PELOTONIA°

Event Handbook

Ride Weekend



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WHAT SHOULD I DO TO PREPARE FOR RIDE WEEKEND?

Review the Safety & Training Handbook — Ride Weekend is a Rules of the Road ride on open roadways, so be sure you're ready to ride safely!	RIDE WEEKEND ESSENTIALS WEAR OR KEEP THESE THINGS WITH YOU! Helmet
Train – There are lots of great resources available at <u>pelotonia.org/training</u>	Tuned-up bike with hand pump or at least two CO2 cartridges and nozzle
Properly hydrate and fuel – Guidance is available in the Safety & Training Handbook. Start fueling in the days leading up to your Ride.	Saddle bag with tire levers, patch kit, spare tubes, and a cycling multi-tool
Download the Pelotonia Tracker app – If you plan to use Pelotonia bike transportation	Cycling shoes, cycling shorts and/or tights, cycling shirt or jersey, socks, gloves
you'll need the app to track your bike, and have friends and family download the app to track your progress on Ride Weekend!	☐ Water bottle ☐ Sunglasses
Pack your Ride Weekend bag – Each Rider can drop off a bag at the start to be transported to their finish venue. Be sure nothing is hanging	☐ Sunscreen
off your bag and attach the tag you receive with your credential packet.	Cell phone and charger. Portable external battery chargers are always a good idea, too!
Nursing parent support – If you are a nursing parent and would like to use the pump transportation service, please fill out the survey	☐ Identification
linked <u>here</u> so we can plan for your needs.	☐ Prescription medications ☐ Keys
OVERNIGHT RIDER PACKING LIST ITEMS YOU'LL NEED IF YOU'RE STAYING OVERNIGHT AT KENYON COLLEGE	
Sleeping clothes, pillow, sleeping bag and/or bed linens	RIDER PACKING LIST FINISH LINE ESSENTIALS YOU MAY WANT TRANSPORTED FROM YOUR START
Rain gear and trash bag(s) to protect dry clothing in case of rain	☐ Casual clothes and shoes to change into ☐ Shower supplies and towel
Sweatshirt or fleece	
Shower supplies and towels	

OPENING CEREMONY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 2025

McFerson Commons and North Bank

→ 11:30am-8:00pm Rider Check-in and Gift Distribution First Aid Services Bike Storage and Maintenance Bag Drop-Off → 4:00pm-8:00pm Dinner Buffet Expo Beverages → 6:30pm

Onening

Opening Ceremony Program

→ 7pm

Headliner Performance by O.A.R.

PARKING FOR OPENING CEREMONY

There are several events happening in the Arena District on Friday night, and all participants and guests should park in the Marconi or Front Street Garages accessible from the east. You can easily access these parking areas by traveling south on 3rd Street or north on 4th Street, turning west on Spring Street, then north on Front Street. Please be patient and plan to allow extra time for traffic and parking!

Use the parking pass linked **HERE** to access free parking in the noted Arena District garages by scanning the QR code upon entry and exit to these garages. If you choose to park in a different lot or garage, you are responsible for all necessary payment and adhering to all restrictions.

Please note: Most parking garage entrances do not have the vertical clearance to accommodate bicycles mounted on roof racks, so please plan accordingly.

TICKETS FOR OPENING CEREMONY

All Riders are invited to bring one free guest to Pelotonia's Opening Ceremony. The Rider wristband that is included in the credential sheet will serve as admission to Opening Ceremony and a guest wristband will be included as well.

OPENING CEREMONY TO-DO LIST

Pick up your Rider credential.* Even if you can't stay for all of Opening Ceremony, you should swing by and pick this up so you're ready for your Ride!)
Pick up your Rider gift. Exchange the tag on your Rider credential sheet for this year's Rider-exclusive gift. (NOTE: size exchanges can't be done on-site to accommodate all Riders, but email pelotonia@pelotonia.org to request a size exchange post-ride.)
Enjoy amazing food from AVI!
Grab a drink. Be sure to bring your ID if you want to enjoy an adult beverage.
Get your bike tuned up by mechanics.
Add your loved ones to the "I Ride For" wall, located near the OSUCCC – James tent.
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Take a peloton photo. Check with your captains to see when your team is meeting between 4-6p, and join us for special group photos at the below times: - 6:05pm: High Rollers - 6:10pm: 10X & 15X Participants - 6:15pm: Survivors
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*Note: If you are unable to attend Opening Ceremony, a Rider check-in area will be available at all starts. If you must take advantage of late Rider check-in, please arrive at least one hour prior to your scheduled start time.

