



WEEKLY UPDATE
for members of the
San Diego Bicycle Club



Dear all,

State of the Club 2023

Summary of the Report given at the December 12, 2023 Annual Meeting of the Members

Things are generally going well for the Club. It takes a lot of effort during the entire year to keep our members and racers supported. Gaps in the BOD caused problems early in the year, but for 2024 all but one of the vacancies have been filled by members stepping up to help out. The Club is very active...events, racing, FITT & BLGP. Monica Starkey representing SDBC in World's was a high point for many of us and exposure internationally for the Club. Member events are well attended. We want to keep Saturday Rides going strong; interaction with new riders on Saturday is vital to SDBC. Being friendly, open and positive encourages people to join and stay with SDBC. We need to work hard to keep people coming to our races, and also all types of riders...there's a space for everyone. It's been hard work; many have spent lots of time and effort, but the joy of supporting new riders, racers, community event and charities makes it all worth it. *Well done everyone, and onwards and upwards in 2024!*

Thanks and Happy Holidays!
Cheers!

Simon Bott-Suzuki
President SDBC
president@sdbc.org

Head's Up

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be on **Tuesday, January, 9th, 2024 @ 6:30 p.m. via Zoom**. The formal notice and Zoom link information will be in next week's Weekly Update. Board meetings are open to everyone - SDBC members, and the general public. We encourage you to join in and take part.

Mike McLaughlin
Secretary
secretary@sdbc.org

2024 Slate of Officers & Directors

Approved for Nomination at the November 14, 2023 Meeting of the Board of Directors

One Year Two Year

2024 (1) 2025 (2)

* Candidate holds a valid USAC racing license. SDBC bylaws require 25% of directors hold such licenses.

Executive Committee

President:*Simon Boff-Suzuki** (2)
Vice President:
Secretary:Mike McLaughlin (1)
Treasurer:Michael Karres (1)

Financial

Sponsorship:*Scott Walters** (1)
Membership:Katherine Lackner
Clothing:*Gavin Gattas** (2)
Equipment:Michael Pelkey (1)

Community & Communications

Comm Engagement:Jerry Marino (2)
Special Events:Peter Livingston (1)
Volunteers:Victor Vargas (2)
Weekly Update:John Keturi (1)
Webmaster:Tim Perkins (2)
Bike Coalition: Serge Issakov (2)
Historian: Ralph Elliott (1)

Rides & Races

Training:Charlie Sykes (2)
Executive Race Director: *Ben Anton**(1)
Fiesta Island Time Trial): Doug Dunn (2)

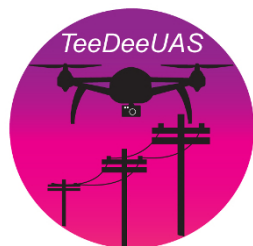
Teams

Juniors:*Devon Muto**(1)
Women's Cat 1-2-3:*Amy Ousterhout**(1)
Wom Cat 4-5-Masters:Blair Conner*(1)
Men's Cat 1-2-3:*David Garcia**(1)
Men's Cat 4-5:*David Gomaidy** (2)
Off Road: *Stephen Burge**(2)



JOSHUA BONNICI
Managing Attorney

*We are San Diego's bicycle,
injury, and disability legal
team.*



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STORE CLOSÉS	EST. DELIVERY
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This year, we will have two kits available (white or black). All kits ordered by 11/29, were eligible for the 30% discount, which is already reflected in the pricing on the team store. Updates will be coming regarding any future discounts

SDBC Clothing Store

Our current 2023 SDBC team store is

Open!

You should have received a Clothing update with ALL the info on Monday November 13th. Click on the image above to access store, no passcode required!

Gavin Gatta
Clothing Director
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Good Afternoon –

It has been brought to our attention that on the SDBC “Summer White Paint Splatter Design” that the rear mesh pocket on this garment was made white when it should be black. There were some issues with a few of the bib shorts specifically on the cargo bibs ordered from Pactimo in the first few ordering windows.

I just wanted to check to see if the “Black Winter Design” was made with that pocket in black as intended or in white by mistake.

Please let me know because if they are incorrect, we want to get a replacement pair out to you ASAP.

THANKS for your help!

Gavin Gatta
Clothing Director
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CAFÉ La TERRE

— FOR THE LOVE OF COFFEE —



New Year's Day Ride

When: January 1, 2024
Rolls at 0830
Where: UC Cyclery, La Jolla, CA
Distance: 62 miles (100 KM) [RouteStrava](#)

Ring in the New year with SDBC and a Metric Century!

The route leaves UC Cyclery and goes out Miramar Road, Pomerado Road, through Poway, RB, over Lake Hodges, into Escondido. Escondido over to San Marcos, out Palomar Airport Road to the Coast Highway. Down the Coast Highway then back up Torrey Pines to the Finish!



SOURCE ENDURANCE

Click for exclusive SDBC Member Benefits

74th Banquet of Champions

- Sunday, January 28th, 2024
- 5:00 PM 8:30 PM

Please join the San Diego Bicycle Club for our annual banquet to celebrate our accomplishments during 2023 and kick-off our 78th year of bicycle racing!

