## Bike Week 2023

## Marketing Information Webinar

7<sup>th</sup> March 2023









## Agenda

- National Marketing Campaign TFI
  - Campaign Brief/Key Message
  - Visuals
  - Marketing / PR Plan
- Local Campaign
  - Toolkit & Resources
  - Social Media
  - PR
- Key Dates & Next Steps



## Bike Week 2023 – National Campaign Brief

Campaign Date	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup> May
Requirements	Develop a creative and strategic media partnership to promote Bike
	Week 2023 to as wide an audience as possible.
Communication Objective(s)	Bike Week is taking place between 13 <sup>th</sup> and 21 <sup>st</sup> May and to mark the
	occasion there are a range of events taking place nationwide. The goal is
	to encourage people across Ireland to get on a bike during bike week and
	beyond. Highlighting the benefits of cycling; quick, convenient,
	affordable, efficient, economical, eco-friendly, healthy.
Key Message	Bike Week 2023 is taking place between 13 <sup>th</sup> and 21 <sup>st</sup> May.
	Cycling is for everyone!
Target Audience	All people nationwide, especially those who don't cycle regularly. Also
	includes commuters, families and leisure cyclists.



## Bike Week 2023 – Key Visuals

The key visuals are being used as the basis for all visual assets, including:

- Posters
- Campaign assets for social media, digital
- Certificates
- Other Bike Week branded formats







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13th - 21st May 2023

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## Marketing Plan





## Bike Week 2023 – Media Strategy

Activity running 8<sup>th</sup> to 21st May

Radio
Print
Digital
Display

Digital
Audio
YouTube
Media



## Bike Week 2023 – Radio Spots

IRS activity to run on local regional stations and independent stations across the Country.



Urban Media to run on all stations:

Cork 96, FM104, Q102, Limerick Live, LMFM, Galway Bay, WLR FM as well as independent rural radio stations

**English & Irish** 





## Bike Week 2023 - Radio









## Bike Week 2023 – Print & Digital Media

- Advertorials will be run across a number of newspapers including the following:
  - Journal
  - Independent
  - Examiner
  - Irish Times
  - Breaking News

Sample advertorials for using at a local level will be included in Marketing Toolkit



### Bike Week 2023 – Outdoor Media

- Bus Shelters Bike
   Week posters will be
   displayed on a number
   of bus shelters from 7<sup>th</sup>
   to 20<sup>th</sup> May.
- Digi Shelter





### Bike Week 2023 – Social Media

Activity running 8th to 21 May







### Bike Week 2023 - VOD





## Local Campaigns – Toolkit & Resources





### PR & Comms

- National Press Release 1st week in May.
- A regional release should be issued directly from each LA/LSP to local media outlets
- National & Local Press Release
- Photography should include BikeWeek Corriboards





Sample Editorial



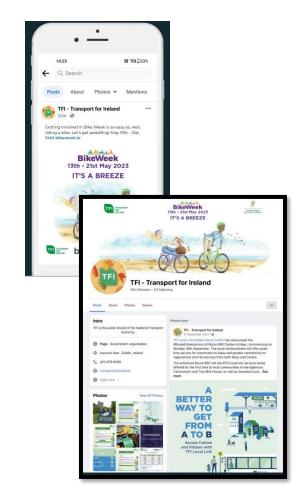
### **Social Media**



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- Gifs Instagram,
   Twitter, Facebook
- Social Media Cheat
   Sheet
- TFI posts





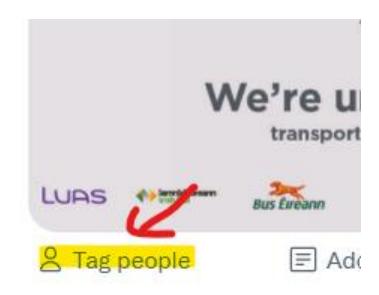
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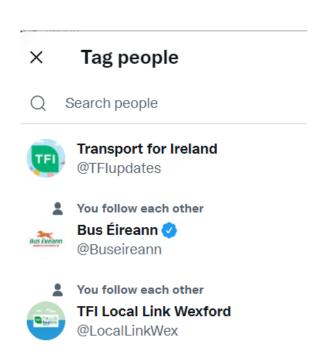
Primary #	Secondary #	<u>Relevant</u> #
MUST use #BikeWeek on first mention	<ul> <li>#BikeWeekCounty, e.g.</li> <li>#BikeWeekCork,</li> <li>#BikeWeekFingal, etc.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2 max on Twitter/Facebook</li> <li>3 max on LinkedIn</li> <li>10 max on Instagram (suggested to use up to 5)</li> </ul>
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### Social Media Basics

