



# Oughtibridge Primary School

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**Y5 Cycle Speedway Session – Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2026**  
**Cookson Park Track, Helliwell Crescent, Sheffield, 10.00am to 12.00pm**

Monday, 23 March 2026

Your child has expressed an interest in attending a Y5 Cycle Speedway Session which has been organised by our LINKS Partnership and British Cycling on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April** at the Cookson Park Track. This is an exciting opportunity for our children who are very confident riders to experience a speedway track session and we are pleased to be able to offer your child the chance to take part. We will be taking 15 children to the event. Please note the speedway bikes are provided but the bikes have no brakes so your child must feel confident to ride them if they want to attend. This is now a regular highlight in our extra-curricular calendar, giving the children a unique opportunity.

The children will be transported there and back by minibus. There is no charge to you as we are able to use funds from the schools' Sports Premium budget for the cost of the event. The children will need to wear suitable long sleeved tops, long bottoms and footwear for biking in, preferably not their best gear. They can come to school in this gear on the day. They will also need to take a water bottle with them and have a packed lunch for dinner which will be eaten when we return to school at approximately 12.30pm.

We will require one parent helper to support at this event, accompanying the group on the minibus and at the event. If you are available to support, please indicate on the slip below. School staff will be in touch to confirm if we require your help on this occasion.

All bikes, gloves and helmets will be provided by British Cycling so your child does not need to bring their own bike to school, but may wish to bring their own helmet if they have one. There could be photographers at the event, who may use pictures of the children in promotional material.

With apologies for the short notice, please could you fill out the slip below and return to the Don office **ASAP or by Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March** at the very latest. This allows us to collect responses prior to the Easter holidays. Many thanks in anticipation for your support.

Yours sincerely  
Mr Adam Butler and Miss Lisa Calderbank (PE coordinators)

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PUPIL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ (Class) \_\_\_\_\_

(Please complete as applicable)

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| I give permission for my child to attend the U11 Cycle Speedway Trials       | YES/NO |
| I give permission for my child to be photographed by OPS staff               | YES/NO |
| I give permission for my child to be photographed by LINKS / British Cycling | YES/NO |
| I am available to attend this trip as a parent/carer helper                  | YES/NO |
| I understand that my child needs their own packed lunch                      | YES/NO |

SIGNED .....

NAME OF PARENT/CARER .....Emergency Contact No:.....

**Please inform us of any medical requirements on the back of this slip.**

