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“brussels by bike”, the new map-guide for lovers of two-wheeled tourism

Fans of cycling now have their own map-guide. Thanks to 8 themed itineraries, cyclists of all levels can hop on their bike and set off to explore Brussels, its atmospheres, its culture and its heritage treasures.

The Brussels-Capital Region has been working to improve its cycling network for a number of years. In this more and more bike friendly context, visit.brussels, in collaboration with Pro Vélo, has created the new “brussels by bike” map-guide. Visitors will find all the necessary information to explore the Belgian capital at their own rhythm: information points, bike rental and repair locations, advice, etc.

The map-guide includes 8 emblematic themed itineraries that allow you to experience the atmospheres and diversity of Brussels’ different neighbourhoods. The distances and difficulties of the various itineraries mean there is something for both bicycle lovers and complete novices. These itineraries are interchangeable and can be used as you go along. Each one looks at a strong theme that is an integral part of Brussels’ DNA: Brussels highlights; Brussels, Capital of Europe; Brussels, a green city; Brussels Art Nouveau and Art Deco; Brussels in comic strips; Foodie Brussels; Industrial Brussels and Brussels Street Art.

Discover Brussels differently.

To explore every facet of the capital completely independently, what better way than by bike? Giving you an unmatched sense of freedom, it allows you to admire and discover the city’s various characters and atmospheres while making the most of the outdoors. Neither too fast, nor too slow, cycling makes it easy to link the historical centre to the peripheral communes, which are veritable towns within the city which offer green spaces, exceptional heritage and numerous museums and activities that are well worth discovering. By travelling by bike, visitors get to choose their route and their stops, while travelling at their own pace and getting off the beaten paths.

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September is mobility month.

Throughout the month of September, Brussels is celebrating active mobility in various ways, with a whole host of unmissable events:

[Bike Brussels](#)

Tour & Taxis from 15 to 18 September.

Bike Brussels is the brand-new fair centred on cycling and active mobility. Quality exhibitors will be present. The schedule is packed with seminars, conferences, indoor and outdoor bicycle "test rides", a children's space, the Bike Brussels Awards, and a whole host of activities, entertainment, etc.

[Mobility Week](#)

From 16 to 22 September throughout the Brussels-Capital Region.

A great opportunity to focus on sustainable transport alternatives in the city. It's also an opportunity to gradually change our habits or consolidate your positive resolutions! As capital of Europe, Brussels is setting the example by favouring gentle mobility throughout this week.

[Car Free Sunday](#)

17 September

A day that gives makes the capital feel like the countryside. It's a wonderful chance to make the most of the itineraries, encounters and discoveries that are planned for the occasion. And in order to get around easily, the STIB is providing free public transport for the whole day.

Useful information:

The brussels by bike map-guide is available in three languages from the visit.brussels welcome offices for €2.50

The map-guide will also be available from the capital's bike points.

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