BICYCLE SHOPS AND RENTALS

BIKeway
Wide variety of bikes available: new and used, rentals, repairs, sales and accessories. Local rides and clubs.
1581 Route 376, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590
(845) 463-7433
bikeway.com

Leisure Ride Bike Rental
Bicycle sales and rentals. Family 5-seaters, 2-seaters and individual bikes available. Day and hourly rates. Delivery available to the Walkway Over the Hudson.
266 Titusville Rd., Poughkeepsie, NY 12603
(845) 486-8125
leisureridebike.com

Peoples Bicycle
Bike rentals available within walking distance of the Beacon Train Station. Locks and rider helmets included. Reservations available online.
Bike Rentals: 1 Red Flynn Dr.
Bike Repair: 430 Main St., Beacon, NY 12508
(845) 765-2487
peoplesbicycle.com

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Repairs, large selection of new and used bikes. Accessories for beginners and pros. Rentals available.
1557 Main St./Rt. 44, Pleasant Valley, NY 12569
(845) 635-3161
PVBikeShop.com

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10 Garden St., Rhinebeck, NY 12572
(845) 876-4025
RhinebeckBicycleShop.com

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Bike rentals, repairs, sales & accessories, discounts, rides and events.
2658 E. Main St., Wappingers Falls, NY 12590
(845) 632-3050
WheelandHeel.com

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BIKE TOUR

HYDE PARK
Easy to Moderate, some hills
Total Length: 21.5 miles

Tour winds through the heart of the Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area, beginning in historic Hyde Park. Highlights include the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Home, Library and Museum, Eleanor Roosevelt National Historic Site, the Gilded Age mansions of Frederick and Louise Vanderbilt, and Ogden and Ruth Livingston Mills.

These directions use the Hyde Park Town Hall, located at 4383 Albany Post Road (Rt. 9), as the starting point. Mile points in left margin. Elevation: +840 ft./-839 ft.

0.0 RIGHT out of Town Hall onto W. Market and ride to traffic light at Rt. 9

0.0 LEFT then ride 0.2 mile to Vanderbilt Mansion site entrance

0.2 LEFT to enter site and ride 1.0 mile through Mansion property to exit at Rt. 9
* Enjoy views of the Mansion and Hudson River. You can also take a 1-hr house tour. Detour to visit Bard Rock at river level but returning to the route will be all up hill.

1.2 LEFT and ride 2.6 miles to Old Post Rd.
*Look for sign on right with arrow pointing left for Staatsburg.

3.8 Bear LEFT and ride 2.1 miles to stop sign at Rt. 9
*Pass through hamlet of Staatsburg. Visit Staatsburgh State Historic Site. 1-hr tour available or just enjoy the grounds and river views.
* Side trip to Mills Norrie State Park includes boat marina at Norrie Point. Turn at Park entrance and follow signs for 1 mile.

5.9 STRAIGHT across Rt. 9 onto Mill Cross Rd. and immediately bear RIGHT to stay on it. Ride 0.4 mile to Reservoir Rd.

6.3 RIGHT and ride 1.6 miles to T intersection with CR 37

7.9 LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to Rt. 9G

8.1 LEFT and ride 1.3 miles to CR 14 (Mills Cross Rd. on L & Hollow Rd. on R)

9.4 RIGHT and ride 1.0 mile to CR 16 (North Quaker Ln.)

10.4 RIGHT and ride 4.0 miles to CR 41 (Netherwood Rd. on L & Crum Elbow Rd. on R)

14.4 RIGHT and ride 1.1 miles to CR 39 (Cream St.)

15.5 LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to fork at Haviland Rd. – unmarked

15.7 RIGHT and ride 1.5 miles to stop sign at Rt. 9G

17.2 LEFT and ride 0.5 mile to Val-Kill, the Eleanor Roosevelt National Historic Site
*1-hr house tour available or enjoy the grounds.

17.7 Continue STRAIGHT on Rt. 9G and ride 0.6 mile to CR 40A (St. Andrews Rd.)

18.3 RIGHT and ride 1.1 miles to traffic light at Rt. 9

19.4 RIGHT and ride 0.6 mile to Franklin D. Roosevelt National Historic Site
*Visit FDR Home, Library & Museum. Tour information at the Henry A. Wallace Center.

