

● Night Ride! 6.15pm "The Palace night ride" M1 25km

Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

## Thursday 7 February

● 8.00am 'Big Oasis' S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM

Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

● 9.00am 'Logan BUG Ride' Unrated 30km to 80km

Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

## Friday 8 February

● 6.00pm 'Ride 'n Dine (short)' S2 25km EASY

Depart: Mowbray Park CityCat terminal (carpark). A social ride around the river, cross at Goodwill bridge, bikeway to UQ, Green Bridge & on to Hill End for dinner. Return via Orleigh Park, Southbank, Stones Corner & Norman Park. Lights a must or no ride. Also bring a bike lock. Leader: Brian Lowe Ph: 0417-202-881 Email: blowe6@bigpond.com

## Saturday 9 February

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2

"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

● 7.15am "Tamborine via Coomera" M3 85km 🏆

Depart: Beenleigh RWS. Same as last week's ride, but in the opposite direction. This is a harder ride than last week, but it gives a longer descent!

Leader: Col Davies Ph: 3808-6908 Email: cjdavies@bigpond.net.au

● 7.30am "Sunshine Coast Weekend Tour" 65/65km 🏆

Refer tours section for full details.

● 3.00pm "Saturday Arvo Ride" S2 18km EASY

Leader: Daryl B. Ph: 0417-229-263. Refer regular rides section for details.

● Night Ride! 5.00pm "Bayside Twilight Hummers" M2 60km 🏆

Depart: Windsor RWS. Come and enjoy this evening ride by road and bikepath to dinner at Sandgate waterfront @ Fish on Flinders. Leader: Fran Ph: 3851 2297(A/H)

## Sunday 10 February

● 3.00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - New Farm" S2 20km EASY

Leader: Brian Lowe Ph: 0417-202-881. Refer regular rides section for details.

## Monday 11 February

● Night Ride! 6.15pm "The Palace night ride" M1 25km

Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

★ 7.30 - 9.00pm RIDES PLANNING NIGHT

Refer page 1 for details.

## Tuesday 12 February

● 8.00am 'Big Oasis' S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM

Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

## Saturday 16 February

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2

"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

● 7.30am "Sandgate Saunter" B to MF1 45km

Depart: Coles Toombul Carpark (opp. Billy Baxters). Refer February 2 details.

● 2.30pm "Fitness and Friendship" B1 40km MEDIUM

Depart: Windsor RWS carpark (opp. Brown St). Aim is go out & back so that we are back on the Kedron bike track in time to meet up with the regular

Arvo ride for the last 6 or so kms and have coffee together. If time allows & the riders are interested we may do some interval circuits on the criterium course - great for improving your fitness. Ph: Kate Macdonald 3857-7472

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Saturday Arvo Ride"** **S2** 18km EASY  
Leader: Tony Malone Ph: 3201-4728 Refer regular rides section for details.

### Sunday 17 February

- 7.00am **"Coffee with one lump"** **M4** 60km MEDIUM-HARD   
Depart: Roma St Parklands (at cafe). Try out your hill climbing legs with a trip up to Mt Nebo village. Travel via waterworks Rd, The Gap and Mt Nebo Rd. Returns same route. Coffee stop at Mt Nebo village. Leader: Brian Lowe Ph: 0417-202-881 Email: blowe6@bigpond.com

- 7.00 am **"Nice 'n Easy 40"** **M2** 42km  
Depart: Toombul Centro Shoppingtown, SW carpark under rail line. A ride to Sandgate waterfront for half way cafe stop, by road & bikepath, returns via Boondall Wetlands & Shultz canal. Leader: Anne M. Ph: 3279-0948

- 8.00am **'Samford Sojourn' 4 MTØ's & hybrids** **M3** S3 30km MEDIUM  
Depart: Ferny Grove R.W.S. (car park opp. Bunowen St). Meander along rolling sealed rolls and easy local (dirt & grassed) trails, following the Lanita Rd rail trail and having morning tea at Samford. Return (incl. the cow paddock!) is shorter and easier with a 3km. cruise to finish. NOT suited roadbikes. Leader: Geoff Snell Ph: 3359-4688 Mob: 0408-702-294

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba"** **S2** 20km EASY  
Leader: Iain Moore Ph: 0402-110-645 or 3848-3617. Refer regular rides section.

