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Promotion to the National League and Relegation to Southern League Central Premier Division and Northern Premier Football League Premier Division.

Alfreton Town

Ground - Impact Arena, North Street, Alfreton, DE55 7FZ

Main Telephone No: 01773 830277

Fax No: 01773 836164

Capacity: 3,600 (Seating 1,500)

Team Nickname: The Reds

Year Ground Opened: 1959

Pitch Size: 110 x 76 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Impact Marketing

Kit Manufacturer: New Balance

First Kit: Red Shirts Red Shorts Red Socks

Away Kit: Blue & Red Vertical Stripe Shirts Blue Shorts Blue Socks

Website: www.Alfertontownfootballclub.co.uk

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

A small ground that does have a bit of character for 3,600 people but seems to have a disproportionate amount of seating for its size with 1,500 seats of which about a 1000 are under cover. On one side is the small Main Stand that runs for about a third the length of the pitch. There are spaces for standing spectators on either side of this stand on this side of the pitch. Opposite the stand is a similar looking covered all seated Tom McRoy stand, this around twice the size in terms of length. One end, the Bentley Close End is a small 500 seated area that is open to the elements this end was a former terrace that has had seats bolted onto to it.



Opposite is a small steep terrace, known as the 'Tin End'. This has a small covered area at the back towards the centre and is used by the away fans. The ground is smartly painted red and surrounded by trees giving it a really nice rural feel when the sun is shining. The Reds Bar in the ground is very popular on matchdays.

Driving to the Ground



From the M1 turn off at junction 28 from the South first exit from the North third exit at the roundabout onto the A38 towards Derby and then follow the road for two-miles then take the slip road onto the B600 at the end of the slip road turn right on to Nottingham Road at head towards the town centre.

After half-a-mile, immediately after Kings Christ Catholic Church on left, take the first left into North Street. The ground is 150-yards down on the right. The parking is on the local streets



Public Transport & Walking



→  16 minutes

Take the train to **Alfreton Railway Station** and it's a 16 mins walk to the ground, when you come out of the station walk up the slip road on to Salcombe Road cross the road and the junction turn onto Mansfield Road. Then walk all the way down to the Station Bar there cross the road passed Jimmie's Fish Bar (Get fish and Chips on the way back) then walk down Prospect Street to the end then cross the road at the lights and the first left into North Street after Kings Christ Catholic Church and left across the car park the ground is right in front of you.

Admission

Adults £14

Over 65's/Under 16's £10

Where to Drink

The Victoria Pub at 80 Nottingham Road just past the church has a friendly atmosphere and a good selection of beers along with The King Alfred on the High Street.

Blueys Aussie Bar at 32 Nottingham Road has a good selection of food two real ales from Ashover Brewery and other beer plus a large TV with Aussie Sports on it. The Blue Bell which is at 30 High Street and is eleven minutes from the ground which serves Bass and Green King IPA beers and Strongbow for the Cider drinkers which has a friendly atmosphere and the regulars keep you well entertained.

Banbury United

Ground - Spencer Stadium, Station Approach, Banbury, Oxon, OX16 5AB

Telephone: 01295 263354

Founded: 1931 (Spencer Villa FC)

Capacity: 2,000 (350 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Puritans

Ground Opened: 1934

Pitch Size: 110 x 75 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

First Kit: Red Shirts Red Shorts Red & Yellow Socks

Away Kit: Yellow Shirts, Yellow Shorts Yellow Socks

Website: www.banburyunitedfc.co.uk

Programme: £2.00



Driving to the Ground



From the M40 take Junction 11, then head towards Banbury, over first roundabout, left at next roundabout into Concorde Avenue. Straight on at next roundabout, taking the left-hand lane, and turn left at traffic lights into Bridge Street, turn first right into Station Approach. At station forecourt and car park, take narrow single-track road on extreme right and follow to Stadium.

Public Transport & Walking



5 minutes

Train to **Banbury Railway Station** it's 400 yards walk to the Ground walk down to the end of the car park down the tramway and follow the lane up between the industrial buildings the ground is at the end of the road

Admission

Adults £10
OAP's/Students £5
Under 16's £2

Bishop Stortford

Ground – Woodside Park, Dunmow Road Bishop's Stortford, CM23 5RG

Club Telephone: 01279 306456

Commercial: 07710 079158

Founded: 1874

Capacity: 4,525 (525 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Bishops, the Blues

Year Ground Opened: 1999

Pitch Size: 110 x 75 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

First Kit: Blue & White Shirts Blue Shorts Blue Socks

Away Kit: Yellow Shirts, Yellow Shorts Yellow Socks

Website: www.bishopstortfordfc.co.uk

Programme: £2.00



Ground Guide

The ground has a capacity of 4,000 with the main stand having seating for 298 with three small stand enclosures at each end and has a good club shop.

Driving to the Ground



From the North West

Take the M6 to just past Junction 1 where it merges with the M1 take the sign for the A14 toward Felixstowe/Corby/Kettering and merge on to the A14. Turn right to stay on A14 then go through 1 roundabout at the next roundabout take the 3rd exit onto the A14 ramp to Cambridge/ Felixstowe/ Harwich and merge onto the A14, then follow the signs for London and take the right fork onto the M11 and come off at Junction 8 then Follow A1250 towards Bishop's Stortford Town Centre, entrance to the ground is signposted through Woodside Park Industrial Estate.



From the North East

Take the A1 and follow the signs for London and get off for at the sign for Huntingdon/ Cambridge and on to the A14 then follow the signs for London and take the right fork onto the M11 and come off at Junction 8 then Follow A1250 towards Bishop's Stortford Town Centre, entrance to the ground is signposted through Woodside Park Industrial Estate.



From the South

Take the M25 to Junction 27 for Stansted/ Cambridge and travel up the M11 to Junction 8 and follow the above directions

Public Transport



2 minutes



500



7 minutes

Train **Bishops Stortford Railway Station** is one mile from the ground, **Trusty Bus 323 bus, Arriva Hertfordshire 500 bus and Central Connect 7A bus** to Shortcroft then take the first left into Woodside and follow it right passed Travis Parks and the ground is on the right.

Admission

Adults £14
Over 65's/Students £7
Under 16's £5
Under 12 Free

Programme

£2.50

Where to Drink

In the centre of town, the best pubs to visit are The Half Moon in North Street, The Cock in 2 Stansted Road and their own Social club at the ground.

Blyth Spartans

Ground - Croft Park Plessey Road, Blyth NE24 3JE

Telephone: 01670 352373

Nickname: The Green Army or Spartans

Founded: 1899

Ground Capacity: 4,500 (556 Seated)

Pitch Size: 110 x 78 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Texo

Kit Manufacturer: Errea

First Kit: Green and White Vertical Stripes Shirts Green Shorts Green Socks

Away Kit: Yellow & Red shirts Red shorts Yellow socks

Website: www.Blythspartans.com

Programme: £3



Driving to the Ground

North



Take the A1 to just past Burgham Golf Club then take a left for Chevington Moor and at Moor crossroads take a right for Morpeth (B1337) and go through Widdington and at the roundabout take the second exit on to the A1068.



Then at the next roundabout take the first exit onto the A189 and at the next roundabout take the second exit and go straight on at the next two roundabouts and just after crossing the river Blyth take the exit for A193 Blyth and Bedlington and at the roundabout take the first exit onto Cowpen Road and follow the road past Asda and the retail park to Broadway Roundabout there take the second exit and go straight on at the next roundabout take the first exit onto Plessey Road and the ground is on the left up the lane just before Ginos bar.



Take the A1 and take the sign for (signs for Darlington/ Newcastle/ Airport) Slight right onto A194 (M) (signs for South Shields) At the roundabout, take the second exit onto Leam Lane/A194 and at the second roundabout take the second exit onto the A19 ramp to Morpeth/Tyne Tunnel merge onto the A19.

Go through the Tyne Tunnel, take the A19 Signposted Morpeth, and then at second roundabout take the A189 Signposted Ashington. Then after 6 ½ mile at the roundabout, take the fifth exit onto A189.

Take the exit toward A192/ Seaton/ Delaval/ Cramlington then merge onto the A1061, at first roundabout follow signs A1061 to Blyth. Go straight across next two roundabouts following Town Centre/ South Beach then at next roundabout turn left onto Rotary Way go straight across next roundabout, and at the next turn right into Plessey Road and the ground is situated on your left with entrance to the ground at the bus stop just before Gino fish and chip shop and its street parking in the area.

