

2008 Clubs of the Year

Region 1. [Narragansett Bay Wheelmen](#). Rhode Island. The NBW is a stalwart member and supporter of the League's education programs, and one of the largest and most active clubs in the Northeast. They offer hundreds of rides each year - there are cue sheets for more than 150 great rides on their website - and maintain close connections with statewide and local advocacy issues, including the Providence Bicycle Coalition.

Region 2. [Sussex Cyclists](#). Delaware. Sussex Cyclists is a relatively new and small club that took the initiative to address a high bicycle crash rate among international workers in the resort areas of the Delaware shore.

Region 3. [Richmond Area Bicycle Association](#). Virginia. Another long-standing League affiliate with an incredible ride schedule - a dozen members rode more than 100 club rides in 2008, including one who rode on 245 rides - and an increasingly active role in local advocacy and charitable activities.

Region 4. [Silver Wheels Cycling Club](#). Ohio. Silver Wheels is a classic League club! Just over ten years old, they have around 200 members, one major ride (Dog Days Wine Tour) and a menu of more than 400 rides to choose from during the year. They have an active education and outreach program to draw more people into cycling in northern Ohio.

Region 5. [Twin Cities Bicycle Club Minnesota](#), and [Colorado Springs Cycling Club](#), Colorado. This region covers such a vast amount of territory we had to pick two winners this year. The Twin Cities Bicycle Club boasts one of the most extensive and well-run ride programs in the country and one of the most informative websites around. The Colorado Springs group offers every kind of ride from beginner to monstrous hill climbing and advocates locally for bicycle trails, lanes, paths and rider support facilities throughout the Pikes Peak region.

Region 6. [Conejo Valley Cyclists](#), California. We love the CVC because their members are our members, and in recent times they've been getting quite involved in making Thousand Oaks and surrounding communities more bicycle friendly. This year they celebrate the 25th anniversary running of the [Cruisin the Conejo](#) ride.

Thanks to all our affiliated organizations - clubs and advocacy groups - for the incredible work they do to give people the opportunity to ride.