

Bicycle Tours of Atlanta

Fact Sheet

EQUIPMENT

Bicycle Tours of Atlanta (BTA) provides water bottles, helmets and high quality, well maintained hybrid bikes for customized bike tour events. Our bikes can be transported to a designated location where guest cyclists can be properly fitted with bikes and helmets. Before every tour, group riding protocol and rules of the road are reviewed.



TOURS

Tours are customized to meet the specific interest and fitness level of your group.

Please see our "tours page" for the description of our established routes, but feel free to let your imagination run **wild** when considering a bike tour for an event!

TOUR GUIDES

All of our tour guides have completed extensive Bicycle Safety training through the American League of Bicyclists. They are also members of the Atlanta Bicycle Campaign, CPR Certified and have completed our "history buff" training course. Each tour guide brings their unique personality to the event and will be sure to educate and entertain your clients with their wit, charm and amazing knowledge.

TOUR GUIDES REQUIRED PER TOUR

A minimum of two tour guides are required for group rides from 6 to 20 cycling guests. In most cases, a third support rider is recommended.



LARGE GROUPS

We can accommodate groups larger than 20, but a "pack" of cyclists will typically be limited to 20 riders unless the route is especially bicycle friendly. The routing of the tour and the number of guest cyclists directly impact the other. With groups larger than 20, we simply divide the group and keep the groups far enough apart to prevent congested traffic conditions.



BIKE RIDING SKILLS AND FITNESS LEVEL OF PARTICIPANTS

We do not recommend beginner cyclists participate in group bicycle tours. For those who haven't ridden in years, NO PROBLEM! It's true, riding a bike is very hard to forget! However bicycle technology has changed through the years and we provide a few minutes of practice time before the tour leaves to adjust to the latest braking and gearing systems on today's bicycles.

Our tours are not intended to be races and are leisurely by design. However, because the tour adopts the pace of the slowest cyclist, we recommend additional guides accompany a group if there is a wide range of ages and fitness levels. Atlanta is known for its rolling terrain and can present some challenges to people who lead a completely sedentary lifestyle. The easiest way to accommodate this potential challenge is to have a tour guide that is prepared to take the slower riders on a slightly different scenic ride.

SAFETY MEASURES

We are dedicated to your client's safety and consider many factors when we plan your event. Roadway conditions, traffic patterns, fitness level of cyclist, equipment maintenance and the weather ~ these variables are part of our considerations when we plan the route for an event.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Tours may be cancelled due to severe weather conditions. However, tours may run when metro Atlanta is experiencing scattered inclement weather. Severe weather conditions must directly impact the scheduled route for BTA to cancel the event. Clients may reschedule the event if BTA cancels a tour due to severe weather conditions.

FEES

Fees are based on size of group, number of tour guides required, time and duration of event, departing location and other customizing factors. We'll be happy to prepare a quote for your review once we know the parameters of your event.

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