



The Tour da Goose bike ride was founded in 2013 by myself and my husband, Jon Fisch. At that time, we were into bike riding together and lived in the community of Watertown. We participated in several rides in Wisconsin, each time further challenging ourselves in distance while enjoying the Wisconsin countryside tranquility. Then the Watertown Area Cares Clinic (WACC) asked us to develop a fundraiser in Watertown for the WACC, knowing how much we enjoyed outdoor sports.

Jon came up with the name "Tour da Goose" to pay homage to Watertown's mascot, the Goose, and to poke a little fun at us country folks with the da. During the first year of the bike ride's development, Jon passed away of cancer. Throughout his fight, he encouraged everyone to keep going. And we heeded his call.

Today, I continue to enjoy my role as ride director and the WACC has joined forces with other free health care clinics in the Fort Atkinson, Whitewater, and Jefferson communities called the Rock River Community Clinic (RRCC) to provide services to people in need. The RRCC will receive 100% of your registration fee and the funds will be of significant support for the services they provide.

We hope you enjoy the scenic sights of Jefferson County full of Wisconsin red barns, dairy cows, and greening pastures. They all await you. The drumlins will challenge you and the cows are always happy to see you. We are so happy you are here, and hope you'll come back again.

Happy Riding,
Rita



Rock River Community Clinic (RRCC) is a Federally Qualified Health Center that provides medical, dental, and behavioral health services for all, regardless of insurance status or ability to pay. Serving families across Jefferson, Dodge, and Walworth County, RRCC includes three medical clinics located in Watertown, Whitewater, and Jefferson, and one dental clinic in Fort Atkinson. In 2023, RRCC served 2,984 patients for a total of 7,642 visits between services, and wrote off over \$1.4 million dollars in patient care services.

For more information visit us at www.rockrivercommunityclinic.org



FRIDAY, JUNE 21st

3:00 PM -
6:00 PM

PRE-RIDE PICK UP AT GRINWALD FORD

101 WI-16 Watertown, WI
Riders will receive their T-shirt, entry wristband & option to purchase water bottle

SATURDAY, JUNE 22nd

6:00 AM -
10:30 AM

RIDE DAY PICK-UP AT RIVERSIDE PARK

916 Labaree St, Watertown, WI
Please plan to arrive earlier than your start time. The bike ride starts & finishes at Riverside Park in Watertown. Parking is available in the park & along Labaree Street.

START TIMES

7:00 AM

100 miles: 5 rest stops

8:00 AM

62 miles: 4 rest stops

9:30 AM

42 miles: 3 rest stops

10:30 AM

22 & 12 miles: 22 mile has 2 rest stops & 12 mile has 1 rest stop

12:00 PM -
5:00PM

Lunch, Hubbleton Brewery beer, & entertainment!
50/50 Raffle for Rock River Community Clinic.

We encourage riders to start at their designated time with their ride group. All routes will be considered closed at 5pm.

DOWNLOAD RIDE WITH GPS!



All riders MUST have the Ride with GPS app downloaded on their phone with their Tour da Goose ride loaded. Turn-by-turn instructions will be available at registration.

Each turn is marked on the road by an arrow. There may be occasions when arrows are washed away or lifted off the road, so always check your route directions if you are unsure.

RIDE RULES:

- **FOLLOW THE RULES OF THE ROAD:** The course routes are on public roads which remain open to motorists during the event. All traffic rules apply, including stopping at intersections with signs or signals. Riders must stay on the right shoulder of the road as much as possible, ride at a maximum of two abreast & single file when motorists are present.
- **HELMETS REQUIRED:** All participants must wear a bike helmet at all times while on the course route.
- **WATCH YOUR SPEED:** Riders are free to ride at whatever pace they desire but are urged to exercise caution during the downhill descents. Ride within your abilities & slow down on the descents.
- **FUELING AND PACING YOURSELF:** Be sure to drink plenty of fluids along the way & stop at rest stops for refreshments & a rest break. You can make a choice to shorten your distance at a rest stop & volunteers can assist you in changing your course or calling for sag support for a ride back to the park. Ample snacks, water & gatorade are available at the rest stops.

SAG SUPPORT

TDG crew members will be on the roads offering assistance with flat tires, problems with your bike, or rides back to the park.

Please save the contact information below should you need SAG support.

Dale Oestreich at 920-988-6175

LUNCH

Lunch will be served at noon. This year we will have Red Line Barbeque from Jefferson. Vegetarians options are also available. After your ride, check in at the park to get your meal ticket!



THANK YOU TO OUR 2024 SPONSORS!

This charity ride is only possible thanks to the support from our sponsors. All proceeds support Rock River Community Clinic and their mission of providing quality, comprehensive healthcare for all.



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Enjoy live music performance by Charles Barber from 11:30am- 3:30pm and a few post-ride beers from Hubbleton Brewery. 50/50 Raffle tickets will be available during lunch to support of RRCC!