

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Bike Wise Battle

Starting Monday 2 February 2009 – For all western Bay of Plenty and Tauranga businesses Register your workplace for the battle. A fun, online, and free inter-business challenge. Register online at www.bikewise.co.nz and encourage your workmates to cycle. All you need is your own bike equipment. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Tour de Katikati

Sunday 1st February, 2009, 9.30am – 10.30am
Katikati War Memorial, Main Road

Join in on the tour for a flat beginners ride around Katikati. Approx 1 hour. Open to 10+ year olds. Bring bike, helmet and water bottle. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829 to make a booking.

Workplace Commuter Cycling Challenge Tauranga

Monday 2nd February 7.00am – Various Businesses in Tauranga

A tailored cycle-safety programme for you and colleagues to get commuting. One month cycling to work challenge. Includes cycle maintenance workshops, virtual cycling map and incentives. No charge but booking required. Own bike and gear required. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Kids Can Ride Programme

Monday 2nd February – Friday 27th February

Schools registered for February, St Thomas Moore School, Tauranga Primary, Brookfield School, Seventh Day Adventist. Pre-register from your school. Contact the Kids Can Ride Coordinator on 07 578 7025.

Pedal Papamoa

Tuesday 3rd February, 9.15am – 10.15am
Gordan Spratt Reserve, East Papamoa

Enjoy a pedal around Papamoa and see how easy it is to get around on bike. Open to adults. No charge. Bookings required. Low to medium fitness level required. Bring own bike and helmet. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Cycle your local reserves

Wednesday 4th February 6.00pm – 8.00pm
Carpark at the rear of Tauranga City Council

On-road and off-road tracks around the city and outskirts. Small breaks in between. No charge. Moderate to high fitness level. 11yrs upwards. Bring mountain bike, helmet, drink, snack food. Contact Bruce Galloway 07 577 7000.

Nervous Nellies and Nigels – Papamoa

Thursday 5th February, 6.00pm
Papamoa School, Dickson Road, Main entrance.

Learn about basic bike safety/maintenance, bike and helmet fit, practical skills, road rules and some on road cycling. No charge. Bookings essential, bring own bike and helmet. Contact Lynette 07 576 3280.



BNZ UCAN2 Community Triathlon and Duathlon event

Friday 6th February, 6am Registration – 7am start
Coronation Park, Mt Maunganui

Pre-register using entry forms or enter on the day. Cost \$5-\$30 depending on event options. Contact Sport Bay of Plenty 07 578 0016.

Tour de Maketu

Sunday 8th February, 9.30am – 10.30am – Maketu Village Green by boat ramp
Join the tour for a beginners ride around Maketu. Approximately one hour. Contact Lynette 07 576 3280.

Bike Basic Workshop

Monday, 9th February, 6.00pm – 7.00pm
Koop Cycles, Cnr Cameron Rd and 17th Ave

Brush up on some basic bike maintenance skills. Learn correct bike setup, how to change a tube and more! No Charge. Bookings essential. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Pedal Te Puke

Tuesday 10th February 9.15am – 10.15am
Memorial Hall, Main Road, Te Puke

Enjoy a pedal around Te Puke and see how easy it is to get around on bike. No Charge, open to all ages. Just need bike and helmet. Contact Lynette 07 576 3280.

Go By Bike Day – Te Puke

Wednesday 11th February, 7.30am
Memorial Hall, Main Road, Te Puke

Regular and new cyclists will be recognised and rewarded with a free breakfast and fun giveaways. No charge. Open to all ages, just bring your bike and helmet. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.



Nervous Nellies and Nigels – Te Puke

Thursday 12th February 6.00pm – 7.30pm
Memorial Hall, Main Road, Te Puke

Learn about basic bike safety/maintenance, bike and helmet fit, practical skills, road rules and some on road cycling. No charge. Bookings essential, bring own bike and helmet. Contact Lynette 07 576 3280.



Cycle the canals – McLaren Falls

Sunday, 15th February, 9.30am – 10.30am
Meet 1km up Ruahine Rd (opposite power substation)

Cycle the canal pathways up to McLaren Park and back. Free of charge for 11yr+ with moderate fitness. Bring mountain bike, helmet, drink bottle and snack food. Bookings required. Contact Bruce Galloway 07 577 7000.

Tour de Paengaroa

Sunday 15th February, 9.00am

Longridge Fun Park, SH 33, Paengaroa (on main road to Rotorua)

Enjoy the pleasure of cycling along low traffic roads in and around Paengaroa free of charge. Bookings essential. Low – moderate fitness for 13 yrs+. Bring a roadworthy bike, helmet, drink bottle and snack food. Wear high visibility shirt if possible. Contact Jenny 07 575 6916.

