



## February 2, 2025

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### From the Board

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#### A Few Items of Note...and Worth Repeating

June MacGregor, EBTC President

As of January 31, 2025, EBTC had 153 members. The Board hopes to see these numbers continue to increase and exceed the 2024 total of approximately 350.

**2025 Membership:** Click [here](#) to renew or, if new to EBTC, to join the Club. The confirmation email from Karelo will have your 2025 membership card (electronic or paper) to use for bike shop discounts arranged by EBTC.

**Pop-Up List:** Sign up [here](#) to receive an email whenever a weather-dependent outing is put in the calendar for registration close to the event date.

**Planning for the 2025 Cycling Season Launched:** If you were a ride leader in 2024, you have already received a request for information about 2025. Also, whether you led rides or not in 2024, feel free to contact me at [President@bikeclub.ca](mailto:President@bikeclub.ca) about how you can support a successful 2025 ride program.

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### Upcoming Events

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#### Friday Walks: Next One is Valentine's Day

Liz Timleck and June MacGregor, EBTC Walk Leaders

Since the snow gods gave us a huge blessing, we found it necessary to cancel the January 31 walk. Neither of us is available to organize a walk on February 7.

The next walk is Friday, February 14. Check next week's newsletter for information about the location of the Valentine's Day walk and the link to register. This would be a perfect time to bring your non-member Valentine (friend or partner) for a walk and coffee to offset all that chocolate. Here's the link on how to bring a non-member to an EBTC outing: [Bring a Friend](#)

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## Have a Great Birkie Ski!

June MacGergor, EBTC President

Good luck to EBTC members skiing in the Birkebeiner on the upcoming weekend.

We'll have a booth at the Nordic Fair on Friday, Feb. 7. Just look for the Club's large blue flag; drop by and say hello. We'd love to see you.



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## Coming Fall 2025: Cycling the Oregon Trail

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### Your Chance to Bike the U.S. Pacific Coast

Hans Feldmann, EBTC Member

EBTC is excited to announce the 2025 edition of the Pacific Coast trip, Astoria (Oregon) to San Francisco. Three cycling trip options will be offered along the Pacific coast. **Option 1** is a 12-day trip from Astoria to San Francisco (September 13-26, 2025), covering 1,250 km and including the Redwoods and Golden Gate Bridge. **Option 2** allows participants to join the first seven days of the trip, cycling from Astoria and arriving in Eureka, CA, on September 20 (750 km, up to 130 km/day), after which they must arrange their own transportation to San Francisco. **Option 3** must find their way to Eureka, CA, on September 20, joining the group for the final five days to San Francisco (510 km, up to 119 km/day), also passing through the Redwoods.

For more information and to continue reading, click [here](#).

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