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BESPOKE - LIMERICK'S CYCLING FESTIVAL

SUMMARY PROGRAMME OF PUBLIC EVENTS

BIKE WEEK JUNE 2018 9th - 17th

Further details and NATIONAL EVENTS at: www.bikeweek.ie

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FRIDAY 8TH JUNE

BIKE REPAIR EVENING - CASTLETROY
The Public Park, Castletroy - 18:30 to 20:30
Free MINOR bike fixes and repair hosted by Limerick Smarter Travel to prepare your bicycle for the **Three Bridges Family Cycle**

BIKE REPAIR EVENING - CORBALLY
Irish Estates, Corbally - 18:30 to 20:30
Free MINOR bike fixes and repair hosted by Limerick Smarter Travel to prepare your bicycle for the **Three Bridges Family Cycle**

SATURDAY 9TH JUNE

SHARE THE ROAD/CYCLE SAFETY
Bedford Row - 11:00-14:00
Limerick Smarter Travel in conjunction with An Garda Siochana and Musgraves will hold a cycle safety event which will highlight the blindspots around larger vehicles. An articulated truck will be parked on Bedford Row with the blindspots marked around the vehicle. Members of the public will have the opportunity to sit in the drivers seat of the truck to get the drivers perspective.There will also be Free MINOR bike fixes and repairs and fun activities on the day.

C4SC BEGINNERS/LEISURE CYCLE
Woodies Car Park - 09:00-11:00
Cycle for Sick Children are hosting a 24km escorted cycle for beginners or those whishing to come back to cycling. There will be short cuts along the route for those who are not up to the full distance. Afterwards there will be coffee and refreshments in The Hub Cycling Shop with the opportunity to chat with cycling experts and ask questions.
Participants must be over 18 and must have a bike and helmet .

BIKE REPAIR DAY - PARKWAY
Parkway Shopping Centre - 15.00 to 17:30
Free MINOR bike fixes and repair hosted by Limerick Smarter Travel to prepare your bicycle for the Three Bridges Family Cycle.

SUNDAY 10TH JUNE

BIKE TO NATURE - BIODIVERSITY CYCLE
The Great Southern Trail 11:00-15:00
People of all ages are invited to explore the biodiversity of the Great Southern Trail Greenway by bike. There will be biodiversity experts along the trail between Rathkeale and Templeglantine to encourage cyclists to discover life under water, on land and in the sky. Information sheets will be provided to all participants outlining the plants and animals that they can find along the trail
Contact: livinglimerick@antaisce.org

MONDAY 11TH JUNE

BIKE REPAIR DAY - THE FACTORY
Southside Youth Space, The Factory - 09:00 to 14:00
Limerick Youth Service are holding a bike repair event for the Limerick Southside Regeneration area to promote the Bike Project Program. The repairs will be carried out by young people who have completed the Bike Project program

TUESDAY 12TH JUNE

BICYCLE THEFT PREVENTION & RECOVERY
Colbert Train & Coach Station, 15:00-18:00
This event will highlight tips, tricks and info to support Bicycle Theft Prevention & Recovery to cyclists commuting in and out of Colbert Train and Coach Station Limerick.

RSA- CYCLE SAFETY
Colbert Train & Coach Station, 15:00-18:00
The RSA will be on hand to offer cycle safety advice and information and will have a variety of Hi-Viz goods available for the public

WEDNESDAY 13TH JUNE

COW - CYCLE ON WEDNESDAY
COW (Cycle On Wednesday) is an initiative celebrating the fun you can have cycling to school on Wednesdays, This year we hope that as many students,parents and teachers cycle to school as possible. Let us know you cycled to school by tweeting us **@LKSmartertravel** or tag us on facebook **@limericksmartertravel** and you could be in with a chance to win a cycling goody bag

THURSDAY 14TH JUNE

BIKE REPAIR AT NORTHSIDE YOUTH SPACE
Ballynanty, Limerick - 15:00 - 18.00
About: Basic bicycle maintenance for the local community & those connected to the Northside Youth Space. Bikes can be dropped off the day before the event or early on the day.

