



Lifecycles Louisiana Newsletter #2 – June 2022

Lifecycles Louisiana officially launched on Saturday, May 21 at 11:00 at the Abita Springs Trailhead. Since then, we have had rides every Saturday through the end of June. So far, we have had five teens attend our rides and both they and their parents have expressed an appreciation for this ministry and have had a great time participating in our rides. Josiah (age 13) has been our most consistent rider – he's been at every ride and his dad even joined us for one of them. Josiah has racked up 34 miles on the bike so far and he is getting very comfortable and building endurance on the bike. Mark (age 16) has been with us even before we launched and is our most enthusiastic teen supporter. AJ, Ethan, and Jamie (all age 12) are our newest riders and they all come from single-parent homes – I am especially thankful that they are able to participate with us.

On the next page I have provided some more detailed information on our program and at the bottom of the page is a link to our website. Thank you to the many folks (too numerous to list) who have supported and encouraged us during the past year and have enabled us to launch this new ministry in our area. Please consider donating to our program so that we can mentor more teenage boys. There are 2 ways to do that:

Mail a tax-deductible check to: Lifecycle Louisiana, 205 Whitman LN, Mandeville, LA 70448 or

Follow this link to our secure donation page: <https://www.lifecyclesla.com/get-involved>

Thank you,

Doug Connor, Director

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BUILDING YOUNG MEN OF CHARACTER

Lifecycles is a ministry to mentor teenage boys by challenging them to participate in endurance cycling events. We have a team of committed volunteer mentors and a comprehensive curriculum that will challenge boys to become the men that God created them to be. We provide bikes, helmets, and all the equipment necessary completely free of charge so boys can participate with us regardless of their situation. Each time we meet we do a training ride, provide a meal, and do some kind of teaching to encourage our young men to grow in every area of their lives – Physically, Mentally, and Spiritually. **Below are some photos of our recent rides.**