Public Transport and Walking



Train to **Newcastle Central Railway Station** then take the metro to the City Centre **Haymarket Metro Station** then walk over to Haymarket Bus Station and take the **Max X11 bus** from Stand V to Blyth get off at South Beach Amersham Drive then walk down to the roundabout turn left on to Rotary Road then at the next roundabout take a left into Plessey Road and walk up to Ginos and then take the lane to the ground.



Admission

Adults £15
OAP's/Students £9
Under 16's £6
Accompted Under 10 Free

Where to Drink

The Social Club at the ground itself welcomes away fans and is a great place to meet up before and after the game. Close by is the Masons Arms on Plessey Road and shows live sports on TV.

Further afield in the town centre, only 10-15 minutes' walk away is the more discerning drinker. The Wallaw on Union Street or try Oliver's in Bridge Street is also worth a visit and also offers real ale along with The Commissioners Quay Hotel down at the quay nice place to have a pint.

Boston United

Ground - The Jakemans Community Stadium Pilgrim Way Boston PE21 7NE

Telephone No: 01205 364406

Team Nickname: The Pilgrims
Year Ground Opened: 2023
Ground Capacity: 6,000 (3,000 Seated)
Pitch Size: 110 x 78 yards
Undersoil Heating: Yes
Shirt Sponsors: Kia Drayton Motors
Kit Manufacturer: Adidas
First Kit: Gold & Black Shirts Black Shorts Black Socks
Away Kit: White Shirts Black Shorts Black Socks
Website: www.Bostonunited.com
Programme: £3.00



Ground Guide

After 130 years Boston moved out of the old ground and have moved to a purpose-built ground with a 3,000 seated stand with three small covered stand ends with the away end when finished will be beside the Costa Coffee shop end which is the Southern end of the ground with the home at the North end with both sets of fans if need sharing the river end.

Driving to the Ground

North 

Travel down the A1 and take the exit for Coddington, at the T Junction turn left for Coddington, at the Winthorpe roundabout take the third exit onto the A17, just before Swineshead Bridge take a left onto the A1121, at the roundabout take the third exit onto Broadshires, then second exit at the next roundabout onto the A52, then cross the river and take the first exit at the next roundabout onto West End Road, just past Jennys Wood take a left into Tytton Lane, then do a left and right at the T Junction, then at the T Junction join the A16 and then at the roundabout take the first exit and the ground will be in front of you.



Main Stand

South 

Take the A1 (M) (signs for A47 Peterborough/ Leicester) and leave at that junction, at the roundabout take the first exit and go straight on at the next roundabout onto the A47, continue on to junction 19 and having crossed the A15 by going straight on at the roundabout at the next roundabout take the first exit onto the A16 and stay on A16 and follow the road to Boston and at the Pilgrim roundabout take the third exit and the ground will be in front of you.



Public Transport & Walking



7 minutes



B13



17 minutes

Train to **Boston Train Station**, then walk out of the station and walk straight down Station Road and then take third left into Tower Street and walk into the bus station and from

platform 4 take the **Black Cat Travel B13 bus** to Drenfield Road, then walk back and turn right into the Quadrant and walk straight along and will see the ground after ten minutes.

Admission

Adults £14
Over 65's/Students £10
Under 16's £5

Where to Drink

The Coach and Horses on Main Ridge and serves the excellent Batemans ales which are locally brewed' if it's over crowded as this is a smallish pub then carry on down Main Ridge to the Wellington, a larger quieter pub serving hand pulled Mansfield Bitter.

Buxton

Ground - The Silverlands Ground, Silverlands Buxton SK17 6QH

Telephone - 01298 23197

Nickname: The Bucks

Founded: 1877

Ground Capacity: 4,000 (490 Seated)

Pitch Size: 100 x 68 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Markovitz Plumbers

Kit Manufacturer: Sports

First Kit: Royal Blue and White Shirts Royal Blue Shorts and Royal Blue and White Socks

Away Kit: Red and White Shirts Red Shorts Red and White Socks

Website: www.buxtonfc.co.uk

Programme: £2



Driving to the Ground



North

Take the M6 to Junction 30, then exit onto M61 toward Manchester/ Bolton/ Leeds/ Blackburn/ M62/ M65 then drive for around twenty miles then keep right at the fork, follow signs for M60 and merge onto M60 At junction 1, take the A5145 exit to Stockport (West & Centre) then At the roundabout, take the second exit onto Travis Brow (A5145) then at the next roundabout, take the 2nd exit onto Heaton Lane then two hundred yards turn right onto Wellington Road N/A6 and continue to follow A6

At the next roundabout just after New Mills take the second exit onto A5004 and keep on the road to Buxton, just past Cavendish Hospital in Buxton at the University take a left into Station Road and then second left at the roundabout into the Quadrant then fourth left into Hardwick Road and follow it to the end then turn left at the T Junction and the ground is 200 yards on the left.



South

Take the M6 to Junction 15 and take the A500 exit to Stoke-on-Trent/ Newcastle-under-Lyme then at the roundabout, take the second exit onto A500 then after four miles, take the A53 ramp to Leek, Hanley, Newcastle-Under-Lyme then take the fourth exit onto the A53. Stay on the A53 through three roundabouts and then take right just before Leek and follow the A53 into Buxton then from the University take a left into Station Road and then second left at the roundabout into the Quadrant then fourth left into Hardwick Road and follow it to the end then turn left at the T Junction and the ground is 200 yards on the left.

Public Transport and Walking



9 mins

Train to **Buxton Railway Station** walk up the approach and cross at the pedestrian cross there and walk up Station Approach. Then at the end turn left into Terrace Avenue and first right in Spring Gardens then walk up through the prescient till you reach KFC then turn right into Hokker Road and walk up till you reach the end of the road (this road is straight uphill) then turn left across the bridge and the ground is one the right

Admission

Adults £10
OAP's/Students £6
Under 16's £4

Where to Drink

The ground has excellent facilities but around the station is the Buxton Tap house in the Old Courthouse, Bar Brassiere, Lone Star on George Street, Barbarella's 7 The Quadrant and the New Inn at 3 Market Place along with The Kings Head plus another 14 pubs to choose from with the New Inn the closest to the ground.

Brackley Town

Ground - St James Park, Churchill Way, Brackley, Northants NN13 7EJ

Telephone: 01280 704077

Capacity: 3,500 (Seats 500)

Team Nickname: The Saints

Year Ground Opened: 1974

Pitch Size: 110 x 80 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Going Plural

Kit Manufacturer: Puma

First Kit: Red shirts White shorts White socks

Away Kit: Yellow shirts Yellow shorts White socks

Website: www.Brackleytown.co.uk

Programme: £3.00

Ground Guide

The ground has a capacity of 3,000 with the main stand having seating for 300 with three uncovered grass ends at each end and has a good club shop.

On one side in front of the Social Club building is a small seated area that is covered. It is only comprises four or five rows and has a number of supporting pillars running along its front.



It is situated to one side of the half way line, towards the Cricket Club End. There are also open standing areas to either side. The opposite side has no facilities for spectators, apart from a narrow pathway which runs along the perimeter fence. The team dugouts are located on this side of the ground. There is also a portacabin type building that sits astride the halfway line.



The Cricket Club End itself has a very small covered terrace which sits behind the goal. It is only a couple of rows high. To either side there are small flat standing areas. Opposite is the South Bank. This area was recently developed so that it has a covered seated stand behind the goal flanked by fair sized open terracing to either side. There is a noticeable slope to the pitch running from the Cricket End down to the South Bank.

Driving to the Ground



From the M1 to Junction 15A and then take A43 from Northampton or Oxford, or M40 to Junction 11 then A422 from Banbury to large roundabout south of town. Take exit marked Brackley and follow towards the town (Tesco store on left). Pass the Locomotive public house and take first turning right, signposted Football Club, into Churchill Way the road leads into Club Car Park.



Take the M40 to junction 10, take the A43/B430 exit to Northampton/ Middleton/ Stoney at the roundabout, take the second exit onto A43 then at the sixth roundabout take the second exit onto Oxford Road continue through one roundabout and take first turning right, signposted Football Club, into Churchill Way the road leads into Club Car Park.

Public Transport & Walking



2 mins



500



5 mins

Take the train to **Banbury Railway Station** then walk it down to the town centre and get the **Stagecoach in Oxfordshire 500** bus to Highfield Court on Banbury Road, then it's a seven-minute walk to the ground. You walk down to Bridge Street and turn left the a few hundred yard turn right into Churchill Way the ground is half way down the road.



