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## **2016 Surf City AIDS Ride to benefit Santa Cruz AIDS Project Sunday, October 9th**



**SANTA CRUZ, CA - The Surf City AIDS Ride is taking place again this year on Sunday, October 9, 2016.** This charity bike ride is designed as a community event to support the Santa Cruz AIDS Project (SCAP).

Surf City AIDS Ride courses give riders fragrant strawberry fields, sweeping country roads, and ocean views. Participants have the option to ride 12, 30, 65 or 100 miles. The cost is \$85 for the 100 mile or 65 mile routes, \$50 for the 30 mile route, and \$25 for the 12 mile route. Riders who fundraise at least \$300 receive a limited edition T-shirt and riders who fundraiser at least \$500 receive a limited edition jersey.

**The ride begins at the Santa Cruz County Courthouse, 701 Ocean St.,** by San Lorenzo Park. On the morning of the race, registration opens at 6:30am. The route opens at 7:00am for the 100 mile, 8:00am for the 60 mile, and 9:00am for both the 30 and 12 mile routes. Riders can look forward to a fully supported event with SAG vehicles and MOTO-safety. The 65 and 100 mile routes offer a catered lunch stop; all routes will have a variety of themed refreshment and rest stops along the way.

Surf City AIDS Ride information can be found on our website, [www.surfcityaidsride.org](http://www.surfcityaidsride.org). This bike ride highlights the local flavor of Santa Cruz.

The mission of The Santa Cruz AIDS Project is to promote and participate in a comprehensive and compassionate response to HIV/AIDS through education, advocacy, and supportive services. All services are free, confidential, and offered within a non-judgmental environment.

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