20.0 CONTINUE north on Rt. 9 and ride 1.5 miles to Hyde Park Town Hall

21.5 Ride Complete

VAL-KILL, The Eleanor Roosevelt National Historic Site
These directions use the intersection of Route 9 and Market Street at Beekman Arms in Rhinebeck as the starting point. Mile points in left margin. Elevation: +1529/-1529 ft.

0.0  LEFT and ride 1.2 miles to CR 103 (River Rd.)

1.2  RIGHT and ride 3.2 miles to traffic light at Rt. 199  
*continue STRAIGHT at stop sign at Barrytown Rd. at mile 2.0.

4.4  STRAIGHT and ride 4.3 miles to stop sign at Rt. 9G  
* Visit Montgomery Place (2.8 miles) or Bard College.  
* River Rd. becomes Annandale Rd. (both are CR 103).  
* At mile 8.3, turn RIGHT at T to stay on CR 103/Annandale Rd.

8.7  At stop sign, CONTINUE ACROSS 9G on Old Whalesback Rd. for 0.1 mile

8.8  RIGHT and ride 0.4 mile to stop sign at Kelly Rd./Whalesback Rd.

9.2  LEFT onto Whalesback Rd. and ride 0.9 mile to stop sign at CR 79 (Linden Ave.)

10.1  RIGHT and ride 1.7 miles to stop sign at unmarked Rt. 199 in the Village of Red Hook

11.8  LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to Rt. 9

12.0  LEFT and ride 2.4 miles to CR 56 (Old Post Rd. North)

14.4  RIGHT and ride 2.1 miles to Hapeman Hill Rd.  
*Old Post Rd. North becomes Spring Lake Rd.

16.5  RIGHT and ride 2.1 miles to stop sign at Rt. 199  
* Stay RIGHT at T intersection at mile 18.2 to stay on Hapeman.

18.6  RIGHT and ride 0.9 mile to Orlich Rd. (on left)

19.5  LEFT and ride 0.6 mile to Norton Rd.  
* At mile 19.6, bear RIGHT to stay on Orlich Rd.

20.1  LEFT and ride 1.8 miles to stop sign at Stone Church Rd.  
* Visit the Old Rhinebeck Aerodrome where antique aircraft and vehicles are on display May-Oct.

21.9  RIGHT and ride 1.4 miles to stop sign at Rt. 9

23.3  LEFT and ride 2.9 miles to traffic light at Market St. in Rhinebeck  
*Food available throughout this segment of Rhinebeck.

26.2  RIGHT onto W. Market and ride 2.3 miles to stop sign at Shatzell Ave.  
*West Market becomes Rhinecliff Rd.  
*You will pass the Amtrak train station.

28.5  STRAIGHT and ride 2.4 miles on Kelly St. and CR 85 (Morton Rd.) to stop sign at CR 85 (South Mill Rd.)  
* At 28.7 mile point bear LEFT to stay on route.  
* Wilderstein, an historic site, is located on this segment.  
Tour 1-hr. Beautiful grounds and river views.

30.9  LEFT and ride 1.8 miles to stop sign at Rt. 9

32.7  LEFT and ride 0.5 mile to traffic light at Market St.

33.2  Ride Complete
BIKE TOUR

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PLEASANT VALLEY, MILLBROOK, VERBANK & CLINTON CORNERS

Moderate with a few short hills
Total Length: 42.5 miles

Tour takes you through a glorious countryside, winding past impeccably manicured horse farms. Include a visit to the Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies, a botanical garden and research center. Another nature site close to the route is Innisfree Garden, which contains unique “cup” gardens designed in a Chinese style dating back 1,000 years. In the Village of Millbrook, you can antique shop and explore the farmers’ market on Saturdays.

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These directions use Pleasant Valley Town Hall at 1554 Main Street (Rt. 44) as a starting point. Mile points in left margin. Elevation: +2016 ft./-2017 ft.

