Frequently Asked Questions



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Sundial Park Pump Track, Tewantin

What is a pump track?

A pump track is a looped sequence of rollers, jumps and banked turns (berms). The track is designed in a way that users can navigate their way around the whole track without pedalling. Speed is generated by pumping the bike, skateboard or scooter up and down over rollers.

Where is the track located?

The track is located at Sundial Park off Blackheath Drive, Tewantin.

When is the track open?

The track is open 7 days a week during daylight hours. There are plenty of shady areas within the park but it can get very hot. Make sure to bring a water bottle. Use track at your own risk. The use of the facility may be hazardous. This is an unsupervised facility.

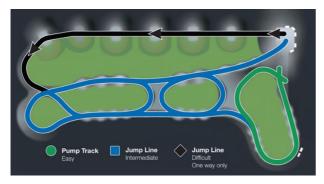


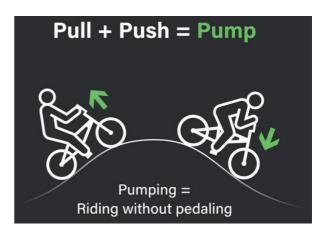
Image: Sundial Park Pump Track

Is the track suitable for beginners?

Yes, it has three distinct difficulty sections catering for beginners through to experienced riders. See diagram above.

Do you need a purpose-made bike for the pump track?

No, however BMX bikes and mountain bikes with limited front suspension tend to work best. While dual suspension mountain bikes will work, it can be more difficult to generate speed.



Can I ride a skateboard or scooter on the track?

The pump track is suitable for use on bikes, scooters, skateboards and even roller blades or skates. It has three distinct difficulty sections catering for beginners through to experienced riders. Electric powered devices are not permitted on the track.

How old do you need to be to use the track?

There are no age restrictions, however parental supervision is required for minors at all times.

Where is the nearest bike repair station?

There is a bike repair station at the Tewantin BP on Cooroy Noosa Rd opposite Golf Course Drive.

We have to walk our scooters and skateboards across the grass to the track. Will Council build a pathway?

Council plans to provide a connecting path to the existing network and around the playground as part of stage 2 works. Stage 2 is subject to budget allocation.



Will Council install a water bubbler?

Council plans to install a water bubbler as part of stage 2 works. In the interim, park users can use the existing tap located at the south-west corner of the park. It is recommended that park users bring a water bottle. Stage 2 is subject to budget allocation.

Will Council be constructing additional carparks?

Council is keeping an eye on how the park is being used, and they'll check if they need to assess whether formalized on-street parallel parking is necessary.

There are lights in the park, why can't the track be used outside of daylight hours?

The lights within the park were installed as a safety measure to prevent misuse and loitering at night, following feedback received from the community and the police. The lights do not meet the standard required for BMX tracks.

Will the lights be upgraded to allow use at night?

Council may investigate lighting upgrades as part of longer-term park upgrade work, however there is currently no plan or budget for this investigation. Lighting upgrades would be subject to lighting impact assessments and available funding.

Where are the nearest public toilets?

The nearest public amenities are located at Read Park in Goodwin St. There is also an amenities block at the RSL Memorial Park on Poinciana Avenue.

Will Council construct a toilet block at Sundial Park?

Council will look into whether a new amenities building is needed as part of future planning efforts, but there's no money set aside for it right now.

What is the best way to contact Council about this Pump Track?

Help look after the track by reporting any damage or issues directly to Noosa Council or via the Snap, Send Solve smartphone app.

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