

# Beautiful fall weather greets bicyclists

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Warm in the sun, cool in the shade, surrounded by trees just beginning to don their fall colors — it's a beautiful day for a bike ride.

The 41st annual Mora Bike Tour took place Saturday, Sept. 18, and drew 151 bicyclists to country roads. As usual, this event is a tour, not a race, therefore the event is not timed and there is no mass start.

The Mora Bike Tour is part of the Mora Classic Series which includes the Mora Half Marathon and 5K, Snake River Canoe Race and Vasaloppet. For more information visit [vasaloppet.us](http://vasaloppet.us).



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The Mora Bike Tour route is suitable for serious cyclists or casual riders.



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Pictured (l-r) Anya, Nora and Melissa Herzog sit at the end of their driveway with their dog to encourage the passing bicyclists. Melissa said she and the girls enjoy looking for people they know among the participants.

# Fly-in enjoyed by young and young at heart

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A 1996 Piel CP-32S Super Emeraude registered to Milton Gunderson of Mora is pictured shortly after an early morning takeoff Saturday.

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Khole Rothwell and Jace Rothwell, from Otsego, watch as brother, Titus Rothwell, plays with a toy airplane during Saturday's annual fly-in. The trio were fascinated by the aircraft in the background, a 1992 Vans RV-4 registered to Myron Bishman of Princeton.

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A 1974 Piper PA-28-180 Cherokee registered to Timothy Nystrom of Foreston makes a taxiway turn at Saturday's fly-in at Mora Municipal Airport.

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Lee Goldsmith American Legion Post 201 member and Korean War veteran Walton Olen spiffs up his vintage 1952 M170 Willys Jeep Ambulance before the start of Saturday's fly-in.

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