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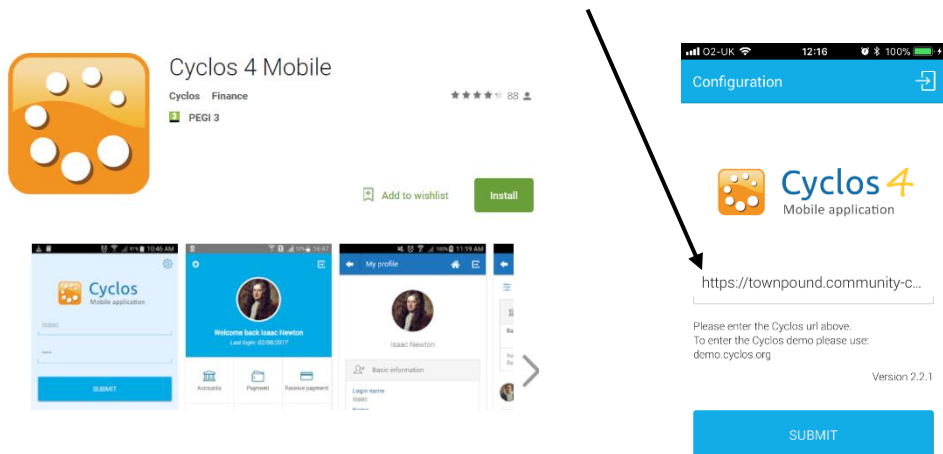
Sign up

- 1) Visit www.kingstonpound.org
- 2) Click on 'sign up today'
- 3) Select 'individual Members' and complete the form
- 4) The form will ask you for an email and a mobile number so that you can receive confirmations of the trades on your account, but we will not forward these details to anyone else.
- 5) You need to respond to the activation email.

From that point on your account will appear on the on-line system and app, but your personal data will not be shown, only enough details for people to pay you (share a bill for example) or for you to be able to pay a trader. We will also contact you in order that we can get you up and running and let you know what to do next.

The app is currently called 'Cyclos 4 Mobile' and you get this from your app store. We are working on our own app that will appear in the app store as Kingston Pound.

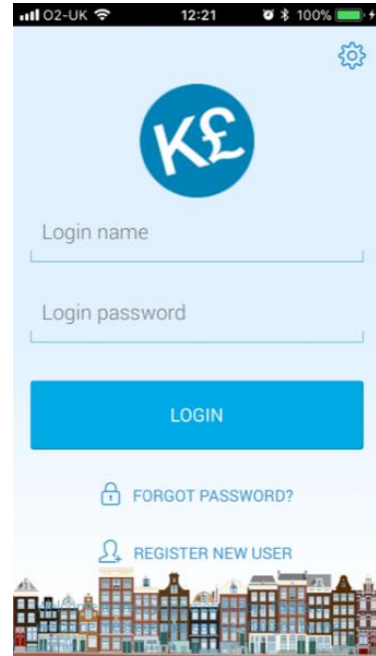
The App looks like this and you need to 'tether' the app to the account you just set up by entering the URL <https://townpound.community-currency.org/cyclos/kingston>



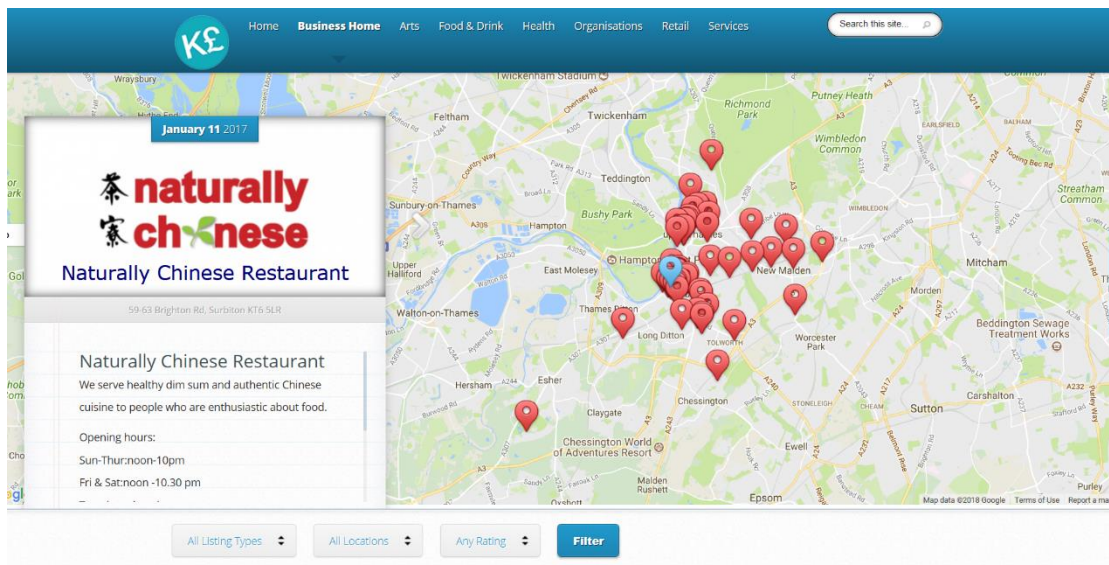


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You log in using the same details that you did before (make sure that you respond to the activation email) and once in you will have access to all the traders.



Businesses are listed on the App, in Salmon Magazine and on our web site (see below). Eventually, our App will have a map location showing you where the Kingston Pound Businesses are when you are out and about.





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OK What else?

- We will give you the details of our bank account with Boom Credit Union, so you can convert some sterling into K£'s. Small and regular contributions is the best way to establish a habit of using K£'s. Boom Credit Union is a not for profit local bank and they cover the Surrey and Kingston area. They lend the money on deposit to help local citizens and businesses.
- There are no membership fees or annual charges.
- We will also retweet and repost your reactions to using K£ via @kingstonpound and or @Salmonmagazine
- You do not need a snazzy phone as you can still trade via the PC or using a text enabled devise. For example, you could phone up an order for a book, send the K£'s and collect later.
- Receiving Kingston Pound payments from a friend is free. This transaction fee of 1% is paid by a business but don't worry about them as it is lower cost than if you paid with your VISA.
- These transaction fees are being paid to Love Kingston a local charity building a fund for Kingston.
- You can monitor all your trades on the app or on line.
- Businesses may use K£'s with Kingston Council who will credit them against their business rates so don't be embarrassed to use K£'s.
- We would like the K£'s to remain in the system but we will allow a switch back into sterling if this is absolutely necessary. For example, you may move out of Kingston.

Kingston Pound is a non-profit Community Interest Company run by volunteers and we are trying to create Money with Values which allow for a more resilient town and borough.

If you have any problems or need some practice, we are happy to help.

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