

## **Moodus Tour de Lakes Ride (Sonya's version)**

Total Distance: **33.2 miles**

Elevation Gain: **2447 feet**

Degree of Difficulty Index: **2447 ft / 33.2 mi. = 73.70 ft/mi.**

Terrain: **Very Hilly**

Killer Hills: **Several hilly sections**

Geographical Region: **South Central Connecticut**

City/Town: **Chester**

Starting Location: **Rt. 9 Exit 8 CPL (Rt. 148) in Chester**

**Ride Description: This ride is over mostly rolling terrain (with a couple hilly sections) and travels up into Moodus via the East Haddam swing-bridge and features stops at Johnsonville Village, views of Bashan Lake, a visit to Chapman Falls at Devil's Hopyard State Park and a re-crossing of the Connecticut River via the ferry before returning to the CPL.**

Facilities and *Points of Interest*:

<b>Mile</b>	<b>Facilities - <i>Points of Interest</i></b>
1.4	Chester village with various curio shops
5.2	Tylerville: Convenience store; Subway
5.8	<i>Cross the Connecticut River via the East Haddam swing-bridge (views)</i>
6.0	<i>Goodspeed Opera House and the Gelston House</i>
9.3	<i>Johnsonville Village (views)</i>
10.4	Convenience store on right
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10.8	Nathan Hale shopping center (various shops)
15.2	<i>Occasional views of Bashan Lake</i>
19.9	<i>Millington Green on the right</i>
21.5	<i>Chapman Falls (Devil's Hopyard State Park)</i>
28.7	Convenience store on right at corner
30.3	<i>Cross the Connecticut River via the Hadlyme-Chester Ferry (\$1.00)</i>
31.8	Chester village w/ various curio shops; ice cream parlor

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