### Monday 18 February

- **Night Ride!** 6.15pm **"The Palace night ride"** **M1** 25km  
Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

### Thursday 21 February

- 8.00am **'Big Oasis'** **M1** S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM  
Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

- ✌️ ● 9.00am **'Logan BUG Ride'** Unrated 30km to 80km  
Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

### Saturday 23 February

- 6.00am **"Wynnum Dash"** 61km **F2** ~ **"Long Cruise"** 61km **MF2**  
**"Wynnum Cruise"** 48km **MF2** Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

- 7.00am **"Beaudesert Century"** **MF2** 105km   
Depart: Beenleigh RWS. A circuit ride through Tamborine Village, Beaudesert, Jimboomba and Logan Village. Very pleasant countryside with rolling hills and rural scenery. Coffee stop incl. Leader: Col Davies Ph: 3808-6908  
Email: cjdavies@bigpond.net.au

- 2.30pm **"Fitness and Friendship"** **B1** 40km MEDIUM  
Depart: Windsor RWS carpark (opp. Brown St). Refer February 16 for details.

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Saturday Arvo Ride"** **S2** 18km EASY  
Leader: Daryl B. Ph: 0417-229-263 Refer regular rides section for details.

- **Night Ride!** 6.00pm **"Exotic Oasis"** **S2** 40km  
Depart: Windsor RWS (opp. Brown St). A mostly flat pleasant evening ride via Kedron Brook & Jim Soorley bikeways to Pam 'n Harry's Cafe at Nudgee Beach for dinner. Leader: Iain Moore Ph: 0402-110-645 or 3848-3617.

### Sunday 24 February

- 8.00am **"Tinchi Tamba & Gone Fish'n"** **S1** Approx. 60km   
Depart: Toombul Centro, SW corner of Carpark under rail line. Delightful flat (mostly bikeways) ride heading north for a brief visit at Tinchi Tamba Wetlands Reserve @ South Pine River. Then ride the bay shoreline bikeway over the Hornbrook Bridge for cafe stop @ Fish'n (...best burgers on this side of Bramble Bay) @ Bells Beach on the Peninsula. Leader: Fran Ph: 3851-2297 (AH)

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Sunday Arvo Ride - New Farm"** **S2** 20km EASY  
Leader: Iain Moore Ph: 0402-110-645 or 3848-3617. Refer regular rides section.

### Monday 25 February

- **Night Ride!** 6.15pm **"The Palace night ride"** **M1** 25km  
Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

### Tuesday 26 February

- 8.00am **'Big Oasis'** **M1** S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM  
Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

### Thursday 28 February

- ✌️ ● 9.00am **'Logan BUG Ride'** Unrated 30km to 80km  
Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

### Friday 29 February

- ✌️ ● **Night Ride!** 6.00pm **"A Dinner to Leap For"** **S2** 20km  
Depart: Spring Hill, Corner of the Roma Street Parkland (UBD Map 1, P14. Similar to Robert's "Ride 'n Dine" night ride but we will ride down to New Farm Park then back across the Story Bridge to dinner at one of the eateries in Hardgrave Road. Lights are necessary, along with high visibility (and hopefully reflective) night gear, recommend a bike lock. Remember a raincoat in case it rains! Leader: Tony Malone Ph: 3201-4728

### Saturday 1 March

- 6.00am **"Wynnum Dash"** 61km **F2** ~ **"Long Cruise"** 61km **MF2**  
**"Wynnum Cruise"** 48km **MF2** Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

- 7.15am **"Tamborine by the Goat Track"** **M4** 90km   
Depart: Beenleigh RWS. A ride for those who love climbing; through Tamborine Village and on to Canungra, we take a left turn for a steep climb to Tamborine. After a bakery stop it's the easy way down to Tambourine Village & back to Beenleigh.

- Leader: Col Davies Ph: 3808-6908 Email: cjdavies@bigpond.net.au

- 7.30am **"Sandgate Swift"** **B to MF1** 45km  
Depart: Coles Toombul Carpark (opp. Billy Baxters). Refer February 2 details

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Saturday Arvo Ride"** **S2** 18km EASY  
Leader: Tony Malone Ph: 3201-4728 Refer regular rides section for details.

