

2020 Chelan Rotary Pandemic Bike Challenge

Allan Galbraith and I are inviting you for an opportunity for in-person but outdoors Rotary Fellowship by registering and riding loop 2 of the Chelan Rotary Pandemic Challenge on Wednesday September 9, 2020 starting at 9:30 am. Gil Sparks and Jay Smith are also planning to join Allan and me.

I spoke to Brent Morrison, Ride Manager for the annual Chelan Challenge and for this year's Chelan Pandemic Challenge. Brent appreciates any support fellow Rotarians can offer, since the ride is a primary fund-raiser for Chelan Rotary. Brent will invite cyclists from Chelan Rotary to join us and will help me coordinate a catered lunch and beer after the ride.

Allan and I would appreciate it if you would let us know if you are interested in participating and then ask you to register. We are proposing a start time of 9:30 am from the Chelan Boat Launch, near Chelan High School. We can also coordinate ride sharing from Wenatchee.

2020 Chelan Rotary Pandemic Bike Challenge; cost is \$50.00

Register at: Register

at: <https://www.imathlete.com/#/legacy?url=%2FEvents%2FEventOverview.aspx%3FfEID%3D73865>

You can also register and ride any of the three loops on your own or with others until October 31, 2020.

<http://www.centuryride.com>

LOOP 2 – MANSON

32.5 MILES +2380 FEET (WITHOUT OPTIONAL CLIMB)

37.7 MILES + 3318 FEET (WITH OPTIONAL CLIMB)

Loop 2 is arguably the most scenic of the entire event. Riders travel the hills above Chelan and Manson, including two climbs. The first is the Boyd Road climb which is about 1000 feet over about 5 miles and the second is Upper Joe Creek Road, about 520 feet over 2 miles. Those who are interested in the optional climb take the Ivan Morse climb, 900 feet over 5.2 miles. The route back to Chelan passes through Manson and along the North shore back to the park

Link to route without optional climb <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/30519333>

Link to route including optional climb <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/29190857>

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