

Product news

SHOP WINDOW

EDITOR DAN JOYCE PREVIEWS A CROSS-SECTION OF NEW CYCLING PRODUCTS THAT ARE EITHER IN THE SHOPS OR COMING SOON



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Show time
The London Bike Show is back at ExCeL from 16-19 February, and Cycling UK members can get discounted entry. See page 78 for more.



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1 SHIMANO RT4 SPD £84.99

On the heels of Giro's Republic and other classically-styled lace-up touring shoes come these from Shimano, with synthetic leather uppers and recessed-cleat soles. shimano-lifestylegear.com

2 SONDER CAMINO TI £999+

Designed for both 650B (up to 48mm) and 700C (44mm), this rack-and-guard-ready titanium bikepacking bike is available as a frame and carbon fork (£999) or as a complete bike from £1799. alpkit.com/sonder

3 TERN VEKTRON £2800 APPROX

Tern's Bosch-powered 20-inch wheel folder should be available early in 2017 for 3,300 Euros. Like any e-bike it won't be light, but it can be rolled on its wheels when folded. ternbicycles.com

4 KINDERNAY K'AY XIV £1,400 APPROX

This 14-speed hub, due mid-2017, has a 543% range, hydraulic shifting, and a weight saving of around 300g over a Rohloff. It can be swapped between different wheels built on its 'Swap' hub cages. RRP is 14,990 Norwegian Krone. kinderay.com

5 ORTLIEB FRAME-PACK £TBC

More bikepacking luggage from Ortlieb that's waterproof and probably bombproof. The frame-pack comes in two sizes: medium (4 litres) and large (6 litres). ortlieb.com

6 FLAER REVO VIA £250

Remember the Scottoiler, which dripped oil on your chain as you rode? It's back (sort of), claiming to save 12 Watts compared to a conventionally-lubed drivetrain... flaer.com

7 SURLY 24-PACK RACK £129.99

This porteur-style chrome-moly rack adds a 40x27cm platform to a bike that has fork crown and mid-leg eyelets (e.g. Surly ones). It's good for 13.6kg of touring luggage or groceries. surlybikes.com