- **0.0** RIGHT out of parking lot and ride 0.9 mile on Rt. 44 to Creek Rd.
- **0.9** LEFT and ride 3.0 miles to stop sign
- **3.9** STRAIGHT onto Scout Rd. and ride 1.2 miles to stop sign at Hibernia Rd.
- **5.1** LEFT and ride 0.8 mile to stop sign at Rt. 115 (Salt Point Tpk.)
- **5.9** RIGHT and ride 2.4 miles to CR 13 (Clinton Corners Rd.)
- **8.3** RIGHT and ride 2.2 miles to stop sign at Rt. 82
  *At mile 9.3, bear LEFT at fork to stay on CR 13.
- **10.5** RIGHT and ride 1.3 miles to stop sign at Rt. 44
- **11.8** LEFT and ride 1.0 mile to Rt. 44
- **12.8** LEFT and ride 2.6 miles to Harts Village Rd.
  *You can bike through the grounds of the Cary Institute for Ecosystem Studies, Apr. – Oct.
- **15.4** RIGHT and ride 0.6 mile to stop sign at Franklin Ave.
  *Harts Village Rd. becomes Front St. Visit interesting shops in Millbrook or stop to eat at one of many restaurants.
- **16.0** LEFT and ride 0.8 mile to Rt. 44
- **16.8** RIGHT and ride 1.4 miles on Rt. 44 to CR 99
- **18.2** RIGHT and ride 1.4 miles to stop sign at Rt. 343
- **19.6** RIGHT and ride 1.8 miles to CR 96 (Altamont Rd.)
- **21.4** LEFT and ride 2.0 miles to CR 95 (Oak Summit Rd.)
- **23.4** LEFT and ride 2.0 miles to stop sign at CR 90
- **25.4** RIGHT and ride 0.6 mile to stop sign at Rt. 82
- **26.0** STRAIGHT on Verbank Village Rd. and ride 0.1 mile to Verbank Rd.
- **26.1** RIGHT and ride 3.1 miles to South Rd.
  *At mile 27.9, turn RIGHT to stay on Verbank Rd. at the fork
- **29.2** LEFT and ride 1.2 miles to stop sign at Rt. 44
- **30.4** LEFT and ride 0.4 mile to Rt. 82
- **30.8** RIGHT and ride 1.3 miles to CR 13 (Clinton Corners Rd.)
- **32.1** LEFT and ride 2.2 miles to stop sign at CR 17 (Salt Point Tpk.)
  *At mile 33.3, bear RIGHT at fork to stay on CR 13
- **34.3** LEFT and ride 6.3 miles to Wigsten Rd.
  *Pass through the hamlet of Salt Point.
- **40.6** LEFT and ride 0.8 mile to stop sign at CR 72 (North Ave.)
  *At mile 41.2 stay STRAIGHT as Wigsten becomes CR 73 (Sherow Rd.)
- **41.4** RIGHT and ride 0.9 mile to traffic light at Rt. 44
- **42.3** RIGHT and ride 0.2 mile to Pleasant Valley Town Hall
- **42.5** Ride Complete
These directions use Pleasant Valley Town Hall at 1554 Main Street (Rt. 44) as a starting point. Mile points in left margin. Elevation: + 1297 ft./-1298 ft.

0.0 RIGHT out of parking lot and ride 0.9 miles on Rt. 44 to Creek Rd.

0.9 LEFT and ride 3.0 miles to stop sign

3.9 STRAIGHT onto Scout Rd. and ride 1.2 miles to stop sign at Hibernia Rd.

5.1 LEFT and ride 0.8 mile to stop sign at Rt. 115 (Salt Point Tpk.)

5.9 RIGHT and ride 1.3 miles to CR 14 (Hollow Rd.)

7.2 LEFT and ride 3.0 miles to stop sign at Clinton Hollow Rd. (on L) and Centre Rd. (on R)

10.2 RIGHT onto Centre Rd. and ride 2.4 miles to Fiddlers Bridge Rd. (on L) and Nine Partners Rd. (on R)

*Hamlet of Schultzville. Visit Schultzville General Store for food and restrooms.

12.6 LEFT and ride 4.1 miles to stop sign at CR 14 (Hollow Rd.)

*STRAIGHT through intersection with Deer Ridge Rd. at mile 15.2

*Hamlet of Pleasant Plains.

