

SAVE THE DATE



ASHE Pittsburgh Scholarship Motorcycle Ride July 14, 2018.

Please join us for our first ever Motorcycle Ride benefitting the ASHE Pittsburgh scholarship fund. You do not have to be a member to join us for this ride. You ARE required to sign a waiver which will be included with the registration. No food or beverages are included other than coffee, donuts and water that will be provided at the morning meeting points.

Please see the summary on the sheets that follow depicting the route we will ride, the sights we will see and the places we will eat.

Please add this to your calendar. We look forward to seeing you for this event. Feel free to contact Chuck Nash at cnash@msconsultants.com with any questions.

As always RIDE SAFE!



THE ASHE RIVER RIDE TO THE FOXBURG INN AND FOXBURG WINE CELLARS

JULY 14, 2018



TO FOXBURG

Warrendale Park & Ride, Brush Creek Rd
2619 Wexford Bayne Rd, Sewickley, PA
11009 Babcock Blvd, Gibsonsia, PA 1504
4600-4650 Gibsonsia Rd, Gibsonsia, PA 15
2-16 Anchor Dr, Pittsburgh, PA 15238
6050-6098 Freeport Rd, Freeport, PA 16
378 Ford City Rd, Freeport, PA 16229
742 Hill St, Ford City, PA 16226
Sr1003, Templeton, PA 16259
Foxburg, Pennsylvania

Rally Point A
Warrendale Park & Ride
Departs 10:00 AM

Rally Point B
Harmar Target
Departs 10:45 AM

via I-79 S
2 h 27 min without traffic
89.0 miles

<https://goo.gl/maps/JxqDWvGftzJ2>

HOME FROM FOXBURG

Foxburg, Pennsylvania
110-142 N Beatty St, Parker, PA 16049
Henderson Station, Pennsylvania 16153
Hendersonville, Worth Township, PA 16
120 S Broad St, Grove City, PA 16127
Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania 16057
386-394 Old Rte 19, New Castle, PA 161
180 Fanker Rd, Harmony, PA 16037
Warrendale Bayne Rd, Baden, PA 15005
Add destination

via PA-58 W
2 h 13 min without traffic
84.7 miles

<https://goo.gl/maps/wJn6PoMR5cq>

This is an Allegheny River ride from Harmar to Foxburg. Sights along the way include:

Freeport: Great view of the Allegheny Valley on a descent down to the river.



Ford City: Great view of the river from the Ford City Bridge.



Kittanning: Bridge from the movie "The Mothman Prophecies".



Brady's Bend: The Brady's Bend Overlook (Rest Stop and photo).



Foxburg Inn Restaurant and Winery: Break for lunch and beverages. Watch the canoes, kayaks and tubes on the river.



Hendersonville: Past ASHE Pittsburgh President Sean Henderson's 9th great grandfather Robert, his wife and five adult sons settled Hendersonville in 1795 after immigrating here through Ireland from Delmany, Scotland. The original church and cemetery are still there, as is the original one room school house.

home farm or a further purchase. Each of the Henderson boys purchased and owned more than 150 acres each.

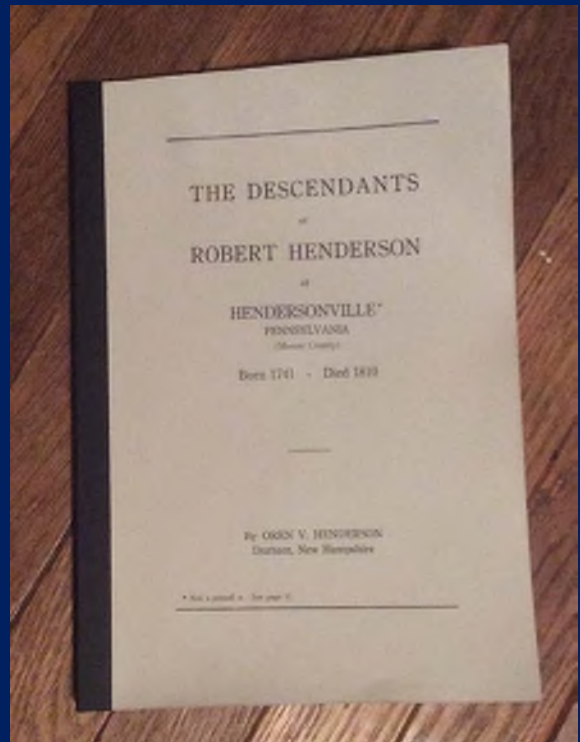
The history of Mercer County, published in 1888, gives the following account of the first settlement in Worth township:

"The first settlement effected in the township was that of the Hendersens. In the year 1795 five brothers, three of them named William, Archibald, and John, entered from the region lying near Pittsburg, and in accordance with the offer spoken of above, made settlements upon tracts of 150 acres each.

"After effecting a few improvements, blazing a few trees, and in other ways securing their claims, they returned to their former homes to pass the severe winter which was just setting in. In the following year, with their families they started on their journey to their new homes in Mercer County (to be). Their progress was slow and beset with many difficulties. The goods which they brought along, consisting of their provisions and necessary articles of household use—all articles not absolutely indispensable being left behind—were stowed away on the back of an old gray mare, the dilapidated saddle of which was for a long time preserved in the family as a memento of the tour. Mrs. William Henderson sat astride the animal, and it is related that while fording Slippery Rock Creek the party suddenly got in water beyond their depth, and in the struggle which ensued the horse, with all its burdens, capsize.

"The water flowed very rapidly, and it was by the merest accident that Mrs. Henderson, who was a large, stout woman, was saved. In the confusion a large pot hooked her under an arm and held her head above water until she was rescued. At length, however, after numerous annoyances and perils of which the one narrated is but a specimen, the new homes were reached. The brothers had not erected cabins as yet, and the party was forced to be without shelter, sleeping at night under the trees on beds made of leaves, until small dwellings could be improvised. William Henderson, probably the most prominent of the brothers, succeeded first in getting a roof over his family's heads. There was but one room in the shanty. In the course of a few weeks this was decorated with rough hewn seats, and a table made of a huge log, hewn flat on the upper surface. Around this the family congregated at meal time and enjoyed their repast, which was exceedingly frugal. Game abounded, and with his trusty rifle Mr. Henderson supplied the meat used at his table.

With them, they had brought a cow and a dog. The former was almost indispensable to their existence, as it used often to supply food for the family when all other resources failed. The canine, which was a large and powerful one, was in the habit of accompanying its master upon all his expeditions into the forest in search of game. Upon one of these occasions it saw a large animal slowly moving along in the distance, and without pausing to ascertain what kind of beast it was, the dog gave a bound and set upon it. The animal thus attacked proved to be an immense black bear, which no sooner beheld that its antagonist was a dog, than it immediately showed fight, and in a few moments had almost succeeded in killing it. When Henderson reached the scene he seized a large, keen knife which he carried and with a few dexterous strokes ended the struggle in favor of the dog, thus saving his faithful animal's life. The other four brothers settled in the township at various places, one of them, John, locating a short distance north of the present site of the village of Hendersonville."¹



Our next stop would then be in Slippery Rock.

This place is pretty awesome: <http://www.northcountrybrewpub.com/>



Riders may choose to overnight in Slippery Rock or continue back to Harmar.