A RIDE. A WEEKEND. TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE. TO MAKE AN IMPACT.



When an organization has a vision to look out for others and make the world a better place, extraordinary things can happen. At Huntington, we are proud to ride alongside Pelotonia in its mission to fund innovative research with the goal of Ending Cancer.

Together, we're not just dreaming of a cancer-free future—we're actively working to make it a reality. We'll see you the first weekend in August.



OPENING CEREMONY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 2025



FIRST AID ASSISTANCE

If you need first aid assistance, Volunteers will be available at Opening Ceremony. Please note that First Aid Volunteers will not be dispensing supplies or medications prior to the Ride, unless there is an emergency at which time appropriate EMT support will be contacted to assist.

NURSING PARENTS

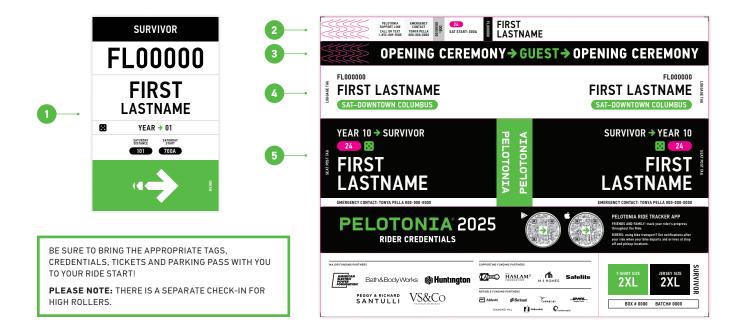
A private tent with power, fans, snacks and drinks will be available for nursing parents at Opening Ceremony. This space is available for all Riders, Volunteers, and guests, and no pre-registration is needed for access.

Please visit <u>pelotonia.org/ride-weekend/nursing-parents</u> for all the details about accommodations available for nursing parents throughout Ride Weekend.

RIDER CREDENTIALS

RIDER CHECK-IN

On Friday morning, each Rider will receive a text from Pelotonia that can be shown to the Rider Check-In Volunteers along with a driver's license or other photo ID to receive their Rider Credentials, which include:



- Bike Plate: Riders should securely fasten the bike plate to the front of their handlebars using the provided zip ties before arriving to Ride starts on Saturday and/or Sunday. This piece must be attached properly to your bike throughout Ride Weekend to allow the RFID tag to be read for your finish line photos and to allow family and friends to track you along your Ride.
- Rider ID Wristband: The Rider ID bracelet allows all Riders to enjoy the amenities at Opening Ceremony and throughout the weekend. Please wear your wristband starting on Friday and DO NOT take it off until you leave Pelotonia weekend for the last time. NO ONE will be permitted to ride on Saturday or Sunday without a Rider ID wristband.
- Opening Ceremony Guest Wristband: This piece will serve as your guest ticket for Opening Ceremony, and can be provided to your guest for complimentary admission.
- Luggage Tag: Riders should securely fasten this tag to their bag before handing off to Pelotonia Volunteers. Please note that it will not be possible for Pelotonia to deliver any bags that are not properly tagged to the appropriate finish line areas. Any unidentified or unclaimed bags will be taken to Pelotonia HQ to be claimed after the event.
- **Seat Post Tag:** Riders should attach this piece to the seat post of their bike by wrapping it around and using the included adhesive strip. This allows Riders to identify each other along the route.

















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RIDER SCHEDULES

DAY ONE → SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 2025

McFerson Commons / Arena District Start

240 W. Nationwide Blvd., Columbus, OH 43215

24-Mile Start / 50-Mile Start / 100-Mile Start

→ 5:30am

McFerson Commons start venue opens to provide: First Aid Services, Bike Maintenance, Bag Drop-Off, Breakfast

→ 6:30am

New Albany Schools start venue opens to provide: First Aid Services, Bike Maintenance, Bag Drop-Off, Breakfast

- → 15 Minutes before scheduled start Riders will be moved into the Holding Area, where they'll line up to enter the chute
- → 7:00am-8:45am

Ride starts by distance

7:00am & 7:15am: 100-Mile Riders

7:30am, 7:45am & 8:00am: 50-Mile Riders 8:15am. 8:30am & 8:45am: 24-Mile Riders

→ 7:00am-10:30am

Morrison Road Rest Stop (24-, 50- and 100-Mile Riders)