Main Stand

Admission

Adults £14
Over 65's/Students £10
Under 16's £5

Where to Drink

Brackley Social Club inside the ground is good place to have a pint or you can try the Locomotive pub and is located at 43 Bridge Street just get off the bus and its a few yards to the pub.

Chester

Ground – Deva Stadium Bumpers Lane Chester CH1 4LT

Main Telephone No: 01244 371 376

Capacity: 6,000 (4,500 seated)

Team Nickname: The Blues

Year Ground Opened: 1992

Pitch Size: 116 x 75 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: MBNO

Kit Manufacturer: penn

First Kit: Blue shirts White shorts White socks

Away Kit: Yellow & Black shirts Yellow shorts Yellow socks

Website: www.chesterfc.com

Programme: £3.00

Ground Guide

The ground has a capacity of 6,000 with the ground having seating for 4,500 with three stands around the ground The Exacta East Stand is slightly taller than the facing Centurion Community Stand, having a few more rows of seating and some enclosed glassed viewing areas at the back of it.



The Stansway Terrace is the home end at the stadium and now been converted to seating and the Harry McNally Terrace after a former manager (formerly the Bumpers Lane End) for away supporters is the only end that is still for standing and has a good club shop

Driving to the Ground

North

Stay on the M56 until you reach a roundabout at the end of the motorway. Follow the signs to North Wales & Queensferry A5117. After around one and a half miles you will reach a set of traffic lights where you need to bear left on to the A550 (signposted North Wales & Queensferry). Then from the A550, take the A548 towards Chester.

Head straight through the first set of traffic lights and after passing a Vauxhall and then a Renault garage on your left, turn right at the next lights into Sovereign Way, then Continue to the end of Sovereign Way and then turn right into Bumpers Lane and the entrance to the Club Car Park is just down on the right.



South

Take the M6 to Junction 16 then take the A500 exit to Nantwich/Crewe at the roundabout, take the second exit onto A500 go straight through three roundabouts and at the fourth take the third exit onto A51 and go straight on at the next four roundabouts then turn right and follow the A51 and continue straight on at the next junction and follow the A49 Nantwich Road than at the roundabout, take the first exit onto Rode St/A51 then go straight on after two



roundabouts then at the Triumph garage take a left into Challinor Street then after 600 yards at the Bars.

Take a left up Grosvenor Park Road/ A5268 then at the roundabout take the third exit into Nicholas Street continue for just under a mile then turn left into Watergate Street continue straight on past Chester Race Course it becomes Seeland Road and then follow the sign for the football Club turn left down Bumpers Lane and the entrance to the Club Car Park is just down on the right.

Public Transport



You can also get the First Wales Bus after walking 15 minutes from **Chester Central Railway Station** go turn right along Station Road Then After 140yds, turn left into Brook Street cross the road at the roundabout then follow the road to a T Junction then turn left over the canal bridge and follow the road left into Frodsham Street and then after 175yds, turn right into Kaleyards then continue into Abbey Street turn left into Abbey Square. Then continue into Princess Street follow Princess Street to right and after 25 yards arrive and at Stop 5 Lower Exchange, Bus Exchange take the **Arriva Wales 10 Bus** to Tesco and walk down Bumper Lane to the ground



The alternative and easy way is to take the train to **Shotton Railway Station** and then take turn right and walk up Chester road West then right walk up to the bus stop and take the **Arriva Wales 10 Bus** (westbound) to Tesco cross the road and walk down the lane.

Admission

Adults £14
Over 65's/Students £10
Under 16's £5

Where to Drink

If coming from Shotton Rail then drink at the Central Hotel its two minute walk before getting the bus to the ground and there are numerous pubs in Chester where to drink

Chorley

Ground - The Chorley Nissan Victory Park Stadium Duke Street Chorley PR7 3DU

Telephone - 01257 230007

Capacity: 4,100 (Seats 900)

Team Nickname: The Magpies

Year Ground Opened: 1920

Pitch Size: 110 x 75 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Cruise 188.com

Kit Manufacturer: Macron

First Kit: Black & White shirts Black shorts White socks

Away Kit: Red shirts Red shorts Red socks

Website: www.chorleyfc.com

Programme: £3.00



Ground Guide

Victory Park, a stadium with a capacity of 4,100, of which 900 are seating was constructed at a cost of £1,000, construction of Victory Park was completed in 1920 and was named to

commemorate the end of the First World War The ground was very different to the Victory Park of today, as both ends of the ground were exposed to the weather and there was no concrete terracing. The grandstand was a modest wooden structure with accommodation for 600.

The Grandstand is almost the full length of the pitch which can accommodate 900 people behind each of the goals is covered terracing and opposite the main stand is open terracing.

Driving to the Ground



North

From M6, junction 27 (Standish), leave motorway, and head toward Wroughtington then take first turning right (next to garage) into Mossy Lee Road then turn right into Boundary Lane (going over motorway bridge), carry on along here (road changes to Pepper Lane) to end and turn left onto Preston Road (A49) and head toward Coppull. Follow signs for Chorley onto Spendmore Lane at first roundabout follow the signs for Chorley.



Main Stand

Once in Chorley, it changes to Moor Road and then changes to Pall Mall, following the traffic lights then just after the Plough Inn, turn right into Duke Street, then third right (after School) into Ashby Street with the ground is on the right.



South

From M61, junction 8 (Mormon Temple), leave motorway and at the roundabout follow the signs toward Chorley town centre along the A6. At the two roundabouts by B&Q, head across the first then the right exit at the next, then go straight across the next six roundabouts until you pass between Morrison's and the Ford garage. You will then arrive at the final roundabout with the Eagle Hotel in view, and then take the third exit, and then immediate first left into Duke Street and then take the second left into Ashby Street with the ground is on the right.

Public Transport & Walking



10 minutes

The **Chorley Railway Station** is only 450 yards from the ground you turn left into Shepherds Way and walk down to the roundabout walk straight on through two roundabouts. Then at the third walk straight on down Duke Street after about 20 yards there is a lane up to the ground on the left.

Admission

Adults £14

OAP's/Students Under 16's £5

Where to Drink

Malt N Hoops on Friday Street beside the station or walk up to the Last Orders at 113 Market Street which is on the way to the ground by going to the end of the Station way at the roundabout walk straight on to the end of Clifford Street then take a right into Chapel Street or you can have a pint in the Leigh Arms at 66 chapel Street before Last Orders then at the

top turn right into Market Street and then From Last Orders walk straight along Market Street to the roundabout and walk straight on into Bolton Street and then take second right down Duke Street after about 20 yards there is a lane up to the ground on the left.

Curzon Ashton

Ground - Tameside Stadium Richmond Street Ashton-under-Lyne OL7 9HG

Telephone - 0161-330-6033

Nickname– The Blues or The Nash

Founded – 1963

Ground Capacity – 4,000

Pitch Size: 110 x 75 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Pinnacle Electronics

Kit Manufacturer: Adidas

First Kit: Blue Shirts Blue Shorts White Socks

Away Kit: Red Shirts White Shorts Red Socks

Website: www.curzonashstonfc.com

Programme: £3.00



Ground Guide

The Tameside Stadium was officially opened by Sir Alex Ferguson in 2005 with The Main Stand sits astride the half way line and runs for about half the length of the pitch. Although in capacity is 524 seats, the stand itself looks a lot larger. This is firstly due to the fact that the

seating area is raised above pitch level, meaning that spectators have to climb a small set of stairs to enter it.



Opposite the Main Stand is a good-sized covered terrace. It runs for around half the length of the pitch), has a high placed roof and has portions of open terracing to each side. Both ends have open terraces that although not that high and do run the full width of the end. The stadium has a set of four tall floodlights.



Outside the stadium there is a statue of three football players, who were born locally and played in the World Cup; Geoff Hurst (England), Jimmy Armfield (England) and Simone Perrotta (Italy).

Driving to the Ground



Take the M60 to Junction 23 then take first left onto the A635 Manchester Road and at the lights take the left filter onto Margaret Street then take third left into Cotton Road then first right into Richmond Road and go straight on at the next two roundabouts then take first left after the Sportsground and the ground is at the bottom



Geoff Hurst(1941 – Pd) (England), Jimmy Armfield (1935 – 2018) (England) and Simone Perrotta (1977 – PD) (Italy)



South

Take the M60 to Junction 23 turn left off slip road, then get into the second from left lane to go through the lights onto the A6140 sign-posted Ashton. Keep on the A6140 until you come to a set of traffic lights with a cinema on your right, turn left at these lights, follow road over a bridge then over a mini-roundabout then turn left after the mini-roundabout. Ground is at the bottom. Free car parking is available with six disables spaces. There is also a large 'Over-Spill' car park located on the left at the beginning of the approach road to the stadium.

