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QUOTE OF THE MONTH

*"The bicycle is the most civilized conveyance known to man. Other forms of transport grow daily more nightmarish. Only the bicycle remains pure in heart."
Iris Murdoch*

THIS MONTH in the "October All over Everything" Issue

Tour Dates for 2010!

GRABAAWR®

June 19th to 26th, 2010

GReat **A**nnual **B**icycle **A**dventure **A**long the **W**isconsin **R**iver.

Celebrate our 25th year. Come enjoy the beauty of the river and its river towns. Spectacular scenery. Friendly communities. Swimming holes. Our longest tour. Seven days of cycling with averages of about 70 miles per day. Great people. Camaraderie. A bicycle experience like no other!

<http://www.bikewisconsin.com/Grabaawr/index.html>

BIKE NORTHWOODS TOUR

July 10th to 16th, 2010

12th annual tour! Enjoy a smaller tour with great staff and tons of fun! Join us to find out why Wisconsin is biking heaven. Six days of biking with averages of about 60 miles per day on low traffic roads and great scenery.

<http://www.bikewisconsin.com/BNT/index.html>

SAGBRAW®

July 31st to August 6th 2010

Schramm's **A**nnual **G**reat **B**icycle **R**ide **A**round **W**isconsin.

Ride on year number 33! Not as strenuous as our other WI tours, but jampacked With the same fabulous scenery and friendly personal attention. Six days of biking with averages of about 60 miles per day.

<http://www.bikewisconsin.com/Sagbraw/index.html>

****Tour route announcements and registration will open on November 1st!**

LOCAL BIKE NEWS

The 2009 Saris Gala Fundraiser here in Madison for the Bicycle Federation of Wisconsin, will be held on October 9th, 2009. This year's featured guests:

- **Taylor Phinney** - 2008 summer olympian and first American to win the paris Roubaix U23,
- **Axel Merckx** - Olympic medalist and son of legendary Eddie Merckx
- **Gary Fisher** - Iconoclastic inventor of the mountain bike,

Come out and support the Bicycle Federation of Wisconsin. Hope to see you there. More info at www.BFW.org

Bike Wisconsin® News!

Bike Wisconsin® is in the Movies!

This summer, staff videographer, Le Marque, captured some rider comments and other crazy antics on tape. Soon we will have short 'vids' up from each tour... and More! Stop by the Bike Wisconsin® Youtube Channel and see what's rolling. If you don't see your tour yet, bookmark the page and stop back soon. We should have some from all three rides in the next few weeks.

<http://www.youtube.com/bikewisconsin#play/all>

A Funny Thing Happened on the Way... we got a new FORUM!

We've updated the Bike Wisconsin® Forum. It's new and improved with the kind of security and features you are used to in all of your favorite on-line forums. Stop by and check it out. It's not just for pre-tour chit chat anymore... make it a 'bookmarked' stop on your daily web browsing. Meet your old friends and make new ones. Get in on the discussions regarding on and off-season training, improvements to your rides, and more. It's also THE place to share your memories (and photos!) of the tours.

<http://www.bikewisconsinforum.com>

The Bike Wisconsin® Blog!

The BW Blog is live! Our intrepid Blogmaster will load up new and fun entries every week or so. He will give all of his faithful readers a taste of what the off-season presents here at BW -- from closing down the summer tours to the process of getting the new sponsors, editing video, developing the new routes, overnight towns, town teams, rest stops, entertainment... (who!) and more.

<http://www.bikewisconsin.com/BWBlog/index.html>

Bike Wisconsin has Fan Pages on Facebook for GRABAAWR®, SAGBRAW®, and Bike Northwoods!

Stop by the Bike Wisconsin fan pages on Facebook for all the tours. Become a Fan and keep in touch.

GRABAAWR®

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Madison-WI/GRABAAWR/121879043365?ref=ts>

Bike Northwoods

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Bike-Northwoods/123425594925?v=wall&ref=ts>

SAGBRAW®

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Madison-WI/SAGBRAW/123494207028?v=wall&ref=ts>

Happy Cycling!
From all the “leafrakers”
at Two Bicycles and a Map.

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