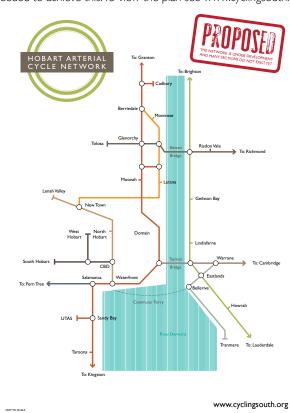
Family Rides

- Intercity Cycleway Hobart's premier shared cycling/walking track that extends for 16 km between Hobart's waterfront at Sullivans Cove to Bilton Street in Claremont. Being constructed on a disused railway line means there are no steep hills or sharp turns, making it ideal for families or novice bike riders. Points of interest along the route include the Botanic Gardens, Cornelian Bay playground, MONA and Cadbury chocolate factory.
- 2 Montrose Foreshore Trail Part of the Glenorchy Art and Sculpture Park (GASP) the trail follows the shore of the Derwent River. The northern end connects to the Intercity Cycleway via an underpass beneath the Brooker Hwy and the Barossa Creek Path provides a connection back to the foreshore at the traffic lights near the Derwent Entertainment Centre, providing a good 6km circuit ride.
- 3 NewTown RivuletTrack A short family ride starting at John Turnbull Park. The track heads towards Mt Wellington (utilising a section of footpath on Lenah Valley Rd) and continues upstream past the Grecianstyle temple built in the early 1840s by Lady Jane Franklin. The upper section of track passes beautiful pools and waterfalls set in beds of sandstone.
- 4 Hobart Rivulet Track A leafy 3km track following the rivulet from Molle St to the foot of Mt Wellington. The track leaves the rivulet at Degraves St and passes the historic Female Factory, once home to convict women and their children, and finishes at Cascade Gardens near the grounds of the famous brewery where there are picnic facilities and a playground. A missing middle section requiring a detour should be completed in summer 2011/12.
- 5 Pipeline track A gently graded gravel track that starts opposite the Fern Tree Tavern and winds its way around the contours of Mt Wellington for approximately 12km. The track is shady and fernlined in the early sections, opening out into the wooded slopes of the mountain. Occasional clearings in the trees provide views of the city, Cathedral Rock, Mt Montague and the coastline to the south. A side track near the start provides a pleasant detour to Silver Falls. There is a low-level bridge that requires dismounting and lifting bikes down a couple of steps midway along the track.
- 6 Domain circuit The roadway on Upper Domain Road has been closed to cars, leaving a wide sealed track around the top of Queens Domain suitable for cycling.
- Clarence Foreshore Trail The trail follows the eastern shore of the Derwent between Geilston Bay and Howrah. It provides views across the water to Mt Wellington and passes numerous parks and playgrounds. A few missing sections require utilising footpaths or quiet roads. Places of interest include Bellerive Beach, Kangaroo Bluff fort built in 1880 to protect the city, and historic Bellerive Village and boardwalk.
- 8 Natone Hill Circuit Track— A flat loop track around the perimeter of Natone Hill, with a short section on Tianna Rd. The track offers views across the Derwent River and surrounding hills. Parking is available on Nubeena St or Tianna Rd.
- **9 Risdon Brook Dam track** This ride offers a wide and gently undulating track that is suitable for families. The 4km circuit offers views of Mt Wellington and Mt Direction. Toilets and picnic facilities are available at the start.

Hobart Regional Arterial Bicycle Network Plan

The plan, developed by Cycling South, identifies a desired logical network of arterial bike routes across the Greater Hobart Area. Sections of the network exist but there is still a long way to go before interconnected routes comprising of bike lanes and multi-user paths become a reality. We want to make it easy and convenient for more people to ride bikes more often for health, social and economic benefits and a quality cycling network is needed to achieve this. To view the plan see www.cyclingsouth.org