Where

Marina Village (1936 Quivira Way, San Diego 92109)

Questions

Contact our Special Events Director specialevents@sdbc.org

Other events around San Diego

Looking for Cycling Events around San Diego

□ Look Here!

R.I.S.E. Physical Therapy

Non-SDBC sponsored, but you will see many SDBC riders on these Weekday Rides

by: John K

Contact Michael Pelkey at equipment@sdbc.org with additional ride ideas.

Sunday morning: Sunday morning: SDBC bike shop sponsor Switchback Velo hosts a ride that changes weekly leaving from their shop at 5699 La Jolla Blvd in Birdrock/La Jolla with a typical stop at Coffee Cycle in PB on the way back. 8:45 meetup, 9:00 roll out. Bring fresh legs, but typically no-drop. Contact Ian Campbell 858-230-6484, M-F: 8-6 or email ian@switchbackvelo.com

Monday or Tuesday, sometimes Friday mornings: SDBC members Michael N, Victor V, Ron G, and Michael P ride from Plaza Bonita in Chula Vista, near start of the bike path. We leave at 9:00, heading west, then down the coast, and up the Silver Strand into Coronado, a couple of times a week at 40 miles round trip. We hook up with other Chula Vista riders that we know and sometimes have 8-10 riders, a pushing D1-C pace with a coffee stop at Coronado Coffee Co. at the ferry landing before heading back. Contact: Michael Pelkey 858-997-4893 if interested.

Mac McCarty hosts a weekly ride on Monday's.

Weekly Ride:	"Monday Smackdown" -- led by Mac McCarty 27 Miles -- some hills Ride is "D1-ish" pace
Day & Time:	Monday evening at 6:30pm Lights on the bike are highly recommended
Meet Location:	Adams Avenue Bicycles Adams Ave. and Hamilton Street - https://maps.app.goo.gl/iLdH4n6uknXxXEV6

Mon/Wed or Tue/Thu late afternoons: Carmel Valley Loop - SDBC members Jordan, Brice, and some others do a spirited 20-30 mile D1 pace ride leaving from 3804 Valley Ctr Dr (just W. of Carmel Creek Rd), going east around Black Mountain and returning via the 56 BP, leaving at 3:30 pm. Routes and times may vary based on group interest. Contact: Jordan Becker 858-603-6499.

Non-SDBC sponsored, Rides during the week

So often we are asked, "does SDBC do any other rides besides Saturday?" Officially, no, but SDBC riders do many rides and CrossFit during the week. **Click on image and check them all out!** Also included are photo's from the Christmas Day Orphan Ride!

John Keturi
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Weekly Update Director



- offers SDBC members with a **20% discount on bike fits and 10% discount on parts and labor** on all bike repairs





For Sale

Like New 2022 Norco gravel bike

Only 230 miles on it, never ridden in rain, never crashed,

*Reynolds 725 steel frame.
Shimano GRX drive train group.
Dropper post.*

Still has original bar tape on it. Bike is Out of stock from Norco. Easily the finest bike I've owned, simply not riding.

Currently set up with more road tires but I will include the new knobby tires.

I also have PDX steel fenders for it. Still new in the package. I will include fenders and Shimano XT pedals with a full price offer.

Top tube is 59.5 ctc

\$3000 OBO

Contact Scott
scott.pierce@gmail.com
541-660-4057



For Sale

2018 Specialized S-Works Tarmac

52 cm. Full Dura-Ace, electronic shifting with integrated power meter. This bike has been well maintained and is in great condition! (Pedals are not included)

If interested or if you have questions please reach out to Cathy Wagner at [856-430-8592](tel:856-430-8592).

Thank you,
Renee



2023 CAAD13 60cm

Brand new warranty replacement frame and fork. Disc Brake, *Asking \$900.*
-Dale Bemis 314-441-0623



FLUID

Fluid Sports Nutrition Online Store

Order your favorite Fluid products online. Free shipping on package deals and low flat rate shipping on everything else. The current SDBC discount period is over. Discounted rates are offered 4x/yr and will be posted here when the next discount period begins. Automatically save 15% when you sign up



Note from your Coalition representative

CalBike's Best and Worst of 2023

December 22, 2023/by CalBike Staff

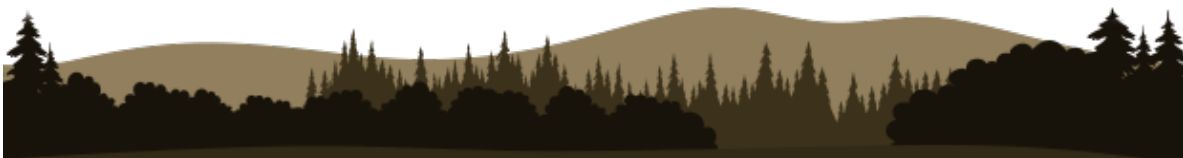
Membership

Michael, your support makes a difference! Thank you!

If you need to renew or join, do it today at [SDBC Membership](#).

Your membership expires on:
Not A Member :(Please join today using the SDBC Membership link below!

Membership Director
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