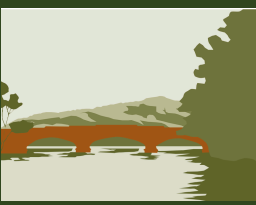




# Callander Connect



JUNE 2024

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# Who's been in?

## Royal British Legion Pop-Up Shop

We were thrilled to host a day of baking and bric-a-brac with the volunteers of the Royal British Legion.

## Achray Farm Pop-Up Shop

A visit from the ever-popular Achray Farm who brought their delicious crop of vegetables and ice cream, locally grown and made.

## Save St Kessogs

Community Council subgroup "Save St Kessogs" hosted a meeting to raise awareness about the current status of Callander's much-loved landmark.

**Callander Amateur Operatic Society**  
Interviews took place for the Producer of CAOS's 2025 show - *Made In Dagenham!*



Other groups too, such as:

**Callander Enterprise**

**Callander Flood Group**

**Ben Ledi View Committee**

**SATURDAY  
15 JUNE 2024**

**DROP IN BETWEEN  
11AM TO 4PM**

# PEDAL INTO SUMMER

AT CALLANDER CONNECT

**FT. COMMUNITY EBIKE LAUNCH!**

and much more...  
**Free community e-bike trials -  
Imagine a future active travel  
hub - Try out the Smoothie Bike -  
Discover new routes - Meet other  
cyclists - something for all.**

**PLUS...**

## **2PM ADVENTURE**

**Bike ride to Strathyre Cabins (8 miles/13km)  
Organised by Meanders Group  
Meet at Ancaster Square  
Bring your own roadworthy bike and water**

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## **E-BIKE Share Scheme launches!**

Callander E-bike Share Club is a membership club allowing local residents to use the four E-bikes owned by CCDT.

The E-bikes are ideally suited to active travel, replacing short car journeys with a pedal-assisted e-bike with a pannier rack and panniers.

To use the E-bikes, you must complete an induction session with CCDT. Then you can book them online, pick one up from Callander Connect, and off you go!

E-bikes cost £5/week to rent, or by an Annual Membership for £24. There is a range of sizes to try.

The E-bikes were purchased using funding from Cycling UK. CCDT will use the income from rentals and memberships to insure, maintain and manage the E-bikes.

## **Local Place Plan Priorities update**

### **Pedestrian Footbridge (1.i.a)**

Stirling Council are progressing the proposed footbridge project at the east end of Callander. Look out for consultations about this project!

### **Main Street Regeneration (5.i & 5.iii)**

Quotes are being gathered, in consultation with Main Street business owners, about refreshing some of the shop fronts with new paint.

### **Safe Walking Routes to School (1.i.b & 1.ii)**

We have had fruitful discussions with the Council about decreasing the gradient of the Creep footpath to make it more wheel-friendly.

### **Meadows Masterplan (2.i)**

Funding is being sought to explore ideas and future projects for the Meadows and Station Road car parks with the aim to create a sustainable active travel hub and recreational space for residents and visitors alike.