

FAQs – Ride the River Century

Where should I park my car?

We have arranged \$3 secured parking (pay upon exit) at the St. Louis Parking Garage located at 945 Olive Street. Please Note: The discounted price requires your parking ticket and a Trailnet voucher which will be at the Trailnet tent and in century ride packets.

The garage entrance is off of Olive Street between North 9th Street and North 10th Street. The garage cannot accommodate vehicles over 6' 6" in height. Credit cards are accepted. As a safety practice, keep valuables out of sight.

To check on additional lots go to <http://www.downtownstl.org/parking/>. If you choose to park in a garage, there may be a fee.

Is there early packet pickup?

Yes. There is packet pickup on Friday, August 12, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Trailnet offices 411 North 10th Street, Suite 202. Packet pickup on Friday, August 12, is from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Ballpark Hilton - in the Market Street Bistro and Bar.

Will there be bike valet parking for those NOT participating in the rides?

Yes. Trailnet will provide secure bike valet parking at the corner of 8th and Locust.

Does the ride happen if it rains?

The Ride will go rain or shine.

Where and when does the Ride start?

Registration opens at 6:00 a.m. and closes at 8 a.m. The registration tables will be at 8th and Locust. Highlighting the importance of safety and vision for our streets, we will have a mass rollout and a moment of silence under our Tibetan-style jersey prayer flag prior to departure at 7:00 a.m. from 9th and Locust.

Can I get the route map?

The map will be in your packet if you preregister. Day-of ride registrations will receive the map at the ride. Members who preregister can use their number to access the and download it prior to the ride.

Will there be food/drink available before the ride?

There will be coffee, courtesy of Mississippi Mud, bananas, and cookies available for riders at the registration tables at the Trailnet tent beginning at 6 a.m.

Is there a ride lunch stop?

Yes, the century ride lunch stop is in Grafton, IL. The metric lunch stop is at the Alton Amphitheater.

Are there rest stops?

Yes, the rest stops are at Creve Coeur Park, Bike Stop Cafe in St. Charles, Grove Memorial Park in Grafton, Alton Amphitheater, and the Old Chain of Rocks Bridge.

Where does the Ride finish?

Eighth and Locust at the Share the Street Party under the inflatable finish line.

What is happening after the Ride?

We hope you have fun celebrating your accomplishment with your family and friends at the Share the Street Party. Be sure to designate a specific spot to rendezvous when you finish. We'll have a great party with food, drink for purchase and an amazing lineup of free music!

Where can I get cleaned up after the ride?

There are restrooms and showers at the Downtown Bike Station one block from the finish.

What is Trailnet raising funds for?

Proceeds generated at the Ride the Rivers Century will benefit Trailnet, whose advocacy work in the region helps communities build for better walking and biking.

How can I help?

Text "Trailnet" to 33733 and make a gift through Trailnet's mobile giving partnership with Playing for the Cause. Or, stop by the Trailnet tent to become a member or make a donation. You can also make a gift online at www.trailnet.org.

To volunteer contact Marcia at 314-436-1324. ext 116 or marcia@trailnet.org