→ 8:00am

63-Mile Start at New Albany Schools

→ 7:45am-11:00am

Licking Heights Rest Stop (50- and 100-Mile Riders)

New Albany Schools

6600 E. Dublin Granville Rd., New Albany, OH 43054

63-Mile Start

→ 8:00am-12:00pm

Kirkersville Elementary Rest Stop (100-Mile Riders)

→ 8:30am-12:30pm

Church of Christ at Alexandria Rest Stop (50-Mile Riders)

→ 8:30am-2:00pm

Granville Elementary Rest Stop (63- and 100-Mile Riders) Lunch Provided

→ 9:00am-2:00pm

24-mile Finish at New Albany Schools

→ 9:00am-4:00pm

Licking Valley Elementary Rest Stop (63- and 100-Mile Riders)

→ 10:00am-5:30pm

Bladensburg Community Center Rest Stop (63- and 100-Mile Riders)

→ 9:00am-3:00pm

50-mile Finish at Abercrombie & Fitch Co.

→ 10:30am-7:00pm

63- & 100-mile Finish at Kenyon College

→ 6:00nm

Bike Corral at New Albany Schools Closes

→ 8:30pm

Bike Corral at McFerson Commons Closes

RIDER SCHEDULES DAY TWO → SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2025

New Albany Schools

6600 E. Dublin Granville Rd., New Albany, OH 43054

30-Mile Loop

→ 7:30am

Start Venue open to provide: First Aid Services, Bike Maintenance, Bag Drop-Off, Breakfast

→ 8:45am

30-Mile Riders begin to stage

→ 9:00am

30-Mile Riders depart

→ 9:00am-10:30am

Souders Elementary Rest Stop

→ 9:45am-3:30pm

Bevelhymer Park Rest Stop

→ 10:00am-5:00pm

30- & 90-Mile Finish at New Albany Schools



Kenyon College

221 Duff St., Gambier, OH 43022

90-Mile Return

→ 5:30am

Kenyon's Lowry Center open to provide: First Aid Services, Bike Maintenance, Bag Drop-Off, Breakfast

→ 6:45am

90-Mile Riders begin to stage

→ 7:00am

90-Mile Riders depart

→ 7:30am-9:00am

FC Bank Fredericktown Rest Stop

→ 8:30am-11:00am

Cardington Elementary School Rest Stop

→ 11:30am

Bike Corral at McFerson Commons Opens for Bike Pick-Up

→ 9:00am-1pm

Highland High School Rest Stop **Lunch Provided**

→ 9:30am-2:30pm

Hartford Square Rest Stop

→ 9:45am-3:30pm

Bevelhymer Park Rest Stop

→ 10:00am-5:00pm

30- & 90-Mile Finish at New Albany Schools

→ 5:30pm

Bike Corral at McFerson Commons Closes

*All remaining bikes at this time will be loaded and taken to Pelotonia's warehouse for pick-up following Ride Weekend.

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Every year we band together to rally around a single goal: ending cancer. Since our first ride, Team Safelite has donated \$1.6 M, pedaled 21,046 miles and helped fuel a decade of people-powered progress. Every year we get closer to a cure. Until then, we'll see you on the road.







RIDER PARKING ON RIDE DAYS

Riders may park at start locations for the duration of their participation in Pelotonia Ride Weekend, including overnight for two-day Riders. Free surface lot parking will be available at New Albany Schools.

For Riders starting at McFerson Commons, use the parking pass linked <u>HERE</u> to access free parking in the noted Arena District garages by scanning the QR code upon entry and exit to these garages. If you choose to park in a different lot or garage, you are responsible for all necessary payment and adhering to all restrictions.





START TIMES & STAGING

At McFerson Commons, all Riders will be staged in designated starting groups with bike tags showing a distinct color which corresponds to each Rider's pre-assigned start time. Staging groups are determined by ride distance and Peloton affiliation with the Riders going the furthest being the first released. Please note that Pelotonia will not be able to accommodate the movement of Riders between start waves.

At all locations, Riders will be allowed to enter Holding Area 1 30 minutes prior to their start time, and Holding Area 2 15 minutes prior to their start time. Please be patient while you wait for your time to load into the chute! For starts at New Albany Schools and Kenyon College, smaller numbers allow all Riders to start together in a single staging group. Routes can be crowded due to the large number of participants. Please be sure to adhere to all Rules of the Road, and ride no more than two across once you have exited the chute and are riding on public roadways, which is Ohio law. Remember that Pelotonia is a ride, not a race, so remain patient as the initial group gets started and spreads out!