### Sunday 2 March

- 7.00am **"Go Man Go"** **B2** Approx. 65km   
Depart: Wruck Cr - Carpark at rear of Albany Creek Tavern. All road ride to Redcliffe peninsula waterfront (via Mango Hill) for breakfast at the Jetty & return same way. Leader: Fran Ph: 3851 2297(AH)

- 3.00pm **"Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba"** **S2** 20km EASY  
Leader: Brian Lowe Ph: 0417-202-881. Refer regular rides section for details.

### Monday 3 March

- **Night Ride!** 6.15pm **"The Palace night ride"** **M1** 25km  
Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

### Thursday 6 March

- 8.00am **'Big Oasis'** **M1** S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM  
Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

- ✌️ ● 9.00am **"Logan BUG Ride"** Unrated 30km to 80km  
Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

### Friday 7 March

- ✌️ ● 6.00pm **'Ride 'n Dine (short)'** **S2** 25km EASY  
Depart: Mowbray Park CityCat terminal (carpark). Refer February 8 for details.

### Saturday 8 March

- 6.00am **"Wynnum Dash"** 61km **F2** ~ **"Long Cruise"** 61km **MF2**  
**"Wynnum Cruise"** 48km **MF2** Depart: Lincoln St (north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

- 7.45am **"Best of All Ride"** **M4** 80km

- Depart: Robina RWS. Travel up to the lookouts at Purlingbrook Falls & Canyon Lookout, then up to the top of the mountain for a snack, then further climbing to the "Best of All Lookout". Return by Lyre Ridge Road on one of Australia's best descents back to Robina. A truly memorable ride. Over 1000 m of climbing!  
Leader: Col Davies Ph: 3808-6908 Email: cjdavies@bigpond.net.au

- 8.00am **"Pink Ride for International Women's Day > Ashgrove"** **M2** 55km  
Depart: Cnr Royal Pde and St Johns Av, Ashgrove. To unite women globally by acting locally, this ride aims to encourage cycling amongst our feminine members, celebrate our achievements and foster involvement in our club. The route will take in leafy suburban streets & bikepaths (incl. our familiar "Christmas Shortie" route & pick up Jenni's group), on our way to the Golden Circle Cannery at Banyo for brunch at the Cafe "Live". Returns along Kedron Brook bikeway to finish with one of my favourite downhill's. I'll be adopting a 'pink' them to my attire, participants are welcome to follow suit. All members welcome. Leader: Fran ph: 3851 2297(AH)

- 9.00am **"Pink Ride for International Women's Day > Toombul"** **M1** 20km  
Depart: Toombul Centro Shoppingtown, SW corner of carpark under rail line. Join in the celebratory ride for brunch at the Cannery Cafe "Live".  
Leader: Jenni Eason Ph: 3868-1789 or 0416-028-754

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Saturday Arvo Ride"** **S2** 18km EASY  
Leader: Pauline R. Ph: 0439-637-582. Refer regular rides section for details.

### Sunday 9 March

- 7.00am **"Hills hills hills"** **S4** 50km

- Depart: Lillybrook Shopping Centre Kallangur, Cnr Brickworks Rd and Old Gympie Rd Kallangur. Ride to Dayboro for coffee break returning the same route with some further hill deviations towards the end of the return ride.  
Leader: Meryl Ph: 3491-9114 Email: merylene@ourbrisbane.com

- ✌️ ● 8.30am **"Downfall Creek"** **S2** 23km EASY  
Depart: Centro Toombul, carpark near Coles. Through Nundah & Northgate & follow Downfall Ck from Virginia to Bushland Centre at Chermerside West. Return via Chermerside & Wavell Heights. Coffee after. Leader: Jeffrey Foreman Ph: 3262-4410

- ✌️ ● 3.00pm **"Sunday Arvo Ride - St Lucia"** **S2** 20km EASY  
Leader: Brian L. Ph: 0417-202-881 Refer regular rides section for details.

### Monday 10 March

★ **7.30 - 9.30pm A.G.M. NIGHT** Refer page 1 for details.