Bike Basic Workshop

Monday 16th February, 6.00pm – 7.00pm
Avanti Plus Cycle Centre, Owens Place, Bayfair

Brush up on some basic bike maintenance skills. Learn correct bike setup, how to change a tube and more! No Charge. Bookings essential. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Pedal Matua

17th February, 9.15am – 10.15am

Fergusson Park main entrance off Tilby Drive

Enjoy a pedal around Matua and see how easy it is to get around on bike (pathways on-road and off-road). No Charge, just bring bike and helmet. Bookings essential. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Cycle Safety in Schools

Tuesday 17th February, Tauriko School

Western Bay of Plenty schools will learn about cycle safety education. Half-hour sessions. No charge. Bookings required. 5 – 11yr olds. Lynette 07 576 3280.

BMX Night Tauranga

Tuesday 17th February, 5.30pm

Keith Allen Drive Sulphur Point

Join the BMX night and have a go. Suitable for all ages with moderate to high fitness. Bring: shoes, long sleeves, helmet, gloves and bike. Contact Jillian Peck 027 244 7402.

National Go By Bike Day – Tauranga

Wednesday 18th February, 7.30am
Mid City Mall (Red Square)

Regular and new cyclists will be recognised and rewarded with a free breakfast and fun giveaways. Be into win an Avanti bike! All you need is your own bike, helmet and drink bottle. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Commuter Challenge

Wednesday 18th February, 7.30am
Start place Avanti Plus, Owens Place, Bayfair (car + cyclists) or Bayfair (bus) at 7.40am sharp

The challenge is to see who can get to Mid City Mall (Red Square) the fastest. Cyclists vs cars vs buses. For more information contact Bruce Galloway on 07 577 7000.



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Nervous Nellies and Nigels - Mount

Thursday 19th February, 6.00pm – 7.30pm
Moa Park, Ocean Beach Road

Learn about basic bike safety/maintenance, bike and helmet fit, practical skills, road rules and some on road cycling. No charge. Bookings essential, bring own bike and helmet. Contact Lynette 07 576 3280.



TABAK Ironkid Tauranga

Friday, 20th February 9.30am
Maxwells Road Beach, Tauranga

Kids triathlon for beginners. Registrations through your primary school. Bring bike, helmet, togs and running shoes. Charge \$10-\$20. Contact Sport Bay of Plenty 07 578 0016.

All Roads Lead to Rome

Sunday 22nd February

Start from wherever you live to arrive at 11:30am

End location is at Memorial Park. BBQ and prizes up for grabs.

Join the cycling revolution and follow your cycle path from home to ROME (alias Memorial Park). For more information contact Bruce Galloway on 07 577 7000.

Bike Basic Workshop

Monday, 23rd February, 6.00pm – 7.00pm
Koop Cycles, Cnr Cameron Rd and 17th Ave

Brush up on some basic bike maintenance skills. Learn correct bike setup, how to change a tube and more! No Charge. Bookings essential. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Nervous Nellies and Nigels – Katikati

Tuesday 24th February 6.00pm – 7.30pm
Moore Park, Katikati

Learn about basic bike safety/maintenance, bike and helmet fit, practical skills, road rules and some on road cycling. No charge. Bookings essential, bring own bike and helmet. Contact Lynette 07 576 3280.

Go By Bike Day – Katikati

Wednesday 24th February, 7.30am

Memorial Hall opposite Western Bay of Plenty District Council

Regular and new cyclists will be recognised and rewarded with a free breakfast and fun giveaways. No charge. Open to all ages, just bring your bike and helmet. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.



Quadathlon Mt Maunganui

Thursday 26th February 9.00am

Pilot Bay, Mt Maunganui

Swim, kayak, cycle and run event. Years 7 & 8. Registrations through your school. Year 7 and 8. \$10-\$20. Togs, bike, helmet and running shoes required. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Introduction to BMX for beginners.

Thursday 26th February, 6.00 – 7.30pm
Keith Allen Drive Sulphur Point

Need the confidence to get into BMX riding. This session will help you learn to ride a BMX track. For children 8+ and adults. No cost. Registration required. Bring covered shoes, long sleeves, helmet, gloves and bike. Contact Penny at Sport Bay of Plenty on 07 578 0016 ext 829.

Mayoral Trike and Bike Trail at Children's Day

Sunday March 1st 11.00am

Meet in front of fountain at Memorial Park. Wet weather - meet at the front entrance of Queen Elizabeth Youth Centre.

Dress up your bike and trike and Join the Mayor on a circuit of Memorial Park. Fantastic prizes to giveaway for the best dressed bike and trike. For 10 yrs and under. Bookings required. No Charge. Bring dressed up bike and trike and helmet. Contact Bruce Galloway 07 5777000.

