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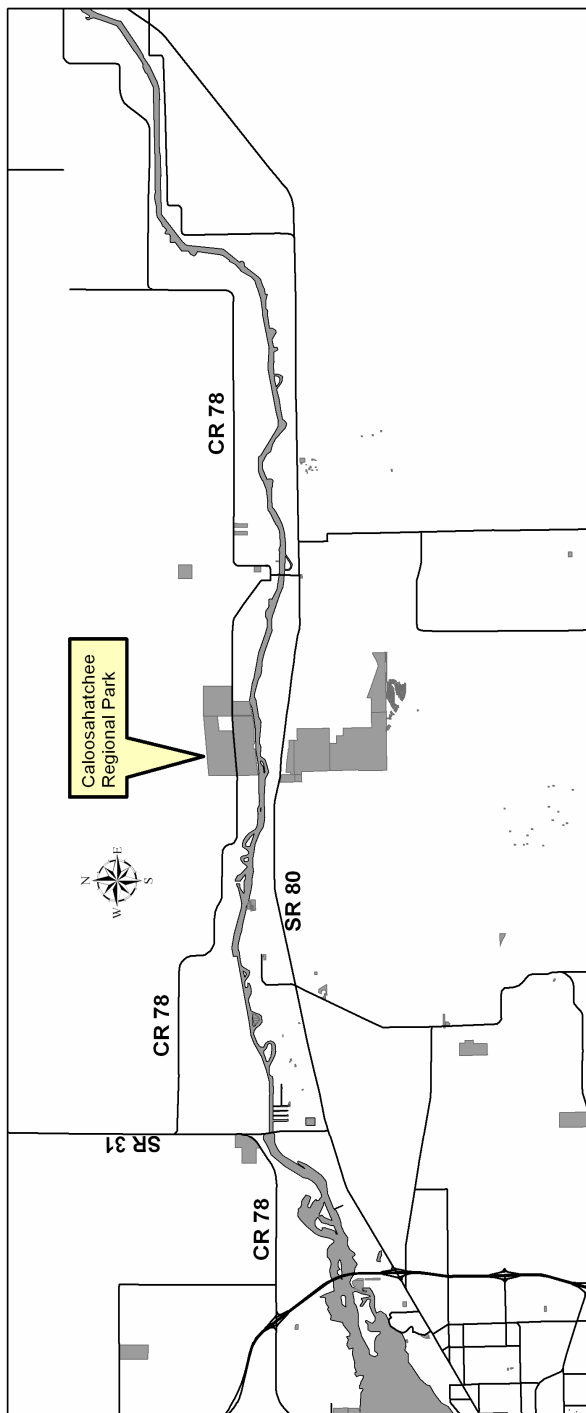
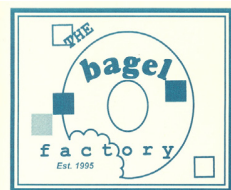


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CRCA RIVERWATCH
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**The Caloosahatchee River
Citizens Association
presents the
Eleventh Annual**



**Sunday November 18, 2007
Start Time 8:00 to 8:30 A.M.
Alva, Florida**

<http://crca.caloosahatchee.org>

Join us for Caloosahatchee River Ride

An Invitation

Join members of the Caloosahatchee River Citizens Association (Riverwatch) on their eleventh annual bicycle ride along the Caloosahatchee River, Sunday, November 18, 2007. This event is designed to allow participants to enjoy the Caloosahatchee's watershed and scenic beauty. The ride begins at Lee County's Caloosahatchee Regional Park, (18500 North River Road, main entrance South side) on CR 78 just West of Alva, and follows back roads to LaBelle, and back.

What is the CRCA?

The Caloosahatchee River Citizens Association is a nonprofit organization dedicated to protecting the River and its watershed, through education and promotion of the responsible use and enjoyment for all of the people.

Distance Options

There will be a 15, 30, 40 and 62 mile option. This will allow cyclists of all levels to enjoy the ride.

The Course

The course is flat with scenic views of the river at the Franklin Locks, Fort Denaud Bridge and in LaBelle. Rest stops will be provided along the way stocked with food and refreshments.

Support

The course will have a support vehicle to assist with mechanical problems.

Registration

All registrations received by Friday, November 9th, are guaranteed an event T-shirt, and water bottle. Please appreciate that providing adequate food and refreshments for the event is difficult. Pre-registration is preferred. The event will take place rain or shine. There will be no refunds for weather.

Cost

Cost is \$25, this fee includes maps, rest stops with food and refreshments, and support vehicles. An event T-shirt is guaranteed if registration is received by November 10. A \$5.00 late fee will be added for all registrations received after that date.

The Start

The ride starts from 8:00 to 8:30 A.M. at the Lee County Caloosahatchee Regional Park on SR 78 just West of Alva (see map).

Helmets and Safety

This is not a race. All traffic laws must be obeyed. An ANSI or ASTM approved helmet must be worn while riding. Headphones are not only illegal, but extremely dangerous.

Camping

Camping is available at the Caloosahatchee Regional Park. Reservations are required, and can be made at <http://www.LeeParks.org>.

Lodging

Lodging is available in LaBelle. Information on motels can be found at http://www.visithendrycounty.com/where_to_stay.htm

Information

For more information, please call 239-278-7070 (Lee County Environmental Laboratory) and ask for Keith, or e-mail at: RiverRide@Caloosahatchee.org

The Goals and Objectives of Riverwatch are:

- To strive to improve the River from its source to its mouth, including its impacts on riparian and estuarine systems, wildlife habitat, and marine life.
- To promote public education concerning the historical significance, present condition, and future of the River and its watershed.
- To increase public awareness of the importance of the River to our quality of life.
- To study the effect of domestic, commercial, and agricultural uses of the River's resources.
- To monitor and work to improve the River's water quality, quantity, and flow characteristics.
- To observe and participate in the activities of public bodies responsible for the management of the River and its watershed.



Registration Form

One person per form.
Please print legibly or use address label.
Photocopy as needed, trim to size.
All riders must sign a
Waiver / Assumption of Risk at registration.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State & Zip _____

Day Phone _____

Evening Phone _____

Emergency Contact _____

Emergency Phone _____

Email _____

Ride in miles ____ 15 ____ 30 ____ 40 ____ 62

T- Shirt Size ____ S ____ M ____ L ____ XL

Adults \$25.00 _____

Children under 16 \$10.00 _____

Late Fee (After 11-09) \$ 5.00 _____

CRCA Individual Membership \$10.00 _____

Total _____

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