

BASILDON UPDATE

ESSEX PEDAL POWER ATTENDS NORTHLAND PARKPLAY

Essex Pedal Power joined the Northlands ParkPlay team to give out bikes following some referrals in the local community. The Essex Pedal Power tent was set up near the area used for the ParkPlay activities, which provided a great opportunity to talk to local residents about ParkPlay and the Essex Pedal Power initiative. A total of 7 bikes were presented with several more referrals being made for bikes on the day.

One of the local dads from the group who had applied for a bike to support him with travel to and from work provided some great feedback about the quality of the bike and expressed his gratitude stating that the bike would make travel so much easier for him.



STREET TAG

We are thrilled to announce the winners of the Street Tag Basildon and Brentwood Alliance leaderboard. This Season's champions are Langdon Hills Medical Centre, who recently acquired Active Practice status, with as many as 2,647,830 points. In second place, Dr A Naeem & Partners, The New Surgery with 1,646,245 points and Deal Tree Health Centre with 1,111,315 points in third place. This season's leaderboard achieved over 12 million steps, 14,556 tags were collected, and they covered 9804.8263 active miles. Congratulations to our winners! Well done to all the participants for pushing themselves to achieve new heights and contributing to the success of this Leaderboard Season.





NHS 75TH ANNIVERSARY PARKRUN

Basildon & Brentwood Alliance helped to support Langdon Medical Centre in applying for their Active Practice status, where they pledge to reduce sedentary behaviour in staff and patients, increase physical activity in staff and patients and be part of an active community.

Congratulations to the Basildon Medical Centre!



CYCLING UK

Cycling UK have awarded Basildon Council £1,998 through the Big Bike Revival to deliver a series of cycling events this summer. Events will be delivered through The Active Wellbeing Society who deliver Essex Pedal Power Basildon, in partnership with local organisations such as Swan Housing, ATF and the Find Your Active festival. There will be a range of events on offer including led rides, cycle training and learn to fix sessions.

TENDRING UPDATE





COLCHESTER UPDATE

ESSEX PEDAL POWER COLCHESTER ATTEND SNEEICS EXPO2023

On Friday 7th July, Active Essex and Essex Pedal Power Colchester attended the SNEEICS 'Can Do Health and Care' Expo2023 at Wherstead Park in Ipswich. The Expo brought together a huge range of partners from the Suffolk and North East Essex Integrated Care System, to celebrate and share all of the amazing work going on across our system to improve the health and wellbeing of people in our local communities. Hundreds of people attended the event from every part of the ICS and there was a packed agenda of exhibits, workshops, forums, and presentations.

Our stand showcased EPP with Nik Hughes and Alex McNulty from the Colchester EPP team and Ian Duggan from Active Essex answering questions and enquiries throughout the day from lots of interested delegates. As well as our stand, Active Essex hosted a workshop - "Place Based Approaches to Supporting Healthy Communities" – Creating a whole system, place based approach to supporting active and healthy communities: Learning from the Essex Local Delivery Pilot.

John Fox (Tendring District Council) and Michelle Tarbun (Colchester City Council) led the workshop with Hannah Taylor (Active Essex) providing details on evaluation and data analysis of LDP projects, with a focus on Colchester and Tendring as they sit within the SNEEICS footprint.

