

Make your move Kirkcaldy

With summer approaching, Sustrans' and Fife Council's joint project is gathering momentum. Many walking and cycling routes around town have been constructed or improved, including links to residential areas, parks, schools and shops.

We're busy analysing the results of a survey of over 1,000 households, to see how Kirkcaldy travels and what people think about different kinds of transport.

Exciting summer events

A number of exciting summer events will encourage locals to consider cycling and walking more. Sustrans and Fife Council are also working with local groups at the Beveridge Park Community Festival (2-3 July), with exciting activities for everyone.

Project co-ordinator Michael Nimmo recently attended the 'Velo-City' conference, returning with inspiration from around the world including great ideas about marketing campaigns and events especially for places like Kirkcaldy - which has a lot of hills!

Street Design in Templehall

Meanwhile, there's a street redesign project in Templehall. Architect and Sustrans project officer Mark Chalmers is working with local residents and school pupils. One of the local streets, Katrine Crescent, is a rat-run for traffic, and this project aims to make the street a safer, more people-friendly space.



Route New National C

Sustrans Route 75: Opening event planned for Bike Week

An opening event is planned for the Airdrie to Bathgate route in June. After being closed for over two years, the new railway path will be finished imminently. We're aiming for a Bike Week launch event (18-26 June) and local supporters will be contacted when it's confirmed!

Peebles to Innerleithen

The Scottish Borders Council has gained funding from the Scottish Rural Development Programme to complete the traffic-free route between these two destinations, to link with Route 1. The route should be complete by 2013.