- Link SM posts to Bike Week event page
- Include TFI/NTA handles when possible (can tag up to 10 accounts on images on Twitter)







### NTA/TFI Accounts

- NTA
  - LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/company/national-transport-authority\_2
- TFI
  - Twitter: <a href="https://twitter.com/TFlupdates">https://twitter.com/TFlupdates</a>
  - Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Transportforlreland/">https://www.facebook.com/Transportforlreland/</a>
  - Instagram: <a href="https://www.instagram.com/transportforireland/">https://www.instagram.com/transportforireland/</a>







- Twitter: <a href="https://twitter.com/TFISmartTravel">https://twitter.com/TFISmartTravel</a>
- Instagram: <a href="https://www.instagram.com/tfismartertravel/">https://www.instagram.com/tfismartertravel/</a>







## Bike Week 2023 – Branding

- Don't change the logo
- Don't change the Bike Week visuals
- Don't change the Bike Week posters except were using the editable posters
- Don't put anything before #BikeWeek



### Bike Week 2023 – Website

#### **Public Facing and Private Page**

- Public page Bike Week events by County
- Private Page Marketing Toolkit & Resources password
  - Bike Week Resources Transport for Ireland



## **Toolkit & Resources**



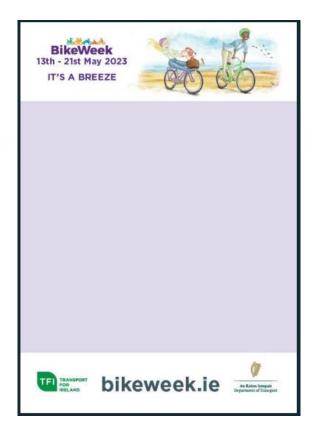


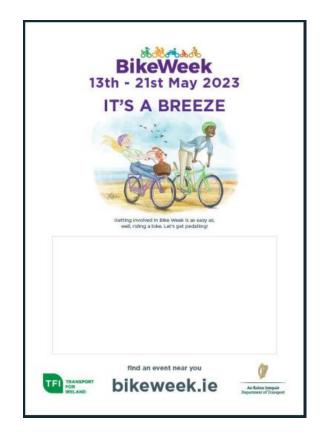
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certificate of Achievement Congratulations First name Surname

for participating in BikeWeek 2023



### Marketing Toolkit & Resources

- Posters A4 & A3 Irish & English
- Editable posters Irish & English
- Social media assets Irish & English
- Certificate Irish & English
- Social media cheat sheet
- Press releases
- Sample local editorials
- Forms (events, greenways & cycle routes & grant claim forms)
- Logos Irish & English
- Corriboards







## Bike Week 2023 – Key Dates

Date	Action
End March	Corriboards Distributed
Due 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Greenways & Cycle Routes uploaded to website
Due 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Confirmed Events for uploading to BikeWeek website deadline
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	National Press Release
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Regional press release issued directly from each LA/LSP to local media outlets
Sat 13 <sup>th</sup> May – Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Bike Week



### **Next Steps**

- Plan your marketing campaign
- Greenway & Cycle route information
- Look at the bikeweek.ie website
- Let us know how we can support you



## Timeline

#### **November**

Funding Applications
Open

#### **January**

**Information Webinar**Funding Applications

#### **February**

Funding Allocations Confirmed

#### May

Bike Week 13<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>

#### April 14th

Events confirmed & uploaded to
Bike Week Website

#### March

Marketing
Information Webinar
Distribute Corriboards

#### June 30th

Grant Submissions & Final Reports

#### July

Grants approved

#### September

Bike Week 2023 Review & Bike Week 2024 Launch

# Thank You



# Questions







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