

Farms, Estates and River Ride

NOTE: This Ride Description and its corresponding Route Sheet may not have been checked for accuracy by the www.ctbikeroutes.org team

Total Distance: **38.3 miles**

Elevation Gain: **1433 feet**

Degree of Difficulty Index: **1433 ft / 38.3 mi = 37.4 ft/mi**

Terrain: **Flat to Rolling**

Killer Hills: **@ 7.0% Pease Road, steepest climb on ride; not a killer**

Geographical Region: **North Central CT**

Starting Location: **East Windsor High School, East Windsor, CT**

Starting Location Directions: **From the South, take Rte 5 North from S. Windsor, approx. 2 miles after the E. Windsor town line; High School is on the left. From the North at the I-91 Exit 44 off ramp, take Rte 5 South approx 1 mile; High School is on right opposite Tromley Rd. During the School year parking may not be available during School hours at the High School so you may have to find an alternate parking area.**

Ride Description: **Rolling farmland of the CT River Valley; passes many farms and estates on Hall Hill Road and finishes with a ride alongside the CT River.**

Facilities and *Points of Interest*:

Mile	Facilities - <i>Points of Interest</i>
<i>5.9</i>	<i>Large dairy farm</i>
<i>11.1</i>	<i>Center of Somers</i>
<i>19.6</i>	<i>Estate homes along Hall Hill with view of Tolland Hills in background</i>
<i>23.8</i>	<i>Horse Farms & Estates</i>
<i>30.7</i>	<i>CT River up close</i>

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Ride description: Wu-New218

Route sheet: RS-New218

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