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## **Big Boys Toys Rev Up At Ocean Terminal**

Over the Easter weekend Leith's Ocean Terminal will be transformed into an extreme sports playground as the 'Big Boy's Toys' event arrives at the waterfront shopping centre.

Quad bikes, grass karts, sailing, scuba diving, mountain biking and even bobsleighbing are among some of the free activities which will bring the shopping centre alive with action from Friday March 21 to Monday March 24.

During the event, extreme sports company, EHX - which runs Transgression Park, Ocean Terminal's indoor skatepark - will wow shoppers with demonstrations of activities such as tricking (free- running); breakdancing and BMX. A range of fast cars will also be on show – including a Ferrari, Yamaha and Maserati.

Children can also join in the fun thanks to a number of free activities including face painting, arts and crafts workshops, kids clinics featuring a range of games and an Easter egg hunt.

Deputy Centre Manager, Michelle MacLeod, said, "We are delighted to be hosting Big Boys Toys. The centre will be transformed with amazing demonstrations, fast cars and activities for children, making Ocean Terminal the perfect place to spend the Easter holiday. The event further underlines the centre's reputation as a premium and vibrant shopping and leisure destination."

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### NOTES TO EDITORS

1. Ocean Terminal houses half a million sq ft of shopping and leisure on three floors, 1600 free car parking spaces, over 75 stores, bars and restaurants, and a 12 screen cinema. Just 10 minutes from the City Centre, Ocean Terminal is at the very heart of the dynamic regeneration of Edinburgh's waterfront.

In addition to many of the UK's foremost high street stores, unique boutiques and a spa, the centre also boasts a superb selection of restaurants and cafés overlooking the Firth of Forth.

Not only does Ocean Terminal play host to an ever-changing programme of events and exhibitions, but it is also home to one of the country's most popular tourist attractions, The Royal Yacht Britannia.

2. EHX is running a breakdancing competition on Saturday March 22 at 2.30pm. They will also be demonstrating their tricks on Saturday March 22 at 2pm and 4pm.