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Cycle-friendly employers

The University of Sunderland has recently been awarded Gold status as a Cycle Friendly Employer, joining a growing list of accredited workplaces including Teesside University, Northumbria University, Newcastle City Council, and the RVI in Newcastle. Newcastle also hosts one of the UK's first Cycle Friendly Buildings: One Trinity Gardens. Think your workplace could be a Cycle Friendly Employer? Ask your HR or facilities team to get in touch today. cyclinguk.org/cycle-friendly-employer

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Empowered to ride

Cycling UK, funded by CoMo UK, will be running free training sessions for on-street hire e-bikes and e-scooters in Salford. The sessions are open to residents in Greater Manchester with a disability or long-term health condition, and will give an introduction to using the apps, planning journeys and building confidence on the e-bikes and e-scooters. Delivered in partnership with Lime e-scooters and Starling Bank e-bikes, free access will be provided during the sessions. cyclinguk.org/e-bike-scooter-training

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Are you Eryri ready?

Dreaming of taking on a big ride next year? Entries for Cycling UK's 2026 challenge events are now open, with rides including London to Paris and London to Geneva. Looking for something closer to home? Take on Snowdon Sea to Summit – an unforgettable journey by kayak, bike and on foot from coast to peak through some of Wales's most stunning landscapes. (See cyclinguk.org/cycle/biking-snowdon for advice if you ever want to cycle on Snowdon.) cyclinguk.org/fundraising/Snowdon



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Bike bus just the ticket

Cycling UK's Scotland Advocacy Lead, Scott Runciman, recently joined the Flora Stevenson Bike Bus to celebrate its first birthday – a joyful ride that also highlighted the urgent need for safer routes to school. More than 30 riders, campaigners and families took part. Bike buses are a fun, practical solution, but they also spotlight what's missing: safe everyday routes for children. Follow our 'My ride. Our right' campaign (p30) to see how you can get involved and help create lasting change. cyclinguk.org/flora-stevenson-bike-bus

