

21st March 2019

Dear Pupil / Parent / Guardian

As you will know, Bedale is hosting the finish of the Women's Stage 1 and Men's Stage 2 of this year's Tour de Yorkshire, on Friday 3rd May.

The Town Council is organising events on the "finishing straight" (i.e. Market Place) between the two international races. One of these is a bicycle parade, where young people (and some older ones from The Millings!) get the unique opportunity to ride up the last bit of the Tour de Yorkshire course and over the finishing line, as if they were the cycling superstars they will see on the course before and after.

The parade will leave Fitzalan Road at 1.40pm and travel to the finish line. There will be facilities in or near Bedale Hall to lock the bikes up for the rest of the afternoon, so all participants will be able to stay in town and watch the finish of the men's race.

Bikes can be decorated in as many ways as you can imagine! Maybe in the tour colours of yellow and blue or in "bike fancy dress". There will be an awards ceremony and prizes for the best dressed bikes on the main Tour De Yorkshire winners podium.

Please note: the parade is organised by Bedale Town Council and is NOT a Bedale High School event. Any supervision needed for individual children must be provided by parents or responsible adults on an individual basis.

Yours faithfully



Nick Reed
Clerk to Bedale Town Council

YES, I'd like to take part in the Bedale Bicycle Parade on Friday 3rd May

Name:

Tutor Group:

As parent/guardian I agree to _____ taking part in this event:

(signed) _____ (date) __ / __ / 2019

(full name) _____

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