Public Transport and Walking



2 mins



Blue



10 mins

Train to **Manchester Piccadilly Railway Station** then walk out of the main entrance to Piccadilly Metro Stop and take the Blue Line for Ashton metro to **Aston West Metro Station** Link then its first left into Richmond way walk past the Cricket ground then over the railway bridge and the entrance to the ground is on the left.



15 minutes

Train to **Ashton under Lyne Railway Station** then walk out of the main entrance walk to the top of Turner Street then take a left into Bootle Street and walk to the end turn right then cross the road and turn left take the first left into Taunton Road walk to the end then turn left

and walk down Knowles Road and at the end with the mini roundabout turn right into Richmond Road and then take a left at the Sports Centre and the ground is on the right.

Admission

Adult: £15.00,
Concessions: £10.00,
Under 16s: £1.00
Child (Under 12): Free (accompanied by an adult)

Programme

£3.00

Darlington

Ground - Blackwell Meadows, Grange Road, Darlington, DL1 5NR

Telephone: 01388 604605

Nickname: The Quakers

Founded – 1883

Ground Capacity: 2,000 (500 Seated)

Pitch Size: 120 x 80 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: EBAC

Kit Manufacturer: Joppa

First Kit: White & Black Shirts Black Shorts White Socks

Away Kit: All Red

Website: www.darlingtonfc.com

Programme: £3.00



Ground Guide

The ground is overlooked on the North side, by a large pavilion looking building, which is two storeys high and has an old fashioned looking clock above it. This building as well as the one next to it, houses amongst other things the team changing rooms. To one side there is a block of covered seating, which is normally unused, and the team dugouts are situated in front of this area.



On the South side is a covered seated stand that runs for half the length of the pitch and is situated just off centre, compared to the halfway line with 588 seats. There are flat standing areas to either side of this stand. At the one end of the ground is a sizeable covered terrace, which is eight steps high and is affectionately called the 'Tin Shed' named after a similar structure that was in place at the former Feethams Grounds having a capacity of 1,000, the new Tin Shed runs the full width of the pitch.

Opposite is the open West Terrace, which when segregation is in force, is given to away fans. The ground is completed with a set of eight modern looking floodlights, four of which run down each side of the stadium.

Driving to the Ground



North

From A1M junction 59, take the A167 towards the town centre, and when you reach the town centre after 5 miles, at the Northgate Roundabout take the first exit and take the A167 by going straight on through the next three roundabouts and at the fourth called the Church roundabout take the first exit onto Grange Road and follow it to Northallerton and the ground is on your left after South Park just before Blackwell Grange entrance. There is limited car

parking at the ground, it is recommended to use the town centre car parks, a 10 to 15 minute walk from the ground and follow public transport below.



South

From A1M exit at junction 57, A66 (M) take slip road left towards Darlington & Airport and at the roundabout end of motorway, take first exit A66 and follow this to roundabout take the second exit onto A167 and Blackwell Meadows is on your right after approx. 400 yards on the right just after Blackwell Grange. There is limited car parking at the ground, it is recommended if you are coming from the south when you reach Evans Halshaw take a left and park in Bridge Street and then walk five minutes to the ground



Public Transport and Walking



2 minutes



12, X26 or X27



5

mins

Train to **Darlington Railway Station** and from just outside the stations then take the **Arriva North East. 12, X26 or X27 buses** to the Grange Hotel next to the ground then walk up the lane on the left to the ground

Admission

Adult: £14.00,
Concessions: £10.00,
Under 16s: £5.00
Child (Under 12): Free

Where to Drink

Hogan's across from the Railway Station or you can go to the centre of town and find the Hole in the Wall, The Quay, the boot and Shoe plus the Pennyweight and all are friendly and welcoming of strangers as well as getting good food and beer.

Farsley Celtic

Ground - Throstle Nest, Newlands, Farsley LS28 5BE

Telephone - (0113) 2557292

Nickname: The Villagers

Founded: 2010

Capacity: 4,000 (300 Seated)

Pitch Size: 120 x 80 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Firelighter

Kit Manufacturer: Puma

First Kit: White & Green Shirts Green Shorts White Socks

Away Kit: Yellow Shirts Black Shorts Black Socks

Website: www.FarsleyCelticfc.com

Programme: £3.00



Ground Guide

On one side is the Main Stand. This small, tidy looking stand which runs half the length of the pitch. It straddles the half way line but is off centre from it. The stand is all seated and covered. There are no obstructing pillars and the floodlights pylons on that side are considerably located at the back and to either side of the stand. Next to the Main Stand on one side, is the teams' dressing rooms to which there is a staircase that leads up to them.



Main Stand

Opposite on the North side of the ground is a small open terrace and in front are located the team dugouts. As the dressing rooms are on the other side of the ground, then this results in a procession of club personnel across the pitch.



The West End, also known as the Shed End, is a strange old-fashioned looking affair, having a small cover with a large number of supporting pillars running along the front of the six-step high terrace and it is also set back from the pitch and halfway along there is a large dividing

fence and gate, which allows this end to be split between home and away fans if needed. The other end is a simple open flat standing area.

Driving to the Ground



North

Take the A59 towards Skipton and take fourth exit at the roundabout towards Keighley (A629) and continue towards Shipley (A650) picking up the A627 to pass Calverley. At roundabout, take third exit onto A6120 then turn left onto Calverley Lane. Turn left again into New Street (the junction cornered by Go Outdoors) and follow road around to Newlands, approximately 300 yards on the right. Ground is at end with parking available outside the ground.



South

Take the M1 and merge onto the M621 and take it to Junction 2 then at the roundabout take the third exit onto the A643 then at the next roundabout take the third exit onto Bradford Road and follow the road to new Pudsey Station then at the roundabout take the third exit into Calverley Lane, at Go Outdoors shop turn left into new Street follow road around to Newlands, approximately 300 yards on the right.

Public Transport and Walking



10 minutes

Train to **New Pudsey Railway Station**, on the Cross Pennine Line, is a ten minutes' walk away from Throstle Nest ground. When leaving the station follow the station road to the junction and turn right. Pass the police station on the left At New Street (the junction cornered by Go Outdoors) turn left. Newlands is approximately 300 yards on the right and the ground is situated at the end of Newlands with parking available outside the ground.

Admission

Adult: £14.00,
Concessions: £5.00,
Under 16s: £1.00
Child (Under 12): Free (accompanied by an adult)

Where to Drink

There is a fair-sized clubhouse at the ground itself, which normally welcomes visiting fans. It also shows Sky Sports. The nearest pub which is around a five-minute walk is the Jug & Barrel on Town Street. If you have a bit more time on your hands then take the 10-15 minute walk into Farsley, where there are a few more pubs to be found along Town Street. Worth

mentioning is the Old Hall Hotel on Back Lane just off Town Street, but also on Town Street itself, there are; the Village Wine bar, New Inn, Bay Horse and at the bottom of Town Street the Fleece.

Gloucester City

Ground – New Meadow Park, Sudmeadow Road, Hempstead, Gloucester GL2 5HS

Main Telephone No: 01242 573 558

Fax No: 01242 224 675

Capacity: 3,066 (762 seated)

Fax No: 01242 224 675

Team Nickname: The Tigers

Year Ground Opened: 2021

Pitch Size: 100 x 68 m

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Malven Tyres

Kit Manufacturer: Joppa

First Kit: Red and Yellow Shirt With Red Shorts and Red Socks

Away Kit: Sky Blue Shirts Sky Blue Shorts Sky Blue Socks

Website: www.Tigers-fc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

The New Meadow is built on the old Meadow Park but has new water defences against the Seven River bursting its bank with outer and in defences at the ground it has two new stands with 762 seats named the 1863 Stand and the County city Tyres Stands at either end of the goal line with changing rooms in the middle



At the T Shed end of the ground is a pitch length cover enclosure and opposite to that is the smaller and opposite the stand is and uncovered enclosure called the West End but should be covered when funds are available

Driving Directions



South

Take Junction 11 on the M5 and take the third exit on to the A40 and follow the directions below



North

Take the Junction 11 and then the first exit on to the A40 and follow the A40 till after you have crossed the Severn River and then at the next roundabout take the first exit out the A417 and at the light take the right set and then turn right on to the A430.

