

A Ride for Everyone!

The 47th Annual Three Rivers Festival Tour begins and ends at Hickory Center School on the northwest side of Fort Wayne. Ride through gently rolling to moderate hills on routes of 14, 25, 52, 63 or 100 miles through Allen, Whitley and Noble counties. The rest stop is located at Churubusco Park, where you can select various loops to ride.

Approved cycling helmets must be worn by all riders.

Mail-in Pre-registration

Pre-registration is appreciated. To pre-register, complete the Registration Form and mail it to the address on the form, along with a check for the proper amount, payable to 3RVS. Pre-registration ends July 11. Make sure you sign & date the waiver form.

Same-day Registration

Registration will be available from 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM the day of the tour at Hickory Center School. Riders receive a route map, roving support, snacks and drinks at the SAG stop.

Small children must be accompanied by adults at all times.

Online Registration

Online registration is available at BikeReg.com/three-rivers-festival-tour. There is a small convenience fee for online registration. If you register through BikeReg.com. **Please bring your registration verification with you to present at the registration desk the day of the tour.**

Support & SAG Services

The SAG stop located at Churubusco will open at 7:30 AM, so do not start prior to 7:00 AM. Select a distance you can complete by 4:00 PM, when support services end. Support vehicles will travel the routes to assist riders. Support personnel will be accessible by cell phone.

Start Location & Time

The Three Rivers Festival Tour starts at 7:00 AM, Sunday, July 15, 2018. All routes begin and end at Hickory Center School, 3606 Baird Road, just south of Carroll High School, on Fort Wayne's northwest side. If you wish to join our mass start group at 8:00 AM. read the Mass Start details on the top of the next page for details.

Mass Start at 8:00 AM

If you like to ride with a large group, there will be a mass start at 8:00 AM. There will be five pace groups ranging from 12 to +20 MPH. Each group will be led by 3RVS Tour Ambassadors. Each pace group will offer a different distance option.

Additional Information

For more information or questions, please email the Three Rivers Festival Tour Chairman at: 2018festivaltour@3rvs.com or visit the Three Rivers Velo Sport Website at: www.3rvs.com.

The Three Rivers Festival, July 13 — 21, 2018, is a 9-day celebration of Fort Wayne's heritage and offers a multitude of cultural, ethnic, recreational and educational events. Our bicycle tour just happens to be one of the oldest and best events of the festival. We hope you enjoy it!

Plan to experience the Three Rivers Festival celebration. For more information about the Three Rivers Festival call 260-426-5556 or visit their website: www.ThreeRiversFestival.org.

In Memory of Bob Kersjes

The Three Rivers Festival Tour is dedicated to the memory of its originator and first route designer, Bob Kersjes. Bob was one of the earliest members of the Three Rivers Velo Sport club and probably rode in more club events than anyone throughout a membership that lasted from 1970 until his passing in 2001. Bob served 3RVS in countless ways, often acting as a living, pedaling encyclopedia of local touring routes. Riding with the club just months before his death, Bob exemplifies the spirit of camaraderie, sportsmanship and service that is the heart of Three Rivers Velo Sport.

Hickory Center School

From Lima Road (SR 3) and I-69, go north to Dupont Road, turn left (west), go one mile to Bethel Road, turn right (north), go .3 mile to Baird Road, turn left (west). The school is on the right.

