Carol's Newgate-to-the-Lake Ride

Total Distance: **30.2 miles** Elevation Gain: **1162 feet**

Degree of Difficulty Index: 1162 ft / 30.2 mi = 38.48 ft/mi

Terrain: Rolling

Killer Hills: None

Geographical Region: North Central Connecticut

City/Town: Simsbury

Starting Location: International Skating Center of Connecticut, 1375 Hopmeadow Street (Routes 10 & 202) near the Wagner car dealership in northern Simsbury

Ride Description: This ride travels over mostly rolling terrain through sections of Simsbury, Granby, East Granby, Suffield and Southwick, Massachusetts. It features a visit to Old Newgate Prison and a pretty lunch/snack stop overlooking Congamond Lakes. Other points of interest include the McLean Game Refuge, an abandoned stone quarry and lots of varied farmlands

Facilities and *Points of Interest*:

Mile	Facilities - Points of Interest
0.0	International Skating Center of Connecticut, bathrooms, water, snack bar, skaters
0.4	Convenience store on right
4.4	Super Stop & Shop
4.9	Imperial Nurseries
9.5	Old Newgate Prison (views); bathrooms and water available if visitor center is open
10.5	Golf course
13.9	Convenience store @ Ebb's Corner
15.6	Park overlooking Congamond Lakes; suggested lunch/snack stop @ pavilion; bathrooms
17.0	Edgewood Country Club
19.0	Views of Congamond Lakes
21.4	Views of abandoned quarry straight ahead
25.5	Salmon Brook overlook on right just before crossing Route 20
28.9	Simsbury Tri-Town Airport on left
30.2	International Skating Center of Connecticut, bathrooms, water, snack bar, skaters

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