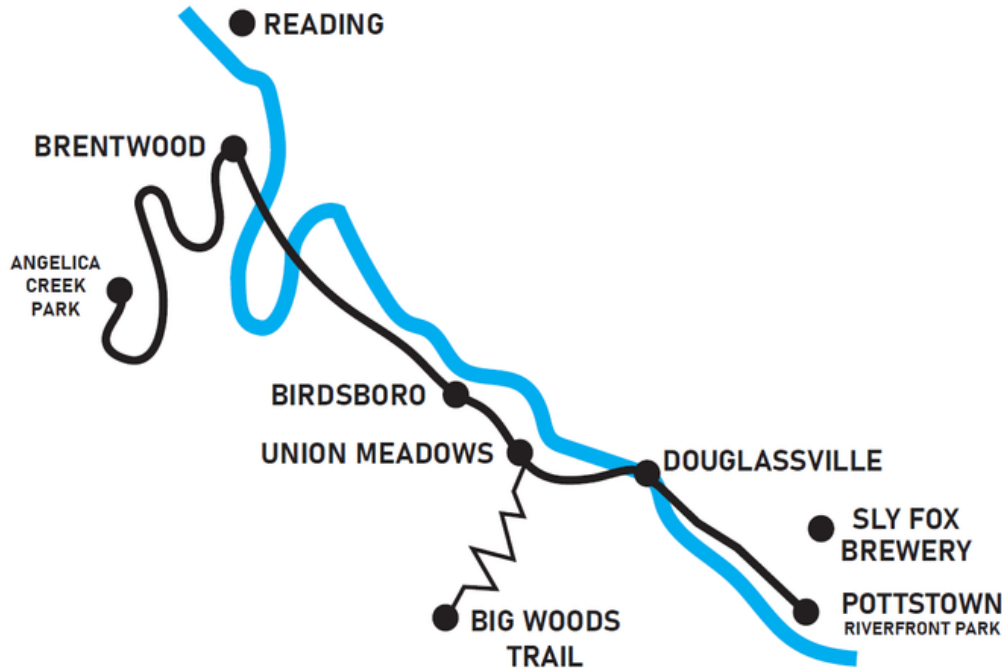


# SCHUYLKILL RIVER GREENWAYS

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**Thank you for participating and supporting our mission.**

We connect residents, visitors and communities to the *Schuylkill River* and the *Schuylkill River Trail* by serving as a catalyst for civic engagement and economic development in order to foster stewardship of the watershed and its heritage.

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# RIDE FOR THE RIVER

**4 mile ride: Pottstown to Old Reading Pike**  
**16 mile ride: Pottstown to Union Meadows**  
**35 mile ride: Pottstown to Berks Nature**

**September 24, 2022**  
**Thank You to Our Sponsors**

**FOR EMERGENCIES CALL 911  
FOR RIDE SUPPORT CALL (215) 740-4893  
RIDE SUPPORT ENDS AT 2:30PM**

Please remember these trail etiquette rules when using the Schuylkill River Trail.

- Wear a helmet
- Watch your speed - cyclists should pass on the left
- Announce your approach to other trail users
- Follow the rules of the road
- No littering
- Be courteous to other trail users and trail neighbors

**Special parking for the Can Jam music festival at Pottstown Sly Fox. Show wrist band for Ride for the River VIP parking.**

Visit Pottstown Sly Fox to **redeem your meal and drink tickets** and attend the festival

**Festival  
Parking at 331  
Circle of  
Progress Drive  
Pottstown, PA  
19464**



Sly Fox Brewing Company donates funds toward the Safe Crossings Program. The program adds signs and improves road markings at intersections where the Schuylkill River Trail crosses major roadways.

0.00 Depart at SRT Mural

0.56 **Caution** – cross Manatawny Creek and enter Keystone Trailhead parking lot – sharp turns

0.70 Pass between bollards and under RT 100 overpass

**2.15 Arrive Old Reading Pike – 4 mile Ride Turnaround**

2.16 **Caution** Old Reading Pike crossing

2.36 **Caution** Grosstown Rd crossing

3.19 Cross Squirrel Hollow Rd

4.44 *Morlatton Village*

4.70 bridge across Schuylkill River

6.73 Whittaker Bridge across 724

7.39 Schuylkill Highlands (Big Woods) Trail Challenge on left- **NO RIDE SUPPORT**

7.47 **CAUTION** cross 724

**7.59 Arrive Union Meadows rest facility – 16 mile Ride Turnaround**

7.59 Depart Union Township rest facility; continue SRT West

7.87 SRT West turns Left; cross canal bridge, climb hill, and SRT bends Right

8.63 Descend Right; **caution** for loose gravel, oncoming riders, and blind curves

8.86 begin paved SRT behind ballfield, then gentle Left on unlabeled Armorcast Rd.

9.15 **Caution** – stop sign at 724/345. Turn Right and immediate Left at traffic light onto 724W

9.35 Use sidewalk to shoulder, Right onto Schuylkill Road

11.30 *unrestored canal aqueduct on left*

11.39 stop sign. **Caution HIGH SPEED CARS** Cross 724, cross RR tracks, immediate Right onto Old River Rd

12.66 **Caution** Do not cross RR tracks. Slight right and immediate Left onto gravel SRT West.

13.66 stop sign. Bad angle crossing of low density paved road

14.46 **Caution** – stop sign. Cross 724. High speed cars with poor sight lines.

14.80 stop sign. Cross Angstadt Rd, arrive Marshall Trailhead (watch for large truck traffic)

15.45 **Caution** – bend left, descend, sharp right, poor sight lines two bridges over Schuylkill River

16.67 arrive Brentwood Trailhead parking lot; turn Right and follow directions of road guards

16.83 Right on gravel Angelica Creek Trail connector. **Follow directions of road guards**, sharp switch backs

17.29 **DISMOUNT** Steep ascent on loose gravel

**17.42 Arrive at Berks Nature – 35 mile Ride Turnaround**