McFerson Commons in the Arena District Staging



Arrows in the maps indicate chute entry points. No Riders are allowed to stage, congregate or start the ride in areas not designated by Pelotonia. If you stage, congregate or start the ride in areas not designated by Pelotonia, you do so at your own risk.

MCFERSON COMMONS: SATURDAY



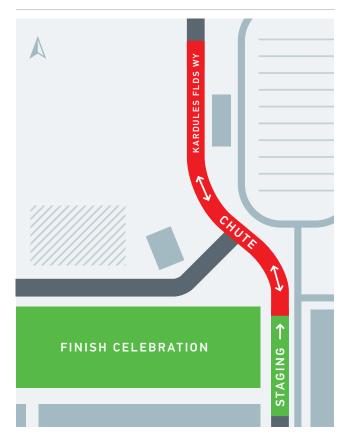
NEW ALBANY SCHOOLS: SATURDAY







New Albany Schools Staging



FIRST AID ASSISTANCE

First aid Volunteers will be at each Pelotonia venue and support vehicles will patrol the route to provide basic first aid only. Any situation requiring greater attention will be treated at the nearest medical facility via ambulance. While riding, please carry all of your prescription medications and your health insurance card in your jersey or bike bag. The first aid staff will not have I.V. solutions or prescription medications. If you are in need of medical assistance while on the route, please call the Pelotonia Command Center at 1-855-889-RIDE (7433). In the case of an emergency, please call 911 first then the Pelotonia Command Center so Pelotonia officials can track the incident and assist as necessary.

SIGNAGE

Pelotonia is a Rules of the Road ride. Please pay careful attention to Pelotonia signage along the route for directions and warnings of any specific areas where Riders should remain particularly cautious of oncoming traffic and road conditions and to any signage at the rest stops, which will warn of dangerous heat indexes or other weather conditions.

SUPPORT VEHICLES/VOLUNTEERS

There will be support vehicles patrolling the route with First Aid and mechanical Volunteers. Motorcycle support will also be stationed along the route to assist Riders as needed. Pelotonia arranges for a significant amount of on-route support, so we ask that you refrain from personal support vehicles from following you on the ride, as this can create safety concerns with added vehicular traffic on the route.

REST STOPS

There will be rest stops along the route approximately every 10-24 miles. Food and drinks, mechanical support, and first aid assistance will be available at every rest stop. Lunch rest stops with heavier food options will be available for 63-mile and 100-mile Saturday Riders and 90-mile Sunday Riders.

Please note that rest stops, including lunch rest stops, do not have the ability to accommodate guests, so friends and family should not try to access any of these locations.

ROUTE CLOSURE

All Pelotonia routes will close at 6pm on Saturday and at 4pm on Sunday to ensure the safety of all participants. Pelotonia may choose to advance Riders via shuttles and/ or SAG vehicles if they are not on pace to reach their designated finish by the route closure time or in the event of inclement weather.

HELP LINE

If you need assistance for any reason during the ride and you cannot locate a Pelotonia Volunteer, please call or text 1-855-889-RIDE (7433).

STOPPING BEFORE YOUR CHOSEN FINISH

If you need to stop before reaching your finish, you should contact the nearest Pelotonia Volunteer, support vehicle, or call 1-855-889-RIDE (7433). In this situation, please be patient as we make arrangements to transport you, your bike, and any other belongings to the appropriate location.

RIDING FARTHER THAN YOUR CHOSEN FINISH

If you wish to ride farther than your chosen finish area, you should contact the nearest Pelotonia Volunteer to indicate your intentions. Please remember that the fundraising commitment irrevocably increases if riding farther than the finish area for which you initially registered.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Weather is unpredictable and rain is a very real possibility. Barring severe weather emergencies, Pelotonia continues rain or shine, and Riders should be prepared for forecasted temperatures, wind, and precipitation conditions.

Weather related announcements may need to be issued after the start of the Ride. Color-coded flags will be used to communicate the status of weather conditions. These flags will be displayed on SAG (Support and Gear) vehicles and at rest stop/finish areas as follows:

GREEN FLAG—SAFE TO PROCEED

Fair weather through light/moderate rain.

