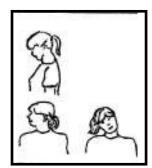


TIP OF THE WEEK # 5

36 Stretch

The following are stretches that will help you avoid of the physical pitfalls familiar in cycling :



NECK STRETCHES The three stretches depicted here are:

Front and back tilt
Side to side rotation
Side to side tilt



SHOULDER STRETCH



QUADRICEPS STRETCH



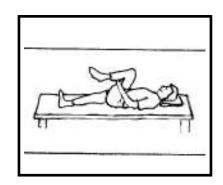
CALF STRETCH

Emphasis is on foot to the rear. With weight balanced on front foot, bend rear knee to stretch calves and achilles tendon



HAMSTRING STRETCH

Notice that this stretch is performed with a flat back and the forward movement that creates the stretch in the extended leg comes from a tilt forward of the hips.



LOW BACK STRETCH

Pull your knee to your chest.