



March Newsletter

As Kingdom Trails says, we are in the 5th season, Mud Season. And for the roadies...sand, salt and pothole season. During this freeze/thaw season, MtBers, please time your rides accordingly. If you are leaving ruts or slipping about in the slimy, defrosting surface, abort your ride.

Only six items for the March newsletter ...Membership, Volunteers, Spring BBQ, Spring Warm up Ride, Discount reminders, Incident Reporting.

Membership

- About 40% of our membership have already renewed; thank you!
- For the about 60% of you who have not yet renewed, please do so. Membership runs from January 1 to December 31. If you cannot recall if you have already renewed, just email us at caledoncyclingclub@gmail.com

Volunteers

- Spring BBQ...We need volunteers for our Spring BBQ. Please volunteer, we need a couple more people for the kitchen.
- Ride Leaders and Sweeps...If you believe you might *lead or sweep a MTB* ride this summer, or *lead a road or gravel ride* this summer, PLEASE, please email either caledoncyclingclub@gmail.com or margaret1997L@gmail.com to indicate your intent.

Spring BBQ

- Our Spring BBQ is only 5 weeks away! Please register. Our protein supplier has asked that we put in our order by April 15th. If you think you will probably attend, please register as soon as possible. I would rather we order too much than not have enough on the day.

Spring Warm up Ride

- New start location this year...Caledon East Community Centre. We will be heading west to the beginning of the Caledon Rail Trail, then into Inglewood for a coffee and snack before heading back to Caledon East. The entire route is 40 km, but you can turn around at any point to make the ride a little shorter if you choose. If you would like to bring a friend, have them complete and sign the waiver. (attach waiver link here)

Discount Reminders

- To find the discount coupon codes for TRCA (Toronto Regional Conservation Authority) and MOC (Mansfield Outdoor Centre) memberships, go under the three bars at top right of our website, choose Members Only, Members Only Content. You will find the codes there.
- Caledon Hills Cycling is also offering a discount with proof of your CCC membership. Show them your digital membership card or print out the membership card in your profile on the club website.

Incident Reporting

Please report any incident requiring medical attention sustained by a club member on any sanctioned club ride (Monday or Wednesday evening club rides, Sunday morning club rides or at a weekend destination ride) to an executive member of the club. In addition, if an incident occurs in Palgrave or Albion during either a club or personal ride, please report it to TRCA (Jay or Brett.) The report will be filed internally following Caledon Cycling Club's and/or TRCA's policy on privacy.

You will find the Incident Report form on the club website with the type of information requested and the contact info for CCC and TRCA.