

MOUNTAIN BIKING



ACCOMMODATION / BIKE HIRE

The Smugglers Hostel is located at the heart of the Cairngorms amongst world class mountain biking trails, both specially designed and natural.

Whether you are coming on your own, as a family or as part of a group, we have everything you need, including 24 beds, bike storage, maintenance area and expert advice to get you safely out on the hills and trails.

For groups of eight or more we can organise equipment hire, including high quality bikes from our hire partner, Basecamp Bikes.

We have excellent self catering options which you are very welcome to use but for your convenience we can also offer you:

Buffet breakfast...eat all you can for £4.00 per person/ £2.00 for children under 12

Wholesome and nutritious packed lunches designed for the outdoor adventurer @ £5.00 per person/ £3.00 for children

Evening 'one pot' meals available for groups of 4 or more @ £6.00 per person/ £4.00 for children under 12

Hire of top of the range Hardtail Bike, Helmet, Repair Kit and one nights stay-£40 pp/pn

Hire of top of the range Full-Suspension Bike, Helmet, Repair Kit and one night stay-£65 pp/pn

Kids Mountain Bikes, 24" Wheel, Helmet, Repair Kit and one nights stay- £28 pp/pn

Equipment Hire

XC Helmet Hire £5 pp/pd Full Face Helmet Hire £10 pp/pd Knee and Elbow Protection £8 pp/pd

Room Prices

2 x 6 Dorm £15 pp/pn 1 x 4 Dorm £15 pp/pn 1 x 4 Dorm (ensuite) £18 pp/pn 1 x Dorm (ensuite-1 double bed plus 3 single bunks) £18 pp/pn

Want to book as a small group or have an exclusive hostel booking? Please contact us directly for discounted prices. Special deals available for organised mountain biking groups including free night stay for group leaders or organisers.

LOCAL TRACKS AND TRAILS

Here are few examples of the great riding the area has to offer. If you have a destination in mind but are unsure of which route to take, please contact a member of staff and we can help you plan and also provide maps and information to help you on your way.



Glenlivet MTB trail has just opened! This exciting new trail is a mix of existing forest track and newly built single track. There will also be a log cabin building set amongst the trees with cafe, car parking and toilets.

Carn Meilich(Blue Graded) = 10km Carn Daimh (Red Graded) = 21km



The Lecht Downhill track. When the snow finally goes and Spring arrives, the Lecht offers two specially designed trails with dirt jumps, bomb holes and riding features built from rock.

Red fox trail 1600m Blue hare trail 1900m



On Route to Ben Avon. This ride will usually take around 5-7 hrs to complete and will test both riding and navigation skills. Long climbs, rocky ascents and un-paved plateau tracks, this is indeed for riders wanting to be pushed to their limits on natural and wild trails.



Tomintoul to Inchrory. Really well laid, single track road through the stunning valley of Glen Avon. Great for indivduals or groups looking for a decent ride, lots of beautiful scenery but without traffic and navigation to worry about.

Estimated round trip 2-3 hrs.



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Monster Trails

Glenlivet Mountain Bike Trail



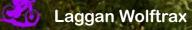
Cairngorm Trail



Inchrory



Craggon Outdoors



The Bike Station

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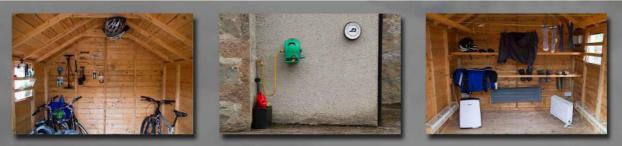
Base Camp Bikes

Ben Avon

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Contact and Information

The Smugglers Hostel has everything you need after a hard days ride; a warm welcome, comfortable dorms, fantastic communal area and hot showers. Bikes cleaned and safely stored, wet and muddy clothing can be washed and dried, ready for the next days adventure!



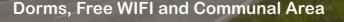
Cycle Storage and Maintenance, Cleaning area and Drying room





Kitchen and Dining Area







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