Secure Bicycle Parking in Hobart **AUSTINS FERRY** Argyle St car park - Bicycle parking cage with electronic swipe card access and CCTV surveillance. The cage contains lockers. Public toilets and are located almost immediately adjacent to the facility entrance. Small fee for annual membership. Salamanca Square car park – Bicycle parking cage with Contact Hobart City Council Customer Service Centre CLAREMONT 6238 278 I to use either facility. Weather Hobart is the second driest capital city in Australia and receives less rain than Perth, Melbourne, Canberra or Sydney. Hobart is sunnier than Melbourne and has more daylight hours in the summertime than any other city in Australia. Average summer temperatures HOBART are in the low 20s so it rarely gets too hot to cycle and wearing extra layers in winter allows for comfortable cycling all year round. OTAGO For latest weather forecast www.bom.gov.au CHIGWELL **BATTERY** Drinking fountains **POINT** Intercity cycleway – BBQ area at start near Cenotaph Nutgrove Beach Park – Lower Sandy Bay **RISDON VALE** 2 ROSETTA RISDON 7017 MONTROSE **GLENORCHY GEILSTON BAY** LUTANA WEST LINDISFARNE MOONAH LENAH fin. VALLEY MOUNT STUART LEGEND Busy roads with higher traffic volumes and speeds suited to more experienced cyclists MT WELLINGTON Arterial routes **HOBART ROKEBY** Quieter roads in residential areas with lower traffic volumes and speeds. Local routes Bike lane Multi-use path ••••• Sealed Gravel ••••• TRANMERE Footpath Mountain Bike Track LOWER SANDY Bike shop <<< Steep BAY Bike parking → One way street 强 Picnic area 4 Playground Toilet Shops MOUNT NELSON Disclaimer TAS|**MAP** Cyclists using the "Hobart Bicycle Map" do so at their own risk. Every care has been taken in the preparation of the map, however Cycling www.tasmap.tas.gov.au South Inc and Councils will not accept responsibility for any personal injury and/or damage to property arising from the use of the map.



Using this map

It is legal to ride a bicycle on all roads in Tasmania but the map's aim is to identify routes already used by cyclists which offer a higher level of comfort than surrounding roads and may have less traffic, sealed shoulders, wider vehicle lanes or gentler hills. Cyclists are required by law to wear a helmet on public roads (or paths), have a bell, use a white front light and red rear light in poor lighting conditions and obey the road rules.

Riding on footpaths

It is legal to ride on footpaths in Tasmania unless signs are displayed prohibiting cycling. Footpath cycling is useful to go along a one-way street in the opposite direction or to avoid sections of busy roads. However footpath cycling requires giving way to pedestrians and necessitates avoiding poles, street furniture and other obstacles (such as cars backing out of driveways). Cyclists also need to stop to cross side streets. These factors can make footpaths slow and inconvenient to use. Footpaths shown on the map have been highlighted where they provide convenient connections.

Riding on multi-user paths and cycleways

Multi-user paths and cycleways provide traffic-free cycling but are shared with walkers and sometimes dogs on lead. Most multi-user paths have centre lines and users should keep left, overtake on the right and warn when passing by using a bell or voice.

Riding on mountain bike tracks

Most MTB tracks are shared use tracks with walkers and can vary from cross-country tracks to downhill and have different levels of difficulty. On Mt Wellington check weather forecasts and be prepared. It is recommended you obtain more detailed information and maps on mountain biking in the Hobart area. Refer to website links. Please note bicycling is prohibited on some tracks in Mt Wellington and surrounding park areas. Please respect these restrictions and ride on the designated tracks only. www.greaterhobarttrails.com.au www.wellingtonpark.org.au

Road Rules and Cycling

A full list of the road rules in Tasmania including the Tasmanian Road Rules Booklet can be viewed at

http://www.transport.tas.gov.au/licensing/publications/ tasmanian_road_rules

Cycling-specific rules can be viewed at www.cyclingsouth.org

Bike hire

Art Bikes

Arts lovers can borrow a bike for free and cruise the galleries of Hobart. They can be picked up from Rosny Barn and include free sanitised helmets, bike locks and touring map.

www.arts.tas.gov.au/arts@work/artbikes

• MONA Bikes

Bicycles can be hired from the MONA Brooke St ferry terminal on Hobart's waterfront or at the Museum of Old and New Art (MONA) in Berriedale. www.mona.net.au

• Spoke Bike Hire

Located at the Cenotaph/Regatta Grounds (5 min walk from Hobart city centre) next to Intercity Cycleway.T: 6232 4848 E: ride@spokebikehire.com.au www.spokebikehire.com.au

