



Bicycling Events, Rides, and Meetings

Simsbury, Farmington Valley, and CT Bike Advocacy

www.simsbury.bike www.facebook.com/Simsburyfreebike

Simsbury (*) and Regional listings. Contact challenge@simsbury.bike to request an event listing. ***Due to COVID-19, be sure to confirm all events. ***

Updated 6/15/21

2021 Simsbury Bike Challenge (May 1 – September 30)

FREE health/bike advocacy challenge.

Join our club "Simsbury.bike" in the National Bike Challenge.

Register/sign-in at <https://www.lovetoride.net/usa>.

Learn more at www.Simsbury.bike. Ride (virtually) with us!

5/1–9/30 – Simsbury Bike Challenge, FREE health/advocacy challenge.

June 2021

Fri., 6/4 – Avon Town Council Monthly Ride – [Bike Walk Avon CT](#), Town Hall parking lot, 6 pm.

Sat., 6/5 – [National Trails Day Ride](#), Farmington Valley Trails Council, Avon, 9:30 – 2 pm.

Sat., 6/5 – **2021 ShopRite Nutmeg State Games**, Walnut Hill Park, New Britain.

Su., 6/6 – [Bike MS: Windsor 2021](#) – Multiple sclerosis charity ride, Windsor, CT, 7 AM – 5 PM.

Su., 6/6 – Team Red Dragon MTB, [CT Cycling Advancement Program](#), Berlin

Sat., 6/12 – [Ks to Kick Addiction and Blindness](#) (15K Ride), A Promise to Jordan & Simsbury Lions Club, Simsbury Meadows Performing Arts Center, 9 AM.

Sun., 6/13 – [Wethersfield Bicycle Festival, Show, and Swap Meet](#), Wethersfield High School Bicycle Club, Wethersfield, 8 AM – noon (Tentative/SAVE THE DATE)

Th., 6/17 – [Bike to Work Breakfast Meetup in Hartford](#) (bike, walk, transit, scooter, etc.) hosted by Bici Co. Community Bike Shop/Transport Hartford Academy, meet at Ashley's Restaurant, Hartford, 7:30-9:30 AM.

Sat., 6/19 – [Keney Park Father's and Family Ride](#), Keney Park Woodland Entrance, Hartford, 8:30 AM.

Mon., 6/21 – Sat., 6/26 – [Bike Life Hartford](#), Bici Co. Community Bike Shop/Transport Hartford Academy.

Tu., 6/22 – [CT DOT public hearing \(virtual\) on Plainville Phase I](#) of the Farmington Canal Heritage Trail, 7pm.

Wed., 6/23 - Greater Hartford Mobility Study Webinar, [Greater Hartford Mobility Study Team](#), noon.

Sat., 6/26 – [Ride the State: Connecticut 2021](#), New Haven, CT to Southwick, MA ride (57 miles), Farmington Valley Trails Council/East Coast Greenway, 7:30 AM – 3 PM.

Sun., 6/27 – [1st Tour of Bloomfield](#), Octagon Cycling Club & Bloomfield Leisure Services, Filley Park, Bloomfield, 8 AM.

Sun., 6/27 – [Pride Ride](#), Trek Bicycle Newington, 50 South Main St., West Hartford, 9 AM.

Local Clubs & Weekly Rides

Bicycle Friendly Farmington

Wednesday Night Social Rides, May 26 – Sept. 1 at 6:15 pm.

Meet at Farmington River Trail parking lot on Rte. 4.

www.bicyclefriendlyfarmington.org/

Eastern Bloc Cycling Club

Weekly rides for all levels of road cyclists. Visit website for a full list of ride categories, dates, and locations to find a ride that fits your level. Non-members are always welcome.

<https://www.easternbloc.net/>

[Valley Cycling](#) weekly road bike rides, Saturdays (about 45 miles, 17.5mph) & Sundays (to Collinsville) starting from Granby CT Dunkin Donuts, Rts 10/202, 8am both days. Saturday B group, departs 8:30am, start locations TBD every week. Visit Valley Cycling on [Facebook](#) or contact Paul Mikkelson at mikbenefit@comcast.net.

Farmington Bike Up Meetup

Intermediate/advanced group that rides for fun on the rail trails, quiet roads and awesome excursions.

www.meetup.com/Farmington-Bike-Up/

Casual Bikers & CT Bicycling

Meet-ups. Weekday and weekend rides. (< 10 mph).

www.meetup.com/casual-bikers

Farmington Valley Youth Cycling

Mountain, road, and cyclocross teams for young riders ages 9-18.

[CCAP](#) member program.

facebook.com/FVYouthCycling

SAVE THE DATES

Th., 7/8 & 7/15 - [Mountain Bike Fundamentals for Kids](#), Simsbury Culture Parks and Recreation, Simsbury, 6-7:30 PM.

Th., 7/15 - [Simsbury Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee](#), online meeting, public welcome, 10 AM.

Sat., 7/17 - [ERRACE – Everyone Ride/Run Against Cancer Everyday](#), fundraiser, Avon.

Th., 7/22 & 7/29 - [Mountain Bike Fundamentals for Kids](#), Simsbury Culture Parks and Recreation, Simsbury, 6-7:30 PM.

Sat, 7/24 - [Mountain Bike Fundamentals for Teens/Adults](#), Simsbury Culture Parks and Recreation, Simsbury, 9 AM – noon.

Sun., 8/1 – [Tour of the Litchfield Hills](#), Cancer Care Fund fundraiser, Coe Park, Torrington.

Sat., 8/21 - [Mountain Biking Adult Jumping Clinic](#), Simsbury Culture Parks and Recreation, Simsbury, 9 AM – noon.

Sun., 8/29 – [Center Streets West Hartford](#) – Bike West Hartford.

Sat., 9/11 – [Farm-to-Farm Tour](#), Farmington Valley Trails Council, 9:30 AM.

Fri., 10/1 – New Haven Grand Prix, [CT Cycling Advancement Program](#), New Haven

Sat., 10/2 – [Rotary in Motion](#), Charter Oak Park, Manchester, 9AM – 4 PM.

Wed., 10/6 - [International Walk to School Day](#)

Ride with Us! **May 1 – Sept. 30**

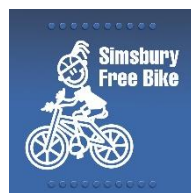


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