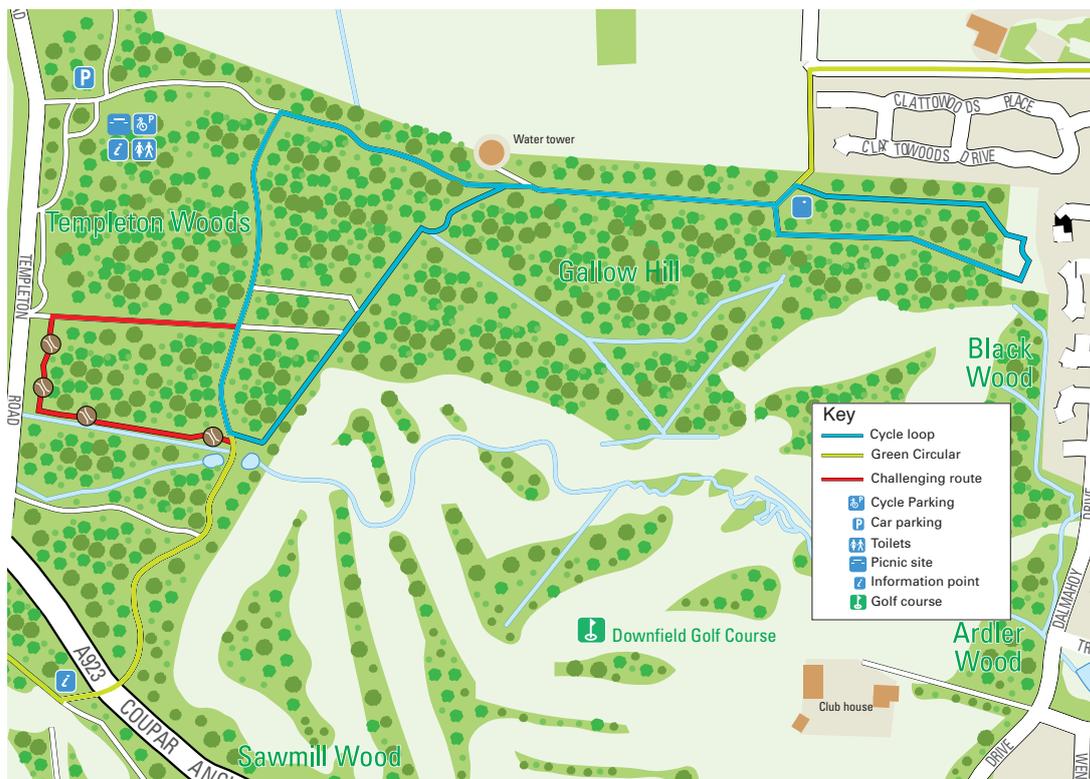


Scottish Mountain Bike Trails

DUNDEE: ROUTE NO.4

TEMPLETON TRAILS

ROUTE No **04**



STARTING POINT(S)

Join the loop via the Green Circular or any of the woods wide tracks

SUMMARY

Narrow trails and wide tracks in Dundee's biggest woodland.

MAX HEIGHT GAINED

25 m

LENGTH

3.2 km



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For more information on mountain biking in Dundee:

Ancrum Outdoor Education: www.ancrum.com
www.developingmountainbikinginscotland.com

Dundee Access Officer:
www.dundeeity.gov.uk/outaccess

ROUTE NO **04**

ROUTE DESCRIPTION

Starting at the Clatto entrance to the woods, take the left trail at the sign through the birch trees. Keep turning right to return to the track and turn left along the green waymarked trail to the water tower. Here turn left for the long descent known as Palpitation Brae, keeping right at the bottom (soft ground here) to the main track near the ponds. Turn right back on the green waymarked trail, climbing passed the giant xylophone and turn right at the top to return to the water tower and on to the Clatto entrance. The more challenging route starting at the ponds is narrow, with difficult tree roots and wooden bridges which may be slippery when wet.



OTHER PLACES TO RIDE

Large selection of routes for all abilities –
www.cyclehighlandperthshire.com

Tayside and Fife's technically challenging trail centre – www.comrieacroftbikes.co.uk

Jump park, skills courses & singletrack –
Lochore Meadows –
www.meediesmtbclub.co.uk

Forestry Commission Scotland manage mountain bike centres across Scotland with trails for all abilities.
www.forestry.gov.uk/mtbScotland



DO THE RIDE THING

One thing that helps make Dundee's green spaces great for mountain biking is Scotland's much respected access legislation. Here's some advice from the Scottish Outdoor Access Code:

- Take responsibility for your own actions.
- Respect people's privacy and peace of mind.
- Help land managers and other work safely and effectively.
- Care for your environment. Do not disturb wildlife, leave the environment as you find it and follow the path or track.

We also ask:

- Keep off fragile tracks if they are wet and liable to erosion, try to stick to the line of the path.
- Please do your bit to keep our green spaces great.
- Be prepared to stop for other path users.

Route Specifics

- You will probably meet walkers and dog walkers. Be prepared to stop.
- These are working woods. Look out for forestry works, which should be signed.
- Explore other routes in Templeton. Trails near the visitor centre are designed for wheelchair access. Please use these gently to protect the surfaces.

BIKE SHOPS IN DUNDEE

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01382 666644

The Bike Worx 18b Exchange Street,
DD1 3DL. 01382 225354

Nicolsons Cycles 2-4 Forfar Road,
DD4 7AR. 01382 461010

Halfords Kingsway West, DD3 8RX.
0871 4322565

Lanka House Group Barns of
Claverhouse, DD4 9RA. 01382 505683

Cycle Stop Dewar House, Staffa Place,
DD2 3SX. 01382 322331



Discovery Junior Cycle Club is looking for new members and volunteers for Dundee's only mountain bike club. See www.discoveryjcc.com for information.

