



CYCLABILITY AUDIT



INTRODUCTION

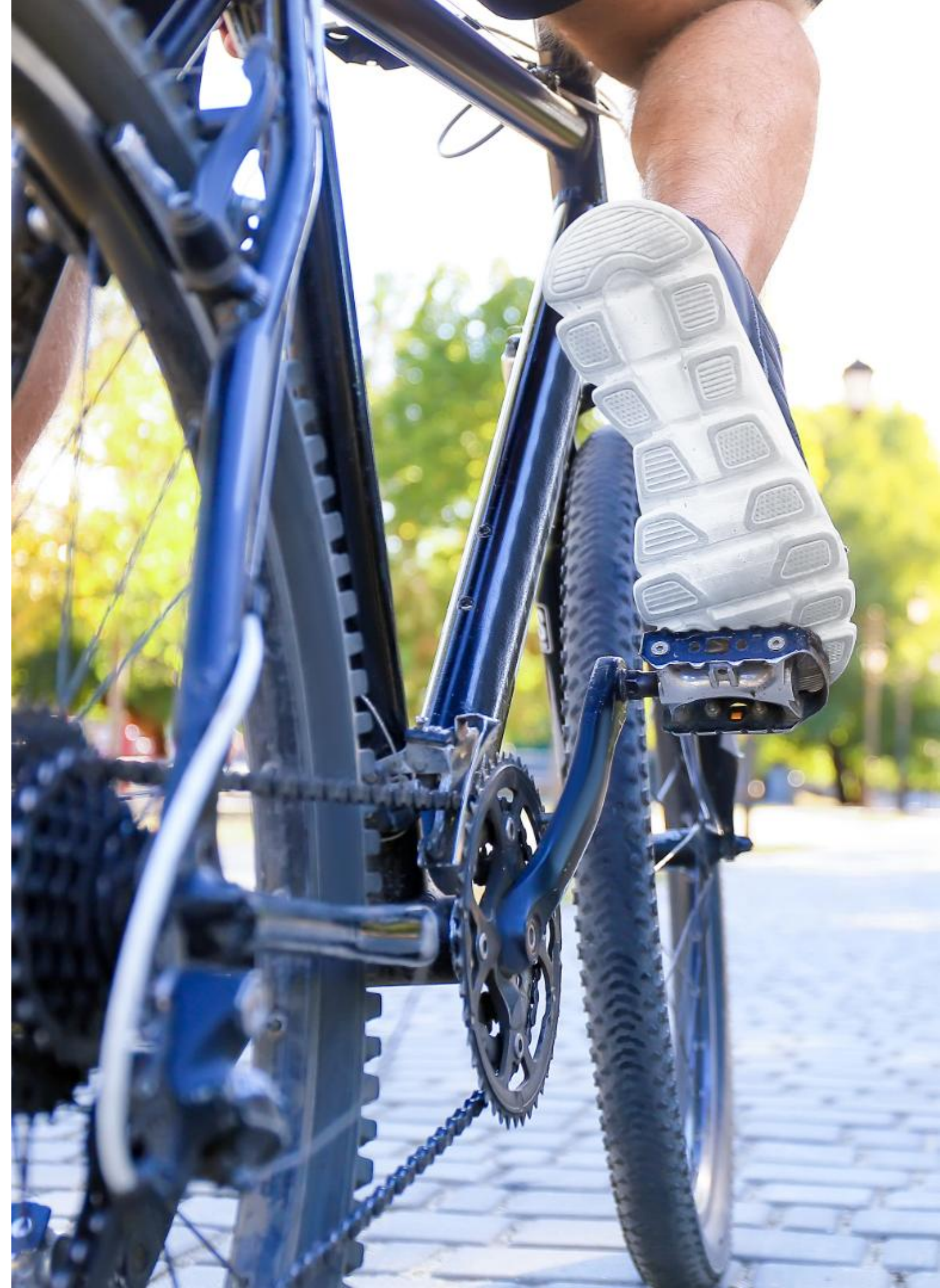
Encouraging cycling to and from your club can significantly reduce carbon emissions, ease congestion and promote healthier lifestyles. However, for many members, safety, accessibility and infrastructure can be barriers to choosing to cycle.

