

AGENDA FOR PEDALS MONTHLY MEETING: 7pm (NOT 7.30 p.m.!) on Monday 28 April (NOT 21st) 2014 at The Vat and Fiddle, 12-14 Queensbridge Road, Nottingham NG2

(Hugh McClintock to chair)

1. Welcome, and apologies for absence, and including brief introductions

2. Discussion with Dominic Sweeting, Sustrans / Nottingham City Council on promoting cycling at local schools (up to 45 minutes, including discussion)

(break)

3. Minutes of the previous Pedals Meeting (17 March 2014) and including checking for accuracy, and matters arising / update including

- Pedals comments to City Council on proposed traffic calming scheme on Haydn Road, Sherwood
- Proposed Green corridor for Radford and Lenton
- HS2 cycleway – follow-up to the Beeston Regional meeting in March
- Cycle Hub at Nottingham Station- expansion proposals – proposed meeting with EMT and City Council
- ideas from Robin Phillips for cut-throughs and shared paths in the Beeston area
- new Tramside path in the Compton Acres area of West Bridgford Ruddington Lane to Wilford Lane
- poor state of repair of the riverside path between Ladybay Bridge and the Watersports Centre: recent improvements
- SERCO plans for the NWSC, Holme Pierrepont and improving cycle access
- improving Holme-Pierrepont to Colwick Park cycle accessibility: new approaches to the Environment Agency
- Colwick Park new proposed foot and cycle bridge; delay with planning application to Gedling BC
- Citycard hubs and problems in finding further extension sites outside Nottingham
- mirrors in subways off Ruddington Lane and Ruddington Close
- Nottingham Cycle map corrections
- Lenton Lane junction dangers
- QMC back entrance, Abbey St – cyclists' safety problems
- new toucan crossing at the Dunkirk flyover roundabout: Abbey Street and Beeston Road – request for feedback please
- obstructive car parking on the University Boulevard cycle path near the Croquet Club
- parking on pavements and cycle lanes
- Sustrans NCN6 – Murden Way, Beeston
- Attenborough Station area parking and cycle parking
- Network Rail proposed level crossing changes in the Attenborough area
- Possible further support for Larry Neylon with new Pedals website
- meeting to discuss Roland Backhouse's new Pedals Publicity officer role
- Pedals and Notts CTC representation the Notts County Local Access Forum
- reprint requirements for Pedals publicity materials (with new logo)

4. Report on recent meetings / events by people who have attended on behalf of Pedals including

- Proposed HS2 and associated SS2 (Slow Speed 2) long-distance cycle route – Regional meeting in Beeston on 19 March
- Tues 25 March Canal and Rivers Trust Local Waterways Forum
- 26 March : Greater Nottm Cycling Development Group including outstanding city centre cycle parking issues

5. Finance and Membership (David Easley and Hilary Backhouse to report)

- Including updates on membership renewals and new memberships

6. Forthcoming events / meetings

Pedals meetings including invitations to visiting speakers, review of the agenda layout, chairing future meetings and the need to contact The Vat and Fiddle for preparing (e.g. heating) the room.

- Chairing arrangements for meetings in May, June and July
- Timing of future meetings : 7 or 7.30pm

Other meetings / events:

25 April East Midlands NHS Sustainable Development Network event on Sustainability and Health

30 April East Midlands NHS Sustainable Development Network event - Nottingham Conference Centre – message of 1 April from Helen Ross:

30 April planning meet for Sustainable Travel event at Attenborough Nature Centre, Sun 3 Aug.

3 May Space for Cycling Campaign meeting in Leeds

18 May Nottm Green Festival- Pedals stall arrangements

Possible events to take Pedals stall and display to this spring and summer, e.g. Cycle Live and Nottm Green Festival.

Cyclenation AGM, Birmingham, Sat 31 May.

Bike Week: 14-22 June 2014.

Pedals 35th birthday celebration events: update re suggestions and approx. timing and organisations responsibilities

“carnival ride”;
special meal;

EMCF meeting in October/November; date to be fixed once national cycle campaign conference fixed. Possible venue – Canal House –
possible venue for meal: “Antalya”; May/June and/or November.

7. Cycle facility and traffic management matters including

- Bikes on buses in Nottingham – request for feedback from Peter Davenport.
- tram track accidents in Manchester- request for advice
- Cycling in Beeston town centre- possible High Road “bypass route” and site meeting
- QMC Treatment Centre cycle parking
- River Leen path extension and possible further links at the Basford and Bulwell ends.
- New Victoria Embankment link-upgrading of path between the Toll Bridge end and the path by the river
- possible change to the alignment of the cycle path between the Vic Embankment and Bathley Street W
- faded ASL markings on Carrington Street by Nottm Station
- cycling up hill on Derby Road from the QMC roundabout.
- need for upgrading of the link in West Bridgford between Stamford Road and Gamston by the allotments and WBADS theatre.
- A52 Bingham junction issues raised by Peter Osborne
- Rushcliffe Local Plan modifications- Pedals comments
- Cycle access to and from the new megasurgery on Wilford Lane, West Bridgford, due for completion in August
- cycling provision in the latest planning application for the major housing development on the former Cotgrave Colliery site.

8. Pedals Spring / summer 2014 newsletter

9. Miscellaneous items

- Cycling for All events on the Queen’s Drive Park and Ride site on the third Sunday of each month until October’ ebikes
- CityCard bikes John Cutler’s registration experience and possible lessons
- Pedals use of the Cyclescape cycle campaigners’ website.

10. Any other business