SEWI TOUR - RUSTIC ROADS: September 22, 2012: Hosts - Don & Linda McCann

Hello, and welcome to our tour; we start at I-94 & Hwy 20 at the CITAGO station. Everyone must sign the waver.

The CB channel is 15. The tour leaders are Don & Linda McCann, and the sweep team is Jim & Marcy Hotz.

All state and county highways are designated "Hwy" for this event.

While driving the route please keep the car in front and behind you in sight, especially when making a turn. If you do not see the car behind you when making a turn, wait at the turn until they see you. This way no one will get lost.

The will be two 25 minute breaks: one in Burlington for Ice cream, etc., and one in Williams Bay on the lake for a rest stop. There are three parts for this tour: A, B, and C. Enjoy the event!!!!

The Rustic Roads system in WI was created in 1973 in an effort to preserve what remains of WI scenic, lightly traveled country roads for the leisurely enjoyment of bikers, hikers and Miata enthusiasts. To qualify for this program, a roadway must have outstanding natural features along its borders, such as rugged terrain, native vegetation and wildlife. The road should be a lightly traveled, local access road. It should not be scheduled for major improvements which would change its rustic characteristics. The maximum speed limit is 45 mph. There are 95 Rustic Roads covering510 miles in 53 counties; we will travel on 11 of them during this event. (Reference: WI Rustic Roads).

Mileage Instructions

Part A - Zero your odometer:

- 0.0 Right turn out of north end of CITGO gas station onto West Frontage Rd.
- 2.9 Left turn onto 3 Mile Rd.
- 6.1 Straight ahead on 3 mile Rd at Hwy U (Start Rustic Road R 37).

Note: R 37 – Numerous old oak trees and rail fences border this 1.8 miles long route. It has never been widened, nor has it's basic course been changed since it was originally laid out in the early 1800's.

- 7.9 Right turn onto 108 St (End Rustic Road R 37).
- 8.4 Left turn onto Hwy K and follow K.
- 9.3 Straight ahead on Hwy K at Hwy 45. Keep following Hwy K.
- 14.6 Right turn onto Hillcrest Rd (Start Rustic Road R 30).

Note: R 30 - The 2.3 miles long route passes through woods, rolling meadows and lowland marches abounding with native vegetation and wildlife.

- 15.6 Left turn onto Hanson Rd. still on R 30.
- 16.2 Right turn onto S. Division Rd (not marked) still on R 30.
- 16.7 Left turn onto Malchine Rd still on R 30.
- 16.8 Right turn onto Milwaukee Ave also Hwy 36 (End Rustic Road R 30).
- 18.6 Left turn onto S Wind Lake Rd.
- 18.7 Quick Left turn onto South Loomis Rd (Start Rustic Road R 5).

Note: R 5 – Loomis Rd was originally laid out as a territorial road in 1840 and retains much of its original rustic lines. It is 3.1 miles long. It passes Col Heg Memorial Park who was the highest ranking WI officer

killed in the Civil War.

- 21.2 Straight ahead on Loomis Rd at Hwy 164 (End Rustic Road R 5).
- 22.5 Loomis Rd becomes N Milwaukee St in Waterford (by Pick N Save).
- 23.2 Right turn onto E Main St.
- 23.3 Straight ahead onto W Main St which becomes Hwy 20.
- 24.8 Stay right on North Hwy 83.
- 27.0 Left turn onto Maple Rd (Start Rustic Road R 2).

Note: $R\ 2$ – Under a canopy of trees, this route provides a vista of rolling fields and dairy farms. There is a marsh with waterfowl, muskrat houses and other wildlife in the Wehmhoff Woodland Preserve. The 7.9 mile route is divided into three sections.

- 28.7 At Stop sign, cross Hwy 20 still on R 2.
- 30.5 Left turn onto Washington Ave also Hwy D (End Rustic Road R 2).
- 30.6 Quick Right turn onto Oak Knoll Rd (Start Rustic Road R 25).

Note: R 25 – Adjacent to the Honey Creek Wildlife area, this 2.6 miles long route passes the Franklyn Hazelo Home (c. 1858), listed on the National Register of historic Places.

- 33.2 Left turn at stop onto Hwy DD (End Rustic Road R 25).
- 33.6 Right turn at stop and follow Hwy DD.
- 33.8 Quick Right turn onto Kearney Rd (Start Rustic Road R 85).

Note: R 85 – The route is 2.5 miles long. The steeply glaciated uplands of Kearney Rd includes a mix of farmland and pine woodlots. Potter Rd runs adjacent to winding Sugar Creek as both pass through Nature Conservancy forest and wetlands.

- 35.2 Left turn at stop onto Potter Rd still on R 85.
- 36.3 Left turn at stop onto Hwy DD (End Rustic Road R 85).
- 36.8 Straight ahead as Hwy DD becomes Hwy FF in Racine County also Academy Rd.
- 39.1 Right turn onto Maple Rd (Start another section of Rustic Road R 2).
- 41.0 Left turn onto Honey Lake Rd still on R 2.
- 42.7 Right turn onto Milwaukee Ave (End Rustic Road R 2). Be careful road construction!
- 42.9 Right turn into Echo Veterans Memorial Park. We will begin a 25 minute break in Burlington. Rest rooms are in the park, and a frozen custard stand is across the street.

