

Wake County TDM

GoTriangle - Wake County TDM Newsletter By Amber Warren



Celebrating Bike Month

UPCOMING LCI SEMINAR IN DURHAM

We're already celebrating!

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Bike Month is promoted by the League of American Bicyclists and celebrated in communities and colleges from coast to coast. It's a great opportunity to experience the many joys and benefits of bicycling. Whether you are new to biking, a Lycra-clad road warrior, or somewhere in between, we encourage you to explore the region on a bike.

Throughout the spring look for online programs and in-person events to inspire you to bike for fun, fitness, with family, or for essential trips to work or run errands. We'll start now, and keep riding throughout the year.



How you can celebrate!

5/4 National Ride a Bike Day

5/7 Walk, Bike & Roll to School

5/16 Bike to Work Day



How to use the bus bike rack

All GoTriangle buses are equipped with bike racks on its front. The easy-to-use bike racks can hold two bikes and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. There is no additional fare to use the bus bike rack.

- If the bike rack is full, you will have to wait for the next bus bikes are not allowed inside the bus.
- Two-wheeled adult and children's bikes fit on the bus bike racks.
- E-assist bikes are allowed as long as they can be safely stowed on the bike rack.
- Bikes that are foldable may be carried onto the bus as long as they are in a carrying case.
- Motorized bikes, such as mopeds and motorcycles, are not allowed on any bus racks.
- The rack accommodates tire sizes from 20" to 29"/700c and up to 44"
 wheel base fits the majority of commonly used bikes.
- Weight limit of up to 55 lbs per wheel rack.







Upcoming

League Cycling Instructor (LCI)

Seminar in Durham

A <u>League Cycling Instructor (LCI)</u> seminar is a 3-day training course that prepares individuals to become certified LCI instructors, enabling them to teach the League of American Bicyclists' Smart Cycling curriculum. The seminar focuses on teaching methods, emphasizing how to teach bicycle safety and skills to build confidence in new and returning cyclists.

To Register: https://bikeleague.org/lci-seminar-registration/? event=a3dQl0000000HTt

Dates: June 27, 2025-June 29, 2025

Coach: Neil Walker

Early Bird registration price: \$550.00

Regular registration: \$625.00 beginning May 30, 2025

Registration closes: June 6, 2025

Location:

GoTriangle 4600 Emperor Blvd Durham, NC 27703 Hours: Friday 5PM-9PM; All Day Saturday & Sunday

Event Contact:

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Limited \$250 subsidies are still available, ask me how to recieve one





Around The World Challenge

The goal for the Around the World Challenge was to reduce the number of solo-vehicle trips that equal the distance of the Earth's perimeter (24,900 miles). Whether commuting to work or school or running personal errands, each trip by sustainable mode counted towards the campaign and its overall mission to improve the Triangle region's air quality. Qualifying sustainable travel modes included carpooling, vanpooling, using public transit, biking, scooting and walking. At the end of the campaign, 83 participants tracked 2,832 entries totaling 16,011 miles and reducing 23,137 pounds of greenhouse gases!

Trips were tracked in the Share the Ride NC platform, which included a leaderboard for friendly competition, as well as a gaming effect that allowed competitors to see how their neighbors and colleagues were tracking as well.

And the winners are in...



James M. Jennifer E. Harrison K. Abhinav G. Aram M. Savannah T. 456.17 mi 792 mi 457.13 mi 64.56 mi 11.2 mi 128.66 mi

Winners received a special Around the World-branded portable JBL Bluetooth speaker and recognition on social media. Winners will also be honored at our upcoming annual commuter ceremony. This year's prizes sponsored by SEACT chapter of ACT.

Association for Commuter Transportation