## Tuesday 11 March

● 8.00am 'Big Oasis' 🚲 S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM  
Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

## Thursday 13 March

● 9.00am 'Logan BUG Ride' 🚲 Unrated 30km to 80km  
Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

## Saturday 15 March

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2  
"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St  
(north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

● 7.30am "Sandgate Swift" 🚲 B to MF1 45km  
Depart: Coles Toombul Carpark (opp. Billy Baxters). Refer February 2 details

● 8.00am "Samford Scooter" 4 MTB's & hybrids 🚲 S2 20km  
Depart: Ferny Grove RWS, (carpark opp. Bunowen St). A 2 hr (in the saddle) introductory ride to a range of off-road experiences (similar to my "Sojourn" ride in reverse) scooting along rolling sealed rural roads to morning tea at Samford bakery, we include the local rail trail (compacted dirt) + some MTB + X-country (cow paddock with sedate bull) + a delightful (lowspeed) meandering forest trail. Not suited to roadbikes. Leader: Fran Ph: 3851-2297(AH)

● 3.00pm "Saturday Arvo Ride" 🚲 S2 18km EASY  
Leader: Tony Malone Ph: 3201-4728 Refer regular rides section for details.

## Sunday 16 March

● 7.00am "Coffee with one lump" 🚲 M4 60km MEDIUM-HARD 🚲  
Depart: Roma St Parklands (at cafe). Refer february 17 for details.

● 7.00am "Did I really get up early for this?" 📞 M1 100km 🚲  
Depart: Windsor RWS (opp. Brown St) . Refer Feb 3 for full details.

● 7.00am "Reverse Wynnum" 🚲 B2 46km MEDIUM  
Depart: Lincoln St (North end) Stones Corner. Out via Cannon Hill to the bay at Lota for a 10 min. stop @ Wynnum, Pandanus Beach. Inbound via Lytton & Balmoral then retrace the outward route before coffee @ finish. Leader: Iain Moore Ph:0402-110-645 Email:ikmoore@optusnet.com.au

● 3.00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - New Farm" 🚲 S2 20km EASY  
Leader: Iain Moore Ph: 0402-110-645 or 3848-3617. Refer regular rides section.

## Monday 17 March

● Night Ride! 6.15pm "The Palace night ride" ✂️💡 M1 25km  
Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

## Thursday 20 March

● 8.00am 'Big Oasis' 🚲 S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM  
Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

● 9.00am 'Logan BUG Ride' 🚲 Unrated 30km to 80km  
Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

## Saturday 22 March

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2  
"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St  
(north end), Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

● 8.00am "Cedar Creek & Lanita trail" 🚲 S3 50km 🚲  
Depart: Ferny Grove RWS (carpark opp. Bunowen St). Challenging (hilly) rural ride. Flat warmup then rolling hills as we wind our way through peaceful picturesque valley for a BYO morning tea break at the end of the road (and dip your feet) at the delightful forest setting at Cedar Creek. Return is brisker back down the valley + shortcut on Lanita Rail Trail (compact dirt, if you wish to skirt around the last climb!) Leader: Frances W. Ph: 3851-2297(AH)

● 2.30pm "Fitness and Friendship" 🚲 B1 40km MEDIUM  
Depart: Windsor RWS carpark (opp. Brown St). Refer February 16 for details.

● 3.00pm "Saturday Arvo Ride" 🚲 S2 18km EASY  
Leader: Leader: Pauline R. 0439-637-582. Refer regular rides section for details.

## Sunday 23 March > EASTER SUNDAY

● 8:30am "Kedron Brook & Mitchelton" 🚲 S1 27 km EASY  
Depart: Centro Toombul, carpark near Coles. Kedron Brook Bikeway to Mitchelton & return. Coffee etc. at Toombul after the ride. Leader: Jeffrey F Ph: 3262-4410

● 3.00pm "Sunday Arvo Ride - Bulimba" 🚲 S2 20km EASY  
Leader: Jeffrey Foreman Ph: 3262-4410. Refer regular rides section for details.

## Monday 24 March

● Night Ride! 6.15pm "The Palace night ride" ✂️💡 M1 25km  
Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

## Tuesday 25 March

● 8.00am 'Big Oasis' 🚲 S1 to M1 43 or 57km EASY-MEDIUM  
Depart: Anaconda Carpark, South Pine Rd, Everton Park. Refer regular rides.

## Thursday 27 March

● 9.00am 'Logan BUG Ride' 🚲 Unrated 30km to 80km

Depart: Carnival St, near Loganlea RWS. Refer regular rides section.

## Saturday 29 March

● 6.00am "Wynnum Dash" 61km F2 ~ "Long Cruise" 61km MF2  
"Wynnum Cruise" 48km MF2 Depart: Lincoln St (north end),  
Stones Corner. Refer regular rides section 4 details.

