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SLIDE TALK AND DEMONSTRATION ON
CUSTOM FRAME BUILDING BY
LORRAINE GEWIRZ.
MEET THE RENOWNED DESIGNER AND FRAME
BUILDER OF HER 17 1/2 INCH
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COME AND BRING A FRIEND TO OUR
NEW MONTHLY MEETING LOCATION
ARTEMIS RESTAURANT OF GREEK FOOD
76 DUANE STREET @ BROADWAY
NOV 11TH, TUESDAY 6:00 P.M.
'A' Rides for November. Due to cold weather there will be no regularly scheduled rides. Anyone interested in riding in November (if temperature is above 35 degrees) call either Chris Manning 879-6193, Bob Friedman 724-4246, or Jim Rex 278-5562.

Saturday
November 1st--S ride--60 or 30 miles--Meet your leader Marsha Taggart at 9:00AM at the C.P. Boat house or at 9:45AM on the Manhattan side of the G.W. Bridge for a ride in N.J. Chestnut Ridge to Hawah. For more information call Marsha at 724-6336.

Saturday
November 1st--WASHINGTON SQUARE TO LINCOLN CENTER VIA S.I.-- Meet 9:15 AM at the Washington Square arch or 10 AM at the South Ferry. Pedal through S.I. parks, across The Bayonne bridge, along the river to The G.W. Bridge across and down Riverside Drive. Bring lunch. Rain, extreme cold, or strong winds will cancel. For more information call Marion Bahensky at 242-7688.

Sunday
November 9th--REGLYpiel RANDERS. 65-70 miles 'B'. Co-leaders: Connie Orentlicher and Bill Baumgarten. Meet at 8:30 AM at 242nd St. and Broadway (last stop on #1 IRT train) for a scenic ride along the Hudson to Croton Reservoir and Dam. Return via Kensico and Tarrytown Reservoirs. Estimated time: 7 hours, round trip. We will ride as a group. Bring food but we'll probably have 2 brief Deli stops at Croton and Valhalla. For further information call Connie (928-3931) or Bill (269-4626) before 10 AM.

Saturday
November 15th--BIKE WASHINGTON SQUARE TO MANHATTAN BEACH OR BREEZY POINT-- Meet at 9:00AM at the Washington Square Arch or 9:45 AM at the Brooklyn exit of the Brooklyn or 10:30AM at the 69th St. pier. Pedal via Shore Routes. Rain, Cold, or strong winds cancel. Bring lunch or buy it at Sheepshead Bay. For more information call Marion Bahensky 242-7688.

Saturday
November 22nd--queens Caper-- 30 miles --C ride. Leaders Sherman Cohen, Lorraine Gewirtz. Meet at 9:00AM at 59th St. between 1st and 2nd Ave. at the entrance to Queensboro Bridge bike lane. Visit Queens Bike shop to see how bikes are custom made. Cycle on thru the glacial terminal-moraine parks. Time allowing we'll visit historic Howe and Kingsland homes. Bring bike lock, inner tube, lunch or money for it. For more information call Sherman before 10 AM 332-1724, 50% chance cancels.

Saturday
November 22nd--queens County Creeks--10 miles--C ride. Leader Ken Abramson. For some scenic sights and smells of autumn. Meet at 10AM at tramway Plaza at 59th st. and 2nd Ave. in Manhattan for an easy ride in NYC's industrial heartland. Food stop in Greenpoint. For more information call Ken at 672-9555.

RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS

D for Beginners, C for less than 8 mph, G for Sightseers & 7 mph, B for Tourists 12 mph, A for Sport (1)Man 15 mph, A1 for Animals 17 mph.

Those who choose faster type of rides usually cover longer distances as well except in cold weather.
Article III continued

materials submitted for publication by members of the club or outside parties. The Editor shall also maintain a file of past bulletins.

Paragraph (g), Membership Director. The Membership Director shall promote membership in the Club; respond to membership inquiries; receive membership applications and dues payments; forward dues received to the Treasurer; acknowledge new members; and maintain a roster of Club members and prepare it for publication in the Bulletin.

Paragraph (h), Circulation Manager. The Circulation "manager shall be responsible for the distribution to the membership of the monthly newsletter, herein called the "Bulletin".

