

3 RIVERS VELO SPORT BICYCLE CLUB INC



3 Rivers Velo Sport Inc is a bicycling club located in Fort Wayne, Indiana. The Club sponsors a range of activities and offers the benefits of group cycling to anyone who is interested in touring, racing, off-road riding and triathlons.

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You are always welcome to join us for our monthly meetings. They are held the first Thursday of each month at First Wayne Street United Methodist Church



- \$20 Individual New
- \$30 Family Renew

3 Rivers Velo Sport Membership Form

- Touring Off-Road
- Racing Triathlon

Name _____ Age _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Check to receive newsletter by Email- Check to be included on membership roster available to other bike related groups

Signature(s) (Parent or Guardian if under 18) _____

In signing this form, I acknowledge the inherent danger of bicycling and agree on behalf of myself, my heirs, devisees or estate to hold 3RVS, Inc. and its members harmless for loss, damage, injury/death to myself or dependents as a consequence of participating in activities of 3RVS, Inc. **Make checks payable to 3RVS. Return to 3RVS, PO Box 11391, Ft Wayne, IN 46857-1391**

Who We Are



Three Rivers Velo Sport is a bicycling club based in Fort Wayne, Indiana. The Club sponsors a range of activities offering the benefits of group cycling to riders interested in touring, racing off-road riding and triathlons. The Club promotes bicycling as a healthy and fun lifelong activity for persons of all ages. 3RVS is a not-for-profit corporation that was organized in 1969.

What We Do

During the bicycling season of March to October, the Club offers week-night and weekend rides. Weekend touring rides vary in length from 15 - 60 miles in length and approximately 15 - 20 mph can be expected.

During the week, the Club has race training rides for racers or anyone seeking an INTENSE riding experience as well as touring rides that are planned for a more enjoyable pace.

In addition to regular road rides, the Club offers mountain bike rides. These rides include everything from urban exploring to urban single track, real off-road single-track and even night rides!

And there is an active triathlon section, Team Trifort. Team Trifort merged with 3RVS in 2003, adding a new dimension to the club. If cycling just isn't enough for you, try adding running and swimming to the mix with Team Trifort.

Where We Do It

The rides begin at various locations in the Fort Wayne area. The routes follow roads to particular destinations, normally a surrounding town, and return by a different route. Maps are distributed at the beginning of each ride so persons can proceed at their own pace. The public is welcome to join Club members on these rides, but we hope after experiencing the fun and enjoyment of group riding, you will join our club. There is no charge for these regular club rides.



As a member you will receive monthly issues of the Quick Release newsletter. These issues are packed with bicycle news from local enthusiast reporting on their adventures as well as on some of their 'cycling heroes'.

**3RVS holds monthly meetings the *first Thursday* of each month at 7:30 at the First Wayne Street United Methodist Church.
300 E. Wayne Street.
Downtown Fort Wayne, Indiana**

All are welcome



Three Rivers Velo Sport Events

**There are weekly rides to chose from;
Choose the ride that best fits your abilities**

- Group rides every Saturday and Sunday,
- First and Third Sunday Welcome Rides,
- Tuesday Eve - Carroll HS Rides,
- Tuesday Eve - Race Training Rides,
- Wednesday Eve - Saturn Church,
- Thursday Eve - Girls Ride Out,
- Thursday Eve - Fat Tire Rides



3RVS also sponsors several special bicycling events throughout the year, including:

- **New Year's Day Chilly Challenge** - Our annual New Years Day ride. A nice ride to start the New Year off right! Distances between 5 - 20 miles.
- **Pokagon State Park Triathlon / Duathlon**
Triathlon—1.5k/40k/10k * Duathlon 10k/40/5k
(check website for details)
- **May Maddness** - Scenic tour starts in Southwest Allen County and winds around Huntington Co.
- **40 K Time Trial Challenge**
(check website for details)
- **State Time Trial Championship**
(check website for details)
- **Three Rivers Festival Bicycle Tour** - Our premier touring event of the year. Held during the Three Rivers Festival, this popular ride winds through the gently rolling country side of northern Indiana. Well marked and sagged, this is a popular and well attended tour.
- **Annual Club Fall Century Ride** - Held during September, this is a enjoyable way to spend a fall day. There is a half-century option as well.



Become a member and support the sport you love.