(Part A is about 43.1 miles long - 1 hour 12 minutes)

Part B - Zero your odometer:

- 0.0 Right turn from Echo Veterans Memorial Park at stop onto Milwaukee Ave (restart after break). 0.5 Left turn onto McHenry St (also Hwy P).
- 6.4 Right turn onto 45th St also Cranberry Rd (Start Rustic Road R 36).

Note: R 36 – This narrow, hilly 3.6 miles long route got its name from early settlers who harvested cranberries from nearby marches and knobs; it features a wide variety of trees and shrubs.

- 8.9 Right turn at stop onto Hwy 50 (End a portion of Rustic Road R 36).
- 9.2 Quick Right turn onto South Rd (Start Rustic Road R 11).
- 10.2 Right turn onto Steele Rd still on R 11.
- 11.8 Half way through the curve Steele Rd becomes Knob Rd still on R 11.

- 14.4 Left turn onto Spring Valley Rd still on R 11.
- 15.9 Left turn onto South Rd still on R 11.
- 18.1 Left turn back onto Steele Rd still on R 11 loop.
- 19.4 Right turn onto Berndt (End R 11, and Start another portion of R 36).
- 20.5 Right turn at stop back onto Cranberry Rd still on R 36.
- 21.8 Right turn at stop onto Hwy 50 (End Rustic Road R 36).
- 22.6 Right onto Back Rd (Start Rustic Road R 12).

Note: R 12 – At various points the 5.7 miles long route offers panoramic views of lush green hills and valleys. The sharply curving route passes outstanding Kettle Moraine formations, pine and spruce plantations, a tamarack swamp, and several ponds. R 12 crosses the White River and runs through the community of Lyons.

- 25.5 Right turn onto Sheridan Springs Rd still on R 12.
- 27.4 Left turn onto Church St still on R 12.
- 28.3 Left turn at stop onto Hwy 36 (End Rustic Road R 12).
- 31.7 Straight ahead at stop (Hwy 120) onto Springfield Rd.
- 33.3 Left turn onto Bowers Rd.
- 34.5 Left turn at stop onto Hwy NN.
- 35.4 Left turn at stop onto Hwy H.
- 36.1 Right turn onto Maxwell St in Lake Geneva.
- 36.8 Right turn onto Main St also Hwy 50.
- 37.3 Left turn onto Snake Rd (Start Rustic Road R 29).

Note: R 29 – This 2.7 miles long loop is located in a country side of natural beauty. There are many mansions on this loop.

- 39.5 Right turn and continue on Snake Rd still on R 29.
- 40.0 Left turn onto Hwy 50 (End Rustic Road 29).
- 41.5 Left turn onto Knollwood Dr.
- 41.8 Quick Right turn onto Laurel St.
- 42.6 Straight ahead onto Geneva St.
- 43.1 Right turn into the second public parking lot past Harris Rd. We will begin a 25 minute break at Williams Bay. Rest rooms are across the street and to your left.

(Part B is about 43.4 miles long - 1 hour 20 minutes)

Part C - Zero your odometer:

- 0.0 Right turn onto Geneva St
- 0.1 Straight at stop onto Hwy 67 (still Geneva St.)
- 1.1 Left turn onto N Lakeshore Dr.
- 3.20 Left turn at stop onto Kinzie Ave.
- 3.21 Real Quick Right turn onto Reid St..
- 3.3 Left turn at stop onto Fontana Blvd, which becomes S Lakeshore Dr..
- 9.1 Left turn at stop onto Hwy BB (still S Lakeshore Dr.).
- 11.9 Right turn onto W South St.

- 12.7 Straight ahead onto Bloomfield Rd.
- 18.0 Left turn onto Eastside Rd.
- 18.5 Right turn onto Hwy 50.
- 23.5 Left turn onto Hwy 83.
- 25.6 Right turn onto 31st St.
- 27.7 Left turn onto Hwy J (312th Ave.)
- 30.0 Right turn onto Hwy 142 (Burlington Rd.).
- 31.7 Left turn onto Hwy B and follow(Start Rustic Road R 43).

Note: R 43 – Passing through open agricultural land with few residences, the 3.7 miles long route provides direct access to the Bong Recreational Area.

- 33.7 Hwy B turns left (2nd PI) still on R 43.
- 35.4 Right turn at stop onto Hwy 11 (Durand Ave)(End Rustic Road R 43).
- 37.8 Left turn onto Eagle Rd and follow straight into Michael's on Eagle Lake parking lot.
- 38.2 Arrive at Michael's on Eagle Lake Restaurant. *Note: End Tour and Start Miller Time* (Part C is about 38.4 miles long 1 hour 4 minutes)