

THE 177th ANNIVERSARY - KIRKPATRICK MACMILLAN CYCLE RALLY



Introduction

We are again holding this popular Rally at the beautiful and ideally located Barnsoul Caravan Park near Shawhead in Dumfriesshire on the 2017 May Bank Holiday weekend (May 26th to 29th). Key information for Rally Registration, Meals and Entertainments Booking and Site Booking are set out below, with a few changes from the details with which many of you will have become familiar. Firstly after some 25 years as the focus for Rally bookings Peter Hawkins has decided to retire from direct involvement. The Registration is now with Mike Gray (contact info below), who has been active in KM organization since 2009. I'm sure we will all join in thanking Peter for his hard work and inspiration over the years.

Secondly the Barnsoul management continues to improve the site and introduce new accommodation options. It's become too complex and space consuming to try and summarise these in the main body of the Rally Booking Form, so Barnsoul contact details, including their website, are given below.

See LINK for Barnsoul, Website, Booking and Camping availability. Copies of the Barnsoul Tarrifs' flyer can be obtained from CTC Dumfries and Galloway Website, or Mike (e-mail or post). Campsite info and options details, best consult their Website or contact Barnsoul directly.

Finally, a reminder that the D&G Spring Fling Event is also held over the May BH weekend – this provides terrific opportunities to combine rides with interesting visits to studios and workshops from Saturday through Monday.

Barnsoul Site Booking

As in 2015 the Rally Registration and meals booking is separate from the Site Accommodation booking. The latter is directly with the site by post, e-mail or phone. **IF YOU ARE TRYING TO BOOK A POD OR CABIN, THESE ARE LIMITED, YOU MUST TELEPHONE BARNSOUL FOR AVAILABILITY**

Barnsoul Caravan Park, Shawhead, Dumfries, DG2 9SQ. Tele 01557 814351(This is the Head Office - Kirkcudbright)

Website www.barnsoulcaravanpark.co.uk and e-Mail info@barnsoulcaravanpark.co.uk and Facebook

Being a Bank Holiday weekend you are recommended to book pitches, pods etc ASAP: We cannot guarantee availability of accommodation.

With the rising popularity of the Barnsoul site, and improvements (such as monies spent on a new shower block) we have been unable to obtain a discount for site charges this year (was only 5% in 2015), but comparison with other commercial sites still shows charges at a modest level for this quality of accommodation, coupled with a great location ideally suited for cycling through the splendid Dumfries and Galloway scenery and quiet roads.

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Barnsoul Caravan & Camping Park

Come and explore the countryside and wander in the wide open spaces at Barnsoul Caravan and Camping. Situated in the heart of beautiful Dumfries and Galloway and just 6 miles from Dumfries town centre, you'll be well placed to visit numerous local attractions and activities right on our doorstep.

Booking Arrangements

Booking Type

Touring Type

Length

 Meters (e.g. 5.8)

Arrival Date

 

CTC KM177(26th to 29th May 2017) BOOKING FORM

Please return to:- Mike Gray, 21 Buckingham Road, Louth, Lincs, LN11 0YU

MOBILE 07751 978563 e-mail grayjohnmichael@aol.com

Location: Barnsoul Caravan and Camping, Dumfries DG2 9SQ, UK is 8m west of Dumfries, signed from A75; OS map 84, NX 876776. Nearest Rail Stations, Dimfries and Lockerbie.
GPS 55.080078 -3.762202

If coming by bike, take back roads from Dumfries, via Newbridge and Irongray

Please contact Mike for more access info if required.

The Site is open for Rallyists from Thurs. 25th to Tues. 30th May 2017 **Notes for guidance are on the back of this form.**

Please complete the form and return the booking slip with your remittance by **8th May 2017**
Arrangements can be made for late and On-site Rally Registration - but we cannot guarantee Camping accomodation. We do much appreciate prior booking

A) REGISTRATION	Standard	£15.00 (see Notes 1, 10, 11)
	Teenager with family	£ 6.00 (under 13 - 19)
	Child	£ 2.00 (under 13)

B) EVENING MEAL Evening meals, £11.50, **must** be pre-booked. (Note 4)

C) SOCIAL EVENING Enter no. of tickets required (free) (Note 5)

D) ENTERTAINMENT Enter no. of tickets required (free) (Note 6).

E) QUIZ Enter no. of tickets required (free) (Note 7)

F) SUNDAY B'FAST See Notes 8, 9

BOOKING SLIP

Detach this part and return it with your cheque. Please keep a Record of what you book.

Full Name.....

Address:.....

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Post Code

Tel.....

e-mail.....

No.....@ £15.00 = £.....

No.....@ £ 6.00 = £.....

No.....@ £ 2.00 = £.....

26th 27th 28th 29th

No. _____ £.....

Grand Total £.....

SOCIAL Fri 26th Number

ENTERTAINMENT Sat 27th Number

QUIZ Sun 28th Number

SUNDAY B'FAST Sun 28th Number

I acknowledge that no refund is available except in extreme circumstances. I have kept a copy of this Form for my own reference.

To book and pay electronically, complete slip, save this page, and return it to Mike See Notes below re Payment options

There are 2 principal means of payment:-

1. By cheque: Enclose a cheque, payable to KM Cycle Rally, with your returned Booking Slip.
2. Electronically: By Bank Transfer: Sort Code 80-06-20 Acct No 00547601 Acct Name K M CYCLE RALLY

If using Bank Transfer please don't forget to send the completed Booking Slip to Mike Gray, noting that you have transferred the monies.

