



Riders and Walkers at Columbus June 4, 2022 (raising \$4,552 for United Methodist Men's Missions)

Twenty people from Columbus, Nebraska biked or walked on June 4 for the twentieth annual UMMen's "Babcock or Bust" ride/walk raising \$4,552 for the Camp Fontanelle Capital Campaign (59%) Columbus FUMC Dwell/Secure Capital Campaign (30%), and Great Plains UMMen ministries (11%). Some, not pictured, walked or rode at other times or places.

Being the twentieth ride/walk, supporters from the past who have ridden, walked or donated were give special memorial honors.

The family-oriented ride/walk started at Columbus First United Methodist Church's Outreach Center with riders going north to Lake Babcock and walkers going south into Pawnee Park. In the first sixteen years, the annual ride-walk had been held on the Cowboy Trail going west from Norfolk.

Eighty-eight percent of the donations were from Columbus FUMC members, the rest being from other residents of Columbus and Papillion. Many thanks to these fifty-six donor families.

Thanks to all the participants and supporters. The people to be helped are thankful, and so is our God. This annual event has now raised \$128,000 since 2002 and has benefited thirty-six various mission causes in the conference, the nation, and around the world.

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