

TOUR SERIES

ABERDEEN THURSDAY 16 MAY 2019



EVENT INFORMATION

Aberdeen City Council in conjunction with Sweetspot will welcome the OVO Energy Tour Series cycling event back to the city this May. Elite athletes will tackle an hour-long race as they weave around a challenging 1.1 kilometre circuit in the heart of the city.



This year's event will see cyclists compete on a new and improved circuit which will for the first time incorporate Broad Street civic event space. The women's race begins at 5.30pm followed by the men's race at 7.00pm, battling it out to be crowned Britain's top team.

The podium presentations will take place after each race has been completed with Tour highlights shown on ITV4.

The city will be one of two Scottish rounds on the calendar, with Motherwell hosting the other round earlier in the week.

In addition to the elite race, Scottish Cycling will stage a number of amateur cycling events from 12noon - 4.30pm.

Come and enjoy the free GetAbout Activity Zones throughout the city centre, including Fast Traxx cycle trackway, street acts and interactive family activities from 12noon – 5.30pm.

For more information please visit aberdeencity.gov.uk/tourseries

Please see overleaf for relevant traffic arrangements for the day, including parking restrictions so you can plan for the occasion with minimum disruption.

ABERDEEN TOUR SERIES - ROUTE MAP



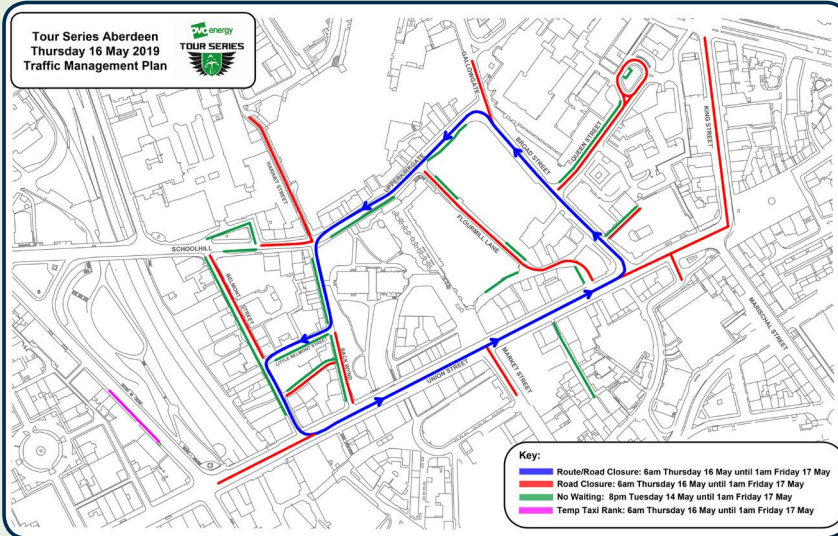
VIEWING AREAS

Viewing for the races will be available around the route with crossing points manned throughout the day. The elite race pit stop will be built on Union Street allowing the public to get a glimpse of the riders as they prepare to race. The podium and start/finish line will be built on Broad Street where the winners will be crowned. See map for route layout.

For more information please visit aberdeencity.gov.uk/tourseries or call City Events on 01224 522956.

TRANSFORMING OUR CITY CENTRE

ROAD CLOSURES AND PARKING RESTRICTIONS



Vehicles found to be contravening the restrictions will receive the appropriate fixed penalty and will be removed at a cost to the owner. We would encourage you to relocate your vehicle prior to the traffic order commencing.

From 6am on 16 May until 1am on 17 May 2019

Road Closure	From	To
Union Street & Castle Street	Union Terrace	Marischal Street
King Street	W N Street	Marischal Street
Broad Street & Gallowgate	Union Street	Little John Street
Concert Court	Broad Street	
Queen Street	Broad Street	Shoe Lane
Upperkirkgate & Schoolhill	Broad Street	Pocket Park at Schoolhill
Flourmill Lane & St Catherine's Wynd	Upperkirkgate	Union Street
Back Wynd	Schoolhill	Union Street
Belmont Street	Schoolhill	Union Street
Little Belmont Street	Back Wynd	Belmont Street
Gaelic Lane	Back Wynd	Belmont Street
Market Street	Hadden Street	Union Street
Adelphi	Union Street	
Harriet Street	Schoolhill	

PARKING RESTRICTIONS

All parking, including disabled parking on the following streets, will be suspended from 8pm on 14 May until 1am on 17 May.

Road
Queens Street
Concert Court
St Catherines Wynd
Flourmill Lane
Adelphi
Upperkirkgate
Schoolhill including Pocket Park
Back Wynd
Belmont Street
Little Belmont Street
Gaelic Lane
Union Terrace

EVENT BUILD

The build for the event will commence at 6am on Thursday 16 May. In order to facilitate the safe delivery of the event Aberdeen City Council will implement road closures and enforce a number of no parking restrictions around the route.

NO ACCESS

Access to Queen Street and Flourmill Lane will be restricted between 6am on 16 May until 1am on 17 May.

BUS SERVICES

To plan your journey in advance please visit First and Stagecoach's websites at:

<https://www.firstgroup.com/aberdeen/news-and-service-updates>

<https://www.stagecoachbus.com/regional-service-updates/north-scotland/aberdeenshire>

EMERGENCY ACCESS

Emergency service access will not be impacted by these traffic arrangements. If you require blue light services please call 101 or 999 as appropriate.

TAXI RANK

Back Wynd taxi rank will be moved to Union Terrace from 6am on 16 May until 1am on 17 May.