• Moto Adventure Bike Hire Located at IA Brooke Street on the Hobart Waterfront. Electric bikes, pedal bicycles and tandems available.T: 0447 556 189 E: info@motoadventure.com.au www.motoadventure.com.au

• Cyclingo MTB hire

Quality mountain bike hire at 466 Macquarie St, South Hobart T: 6224 6533 E: shop@cyclingso.com.au www.cyclingo.com.au

Campgrounds

- New Norfolk Caravan Park 6261 1268
- Richmond Cabin & Tourist Park 6260 2192
- Cambridge-Barilla Holiday Park 6248 5453
- Seven Mile Beach Cabin Park 6248 6469
- Hobart-Treasure Island Caravan Park 6249 2379 • Hobart Cabins & Cottages at Elwick 6272 7115
- Snug Beach Cabin & Caravan Park 6267 9138
- ludbury-Barnes Camp Site 6266 0279
- Ranelagh-Huon Bush Retreats 6264 2233
- Bruny Is-Adventure Bay Hol. Village 6293 1270
- Bruny Is-Captain James Cook Caravan Park 6293 1128
- Dover Beachside Caravan Park 6298 1301 • Huon Valley Caravan Park 0438 304 383
- www.discovertasmania.com.au/where-to-stay/

Cycling clubs

- Bicycle Network Tasmania membership organisation offering bike crash insurance, social rides and advocacy for more cycling infrastructure. www.biketas.org.au
- HobartWheelers/Dirt Devils-cycling club catering for roadcycling, mountain biking, trackracing and time trialling. www.hobartwheelers.com.au
- Southern Tasmanian Cycling Club (STCC) Conducts races most Sunday mornings throughout the year. Newcomers are always welcome. www.stcc.asn.au
- Southern City BMX Club Based at the Berriedale BMX Track, 5 Alcorso Drive, Berriedale www.southerncitybmx.com.au

Cycling organisations

• Cycling South - The Southern Tasmanian Councils Bicycle Committee comprising of Hobart, Glenorchy, Clarence, Kingborough and Brighton Councils working together to develop a cycling network for Greater Hobart

www.cyclingsouth.org E: info@cyclingsouth.org T 03 6273 4463

- Tasmanian Bicycle Council The peak body for all recreational and transport cycling groups. E: tasmanianbicyclecouncil@dier.tas.gov.au
- Hobart Bike Kitchen A non-profit group that accepts unwanted bicycles which are recycled into useable bikes. All are welcome to attend a session where tools and advice are available to assist individuals to create a new bike for themselves or fix up their own bike. www.hobartbikekitchen.org E: hobartbikekitchen@gmail.com

Bike Parks (free entry)

- Children's training tracks Educational bike tracks which are scaled down versions of roadways that have roundabouts, intersections and traffic signs.
- New Norfolk Tynwald Park, Lyell Hwy
- Margate Dru Point Bicentennial Park, Esplanade
- Howrah Wentworth Play Park, Salacia Ave • Brighton – Seymour St Park
- Criterium circuit, (Glenorchy) 800m sealed circuit track at Tolosa Park, Glenorchy.
- New Town Velodrome New Town Road behind netball centre.
- BMX Tracks (Berridale & Geilston Bay) Specially constructed courses consisting of dirt jumps and banked turns. Berridale Reserve, 5 Alcorso Drive, Berriedale & Geilston Bay Regional Park, DeBomfords Lane, Geilston Bay.
- South Hobart Pump Track A compact continuous loop that consist of a series of dirt rolling bumps and banked corners (berms) that allow the rider to gain momentum reducing (or eliminating) the need to pedal. Old quarry site, Waterworks Road, Dynnyrne.
- Mountain Bike Parks
- Glenorchy MTB Park Tolosa Park, top end of Tolosa St, Glenorchy.
- Clarence MTB Park Flagstaff Gully Link Road off Tasman Hwy, Mornington.
- Kingston MTB Park Kingston View Dr, Kingston www.greaterhobarttrails.com.au

Cover photo: The Ray family ride the Clarence Foreshore Trail at Kangaroo Bay. Photo: David Bellamy.