

## Natural Surface Trail Etiquette FAQ

**What activities are allowed on this trail?** This trail will be open to hikers, trail runners, and cyclists. These trails will be optimized for people riding bicycles. Use at your own risk.

**Why do I have to stay on the trail?** Hiking/running or biking off the trail will have a negative impact on the habitat and wildlife. The design of the trail was carefully thought out to minimize our disturbance. Use of the open greenspace is still available for kite flying, playing, etc.

**Do the trails ever close?** Yes. Trails (and parks) are **not** open from sunset to sunrise. Trails may be closed to bicycles if the trail conditions are too wet/muddy.

**Can I use the trails if they are wet or muddy?** We ask that you do not use the trails when they are wet and muddy. Riding on soft, muddy ground leaves damaging ruts and increases erosion. Although you may be tempted to walk along the sides of the trail to keep your feet dry, doing so loosens soil and makes the trail more susceptible to erosion.

**How do I share the trail?** These trails are multi-use. People on bicycles yield to people hiking and running. Please follow all posted trail signs.

**Can I bring my dog?** Yes. Dogs on leashes will be allowed. Please pick up your dog's pet waste and dispose of it properly.

**Are bicycle helmets recommended?** Yes. Cycling activities are inherently risky. Please enjoy the trails at your own risk.

**Are motorized bikes allowed?** No, this space is only open to folks on foot or self-powered bicycles.

**How do I report illegal activity or report an accident?** Call 911