16.7 RIGHT and ride 0.2 mile to CR 16 (N. Quaker Ln.)

16.9 LEFT and ride 4.1 miles to CR 41, Netherwood Rd. (on L) and Crum Elbow Rd. (on R)

21.0 LEFT onto Netherwood Rd. and ride 1.1 miles to Gretna Rd. (on right, opposite lake)

22.1 RIGHT and ride 2.3 miles to stop sign at Rt. 115 (Salt Point Tpk.)

24.4 LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to Wigsten Rd.

24.6 RIGHT and ride 0.8 mile to stop sign at CR 72 (North Ave.)

*At mile 25.2, stay STRAIGHT as Wigsten becomes CR 73 (Sherow Rd.)

25.4 RIGHT and ride 0.9 mile to Rt. 44

26.3 RIGHT and ride 0.2 mile to Pleasant Valley Town Hall

26.5 Ride Complete
The first 6 miles are mostly uphill and can be strenuous. The last 6.5 miles are downhill or flat. Elevation: +1150 ft./-1153 ft.

These directions use the Pawling Welcome Center and Chamber of Commerce Building at 55 Charles Colman Blvd. as the starting point. Mile points in left margin.

0.0 LEFT onto Charles Colman Blvd. and ride 0.1 mile to stop sign at West Main St.

0.1 LEFT and ride 0.8 mile to light at Rt. 22.
*Pass John Kane House, former Revolutionary War HQ of Gen. Washington, and Dutcher Golf Course, oldest public golf course in USA.

0.9 STRAIGHT onto CR 67 (Quaker Hill Rd.) ride 2.9 miles to Church Rd.
* Stay RIGHT as CR 67 makes a hairpin turn at mile 3.2

3.8 RIGHT and ride 0.4 mile to stop sign at CR 66 (Old Quaker Hill Rd.) - unmarked.

4.2 LEFT and ride 2.9 miles to CR 68 (North Quaker Hill Rd.)

7.1 LEFT and ride 2.2 miles to Dewey Ln.

9.3 LEFT and ride 0.7 mile to T intersection at Reservoir Rd. - unmarked
*Parts of road very rough.

10.0 RIGHT and ride 1.0 mile to traffic light at Rt. 22/Rt. 55
*Food is available along this route as you approach hamlet of Wingdale.

11.0 RIGHT and ride 0.1 mile to Corbin Rd.

11.1 LEFT and ride 0.5 mile to stop sign at Charles Colman Blvd.

11.6 LEFT and ride 0.9 mile back to the Pawling Welcome Center

12.5 Ride Complete

* For additional bike tours beginning in Pawling, please scan the code on the back cover of this brochure with your smart phone; or visit the “Biking in Dutchess” tab on our Facebook page.
These directions use the Hopewell Depot Trailhead as a starting point. Mile points in left margin are approximate.

0.0 Hopewell Depot Trailhead
4.0 Diddell Road Trailhead
8.2 LaGrange Trailhead
9.5 Overocker Road Trailhead
12.0 Morgan Lake Trailhead
13.0 Walkway Over the Hudson, East Entrance, Poughkeepsie
14.6 Ride Complete
   Walkway Over the Hudson, West Entrance, Highland

* For additional bike tours that include the Dutchess Rail Trail, please scan the code on the back cover of this brochure with your smart phone; or visit the “Biking in Dutchess” tab on our Facebook page.

WRS DUTCHESS RAIL TRAIL & WALKWAY OVER THE HUDSON

Easy, generally flat
Total Length: 14.6 miles

This family-friendly ride is paved, generally flat and free from vehicle traffic. There are six trailheads along the trail, which means where you start and how far you go before you turn around is completely up to you! The William R. Steinhaus Dutchess Rail Trail begins at the historic Hopewell Depot in East Fishkill and runs 14.6 miles along the former Maybrook Rail corridor, including the towns of East Fishkill, Wappinger, LaGrange, and Poughkeepsie, with a direct link to the Walkway Over the Hudson and the regional trail network across the Hudson River in Ulster County.
7.7  **RIGHT** into the train station then **LEFT** onto the Harlem Valley Rail Trail and ride 10.7 miles to stop sign at Rt. 44 (Main St.)

18.4  **RIGHT** and ride 0.3 mile to traffic light at CR 62 (Maple Ave.)

*In Millerton, visit antique shops or stop to eat at several restaurants in town.*

18.7  **RIGHT** and ride 1.6 miles to CR 61 (Indian Lake Rd.)

