## BY THE NUMBERS: 2023 Bike Parks Annual Report

.000 followers were added to the Ann Arbor Bike Parks Facebook page and 140 on Instagram.

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A record breaking 55 signed in volunteers participated and 22 were repeating volunteers.

52 people attended skills clinics (35 at the free beginner skills clinic and 17 at the free advanced skills clinic) led by volunteers.

24 volunteer events were offered at Bandemer and Tuebingen bike parks.

8+ regular/repeat volunteers contributed at Tuebingen Bike Park. The most ever recorded!

## **Other significant accomplishments:**

Significant improvements were made to erosion management/drainage features at Bandemer and erosion management carpets, tarps, gravel and drain tubing were added at Tuebingen.

The sheds at Bandemer and Tuebingen are now equipped with a range of essential items, including kids' shovels, watering cans, patch kits, tool kits, pumps, sandwich boards, GIVE sign-up tables, cloth, binders, forms, gloves and shirts. A "Gorilla Cart" is also being housed at Bandemer.

Three riding lines and 10+ jumps were added at Bandemer in response to 2021 citizen survey respondents' requests for jumps and progression options. The number of ride lines increased from 4 to 7, with lines added for beginners, intermediates and advanced riders (including options to transfer between lines). The number of jumps increased from 14 to 24+. Features were rearranged to make progression more intuitive with lines increasing in difficulty from right to left. A beginner start hill and return berm were added to increase progression and safety.

Many cubic yards of clay were added to the Bandemer Bike Park.

Volunteers and staff assisted Jen Proctor with research and information for her documentary film about the Ann Arbor Local Loop. And, plans were made to present at the 2024 A2 Bike Summit.



Restoration continues to the riding lines and features at Tuebingen Bike Park including the addition of three banked turns and two jumps!



49 posts were created and shared on Facebook and 42 on Instagram.

A part-time

**Bike Recreation** 

Volunteer

Coordinator

position was

added to

the GIVF 365

program.

Staff began tagging City of Ann Arbor, Parks & Rec, and GIVE365 on social media posts.

















