

## Bike-A-Thon Pledge

You can sponsor a rider by sending a pledge to:

The RHF Hearing Foundation  
c/o Rotary Club of Vancouver

315-475 Howe Street

Vancouver, BC V6C 2B3

Tel: 604 685 0481, Fax: 604 685 7632

Email: rotary\_van@telus.net

or pledge online at [www.rotarybikeathon.org](http://www.rotarybikeathon.org)



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Rotary has over 1.2 million business, professional and community leaders meeting in over 32,000 Rotary Clubs in 200 countries and geographical areas.

26 previous Bike-A-Thons have raised over **\$2.1 million**. Funds have been used to establish the **Rotary Hearing Centre at UBC Hospital** and the **Rotary Hearing Clinic at St. Paul's Hospital**. Funds have also supported BC Children's Hospital, Children's Hearing & Speech Centre of BC, the BC Family Resource Centre and others. More information can be found at [www.rotarybikeathon.org](http://www.rotarybikeathon.org).

By riding in the Bike-A-Thon, you are making a positive contribution to bringing back the sounds of life to many who are hard of hearing. In B.C. over 4,000 people are deaf, over 400,000 have a severe hearing impairment, and 1 in 800 children are born deaf.

## Thank You to Our Sponsors



Hear now. And always

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## In Support of:



St Paul's Hospital  
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Children's Hearing  
& Speech Centre of BC

UBC Hospital  
& Hearing Centre

# Rotary RIDE FOR HEARING

Bring Back  
The Sounds of Life



SUNDAY JULY 10, 2011  
A 20KM/120KM RIDE FROM  
BURNABY TO HARRISON HOT SPRINGS



27TH ANNUAL  
ROTARY CLUB OF VANCOUVER  
BIKE-A-THON

[WWW.ROTARYBIKEATHON.ORG](http://WWW.ROTARYBIKEATHON.ORG)

## We put the fun into fundraising for the deaf and hard of hearing

Grab a partner or go it alone and join us on our annual 120km Bike-A-Thon. Enjoy the physical activity of the distance, riding at your own pace. Delight in the picturesque route to Harrison Hot Springs, then relax and enjoy the surroundings of the Harrison Hot Springs Resort.

The Bike-A-Thon is a fund-raising project supporting The Rotary Hearing Centre at UBC, the Rotary Hearing Clinical Centre at St. Paul's Hospital and many other hearing programs across British Columbia.

More information at [www.rotarybikeathon.org](http://www.rotarybikeathon.org)

There are many ways to be an active participant in the Rotary Bike-A-Thon:

- > Each rider rides the 120km and **must** raise \$300 or more in pledges from your business acquaintances, family and friends;
- > Form a "Partnership Relay" with a spouse, relative or friend— **each rider must raise \$300 or more in pledges and each to ride one leg (or more) of the distance. Riders are responsible for their own transportation to/from each transfer point;**
- > Put together a "Challenge Team" and compete for the Team Cup;
- > Contribute through pledges to riders from your company or friends. Tax receipts are issued for pledges over \$20.

## The Ride

For your pedaling efforts you will receive:

- > Food and beverages at 5 checkpoints every 20km along the route;
- > A Bike-A-Thon quality T-shirt;
- > A light bite upon arrival at the Harrison Hot Springs Resort for you and your family;
- > Use of the change rooms and showers at the Resort;
- > Use of the Resort's Hot Springs Spa, Pool and Lounging areas;
- > Transportation back to Brentwood for you and your bike if required; **departure at 6:30pm only.**

In addition:

- > Participants who raise \$300 by ride day receive **1 adult** banquet ticket. Additional tickets can be purchased at the finish line.
- > Riders who raise \$500 or more by ride day receive banquet tickets for **2 adults and 2 children** (12 and under).

## Route & Routine

- > Depart Brentwood Town Centre at 6:00am on the day of the ride;
- > Ride 120km via the less-busy Hwy 7 to Harrison Hot Springs Resort;
- > Progress at your own rate. However, anyone still on the route at 2:00pm will be driven to Harrison by van;
- > An experienced group monitors riders along the route keeping in touch by radio and assisting riders as necessary including help up and down Mount Woodside, if required;
- > A bike repair van and medical assistance are available along the entire route.

## Prizes

- > Pre Banquet Prize Draw for all riders
- > Special Draw for riders raising \$300 by ride day
- > Grand Prize Draw for riders raising \$500 by ride day
- > Prize Raffle

## 2011 Bike-A-Thon Registration

Please register online at [www.rotarybikeathon.org](http://www.rotarybikeathon.org) Riders must be 13 years of age or older. Helmets are required by law. Online registration will require acceptance of the waiver, name, address and email, banquet and transportation requirements and T-shirt size and style.

Early Bird Registration, prior to July 6, 2011: \$50

Late Registration: \$100

If you would like an information kit please complete the form below and send it to:

Rotary Club of Vancouver

315-475 Howe Street, Vancouver, BC V6C 2B3

T: 604-685-0481, F: 604-685-7632, E: [rotary\\_van@telus.net](mailto:rotary_van@telus.net)

I would like more information:

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

CITY/TOWN .....

PROV ..... POSTAL CODE .....

TEL .....

EMAIL .....

1 Starting point: Brentwood Town Centre (Lougheed and Willingdon)



2 McDonald's in Coquitlam (19km)

3 McDonald's in Haney (19km)

4 McDonald's in Mission (24km)

5 Leq'á:mel Band Office in Deroche (21km)

6 Mount Woodside — "Cardiac Hill!" (21km)

7 Finish: Harrison Hot Springs Resort (16km)

Sign up now!  
250 riders can be accommodated.