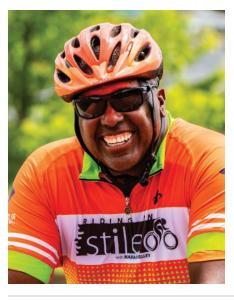
YELLOW FLAG—PROCEED WITH CAUTION

Excessive heat, moderate to strong winds, heavy rain or other precipitation is creating potentially hazardous situations on the route.

RED FLAG—DO NOT PROCEED

Severe weather warnings have been issued by the National Weather Service or severe precipitation is creating hazardous conditions or flooding on the route. Proceeding along the route is considered unsafe at this time. Riders who proceed do so at their own risk.

Pelotonia reserves the right to postpone the ride start, reduce the ride length, restrict ride options, or cancel the ride to ensure the safety of its participants. We will do everything within our capabilities to communicate cancellation, postponement, or alteration of the event to Riders as quickly as possible. In all cases, Riders are responsible for their own safety and should use their best judgment in deciding whether or not to continue if severe weather conditions exist.







FINISH LINE CELEBRATIONS

GUESTS AT FINISH LINE CELEBRATIONS

Friends and family are invited to join the celebration and cheer on Riders at every finish line! Follow signage and parking attendant direction to access guest parking and enjoy food, drinks, and a dedicated Spectator Experience area. Visit **pelotonia.org/cheer** for everything your guests need to know about supporting you throughout Ride Weekend!

BIKE TRUCKS AND RIDER SHUTTLES

If you are taking a shuttle back to McFerson Commons or New Albany Schools, you should immediately take your bike to the designated bike trucks upon arrival at your finish area. Volunteers will help load the bikes onto the trucks safely and securely. If you are concerned about transporting your bike, you may want to apply bubble wrap to your bike before it is loaded. Please note that all bike trucks and Rider shuttles must be filled completely before departing, so some delays may occur.

To track a bicycle that is being transported, Riders should download the Pelotonia Tracker app using the QR codes below, select "Bike Transportation", search for their name, then click on their name in the search results. This will add that Rider's bike tracking onto the main screen of the app to view transport progress and give the option to subscribe to push notifications. The participant will be notified when their bike is loaded for transport and when it arrives at its destination.

If you have questions about bike transportation during Ride Weekend, please view the "Info" tab within the "Bike Transportation" event of the app for contact information and assistance.

Buses will return Riders from their finish venue to their cars at start venues. If you must leave your finish by a specific time, have someone meet you to transport you and your bike back. Please note that bikes will NOT be permitted onto Rider shuttles due to space constraints.

"Pelotonia Tracker" app download





SHOWERS

Shower trailers will be available at New Albany Schools & Abercrombie & Fitch Co., and locker rooms will be available at Kenyon College. At Kenyon, two-day Riders should use showers in their dorm rooms to help alleviate high traffic in the Lowry Center locker rooms.



FINISH LINE CELEBRATIONS

NURSING PARENTS

Private areas with power, fans, snacks and drinks will be available for nursing parents at all finish venues. These spaces are available for all Riders, Volunteers, and guests, and no pre-registration is needed for access. Please see onsite site maps or Volunteers for exact location of these areas at each venue. Additionally, Pelotonia offers transportation of pumps from start to finish locations for any Rider who may need this assistance.

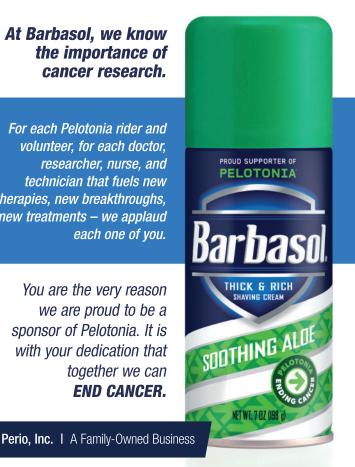
- > Pumps will be transported from the First Aid station at the start line to the First Aid station at the finish line.
- Pumps will be tagged with name, cell #, and route. They will also be tagged with an Apple AirTag and monitored by Pelotonia staff to ensure accurate delivery.
- → If you would like to use the equipment transportation service, advance registration is required. Please fill out the survey linked **HERE** in advance of Ride Weekend.

Please visit pelotonia.org/ride-weekend/nursing-parents for all the details about accommodations available for nursing parents throughout Ride Weekend.

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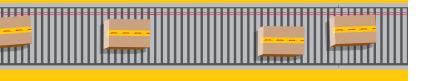
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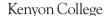




























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