



Rec and Trans Monthly Report

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Comments & Updates	<p>Bike to the Future Monthly meeting (minutes online as usual www.biketothefuture.org)</p> <p>Can-Bike Advisory committee Minutes attached. Also, Dave Elmore has been elevated from Can-Bike Instructor to Master Instructor. This means he can certify Can-Bike instructors and help us move the program forward. In the past only the National Examiner could do this, Howard Skrypnyk is our National Examiner but he does not have the time right now to commit the time to train more instructors. Dave has just trained 12 new Can-Bike 3 graduates who are qualified to train Can-Bike 1. He is now looking for a few of these to train a instructors for Can-bike II and to focus on instructing Kids-Can-bike so we can fulfill our funding obligation to Safe Kids Canada. Dave primarily but assisted by Howard Skrypnyk, Curt Hull and Jeremy Hull work tirelessly with MPI over the years and if you look at the Cycling related area on their website you will see the results of the work of these Can-Bike Instructors. Also, MPI has funded the training of this group of 12 so that this group can now teach courses funded and insured by MPI to make Cycling Champions. These Cycling Champions are those who want to take a 4 hour course to give them more confidence on the road and a better awareness of how to Cycle safely. These champions also will take this training into their workplace or school and teach adults or children. MPI will pay the Can-Bike Instructors and offer this course for free.</p> <p>Dave Dorning and I are part of that 12.</p> <p>Winnipeg Cycling Map All 25000 have been distributed, we are now</p>

	<p>out. Printed another 1000 and they are gone.</p> <p>Bike to work day June 22nd, We were operational by 6 am and the commuters were already on the road. What a great time! Junior Team on their bikes, Twila and Ann-Marie working the table and we were busy, so busy that Ann-Marie started a tally and I think she was only able to record 5 or 6. I think we had over 75 visitors and almost that much that did not visit. We registered 20 at our pit stop. We had some airtime on CBC, during the traffic Marcie had me on the line for a brief interview while Jason, Andrea and Gord were commuting in to the studio. We owe this exposure to Jason this year, he pulled it all together and bugged CBC until they yelled “uncle”</p> <p>Thank everyone!</p> <p>Brian Mayes our St Vital Counselor popped by for a visit before going on to the other 2 St V pit stops. The Velomobile sped by while I was putting up signs.</p> <p>BTWD had 2112 registered cyclists in 2010, 2700 in 2011 and this year we had 4016 registered and so many more on the road that were not registered. What a nice jump, now we need to have Bike To Work WEEK!</p> <p>Cilovia /Manyfest There will not be a Crit this year and I do not see the benefit in the MCA’s continued involvement this year.</p>
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<p>Issues & Concerns</p>	<p>How are we coming on that email to the Bike Shops explaining our new policy on advertising on the MCA website? Have we heard from Gord’s yet?</p>
<p>Call out any specific issues and concerns in this area.</p>	