● 7.15am "Henry Roberts Drive" 🚲 M5 90km 🚲

Depart: Beenleigh RWS. A tough ride up Henry Roberts Drive from Maudland Rd: Good training for mountain goats. Coffee stop incl. Leader: Col Davies Ph: 3808-6908 Email: cjdavies@bigpond.net.au

● 7.30am "Sandgate Swift" 🚲 B to MF1 45km  
Depart: Coles Toombul Carpark (opp. Billy Baxters). Refer February 2 details

● 8.00am "YeeeeHaaaa SAMFORD MTB trails" 🚲 S3 37km  
Depart: Ferny Grove RWS (carpark opp. Bunowen St). A challenging country road & trails ride which is an extension of the "Samford Sojourn". Today we will be experimenting with some different trails to add variety. Suited to fit novice to experienced MTB riders, you will need your nobby tyres (grass + dirt). Morning tea in the village. Shorter return to Ferny Grove via Lanita Rail Trail (1km compact quality dirt). Leader: Geoff Snell Ph: 3359-4688 or 0408-702-294

● 2.30pm "Fitness and Friendship" 🚲 B1 40km MEDIUM  
Depart: Windsor RWS carpark (opp. Brown St). Refer February 16 for details.

● 3.00pm "Saturday Arvo Ride" 🚲 S2 18km EASY  
Leader: Rob & Libby Ph: 3266-8353 Refer regular rides section for details

## Sunday 30 March

☆ All Members are welcome at ☆  
**Sheila's Farewell  
(& birthday) Brunch  
Orleigh Park, West End**

● Ride 1 at 8.00am is 35km / M2 with Meryl. Ph: 3491-9114  
● Ride 2 at 8.00am is 25km / L2 with Sheila & Judy Ph: 3869-0696

BYO food & drinks (& chairs maybe) for brunch in the park after the rides. If not able to make the rides members are welcome to join us just for brunch. No need to phone just turn up is OK > look out for the BBTA banner.

## Monday 31 March

● Night Ride! 6.15pm "The Palace night ride" ✂️💡 M1 25km  
Leader: Jim F 0407-175-488 Refer regular rides section for details.

## Thursday 3 April ★ BIKE WEEK LEISURE RIDES ★

Join our leisurely introductory level rides in the north, south, east and west which we are hosting for BQ's "Bike Week" for 2008. On each ride undulations will be taken sedately, & there will be rest stops and regroupings to keep the group together. Members are encouraged to attend to assist generally with newcomers and novice riders. Each ride includes a morning tea stop during or afterwards.

● 9.00am 'WEST > Centenary Suburbs' 🚲 L1 20km EASY  
Depart: Mt Ommaney Library Carpark, 123 Dandenong Rd. A 15kph mostly flat ride to explore the old cement works park, Jindalee Creek, Edenbrook pathways, Sinnamon Rocks to Samarco's for coffee, & return to the Library by about 12 noon. Leader: Stephen Jackson Ph: 0438-943-813 Email: smasj@bigpond.net.au

● 9.00am 'NORTH > Samford for MTB's & Hybrids' 🚲 L2 20km EASY  
Depart: Ferny Grove RWS, (carpark opp. Bunowen St). A 2 hr (in the saddle) delightful introductory ride to a range of off-road experiences between scooting along rolling sealed rural roads to morning tea at Samford bakery, this ride will include my local Lanita Rail Trail (1km compacted dirt) + MTB + X-country (cow paddock) + a delightful (lowspeed) meandering forest trail + some nice sweeping downhill. Only one small hill to conquer. You will need tyres with some traction for dirt and grass. This ride is not suited to roadbikes. Leader: Frances Wellington Ph: 3851-2297(AH)

● 9.00am 'SOUTH > Loganlea' 🚲 L1 25km EASY  
Depart: Loganlea RWS (Carnival St). A pleasant ride around some of Logan's bikeways & quiet streets before exploring a few country roads on the way back to coffee at Waterford West. Leader: Kurt Doerr Ph: 5546-3482

● 9.00am 'EAST > Nudgee Beach' 🚲 L1 25km EASY  
Depart: Eagle Junction RWS. A very enjoyable and flat ride, joining the Kedron Brook Bikepath at Kalinga Park we'll head for Nudgee Beach and continue along the Jim Soorley Bikeway for morning tea at Pam 'n Harry's cafe before returning along the same route. Leader: Geoff Snell Ph: 3359-4688 or 0408-702-294



