

THURS 27 SEPTEMBER	WHERE	TIME	COST
Screening of 'Reveal the path' by Mike Dion www.thecyclehub.org	Cycle Hub, Quayside, Newcastle	7pm to 10pm	£4 donation Book early!

SUNDAY 29 SEPTEMBER	WHERE	TIME	COST
Cycling Family fun day organised by Cycling Weakly Family focused event in Exhibition Park, including: mountain bike track, cycle skills track, Dr. Bike + bouncy castle, face painting, bicycle smoothie maker and the opportunity to win a bike!	Exhibition Park	10am to 4pm	FREE
Gosforth Road Club Go-Ride Before the fun day starts why not pop along for some cycle skills coaching. This is for children of all ages and lasts 1 hour. Children need to be able to ride, bring a bike in good working order, a helmet, a drink and be dressed for the weather. www.gosforthroadclub.com	Exhibition Park (meet at the cafe)	9.30am to 10.30am	First session FREE

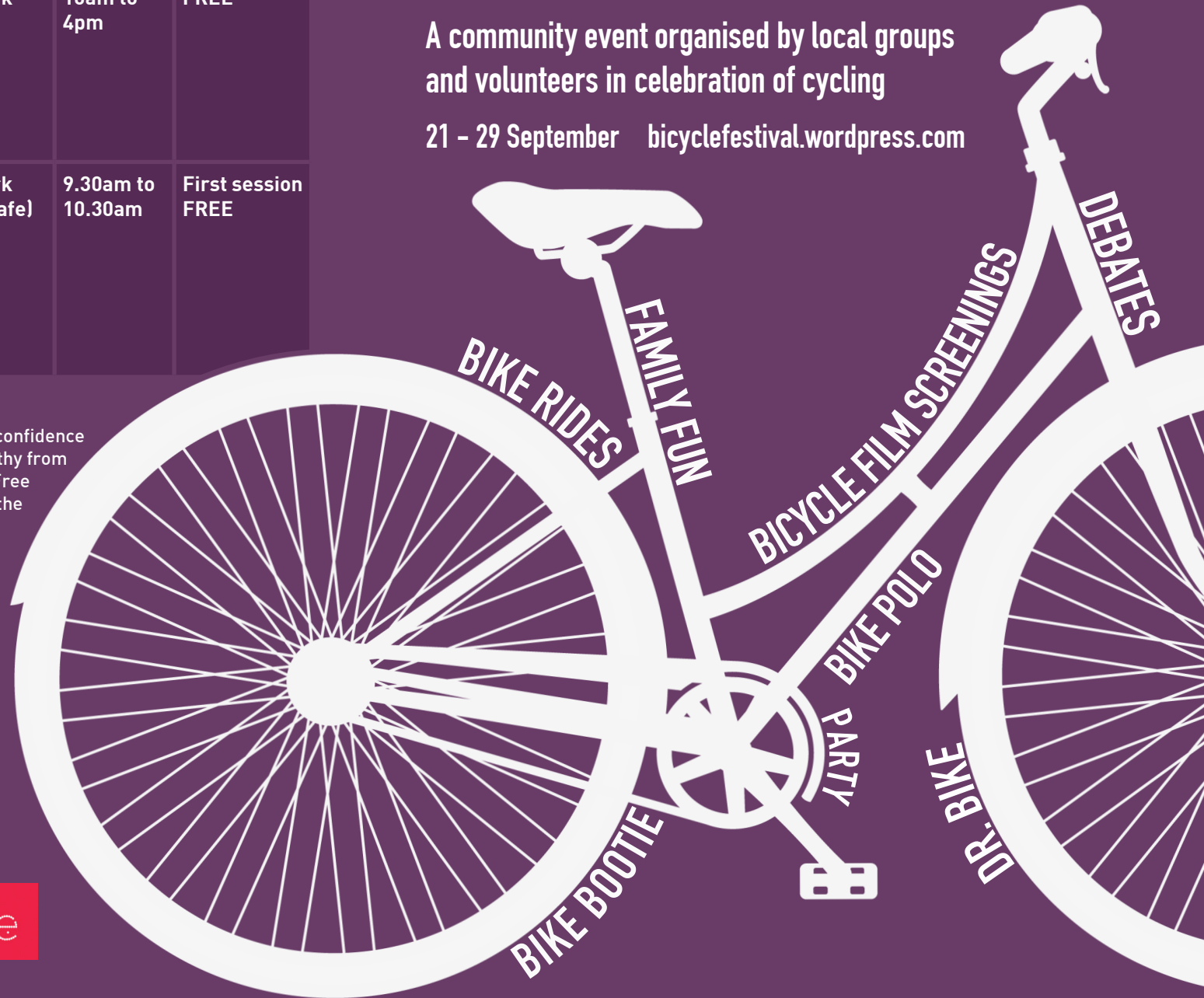
NEWCASTLE BICYCLE FESTIVAL 2012

A community event organised by local groups and volunteers in celebration of cycling