WHY WE CYCLE- MOVIE PRESENTATION
Fab Lab, Ruthland St, Limerick,Time: TBC
Movie Night presented by Limerick Cycling Campaign of the dutch film taking the world by storm
contact: @limerickcyclingcampaign for further details

FRIDAY 15TH JUNE

DAWN CYCLE
Start: Penney's. Route: O'Connell St- Lough Gur
Registration: 04:45 Leaving: 05:00 Return 08.00.
Dawn cycle from the City to Lough Gur including coffee/tea and snacks at Lough Gur. Helmets compulsory. Average speed 26k/h (16m/h). Suitable for club/touring/commuter cyclists. Hosted by Limerick Smarter Travel, Limerick Sports Partnership, The Hub Bike Shop.

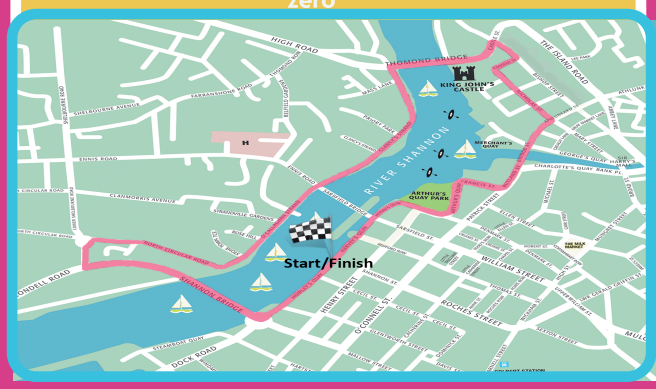
SOUTHILL 4 PARKS BICYCLE PARADE
Southill Area Centre - 15:00-17:00
Young bike owners of the Southill area and their families are invited to participate in a cycle through the 4 parks of Southill with an Ice-Cream party taking place afterwards back at the area centre. contact scronin@southhillareacentre for details

BIKE REPAIR DAY - Mungret
Mungret Park - 18.30 to 20:30
Free MINOR bike fixes and repair hosted by Limerick Smarter Travel to prepare your bicycle for the Three Bridges Family Cycle.

SATURDAY 16TH JUNE

THREE BRIDGES FAMILY CYCLE
Howley's Quay
Registration: 16:00 Start: 17:00
Join us at the highlight event of the BeSPOKE festival, The Three Bridges Family Cycle. The cycle will start at Howleys Quay and will follow a route along the river passing over three of the cities bridges before returning to Howleys Quay. There will lots of entertainment along the Quay before and after the event including , DJ food vendors, bouncy castles, facepainting, childrens games, and lots more...

Coke Zero Bikes Promotion
Howley's Quay 16:00-18:00
Limerick Smarter Travel are delighted to welcome Coco-Cola Zero Sugar to Howley's Quay for our 2018 Three Bridges Family Cycle. In association with the National Transport Authority their brand ambassadors will be on hand to promote their Coke City Bikes with fun filled activities, demonstrations, free samples and membership details.



SUNDAY 17TH JUNE

CYCLE ON THE GREENWAY
Start: Old Station Yard, Abbeyfeale
Time: 17:00
A 20km cycle from Abbeyfeale and back with refreshments afterwards. Bikes are available to hire on the day and there is plenty of carparking available around the old station house carpark. An excellent event to experience the greenway if you haven't been before
Contact: southernrailgreenway@gmail.com

MON 11TH - FRI 15TH JUNE

GOLDEN BIKE COMPETITION
LST Golden & Silver Bike Award for the school with the most cyclists during Bike Week!

THE MINIATURE BICYCLE
Enter your art work including 3D craftwork to promote sustainable travel for school journeys. Competiton designed for Limerick pupils & students, run in partnership with Limerick City & County Council Enivronment Department.

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