

**CYCLE OREGON IS COMING TO THE MYTHICAL STATE OF JEFFERSON!  
Rogue Group Sierra Club Needs Volunteers to make it a HUGE SUCCESS!**

Ride Dates - September 12-19, 2009 **THE EVENT IS SOLD OUT – THAT’S 2000 RIDERS!**  
Where - Medford – Yreka – Happy Camp – Lake Selmac -- Glendale – Grants Pass – Medford

**Here is a special request from Mort Mondale of the Illinois Valley Section:**

Dear Fellow Sierra Club friends and members-

I am site coordinator for CYCLE OREGON and we need lots of volunteers. Several organizations have accepted responsibility for various Cycle Oregon projects and I pointed out it would be great to have Sierra Club members wearing SC hats, vests, T-shirts (whatever). More than 2000 cyclists from all over the U.S and some from other countries will flood in to the Lake Selmac area late in the afternoon of Tuesday, September 15th.

This is a chance to bolster tourism and fundraise for participating groups in the IV and in particular for the Selma Center. It is a real "feather in our cap" that Cycle Oregon is returning to the Selma area! The event WILL be covered by the media. Your participation will further the IVSC Section's commitment to community.

We need to fill a number of volunteer positions to make this a success. I personally am in terrific need for volunteers in several categories to fulfill the obligations I accepted through the Selma Center. You can volunteer for a full shift or a portion thereof. This is a fun event and Cycle Oregon organizers, staff, and the participants are very appreciative of our help. We need to have your decision and name on the dotted line ASAP.

The choices are:

1. DINING TENT (Tables and chairs trucked in by Cycle Oregon)

Tuesday, September 15th: 12:00 - 2:00 P.M. - 8 VOLUNTEERS set up 100 tables and 1000 chairs in dining tents. The set up includes plastic table cloths for each table.

Wednesday, September 16th : 8:00 - 10:00 A.M. If you can also do the tear down on Wednesday, that would be great. We need 8 VOLUNTEERS to tear down the tables and chairs for the Cycle Oregon staff to load on the trucks.

2. MAIN STAGE SETUP. (Stage trucked in by Cycle Oregon)

Tuesday, September 15th : 9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. 2 VOLUNTEERS: There is going to be great local entertainment on the stage that is supplied by Cycle Oregon, complex enough to show them off it has correspondingly heavy parts.

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### 3. BEER GARDEN MONITORS:

Tuesday, September 15th : 2 VOLUNTEERS on duty at all times from 2:00 - 10:00 P.M.  
Their task is to ensure no minors are in any part of the beer garden at any time. Sign up for as many of the eight hours as possible. Sign up with a friend, double the fun, and create some time off.

### 4. THE "GREEN TEAM"

Tuesday, September 15th: TWELVE VOLUNTEERS on duty from 4:30 - 8:30 P.M. to work with Cycle Oregon's green team called "ZERO HERO". The task is to collect garbage bags of the area and take them to the dumpster and ensuring the area is clean. Sign up for the full four hours if you can or indicate how many you'll commit to.

-AND-

Wednesday, September 16th: 5:00-9:00 A.M. TWELVE VOLUNTEERS doing the same "Green Team" job during the shut down phase.

We need extra volunteers because (1) Not everybody is able to show up as planned (stuff happens), and (2) It would be good to have people available to "spell" Beer Garden monitors and Green Team folks.

There may be a couple of short training meetings for some of the above jobs.

The Rogue Group Sierra Club has T-shirts and hats for volunteers who commit to the Cycle Oregon event. Sign up early to get the best selection.

Call me with questions and to commit to the shifts you desire for one of the jobs described above or a couple of jobs for variety. It'll really be fun and rewarding. Let's show the world how community-minded the Sierra Club is. Call Mort at 541-597-2880.