Paragraph (i), Rides Coordinator. Rides Coordinators shall, under the direction of the Vice President of Rides, generate and coordinate rides leadership among the members.

Section 4. Board of Directors. The Board of Directors of the Club shall consist of the officers listed in Article III, Section 1, plus the immediate past President. The Board of Directors shall meet as often as deemed necessary among themselves, on call of the President, or upon petition by at least three members of the Board of Directors, or upon petition by ten Club members. The decisions voted by a majority of the Board of Directors shall become the policy of the Club, unless reversed by a two-thirds majority vote of the membership in accordance with Article V.

Section 7. Election of Officers. Nominations for each elective office in accordance with Article III, Section 1 will be accepted from the floor beginning at the September membership meeting and be closed at the October membership meeting. All nominations are subject to the President's approval and to the nominee's acceptance. Following the October membership meeting, but before the November membership meeting, a list of nominees for each office shall be distributed to all members of the Club, and shall include a ballot. The ballots shall be sealed and returned to the person designated to receive them, as prescribed in Article V, Section 4, at or before the November meeting, at which time the committee designated to count the ballots, as prescribed in Article V, Section 4, will open and count them. In the event of a tie vote, a special written ballot election, for the undecided office only, will be held at the November meeting.

Section 8. Removal of Officers. No elected officer shall be removed from office for one year after his term except for cause. Cause shall include misappropriation of Club funds, consistent failure to perform the duties of the office, violation and/or misrepresentation of Club by-laws or policies. A resolution that an officer be removed from office must be passed by a two-thirds majority vote of the membership, in accordance with Article V, Sections 2 and 9.

Section 1. Vacancies. If there shall be a vacancy in any elective office, the Board of Directors shall appoint a successor to fill the unexpired portion of the term. If all elective offices shall become vacant at the same time, the membership shall, at the earliest opportunity, nominate and elect a President by a two-thirds majority writing ballot vote, who shall immediately be elected in the place of the former officer to whom he was elected.

Article IV. MEETINGS

Section 1. Place and Time of Meetings. Membership meetings shall take place once a month at a time and place determined by the Board of Directors and announced in the Bulletin. Board of Directors meetings shall take place in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 4.

Section 2. Annual Meeting. The Board of Directors meetings, at which officers will be installed, shall constitute the annual meeting.

Section 3. Quorum. A quorum at all membership meetings shall consist of the lesser of ten or twenty-five members of the Club, at least one of whom shall be an elected officer of the Club. A quorum at all Board of Directors meetings shall consist of at least half of the Club officers.

Section 4. Rules of Order. The Club may establish and amend such rules of order as may be necessary for the conduct of business at meetings.

Article V. MEMBERSHIP VOTING

Section 1. Who May Vote. All members (including both members of a couple, as defined in Article I, Section 9) are eligible to vote, and each member shall have one vote on any issue put to a vote of the membership. There shall be no proxies.

Section 2. Method of Voting. All issues brought to a vote of the membership shall be decided by a show of hands vote at the membership meeting unless twenty percent of the members present request a written ballot. The following issues must be decided by a written ballot to all members of the Club: election of officers; amendments to the by-laws; and motions to reverse decisions of the Board in accordance with Article III, Section 3.

Section 3. Ballots. All envelopes for mail ballots shall be marked with the name and address of the member voting and page 6 of the Club Bulletin so that sealed ballots may be validated.

Section 4. Majority. All issues shall be decided by a simple majority vote from among all votes cast, except for the following issues, which must be decided by a two-thirds majority of all votes cast: acceptance of amendments to the by-laws; election of chairman pro-tem; removal of officers; removal of members; and removal of directors of the Board of Directors. Ballots must be received by the Ballot Committee. Ballots must be counted by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall consider all issues and vote on the issue. In the event of a tie vote, a show of hands vote or written ballot vote, the Board of Directors present, collectively, shall cast the deciding vote.
KEN ABRAMSON FOR TREASURER

Serving as the club treasurer this year has been an exciting and rewarding experience. I burned the candle late at night attempting to satisfy everyone's money needs. During the course of the year I have attempted to keep the costs of operating the club down while making myself available to receive transactions. With your continued support I hope to work with the board to monitor the club's present difficult cash position, find new ways to cut costs, and report to you on the state of the treasury.