Then continue down the road till you see the sign for Severnside Trading estate at Avenue Cars the car park is on the left just past the houses.

Public Transport/Walking



4 minutes



10



11 minutes

Train to **Gloucester Railway Station** then walk out on to Station Road and from stop Q take the **Stagecoach West 10** to Aldi then walk back and turn left down to the end of Saint Ann Road then cross the road and walk up Sudmeadow Road and the ground is on the right after the houses

Admission

Adult £14
Concessions £10
Under 18's £7*
Under 13's Free

Where to Drink

The nearest pub is the High Orchard in Saint Ant Way where there is good food and beers and wines for you to taste and only 6 minutes from the ground

Guisley

Ground – Nethermoor Park Otley Road Leeds LS20 8BT

Telephone - 01943 873223

Capacity: 3,000 (Seats 500)

Team Nickname: The Lions

Year Ground Opened: 1909

Pitch Size: 100 x 68 m

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: AGF & Clipper

Kit Manufacturer: Macrom

First Kit: White & Black Shirts Black Shorts & Black Socks

Away Kit: Purple Shirts Purple Shorts Purple Socks

Website: www.GuisleyFc.com

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

The ground has a capacity of 3,000 with the ground having seating for 500 in the main stand and the Cricket ground End have a small enclosure the rest of the ground is open terracing and has a good club shop for goodies.



Driving Directions



From the North/West

Take the M6 to Junction, at junction 36 then take the A590 exit to Skipton/ Kirkby Lonsdale/ A65/ Barrow then at the roundabout take the first exit onto the A590 then at the next roundabout take the second exit on to the A65 and at the third roundabout take the first exit for Leeds A65 and at the fifth roundabout take the second exit signposted Leeds/ Bradford A65 the ground is three miles down on the left just as you enter the town



From South and East

Take the M1 to Junction 43 on to the M621 towards Leeds City Centre. Continue on M621 to Junction 2, at the roundabout follow Headingley Stadium signs then at the next roundabout take the fourth exit into Wellington Road Take the exit toward A65/ Ilkley/ Airport, then first left into Kirklands Road just past Fridays restaurant towards Ilkley then keep on the road to Guiseley the ground is on the right just past the White Cross Hotel on the right



From North/East

Take the A1M, leave at A59, towards Harrogate, then A658 signed Leeds Bradford Airport, then at Pool turn right onto A659 Otley continue towards Bradford/ Leeds, to Harry Ramsden roundabout then take the sign for A65 Leeds and the ground quarter of a mile on left.

Public Transport



4 minutes

Train to **Guiseley Railway Station** on alighting from train exit into station car park and walk diagonally across it towards the path between hedges that leads to a terrace of stone-built houses, walk to the end of the terrace and turn right into Otley Road, continue on for 200 yards and Nethermoor is on the right

Admission

Adults £15

Over 65's/Students £10

Under 16's £4

Where to Drink

The football and the Cricket Club share a Social Club and all are welcome or you can choose Coopers at 6 Otley Street which is 400 yards from the ground instead of turning right for the ground turn left and walk to the bottom of Otley Road it not only sells wines but also does good food as well.

Hereford

Ground - Edgar Street, Hereford, HR4 9JU

Main Telephone No: 08442 761939

Capacity: 5,966 (1,800 Seated)

Team Nickname: Bulls

Year Ground Opened: 1904 (Hereford City)

Pitch Size: 100 x 68 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Jewson

Kit Manufacturer: Macrom

First Kit: White Shirts Black Shorts and Black Socks

Away Kit: Yellow Shirts Black Shorts and Black Socks

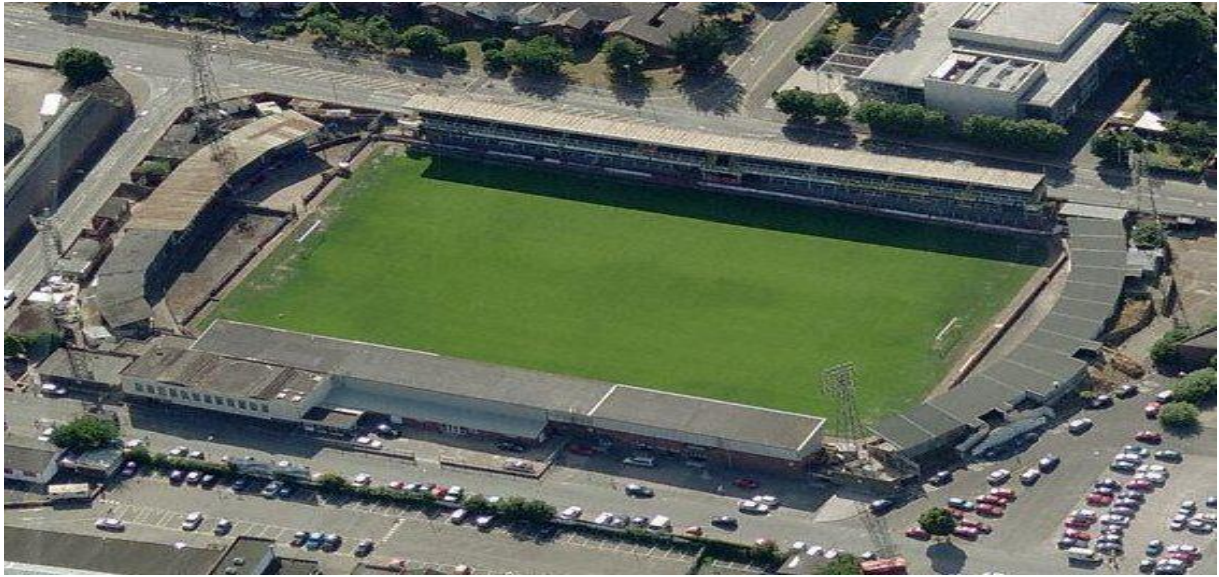
Website: www.Herfordfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

The Merton Stand, on the eastern side of the ground is the only all-seater stand in the ground and was built in 1968. It currently has a capacity of 1818. Initially it was flanked on either side by standing areas known as the *Cowsheds*, but when the club progressed into the Football League the stand was extended to cover the entire length of the pitch. The Merton Stand is the nominated family stand and includes the director's and press boxes, with matchday sponsors also seated in this stand. In front of the stand lie the dugouts next to the players' tunnel. All of the club facilities, such as offices, changing rooms, boardroom and

corporate hospitality are located underneath the stand. The result of this is a number of windows at pitch level.



The Meadow End is located at the northern end of the ground and is traditionally populated with the club's most vocal supporters. It is a fully covered terrace and has a distinctive curve to its shape. The flat area in front of the terracing enables supporters to stand directly behind the perimeter wall of the pitch, very close to the action. It has a capacity of 1,500. Located behind this end is the substantial Merton Meadow car park.



Edgar Street Stand

The pitch's distinctive downhill slope is in the direction of the Meadow End, which has seen some memorable goals over the years, most notably the goals scored by Ronnie Radford and Ricky George in the 1972 FA Cup victory over Newcastle United.

The Len Weston Stand on the western side of the ground is a narrow two-tiered stand and was built in 1974, replacing the previous wooden grandstand, which was moved to a field near Risbury in the County. The stand has a total capacity of 1996, comprising 936 seats

and a further 1060 standing. It extends the entire length of the pitch and was named after the former president and benefactor of the club, Len Weston and the stand is now sponsored by Weston's Cider.



The Meadow End

The stand is unusual in that the lower tier is terraced and the upper tier seated. The upper tier contains just five steep rows of seating but offers perhaps the best view in the ground as it is higher than the Merton Stand and also closer to the pitch so supporters may not be able to see the front of the pitch, but seating is narrow.

The view from the terracing on the lower tier can be obscured by a number of supporting pillars, but also has the benefit of being very close to the touchline. The proximity of the A49 road immediately behind the stand limited the amount of room to build, hence the relatively small number of rows of seating. Ticket allocation is split between home and away supporters with the Meadow End side allocated to home supporters.



Merton Meadow Family Stand

The Blackfriars End terrace situated to the behind the southern goal, the stand was split between home supporters to the east, and away supporters to the west. The club parade the only live mascot a Hereford bull before the game.



