## -Ride Rules-

- 1. ANSI/SNELL approved safety helmets are MANDATORY on all BCC rides. Please wear yours. The life you save may be your own.
- 2. Please signal turns, slowing, stopping and obstacles in the road (i.e., debris, pot holes, glass, etc)
- The roads will NOT be closed during the ride, so ride smart. Remember to call out cars (Car up, Car back, etc.) Be aware of cars passing and get in a single file. Please also maintain a single file on busy roads.
- 4. OBEY ALL TRAFFIC LAWS. They apply to us as well as cars, and obeying them demonstrates to motorists that we are serious about safety.
- 5. Drink before you get thirsty, eat before you get hungry.
- 6. Ride with a maximum of 2 abreast. Avoid "pack riding".
- 7. Pass other cyclists on the left, and then announce yourself "on your left".
- 8. Check your bike and equipment before the ride starts, including making sure your tires are aired up. Make sure you have a spare tube, a way to inflate it, and some money. A small multi-tool can come in handy too. Check your bike after the ride too incase there are any issues that need to be addressed by a bike shop before the next ride.
- 9. DO NOT SMOKE anytime on the tour. Fire is a deadly hazard on a farm—livestock is worth millions of dollars on the featured farms.
- 10. FLASH BULBS ARE PROHIBITED in the barns and around the horses/livestock because it may frighten them.
- 11. DO NOT PET or FEED any of the horses or livestock on the featured farms—they may bite, run at you, or run away from you.
- 12. DO NOT COLLECT ANY SOUVENIRS on the featured farms.
- 13. Stay with your group at all times. Riders are only permitted on the marked cycling course/areas on FASIG-TIPTON, MT. BRILLIANT, GAINESWAY, COBRA, U.K. MAINE CHANCE and CASTLETON LYONS FARMS. Follow the BLACK DIRECTIONAL ARROWS to stay on course.
- 14. There are no restroom facilities on the farms, so please make use of the bathrooms at the starting point, and rest-stop at Windy Corner Cafe.
- In event of emergency, call 911

## HAVE FUN!!!

- If you need SAG assistance, please call Bill at 859-227-5141
- For other assistance, please call Knox at 859-421-1636