



# Falkirk Branch Cruises



The **Govan Seagull** and **Barr Seagull** offer **FREE** cruises for parties of people of all ages and disabilities on the Union Canal from the Seagull Trust's Reception Centre Boathouse in South Bantaskine Estate, Falkirk FK1 5EF.

Bookings are restricted to a maximum of 12 passengers, including helpers, and will be allocated on a first come first serve basis.

The boats are approximately 50 feet long and 10 feet wide and were custom built to serve disabled people. They are fitted with wheelchair ramps, hydraulic lifts and appropriate toilet facilities. It is the responsibility of the group to ensure the ratio of helpers (min 2) to disabled people is adequate. Advance notice of the number of wheelchairs passengers (max 4) is requested to help avoid delays as the cabin layout will need to be altered before embarkation.

Tea, coffee and biscuits are provided on all cruises at no charge.

We have a range of cruises available to suit your needs.

Cruises start at 10.30am and 2 pm (1.30pm for cruise 5) or at other times by arrangement.

| Cruise No | Description   | Details   | Duration | Departure point          |
|-----------|---------------|---|----------|--------------------------|
| 1         | Short Cruise  | Boathouse to Greenbank<br>back to Boathouse                 | 1 hour   | Boathouse<br>FK1 5EF     |
| 2         | Tunnel Cruise | Boathouse to Hallglen (through tunnel)<br>back to Boathouse | 2 hours  | Boathouse<br>FK1 5EF     |
| 3         | Tunnel Cruise | Boathouse along canal (through tunnel)<br>back to Boathouse | 5 hours  | Boathouse<br>FK1 5EF     |
| 4         | Wheel Cruise  | Boathouse to Falkirk Wheel –<br><b>one way only</b>         | 2 hours  | Boathouse<br>FK1 5EF     |
| 5         | Wheel Cruise  | Falkirk Wheel to Boathouse –<br><b>one way only</b>         | 2 hours  | Falkirk Wheel<br>FK1 4RS |
| 6         | Wheel Cruise  | Boathouse to Falkirk Wheel and return<br>to the Boathouse   | 5 hours  | Boathouse<br>FK1 5EF     |

Cruise 3 will stop for approx 1 hour somewhere along the canal to allow lunch to be eaten.

Cruise 4 can only be booked as a morning cruise and Cruise 5 can only be booked as an afternoon cruise, as it leaves from the Falkirk Wheel.

**Please note** that cruise 4 starts at the Boathouse and finishes at the Falkirk Wheel and cruise 5 starts at the Falkirk Wheel and finishes at the Boathouse. It is the responsibility of the party to organise their own transport for dropping off and picking up the groups.