This space had been reserved for Bill Cooper if he cared to make a statement also, but couldn't be reached by this editor who tried on 3 different occasions before press time.

OCTOBER 2, 1980 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

SUMMARY OF MINUTES (UNAPPROVED)

1.) Nominations: John Flowers agreed to accept a nomination for Vice President of Programs; Tony Morano declined to accept his nomination as Member-At-Large "C".

2.) Bill Cooper will contact Ken Abramson, and ask him to present a report of the Club's financial position at the October Club Meeting.

3.) The Board agreed unanimously to propose that dues be increased to $11 per member and $18 per couple on the November ballot.

4.) Carole Beeler reported on recent meeting of the City's Bike Advisory Committee, and plans for maintenance of the new bike lanes.

5.) Martha is working on organizing winter conditioning programs such as ice and roller skating, cross country skiing, and winter cycling.

6.) The Rides Committee will meet in December to plan all class club rides and the 1981 riding program in general.

7.) Statements by opposing candidates for office will be published in the November Bulletin.

8.) Awards and mock elections will be held at the December Club Meeting. The Board is soliciting ideas from the membership.

9.) The By-laws Review Committee received input from the Board on certain issues. The final proposal is elsewhere in this issue.

10.) Bill Yao's resignation as Member-At-Large was announced. The Board appointed Rob Friedman to fill the remainder of the term.

11.) Tony Morano is working on the text for a Club business card. The Board decided to postpone printing until the dues increase is voted on.

12.) The next Board Meeting will be Thursday, November 6th.

Complete copies of approved minutes are available from Chris Malling; phone (212) 379-6199.

Bill Yao has moved to Norwalk, Connecticut to take a job with the Perkin-Elmer Corporation. His new address is: 41 Wolfepit Ave., Apt. 10C, Norwalk, Conn. 06851; phone: (203) 246-1231.

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The major changes proposed in these by-laws are:

- All members vote, not just those joining before Labor Day.
- Elected Vice Coordinators replace "members-at-large on the Board.
- The title of "Chairman of membership" is changed to "Chairman of membership.
- Preparation and processing of membership applications and the forwarding of dues to the Treasurer become duties of the Chairman of membership.
- Provision is made for the removal of members by a two-thirds written ballot vote, should the need arise.
- Membership for one year is required prior to assumption of President or Vice Presidential offices.
- Decisions of the Board become club policy, unless overturned by a two-thirds majority vote of the membership.
- Any member can receive a copy of the Club by-laws, policies, or meeting minutes on request from the Secretary.
- All references to "he" or "his" are changed to "he/she", "him/her", or "his/her".
- The wording has been "de-legalized" or otherwise simplified, and inconsistencies have been rectified.

With the exception of the changes noted above, the Committee has attempted to change the by-laws to reflect current practices.

Questions may be directed to the By-laws Review Committee: Jim Rex, Irv Reisman, or Chris Kailing.
"A" RIDE CONDITIONING SERIES

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RIDE RESULTS (by Jim Rex)

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MEMBERSHIP UPDATE AS OF 14 OCTOBER: 180 PAID UP INCLUDING 67 NEW DUES WITH THOSE I WOULD LIKE TO INTRODUCE HERE.

1980-059 Tim Foley 1980-064 Nancy Breiding
060 Frank Tartaglia 065 Andrea Minoff
061 Norma Lahti 066 Joan Mayer
062 Marty Wolf 067 Barbara Bates
063 Michael Antanis 068

Under the existing bylaws still in effect, members who joined after Labor Day can't vote till next year's election. New amendments to change this are proposed waiting ratification. Unpleasant as this may sound I been asked to mention it, to stave off any misunderstanding. Speaking for myself, I'm in the same boat with friends I brought in the club as there may be others.

All the more reason for the rest of us to vote. (Jim Rex)
As a NYCC member, I accept full personal responsibility for obeying all traffic regulations and for my own safety on the road. I will hold the club, its officers, and ride leaders blameless in case of accident.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE NEW YORK CYCLE CLUB INC.

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