Blackfriars End

Driving to the Ground

North 

Take the M6 to Junction 8 then merge with the M5. Leave the M5 at junction 7 for Worcester (South) and at the roundabout take the third exit on to Whittington Road and take the first left into Crockbarrow Way A4440 and go through three roundabouts at the fourth take the first exit on to A4103 go through two roundabouts this will take you on to Roman Road in Hereford then at the BMW garage turn left into College Road after the railway bridge take a left into Widemarsh Street go through one roundabout and take the first right just after Wickes into Blackfriars Road you will see the ground on the right and car park entrance are down on the right.



The live Herford Mascot

South East



Exit the M4 at junction 21 onto the M48 and over the New Severn Bridge and At junction 2, take the A466 exit to A48/ Chepstow/ Cas-Gwent At the roundabout, take the 3rd exit onto Wye Valley Link Rd/A466 Continue to follow A466 Go through 3 roundabouts after crossing the Wye Bridge in Monmouth take a right onto the A40 continue on till you pass the Cafe Diner and take the next exit for Hereford and at the end of the road turn left onto the A49 go through two roundabouts on the A49 till you reach Hereford. At the roundabout, take the Greyfriars Bridge/ Victoria Street Road (A49) then at Steels Garage, keep left into Edgar Street. Take Blackfriars Street (right) immediately before the football stadium. Turn left for parking.

South West



Take the M5 until junction 18a to take the M49. Join the M4 at junction 22 and turn left over the New Severn Bridge. At junction 2 take the A446 Continue to follow A466 Go through 3 roundabouts after crossing the Wye Bridge in Monmouth take a right onto the A40 continue to Ross on Wye then take a left on to A49 and join the A49 and follow the signs for Hereford. At the second roundabout, take the Greyfriars Bridge/Victoria Street Road. At Steels Garage, keep left into Edgar Street. Take Blackfriars Street (right) immediately before the football stadium. Turn left for parking.



Bully the Bull

Public Transport & Walking



10 minutes

The **Hereford Railway Station** is under a ten minutes' walk away. 'Come out of the station and turn left and down the road to Commercial Road along the road then right into Canal

Road cross the road and right into Conningsbery Street go to the end and cross the road and do a left/right into Blackfriars Road the ground is on the right.

For a pint at the Litchfield Vaults head left from the station walk down Commercial Road to Marks and Sparks and turn into left into Church Street and The Lichfield Vaults is few yards up the Street and from there to the ground its walk back up to HSBC bank and take into Widemarsh Street walk cross the pedestrian crossing past the Herdsman then cross over and then go left into Blackfriars the ground is on the right.

Admission

Adults £17

Students & Concessions £9,

Under 10's free

Where to Drink

The club have two bars at the ground, called Addison's and Radford's and they are both open before and after the game and welcome away fans and neutrals, except for certain derby games. Addison's is the larger and newer of the two bars and is situated behind the Merton Stand with real ales are available from the Wye Valley Brewery as well as real cider from Gwatkins where as Radford's has the added benefit of enjoying views across the ground.



Brewery delivery at Litchfield Vaults ("mines a Pint of Bitter" says Old Wallace the horse)

Litchfield Vaults which is in Church Street which is between the cathedral and the main shopping square and they serve a fine selection of well-kept ales from Adams Brewery from Southwold although the landlord does rotate the selection available, plus a good selection of hot snacks. From there it's about a 10 minute walk to the ground'. This pub is also listed in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide (See Walking guide).

Kings Lynn Town

Ground - The Walks Stadium, Tennyson Road, King's Lynn, Norfolk, PE30 5PB

Telephone – 01553 760060

Nickname: The Linnets

Founded: 2010

Ground Capacity: 5,733 (1,200 seated)

Year Ground Opened: 1886 (Kings Lynn RFC)

Shirt Sponsors: Chartered Interiors

Kit Manufacturer: Kappa

First Kit: Blue & Yellow Shirt, Blue Shorts & Blue & White Socks

Away Kit: Yellow shirts Yellow shorts Yellow socks

Website: www.KingslynnTown.co.uk

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

The Grandstand all although it only runs for around 2/3rds of the length of the pitch, straddling the halfway line, it is of a good size and looks quite imposing. This covered stand has a single tier of 1,200 seats, which are raised above pitch level, meaning that you have to climb a small set of stairs to enter it. The stand contains the club facilities, such as the dressing rooms, press area clubhouse bar, cafe and club shop



Opposite is a small covered terrace that runs for the entire length of the pitch. Although it has a number of supporting pillars running along the front and along the middle, it is around 12 steps high. Both ends are open to the elements and are small terraces. The larger of these is at the West end of the stadium. Called the Tennyson Road End, it has a few elevated steps of the terrace



Driving to the Ground



Take the A1 to Wansford and follow the signs for A47 Peterborough and go through Peterborough Bypass on the A47 and then follow the signs for Kings Lynn. At the roundabout beside the Premier Inn on the outskirts of the town take the second exit and then take the third right onto Clenchwarton Road and after the bridge it becomes Wisbech Road and go straight on at the next two roundabouts and then take first left into Exton's Road then second on the right and it's at the top of the road.

Public Transport and Walking



4 minutes

Train to **Kings Lynn Railway Station** the ground is 400 yards from the station walk through the park up to the ground.

Admission

Adults £14
OAP's/Students £10
Under 16's £5

Programme

£2.00

Where to have a Drink

There is a club bar inside the ground that is located in the Grandstand, which welcomes away supporters. There are two small pubs located around five minutes' walk away from the Walks Stadium, the Live and Let live on Windsor Road and Lord Napier on Guanock Terrace.

I found the Live and Let Live at 18 Windsor Road to be particularly welcoming and it also offers real ale and some real ciders. However, the Lord Napier in Guanock Terrace does have the added benefit of showing Sky Sports. If arriving by train then in the town centre there is a Wetherspoons outlet called the Globe Hotel on King Street which is a twelve-minute walk from the station.

Peterborough Sports

Ground – Lincoln Road Ground, 651 Lincoln Road Peterborough PE1 3HA

Telephone: 07913 761312

Nickname: The Turbines

Founded: 1908 (Brotherhood Engineering Works FC)

Ground Capacity: 3,700 (350 Seated)

Ground Opened: 1919

Shirt Sponsors: PIMS & Vitality

Kit Manufacturer: Puma

First Kit: Blue & Yellow Shirt, Blue Shorts & Blue & White Socks

Away Kit: Orange & Black, Shirts Black Shorts Black Socks

Website: www.Peterboroughsportsfc.co.uk

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

The Grandstand all although it only runs for around 2/3rds of the length of the pitch, straddling the halfway line and holds 360 people and is opposite the Pavilion, it is of a good size and looks quite imposing. This covered enclosure on the Lincoln Road End and Thistlemere Road End but the St Pauls Road end is still uncovered



Driving to the Ground



Take the M1 to junction 17 and follow it on to Felton Parkway and then take the sign for A1260 Sleaford and at the roundabout take the first exit onto Neme Parkway and at the next roundabout take the fourth exit take the fourth exit onto the A47 and at junction 17 take the slip road and take the second exit and at the roundabout take the third exit and then take the first left into Lincoln Road and take the third left for the ground.



Public Transport



4 minutes



1



2 minutes

Train to **Peterborough Railway Station** then walk over to Queensgate Bus Station and take the **Stagecoach East 1 bus** and take it to the Triangle on Bourges Boulevard it then walks down to the Triangle Supermarket and then walk a few more yards and turn right and walk up to the ground.

Admission Price

Adults £16
concessions & OAP
Under 17 plus Students £5
Under 13 Free with an Adult

Where to have a Drink

There is only one pub near the ground after the Cock Inn closed and that is of the Crown Inn at 749 Lincoln Road about ten minutes from the ground.

Rushall Olympic

Ground – Dales Lane, Daw Ends Lane Rushall Walsall WS4 1LJ
Telephone - 01922 641021
Founded: 1893
Capacity: 4,500 (500 Seated)
Team Nickname: The Pics
Ground Opened: 1900
Shirt Sponsors: Sitescapes Landscaping & Reliant
Kit Manufacturer: Hummel
First Kit: Gold Shirt, Black Shorts Black Socks
Away Kit: All Navy Blue
Website: www.RushallOlympicfc.co.uk
Programme: £3



Ground Guide

The Stands split the halfway line with a capacity of 500 at the canal end and there is a small enclosure at the Railway End and a new covered enclosure at the Dales End with the car park end still uncovered

Driving to the Ground



Take the M6 to junction 10 from the North its first exit from the South its third exit for Walsall Manor Hospital after mile continue straight on at the Shopping Centre and after 700 yards take a left (Signposted Lichfield A461) and at the next roundabout take the first left into Lichfield Street and continue to lights at McDonalds on the right and take a right into Daw Ends Lane and continue to the top of the hill and just over the canal bridge take a right just after the White House and the lane runs up to the ground.

