



WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN US AS A TRUSTEE OR ADVISER OF CLYDE CYCLE PARK?

The [Clyde Cycle Park project](#) was started in 2014 by a small group of volunteers from the community in Cambuslang-Rutherglen and local cycling clubs. The first phase has involved building a 250m skills circuit, with further circuits planned for construction in 2023 and 2024, with a total length of almost 2km, together with a clubhouse, parking, paths and an attractive landscaped park.

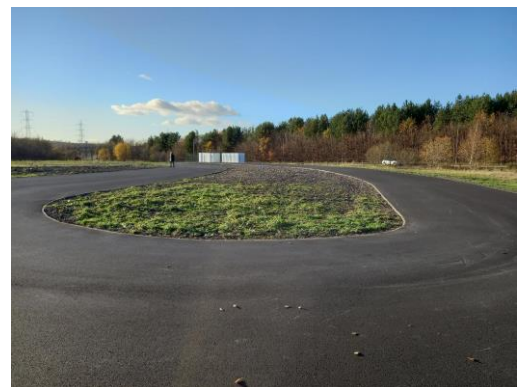


We are looking for **Board Members and Advisers** to help realise our ambition of creating an international standard cycle park in Cambuslang that will provide a top-class facility for coaching and hosting national and international cycling competitions. At the same time, we want to have a cycle park rooted in the community, providing opportunities for everyone to develop cycling skills and have fun cycling, as well as being open to other sports that can make use of our facilities.

1. Board of Trustees – what are the responsibilities?

The general responsibilities of Trustees of the Clyde Cycle Park SCIO are:

- to contribute actively to the Board Member role in giving firm strategic direction to CCP, setting overall policy, defining goals, setting targets and evaluating performance against agreed targets to help it meet its ambitions;
- to safeguard the good name and values of CCP;
- to ensure the effective and efficient administration of CCP;
- to ensure the financial stability of CCP;



- to protect and manage the property of CCP and to ensure the proper investment of CCP funds;
- to ensure that Clyde Cycle Park (CCP) complies with its governing document, charity law and any other relevant legislation or regulation;
- to ensure that CCP pursues its objects as defined in its governing document;
- to ensure that CCP applies its resources exclusively in pursuance of its objects i.e. it must not spend money on activities which are not included in its own objects, no matter how worthwhile or charitable those activities are.

2. Advisers – what are the responsibilities?

The general responsibilities of Advisors to the Clyde Cycle Park are to use any specific skills, knowledge or experience to provide support for the Board of Trustees, including the following:



- to advise the Board of Trustees on effective governance and strategic direction of the Clyde Cycle Park;
- to participate in sub-committees or groups established by the Board in their areas of interest or expertise;
- to provide advice in specific areas such as financial management, business planning, funding, operational management, community engagement, landscape/ecology, volunteering and marketing;
- to help promote the Clyde Cycle Park.

3. What are we looking for – qualities and areas of interest?

We are looking for potential Board Members and Advisers with a range of perspectives, experiences and skills, but the most important qualities are those of:

- a) *commitment* – a willingness to give time and dedication to the role;
- b) *vision* – an ability to see the bigger picture and think creatively;
- c) preparedness to *challenge* – identify gaps and ask difficult questions;
- d) *transparency* – an open approach and willingness to listen to all viewpoints;
- e) a *team player* – good at working with others contributing to collective responsibility;
- f) *curiosity* – interested in learning.

Key areas of responsibility for the Board and Advisers are:

- promotion of cycling and other sports that can use the Park

- creating opportunities for the community
- infrastructure planning
- project management
- financial management and control
- employment and human resource management
- landscape management and ecology
- operational management of sports and leisure facilities
- funding and sponsorship
- accessibility, diversity and inclusion
- marketing and external engagement



4. Please get in touch for a chat and submit an expression of interest

If you are interested in joining, please send us a letter or email outlining why you are interested in becoming a Trustee OR an Adviser and what you could bring to the role and the organisation.

Please feel free to get in touch for an informal chat with our office-bearers. We would be delighted to show you the Park, the progress made to date and the development plans. You can email our Chair, John Bachtler, at john.bachtler@clydecyclepark.org.uk or phone on 07973 744807.



We look forward to hearing from you!

Clyde Cycle Park
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