

Basic Street Skills

The Know-How You Need to Ride the Roads™

LEARN

- How to read the road and position yourself for safety and visibility
- A 3-step method for crossing any intersection without car conflicts
- Your legal rights and obligations
- How to take your bike on buses, BART, ferries and trains
- How to outfit yourself and your bike for practical transportation and maximum visibility

SEE

- A presentation that explains traffic cycling principles, proper road position, and technique, featuring images of streets and intersections throughout Marin County
- Demonstrations of essential street cycling skills
- Samples of accessories for visibility and lighting

Sponsors

The 2004 series of classes in Marin County is sponsored by:



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Basic Street Skills for CYCLISTS

In just two hours,
learn how to safely and
confidently use your
bike for transportation



Bicycle Solutions
Bright Ideas for Bicycle Transportation



You Already Know How to Ride a Bicycle, Now Learn How to “Drive” One!

Whether you are

- a current or prospective bike commuter,
- a recreational rider,
- a touring cyclist,
- a racing cyclist,
- a parent who bikes with your family, or
- just want to get around town for errands

you'll enjoy cycling more when you know how to ride safely in traffic, while following the rules of the road.

Your Instructor

John Ciccarelli is a League of American Bicyclists Cycling Instructor (LCI #453-CK). He has used conventional, folding and recumbent bicycles for everyday transportation and commuting for over 20 years.

John owns Transight LLC / Bicycle Solutions, a Palo Alto firm offering transportation planning and engineering, bicycle parking and storage, school site access planning, traffic safety evaluations, and education.

Before launching his company in 1999, John was Stanford University's first Bicycle Program Manager. He also helped to start Caltrain's Bikes On Board program.



2005 Classes

All classes are held at:
Marin General Hospital
Conference Center
250 Bon Air Road, Greenbrae

Thursday, January 27: 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Thursday, March 10: 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Thursday, May 12: 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Admission is FREE.

Classes are open to individuals ages 16 and up. Advance registration is required. You won't need your bicycle unless you plan to ride it to the class.

Approved by the Marin County Superior Courts for citation fee reduction.

HOW TO REGISTER

Provide your name, address, email, phone and class date in one of the following ways:

- On-line at www.marinbike.org
- Fax to 415-456-9344
- Email to streetskills@marinbike.org
- Call MCBC at 415-456-3469 ext. 3#

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Basic Street Skills is a 2-hour subset of the Bay Area's standard 4-hour bicycle driver education class, "Street Skills For Cyclists." For more info, visit the Bicycling section of www.511.org.