

The Bristol Cable

Advertising guide 2025



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Why advertise in the Cable?



**"More than ever today I value local journalism and
the extra need to platform local voices"**

- Gauri, member

**An independent
newspaper with
15,000 copies
distributed quarterly**

The Bristol Cable is our city's independent, investigative media co-op. Support from local members and organisations keeps us independent. Now, we're on the path to sustainability.

10 years
Established 2014

2,600
Paying members

2k+
Sent to homes

300+
Distribution spots

15k+
Newspapers in circulation
every quarter

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Our newspaper

THE GLOVES ARE ON

The boxing charity helping
young people bounce back

For over a decade, our membership model has allowed us to focus on long-term, groundbreaking investigations rather than breaking news that relies on clicks for revenue. Together, we hold power to account through groundbreaking investigations, campaign for change, and amplify marginalised voices.

Recognition

- 2019 British Journalism Award
- 2 x 2022 Independent Media Association awards
- 2 x nominee for the Orwell Prize for Journalism
- 2 x nominee for the Future of Media Awards

Free

Newspapers can be found at venues all across the city – or through your letterbox as a paying member.

Trusted

From groundbreaking investigations, to election coverage and on the ground reporting, the Bristol Cable is the city's go-to source for proper journalism.

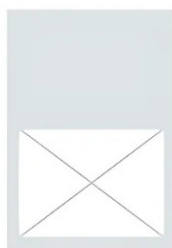
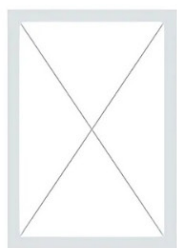
Transparent

Our reporting covers issues around housing, local democracy, culture, crime, social justice, history and community events.

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Advertising info & rates



Display Ad	Full page	1/2 page	1/4 page	1/8 page
Orientation	Portrait	Landscape	Portrait	Portrait
Width (mm)	253	253	124	124
Height (mm)	320	158	158	77
Price	£750	£400	£225	£150

For advertisers

Our advertising is handled by EMSM, specialists in facilitating advertising within an ethical market.

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Non-profit discount

A limited number of discounts are available on request for charities, social enterprises, campaign groups, NGO's, publishers and educational establishments.

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Supporting a local community



"I want to find out more about my local community and hear positive news as well as in depth journalism"

- Carrie, member

Every new supporter helps us continue investigating, delivering proper independent journalism for Bristol.

While marketing your offer to our tens of thousands of local paying members, listeners and readers, you can also deliver unique social value not only by reaching them with your message, but by supporting ours.

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