Public Transport and Walking



4 minutes



10 or 997



2

minutes

Train to **Walsall Railway Station** then walk across the road through the lane, follow St Paul's Street to the right, to Walsall Bus Station then take the **National Express Midlands 997 bus** from Stand G to the ground and walk down the lane after the Royal Oak on the left.



Main Stands

Alternative is train to **Walsall Railway Station** through the lane to the Bus station and there take the **National Express Midlands 10 bus** to Westminster Road in Rushall then walk back and before McDonalds take a left into Daws Lane and when you get to Royal Oak cross the road and walk down the lane to the ground.

Admission

Adults £14
OAP's/Students £10
Under 16's £3
Under 12 £2

Where to Drink

About 5 mins away from the ground is the Boathouse or Manor House on Park Road excellent drinks as well at the club

Scarborough Athletic

Ground – Flamingo Land Stadium, 5 Ashburn Road, Scarborough YO11 2JW

Telephone: 07545 878467

Nickname: The Seadogs

Founded: 2007

Ground Capacity: 3,900 (586 Seated)

Ground Opened: 2017

Pitch Size: 100 x 70 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Everyone Active & CU Scarborough

Kit Manufacturer: Macron

First Kit: Red Shirts, White Shorts & Red Socks

Away Kit: White Shirts, Black Shorts and Black Socks

Website: www.scarboroughathletic.com

Programme: £2



Driving to the Ground

The modern stand which has now has been complemented by two enclosures on the Ashburn Road and a nice cover at the Railway Lane end with the St Margaret's End and car park end still uncovered.

Driving to the Ground



From the North East

Take the A1 to Junction 49 then take a left to A168 then at the first roundabout go straight on and at the second take the second exit and continue on to Thirsk and at the roundabout take the first exit and at the crossroads roundabout take the third exit onto Sutton Road and take it to Helmsley and at the Bond roundabout take the third roundabout and then at the next roundabout at East Ayton onto Racecourse Road and continue on into Scarborough and just past the Crown Arms roundabout take a right at the Newton Arms lights and second left into St James Road and at the roundabout take the first exit at the mini roundabout then after the railway bridge take a first left and the ground is on the left.



Ashburn Road Main Stand and two new enclosures



West

Take the M62 to junction 29 and take the M1 and at Junction 44 take A64 towards York and at the first roundabout take the second exit and at the next take the first exit then second exit at the next roundabout and then at the light before the church in Scarborough take a right onto Valley Road and go straight on at the mini roundabout then after the railway bridge take a first left and the ground is on the left.



Railway Lane Enclosure

From the South 

Take the M1 to Junction 44 take A64 towards York and at the first roundabout take the second exit and at the next take the first exit then second exit at the next roundabout and then at the light before the church in Scarborough take a right onto Valley Road and go straight on at the mini roundabout then after the railway bridge take a first left and the ground is on the left.



St Margaret's End and Car park Ends

Public Transport and Walking



→  **16 minutes**

Train to **Scarborough Railway Station** then go up the Station Approach, then turn left into Falsgrave Road then first left into Belgrave Road and then turn right after crossing the bridge and follow the road left and then right and walk down to the bottom of the road take a right then cross the road and take a left and the ground is two hundred yards on the right.



→  **2 minutes**



7 →  **6 minutes**

The Alternative is to take the **East Yorkshire 7 bus** to Rosebury Road on Semur Road walk along past the Hyundai dealership and then turn left and take the path under the railway and then turn left and the ground is in front of you.

Admission

Adult: £14.00,

Concessions: £10.00,
Under 16s: £5.00
Child (Under 12): Free (accompanied by an adult)

Where to Drink

Apart from there clubhouse for neutrals and away fans the hole in the Wall in Vernon Road, The Valley in Valley Road, The Lord Nelson and Spa in Victoria Road, The Price of Wales on Castle Road are within 7 minutes of the station and on the way to the ground.

Scunthorpe United

Ground – Glanford Park, Doncaster Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 8TD

Main Telephone No: 0871 221 1899

Fax No: 01724 857 986

Capacity: 9,183

Pitch Size: 111 x 73 yards

Team Nickname: The Iron

Year Ground Opened: 1988

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Uilta Rainham Steel

Kit Manufacturer: fbt

Website: www.scunthorpe-united.co.uk

Programme: £3.00



History Facts & Records

Founded – 1899 (Scunthorpe FC)

Years at Today's Ground – 30 years

First Admitted to the Football League – 1950

First Official Floodlit Match – October 1957

Highest Attendance – 23,935 v Portsmouth, FA Cup 4th rd. 30 January 1954

Highest Score for – 9-0 Boston United FA Cup First Round 21/11/1953

Highest Against – 0-8 v Carlisle United, Division 3 (North) 25 November 1952

Highest Scorer in a Season – 31 Barry Thomas in 1961/62

Highest Scorer Overall – 110 Steve Cammack from 1979 - 81

Player with most First Team Appearances – 791 Jack Brownsword 1950 – 65

Former Names

Scunthorpe FC (merged in 1910 with Lindsey United)

Former Grounds

Old Show Ground (1899 – 1988) **

Colours



Home



Away



Alternative

Ground Guide

The club moved from the Old Show Ground in Doncaster Road to Glanford Road as it was impossible on their finances to rebuild their old ground which they sold to Sainsbury



Glanford Park was the first new league football ground to be built since the Second World War. It was built to a budget in 1988 with all four stands being of equal height and similar in appearance. The ground is totally enclosed, although the corners are not used for spectators. The home end is terracing, whilst the other three sides of the ground are all seated.



Away fans are housed in the South Stand at one end. This is all seated and can house 1,700 supporters and if demand requires it, then extra seats can be made available in the south corner of the West Stand. The main downside is the many supporting pillars running along the front of the stands that may impede your view. There is a small electric scoreboard suspended below the roof of the South Stand.

Whilst Glanford Park is fully enclosed, there aren't actually any corner seats, so although you could argue it was slightly pointless, it does actually serve to help the match day atmosphere. Combined with a boxy-roof which appears to hang rather low, the noise generated by both sets of fans during the match is retained well inside the ground.



Whitegates Stand

First opened in 1988s perhaps before the advent of the modern, post-Hillsborough stadium, the one drawback of Scunthorpe's stadium is that there is an over-reliance on beams to support the roof which can restrict some views inside the ground. However, the atmosphere more than makes up for this but they may move to a new ground for the 2016/17 season and is only one mile from Glanford.

For away fans **The Honest Lawyer** on Oswald Road is well worth a visit it has been listed in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide and has a number of beers on offer. Also, on Oswald Road are the **Blue Bell** which is a Weatherspoon's outlet Large, roomy, huge selection of real ales, fairly nice crowd Food quite good and the beers excellent what we tried Pleasant beer garden at rear looks over a large car park with Raised area in pub very good for eating. Well worth a visit.

Driving Directions



North West

Take the M62 and leave at Junction 35 onto the M18 then take the exit for M180 and follow the signs for Scunthorpe and leave the M180 at Junction 3 and take the M181 for Scunthorpe. At the end of this motorway, you will see the ground on your right. At the Frodingham Grange roundabout take the third exit into Doncaster Road then take the second exit at the next roundabout into the large car park at the ground, which costs £3 for cars.



North East

Take the A1 down to the M62 and join it at Junction 12A and follow the above directions.



South

Take the M1 and then take the sign for Doncaster & Hull onto the M18 then at Junction 5 take the sign for Hull Airport/Scunthorpe and at the roundabout take the third exit onto the M181 and leave the M180 at Junction 3 and take the M181 for Scunthorpe. At the end of this motorway, you will see the ground on your right. At the Frodingham Grange roundabout take the third exit into Doncaster Road then take the second exit at the next roundabout into the large car park at the ground, which costs £3 for cars.