Please note that we cannot refund Registration Fees etc unless under exceptional circumstances

KM177 - BOOKING - NOTES for GUIDANCE

1. **REGISTRATION FEE** includes information pack, route cards, Sunday breakfast ticket, entry to evening events, and admin.
2. **CAMPING PITCHES and ON-SITE ACCOMMODATION:** Please book direct with Barnsoul. Follow [THIS LINK](#), to Barnsoul Tariff flyer.
3. **ALTERNATIVE ACCOMMODATION.** For all alternative accommodation please contact the Dumfries TIC on 01387 253862
<https://www.visitscotland.com/destinations-maps/dumfries-galloway/> for Hotel, B&B information etc)
4. **EVENING MEALS:** 4. At Shawhead Hall, 1.5 miles from the camp site. A two course meal of excellent quality, generous helpings (main course and sweet, tea/coffee; vegetarian option). Same caterer as at the 2015 and previous Rallies.
5. **SOCIAL EVENING:** Friday 8pm, Shawhead Hall. Wine, tea and coffee, juice and nibbles provided. Meet and chat with other participants
6. **ENTERTAINMENT:** Saturday 8pm, Shawhead Hall. A Scottish Ceilidh with the Liam Stewart Ceilidh Band. Bring your dancing shoes, or at least cycling shoes without cleats! Work off that meal, or just enjoy the music & watch the action! Perhaps a dram or two.
7. **QUIZ:** Sunday, 8pm, Shawhead Hall. Join a team and pool your knowledge. Fun for everyone, including children, and **prizes!**
8. **TOURING RIDES:** 3 graded rides daily depart Barnsoul approx. 9.15am onwards, (excl. Sunday^{Note 9}, when they depart from Keir Mill after Cyclists' Breakfast, around 12 pm). B rides 45 – 65 miles, C rides 30 - 45, D/ family rides under 30 miles.
Generally, no pre-arrangements are made to provide meals on rides. Riders should check with leaders or route cards for options.
9. **CYCLISTS' BREAKFAST:** at Keir Mill Village Hall, Sunday 11am. The Hall is a 'D' ride away from Barnsoul. A donation will be requested
10. **REGISTERED NON-CAMPERS:** Don't forget to call at the Camp HQ and collect your info pack, meal and evening tickets etc.
11. **NO RECEIPT** or other document will be sent to you. You will be given all necessary info when you arrive and register (this is to save on admin costs). News and Updates will be Uploaded to Cycling UK Local Group Page

LOCAL INFORMATION - Check CTC Dumfries and Galloway Website for local information and updates www.dandgcycling.org.uk

PHOTOS: We appreciate photos after the event – we can use these for publicity. If you attended previous KMs and have photos you are willing to have used, please email them to Bob Rostock (robert.rostock@btinternet.com) or Mike Gray (grayjohnmichael@aol.com).

The KM Rally is run under the auspices of Cycling UK(Scotland), and is non-profit making

Camping prices per night	Mon - Thu	Fri - Sun
1 person	£10	£12
2 people	£12	£16
3 people	£14	£20
4 people	£16	£24
5 people	£18	£28
6 people	£20	£32
Electric hook-up	£3	£3
Dogs	Free	Free
Touring / Motorhome / Campervan	Mon - Thu	Fri - Sun
Price per pitch per night	£17	£20
Glamping prices per night	2 People	2 People
Apex pod (max 4 people)	£40	£50
Little Lodge (max 4 people)	£50	£60
Bothie (max 4 people)	£50	£60
Couples Retreat (max 2 people)	£60	£65
Crash Pad (max 4 people)	£20	£25
Additional costs		
Person over 5 years	£5	£5
Little Person under 5 years	£2.50	£2.50
Dogs (each)	£2	£2
Available to pre-order	Mon - Thu	Fri - Sun
Logs (per bag)	£5	£5
BBQ pack (2 person)	£6	£6
BBQ pack (4 person)	£10	£10
Breakfast pack (2 person)	£10	£10
Breakfast pack (4 person)	£12	£12
Sparkle Pack - (prosecco & chocolates)	£12	£12
Marshmallows Per Bag	£1.50	£1.50

We like to think we cater for everyone at Barnsoul. Our touring pitches are all hard standing and include electric hook-up. Our camping field is large and spacious with a few pitches that also have electric hook up. Our Glamping fleet consists of Apex Pods, Little Lodges, Bothies and the Retreats. These all have electric, lights, heating, mattresses, microwave, kettle, toaster, fridge and picnic bench. The Pods and Lodges have an external fire pit but the Bothie has a free-standing BBQ. Perhaps you need somewhere at the last minute because it's too wet for your tent, then why not try our Crash Pad, this is a wooden unit that is cosy and dry. On the park we have free hot water, shower block with individual cubicles, communal kitchen, laundry facilities, picnic area, communal BBQ, dog exercise area, kids play park, pitch 'n putt, secure bike storage, chemical toilet disposal and on-site warden.



If you fancy a little luxury with more comfort, we now have a 2 bedroom Static Caravan available to let for week or short breaks. The caravan is brand new and comes complete with central heating and double glazing, all bedding, Gas and Electricity Included in price. A BBQ, Modern Kitchen with all appliances, Shower, TV with Freeview, iPod Docking Station and free use of our bike storage. The season is determined by the start date of your break.

2 Bedroom Static Caravan		Low Season (March, June, September & November)	Mid Season (April, May & October)	High Season (July & August)
	Week Lets (Friday to Friday)	£340	£415	£495
	Short Breaks (Mon-Fri / Fri-Mon)	£250	£295	Not Available

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To check availability or to book your holiday simply go to our website to book and pay online or you can call us. We are open 7 days a week from 9am - 5pm