A Cyclability Audit helps your Club assess how safe and practical it is for members to cycle to your facilities. It looks at cycling routes outside the Club, access into the grounds and the availability of appropriate facilities such as bike parking.

This resource provides a structured approach for your Together Greener Team to identify barriers and opportunities to support cycling as part of your Club's sustainable travel approach.

This resource will support your Club to:

- Assess how safe and accessible cycling routes are to your Club.
- Identify barriers preventing members from cycling.
- Review facilities such as bike parking and site access.
- Engage with local authorities and Active Travel partners.
- Inform your Travel Action Plan and Green Goals.





WHEN TO AUDIT

When to Use a 'Cyclability' Audit

A Cyclability Audit is most effective for clubs located within approximately 10km of local population areas, schools or community hubs.

You can carry out this audit:

- At the start of your Together Greener journey, to establish a baseline.
- When considering improvements to facilities or access.
- To support engagement with local authorities on cycling infrastructure.
- Periodically to review progress.



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AUDIT COMPLETION

How to Complete the Cyclability Audit

Your audit should be completed by members of your Together Greener Team, ideally including confident cyclists familiar with local routes.

Clubs should:

- Cycle the main routes to the Club.
- Observe safety, accessibility and ease of use.
- Record findings using the tables provided.
- Take photos where helpful.
- Discuss and agree priority issues.

Safety is essential. Participants should wear high visibility clothing, use appropriate lighting and remain alert at all times





CYCLABILITY AUDIT CHECKLIST

Club Name:
Date:

Outside Club Grounds

ISSUE	YES/NO	COMMENTS
Are the main cycling routes to the Club well-lit?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Are there cycle lanes or designated cycling routes available?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
If cycle lanes exist, are they continuous and in good condition?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Are there issues such as potholes, poor surfaces or obstacles?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Are cycle lanes blocked by parked vehicles or other obstructions?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Are there any safety concerns, such as busy junctions or poor visibility?	Yes ☐ No ☐	



CYCLABILITY AUDIT CHECKLIST

Club Name:
Date:

Entering / Inside Club Grounds

ISSUE	YES/NO	COMMENTS
Is there sufficient bike parking available?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Is bike parking secure, visible and easy to access?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Is bike parking clearly signposted?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Are routes into the Club safe for cyclists?	Yes ☐ No ☐	
Are cycling distances and times communicated to members? If so, how?	Yes ☐ No ☐	



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Club Name:

Date:

Additional Observations

USE THIS SPACE TO CAPTURE ANY OTHER ISSUES OR OPPORTUNITIES IDENTIFIED DURING THE AUDIT.

Audit completed by:



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CYCLING ROUTE AUDIT

To gain a more detailed understanding, your Club can carry out a specific route audit using the template provided.

Clubs should:

- Nominate one or more confident cyclists to review key routes.
- Cycle routes commonly used by members.
- Record specific issues and locations.
- Take photos where appropriate.
- Exercise caution when stopping to record findings.



ROUTE AUDIT RECORDING SHEET

Club Name:

Date:

Route description:

ISSUE NO.	DESCRIPTION, INCLUDING LOCATION	RECOMMENDATION
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		



AUDIT FINDINGS

Once completed, your audit will highlight key barriers and opportunities to improve cycling access.

Clubs can:

- Identify improvements within their control, such as bike parking.
- Engage with local authorities on infrastructure such as cycle lanes and road safety.
- Support funding applications or partnerships for cycling initiatives.
- Encourage more members to consider cycling.

Where issues are outside your control, sharing findings with your local authority Active Travel team can support wider improvements.



FURTHER SUPPORT

Completing a Cyclability Audit will give your Club a clearer understanding of how safe and practical it is for members to cycle to your facilities.

You do not need to address everything at once. Use your findings to identify a small number of priority actions, such as improving bike parking or engaging with local partners on route safety.

This audit can be revisited over time to track improvements and support continuous progress.

Use what you have learned in this resource to:

- Inform one of your two mandatory Green Goals.
- Develop your Travel Action Plan.
- Engage with local authorities and partners.
- Promote cycling as a safe and accessible option.

Even small improvements, such as secure bike parking or clearer route information, can make a significant difference in encouraging more people to cycle to your Club.

Further information on Travel can be found at www.faw.cymru/TogetherGreener-travel.

If you require support completing this audit, please contact sustainability@faw.cymru