20.3  **RIGHT** and ride 1.5 miles to T intersection - unmarked

21.8  **LEFT** onto Taylor Rd. and ride 0.2 mile to Reagan Rd.

22.0  **RIGHT** and ride 0.9 mile to T intersection at Coleman Station Rd. (on R) & unmarked Sheffield Hill Rd. (on L)

22.9  **LEFT** onto Sheffield Hill Rd. and ride 1.4 miles to stop sign

24.3  **STRAIGHT** onto CR 1 (Sharon Station Rd.) and ride 1.5 miles

25.8  **LEFT** at unmarked intersection and continue riding 1.6 miles on Sharon Station Rd. to stop sign at unmarked Rt. 343 East

27.4  **LEFT** and ride 0.6 mile to CR 2 (Leedsville Rd.)

28.0  **RIGHT** and ride 2.6 miles to fork with CR 2 (name changes to Amenia Union Rd.)

30.6  **RIGHT** and ride 2.5 miles to CR 3 (Kent Rd.)

33.1  **LEFT** and ride 0.8 mile to CR 4 (S. Amenia Rd.)

33.9  **STRAIGHT** to stay on CR 4 and ride 1.1 miles to stop sign

35.0  **LEFT** to stay on CR 4 (name changes to Poplar Hill Rd.) and ride 3.0 miles to stop sign at Maple Ln. (on R) & McCarthy Rd. (on L)

38.0  **RIGHT** onto Maple Ln. and ride 0.9 mile to Dover Plains train station

38.9  **Ride Complete**

* For additional bike tours in the Harlem Valley, please scan the code on the back cover of this brochure with your smart phone; or visit the “Biking in Dutchess” tab on our Facebook page.
These directions use HYATT house located at 100 Westage Business Center Dr., Fishkill, as the starting point.
Mile points in left margin. Elevation: + 608 ft./-608 ft.

0.0 LEFT out of parking lot onto Westage Business Center Dr. Ride > 0.1 mile to W. Merritt Blvd.
0.1 RIGHT and ride 0.1 mile to Rt. 9 North
0.2 LEFT and ride 0.3 mile to traffic light at Elm St.
0.5 LEFT and ride 0.1 mile to stop sign at Smith St.
0.6 RIGHT and ride 0.2 mile to stop sign at Broad St.
0.8 LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to Rt. 52/Main St.
*Road makes sharp RIGHT and name changes to Cary Ave.
1.0 LEFT and ride 0.9 mile to Old Glenham Rd.
*At mile 1.8, ride under the Rt. 84 overpass.
1.9 LEFT and ride 0.9 mile to Maple St.

2.8 LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to fork
3.0 RIGHT onto Washington Ave. (unmarked) and ride 1.2 miles to fork
4.2 LEFT onto Depuyter Ave. and ride 1.1 miles to stop sign at Wolcot Ave.
5.3 RIGHT and ride 1.8 miles to traffic light at Main St.
7.1 RIGHT and ride 1.0 mile to East Main St.
*In Beacon, visit art galleries, antique shops or stop to eat at several restaurants in town.
*At mile 7.9, turn LEFT to stay on Main St.
8.1 RIGHT and ride 0.3 mile to stop sign
8.4 Bear LEFT to stay on East Main, and ride 1.8 miles crossing bridge to Maple St.
*Road name changes to Washington Ave.
10.2 LEFT and ride 0.1 mile to Old Glenham Rd. - unmarked
10.3 RIGHT and ride 0.8 mile to Rt. 52/Main St.
11.1 RIGHT and ride 0.9 mile to Cary Ave.
*At mile 11.6, ride under the Rt. 84 overpass.
12.0 RIGHT and ride 0.2 mile to Smith St. - unmarked
*Road makes sharp LEFT and name changes to Broad St.
*Methodist Church on corner of Broad & Smith
12.2 RIGHT and ride 0.1 mile to Elm St. - unmarked
12.3 LEFT and ride 0.2 mile to Rt. 9 South
12.5 RIGHT and ride 0.3 mile to West Merritt Blvd.
12.8 RIGHT and ride 0.1 mile to Westage Business Center Dr.
12.9 LEFT and ride > 0.1 mile to HYATT house parking lot
13.0 Ride Complete