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# Southmuir Bike Club

MIDDLEFIELD PLAYGROUND

## Information Booklet



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## What is Southmuir Bike Club?

Southmuir Bike Club is a scheme we are offering to residents in the Southmuir area. We have five electric bikes available, along with helmets, puncture repair kits and locks, which are securely stored in a bike lock-up in Middlefield Playground. They can only be accessed by registered members of the club to use for short periods of time.

## Who is it for?

The club is for adults living in the Southmuir area, but if you would like to access the club and are outwith this catchment, please get in touch for a chat.



## How much will it cost?

The standard price is £48 per year, with options to pay more or less depending on your circumstances. We want our scheme to be affordable, but we also need to cover our costs to ensure we can keep it running. Just choose the most appropriate cost for your circumstances when signing up and we'll invoice you for that amount, no questions asked. Membership will start on the 1st of the month following completion of your induction and payment of your invoice.

If you absolutely can't manage the cost but would like to be involved please contact us to discuss other options.

## How will I know if a bike is available when I'd like one?

We use an online booking system called HubTiger, and bikes must be booked out through this before being collected. It's really easy, and we'll show you all of this in a quick induction once you're signed up. Please make sure you borrow the bike number which is included in your confirmation email.

## Fair Usage Policy

To ensure the bikes have plenty of availability for all members, bike use is subject to a fair usage policy of up to 3 consecutive days at a time, with a maximum of 60 days per year. This works out at only 80p per day of use if you use it for the maximum amount of days! If you end up wanting to use the bike more than this please get in touch and we can discuss options with you.

Additionally, membership is only for the individual who is signed up. If more than one person in your household would like to utilise the bike they should sign up for their own membership.

# Battery Safety

As these are electric bikes we want to ensure you are using them safely when charging. Please follow these safety tips when charging:

- Always unplug your charger once it has finished charging.
- Plug the cable into a main socket rather than an extension lead.
- Do not cover the battery with anything while charging.
- Make sure you use the battery recommended by the manufacturer.
- Always use the manufacturer-approved charger for the product.
- Ensure you have working smoke alarms on every floor of your home and in the room where you charge the battery.

## Ready to sign up?



Read through the Terms & Conditions attached on the next page to ensure you are happy with them and agree to them. If you have any questions, please get in touch with us before signing up.



Complete our short registration form and one of our staff will be in touch to arrange your induction and payment.

### READING THIS ONLINE?

**Click here** for the registration form or type: <https://wkf.ms/4sqP5zP> into your browser.

### READING ON PAPER?

Scan the QR code below to navigate to the registration form:



Terms &  
Conditions



If you have any questions please email us at:  
[bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk](mailto:bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk)

# Terms & Conditions

1. You must be over the age of 18 and signed up as a member of the Southmuir Bike Club to use an E-bike.
2. You must book the bike out via our online booking system before each borrowing period.
3. You must not share the combination codes for the bike locker key safe and individual bikes locks with anyone.
4. You must return the bike locker key to the key safe once the bike locker is locked.
5. As per your induction you should carry out an M safety check of the bike before each use.
6. If you've booked a bike but don't need it anymore, you must email us at [bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk](mailto:bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk) to cancel the booking.
7. Helmets are provided free of charge for all bike users, and we strongly advise their use at all times. You are responsible for your own personal safety when using the bike.
8. You must comply with the Highway Code and consider the safety of other road users and pedestrians when using the bike.
9. The bike provided is intended for use on roads and cycle paths and is not intended for rocky paths or mountain biking.
10. It is your responsibility to look after the bike at all times and must not leave it unsecured. If the bicycle is left unattended, you should securely lock it up with the lock provided to you.
11. If you do not have somewhere secure to store the bike overnight we advise returning it to the bike locker.
12. The bikes should be kept securely locked to the frame within the bike locker using the locks provided, and the bike locker locked when returning the bikes.
13. The bike locker is for Sustainable Kirriemuir's e-bikes and accompanying accessories only, nothing else should be stored in the locker. Please be careful not to trap any animals or children in the locker when closing it.
14. The bike must be returned clean and fully charged.
15. You must adhere to our fair usage policy which states that the bike may be borrowed for a maximum of 60 days per annum, 3 days at a time.
16. If a bike is lost, stolen, or vandalised you must report it to the police and inform us as soon as possible by emailing [bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk](mailto:bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk).
17. If a bike is damaged, or you discover an issue with the bike you must report it to us as soon as possible by emailing [bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk](mailto:bikeclub@sustainablekirriemuir.co.uk).

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17. We expect you, as the hirer, to ensure no damage is caused to the bike or associated equipment (other than fair wear and tear) from the time the equipment leaves the bike locker until it is returned. We define fair wear and tear as any deterioration to an item due to its age and normal use. Damage is defined as any deterioration which was avoidable and due to the hirer's actions or omissions. A charge will be incurred for any damage.
18. Full RRP will be charged for bicycles and equipment that are not returned.
19. Sustainable Kirriemuir, its employees, its volunteers and agents exclude all liability (whether statutory or otherwise) for any loss, damage or injury caused to you or your property, arising from any cause whatsoever, whilst you are using the equipment hired under this agreement. This exclusion of liability does not affect your statutory rights.

If you have any questions regarding these Terms and Conditions please speak to a member of staff before signing up to the club.

## **Suggested Bike Repair Services**

Alyth Cyclery: <https://alythcyclery.com/>

3D Bike Tech: <https://3dbike.tech/>

BBD Bikes: <https://www.bbdbikes.co.uk/>

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