21 - 29 September bicyclevestival.wordpress.com

DO YOU NEED A BIKE BUDDY?

Would you like to bike to work, or just into town but lack the confidence or knowledge of the cities roads to get going? Fear not! Dorothy from Recyke y'bike is a qualified ride leader and is happy to offer Free bike buddy sessions in Newcastle in the intervening week of the Bike Festival. Contact Dorothy through Recyke y'bike or call 0191 265 4197 and mention Bike Festival Buddy.



FRIDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

	WHERE	TIME	COST
Mass Cycle Ride to Star & Shadow	Meet at Haymarket	5:30pm to 6pm	FREE
007 Alley Cat – Calling All Secret Agents Alley cats are like treasure hunts on wheels. Join us for a deliciously ‘shaken not stirred’ evening around Newcastle. The Alley cat will finish at the Star and Shadow.	Meet at St Thomas Church opposite Haymarket Metro	6:30pm to 7.30ish	FREE
Official opening of the Festival <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drinks from licensed Bar and hot food from 6:30pm / stalls from group • Film screenings (details at http://bicyclefestival.wordpress.com/) • Political debate • Beauty and the Bike (Darlington Media Group) • Party: DJ, drinks from the bar etc 	Star and Shadow Cinema Main Bar Cinema Cinema Main Bar	6pm to 1am 6pm 8.30pm 9pm 10pm	FREE Donations on the door for all Star & Shadow events, proceeds go to Bikes2Africa

SATURDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

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Gosforth Road Club Go-Ride Coaching for children of all ages. 1 hour session aimed at getting children into the sport of cycling. Children need to be able to ride, bring a bike in good working order, helmet, drink and be dressed for the weather. www.gosforthroadclub.com	Exhibition Park - meet at the Cafe	9.30am to 10.30am	First Session FREE
Recyke y’Bike Open Day A chance to meet the staff and volunteers at Recyke Y’Bike and find out what we do. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Bike — come and have your bike assessed for safety free • Smoothie bike — come and cycle your own smoothie • Bike Bootie — all kinds of second-hand RYB bike bits for donations for Bikes2Africa • Bring and Buy — we’ll sell your bits for you and donations will go to Bikes2Africa www.recyke-y-bike.org	Recyke y’Bike Unit 2 Railway Arch Hannington Street Byker	10am to 3pm	FREE — come along and get involved! Plenty to buy so bring your piggy bank with proceeds to Bike2Africa
Bike Pololympics Watch the greatest bike polo teams in the entire world of Newcastle, Scotland and Northern England compete for ultimate glory in the only event of this year’s Olympics to be held after the closing ceremony.	The Polo Direct Arena, Napier Street, Shieldfield	10am to 7pm	FREE — Come along with your friends!

SUNDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

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Bike Ride Join the friendly Newcastle Mountain Bike Club on this urban mountain bike ride, taking in a few stretches of cycleway, bridleway, tarmac road and one or two gentle off-road excursions. There will be plenty of turn-back opportunities. Cycle helmet required. www.midaircrisis.co.uk	Meet at junction of Shields Rd West & Claypath St (near the scooter shop at the end of Byker Bridge)	10am to 12pm	FREE — Adults only
Newcastle Parks Breeze Ride Local bike ride for women, by women. Take in the sights from your saddle, build confidence and meet new people on this short led ride in Newcastle. The ride will go through the City Stadium Park, Exhibition Park and Leazes Park. Bring money for refreshments at the cafes. www.breezebikerides.com	Meet at the Cycle Hub, Quayside, Newcastle, NE6 1BU	1.30pm to 4.30pm	FREE — Please register for the ride on www.breezebikerides.com and put in the postcode of the Bike Hub: NE6 1BU

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