Britcon Stand

Public Transport & Walking



→ 5 mins



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→ 5 mins

The irons ground is a nice welcoming park and from **Scunthorpe Railway Station** Turn left out of the station walk over to the corner of Dunstall Street and the High Street and take the **Stagecoach East Midlands 31 bus** to outside the retail Park at Tesco and its four minutes' walk to the ground. You walk back to the roundabout then follow the road to the next roundabout and walk straight on the ground is 500 yards in front of you



→ 5 mins



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→ 5 mins

You can also travel to **Althorp Railway Station** walk three minutes opposite the station and take **Hornsby 35 bus** to Gallagher Retail Park and it's a five minutes' walk to the ground. You walk back to the roundabout then follow the road to the next roundabout and walk straight on the ground is 500 yards in front of you

Admission

South Stand

Adults £16

Over 60's/Under 21's £10,

Under 16's £5

Southport

Ground – Haig Avenue, Southport, PR8 6JZ

Main Telephone No: 01704 533422

Capacity: 5,415 (Seats 1,844)

Team Nickname: The Sandgrounders, The Port or the Yellows

Year Ground Opened: 1905

Pitch Size: 110 x 77 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Techedia

Kit Manufacturer: Kappa

First Kit: Yellow Shirts Black Shorts & Black Socks

Away Kit: Royal Blue Shirts Royal Blue Shorts Royal Blue Socks

Website: www.southportfc.com

Programme: £3



Carr Stand

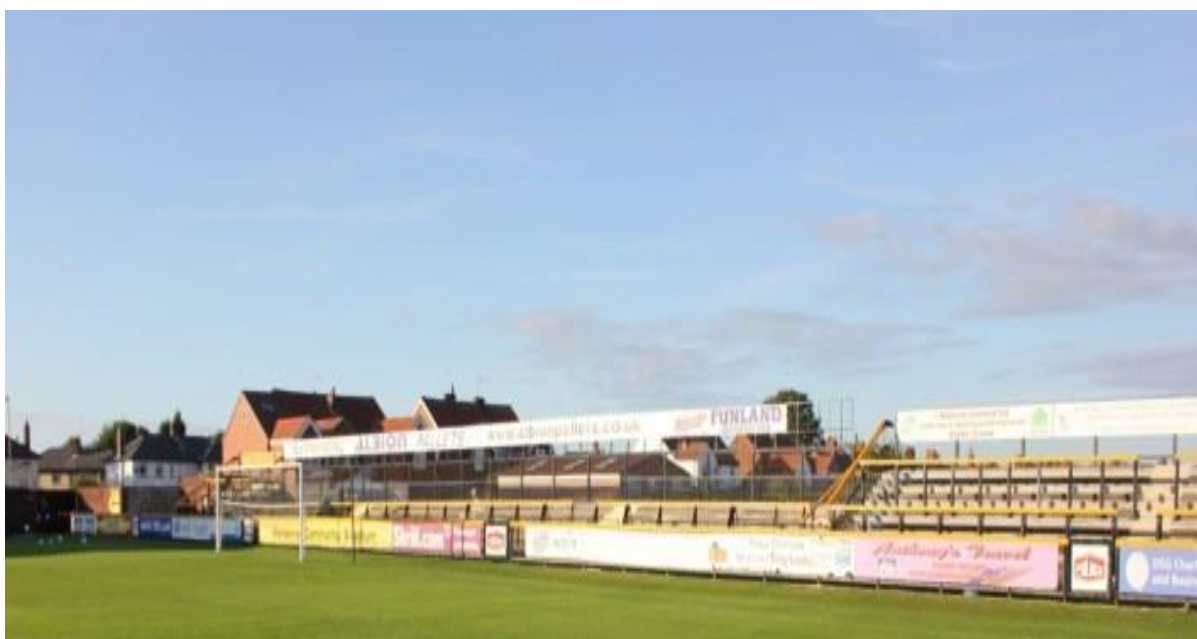
Ground Guide

A fairly open ground that has a capacity of 6,000 with the Grandstand holding 1,660 seats of which 300 are given to away support, this doesn't run the full length of the pitch and straddles the half way line, with the spaces on either side, which are unused for spectators.



Blowick End

The rest of the stadium is comprised of terrace, with only the Jack Carr terrace at one end being covered. This terrace, which is also known as the Scarisbrick End, is the home end and can house just over 900 fans, but only runs for around half the width of the playing area. Opposite is the Blowick End, a small open terrace which is allocated to away fans. On the remaining side of the ground is the Popular Side, another open terrace, which runs the full length of the ground.



Popular End

Driving to the Ground



Leave M6 at junction 26. Join M58 to junction 3. Join A570 that is (Signposted Southport); follow A570 through Ormskirk Town Centre following the signs for Southport. At the big roundabout (McDonalds is on the left) take the fourth exit. Go along Melos Cop Road this road until you reach the second set of pedestrian lights and take the next left into Haig Avenue the ground is on the left.

Public Transport



Train to **Melos Cop Railway Station** which is the nearest station to the ground and is only 10 minutes from the ground you come out of the station and walk straight down Norwood Road when you get to the Car Showroom take the next right into Haig Avenue and follow the road round to the ground which is on the left.



The Main Stand

Admission

Adult*	£15.00	£13.50
Concessions *	£11.00	£10.00
Juniors (12-16)	£6.00	£5.00
Children (u12)	Free	Free

Children Under 16 MUST be accompanied by a paying adult.

- *Depending on opponents

Where to Drink

There is a bar at the ground which is situated behind the Grandstand, called the Grandstand Bar and even serves its own real ale called 'Grand Stand Gold'. Otherwise there is the 'Thatch & Thistle' pub, which also serves food. This is located near to the bottom of Haig Avenue, at the junction of Butts Road and Melos Cop Road.

South Shields

Ground - Filtrona Park, Shaftesbury Avenue, Simonside, Jarrow, NE34 9PH

Telephone: (0191) 4279839

Nickname: The Mariners

Founded: 1974

Ground Capacity: 4,500 (300 Seated)

Ground Opened: 1974

Pitch Size: 102 x 70 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Business Energy & Pullman

Kit Manufacturer: Puma

First Kit: Maroon and Blue Shirts Maroon Shorts and Maroon Socks

Away Kit: Sky blue & White Shirts Maroon Shorts and Maroon Socks

Website: www.southshieldsfc.co.uk

Programme: £2



Ground Guide

A small 300 stand on the Metro side of the ground with a new enclosure been put in on the Shaftesbury road End as well as a new covered enclosure end at the Beechgrove End along with Monks End to increase the ground to 4,500.

Driving to the Ground



From the North: take the A1 then take the sign for the A19 and Blyth and take the second exit at the roundabout and at Cramington roundabout take the third exit and at the Mc Donals roundabout take the second exit and after just over two mile take the exit for South Shields/Jarrow and take the second exit at the roundabout then take the first right and then first left, first right pass the metro station on Kingsway turn left and go under two bridges till the end then turn right into Shaftsbury Avenue and the ground is 200 yards on right.



Shaftsbury and Beechgrove ends

From the South: Take the A1(M1) till Tyneside then take the right lane and merge onto the A194 and at Horshoe roundabout take the second exit and straight on at the next then take the B1516 for Jarrow/South Shields and at the roundabout take the third exit onto Roman Road and follow the road right and at the roundabout take the third exit onto Leam Lane and go straight on at the next roundabout into Hadrian's Road and at McDonalds take a left and the ground is on the right after 300 yards.



Main Stand

Public Transport



Train to **Newcastle Railway Station** then walk over to the metro and take the metro to **Bede Metro Stop** walk down the path to Kingsway turn left and go under two bridges till the end then turn right into Shaftsbury Avenue and the ground is 200 yards on right.

Admission Price

Adult: £15.00,
Concessions: £9.00
Under 12 - 16s: £5.00

Where to Drink

The club bar is a nice place to drink but in Jarrow town centre there is The Chapel Road Pub so get the metro to Jarrow walk over to the pub and then get the metro to Bede

Spennymoor Town

Founded: 2005 (Merger of Evenwood United AFC & Spennymoor United AFC)

Ground - Brewery Field, Wood View, Spennymoor, DL16 6JN

Telephone - 07582 577583

Capacity: 4,500 (500 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Moors

Pitch Size: 110 x 77 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Great Annual Savings

Kit Manufacturer: Erra

First Kit: White & Black Shirts Black Shorts and Black socks

Away Kit: Royal Blue and yellow shirts Royal Blue shorts Royal Blue socks

Website: www.spennymoor-townfc.com

Programme: £3



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Driving to the Ground

West

Take the M62 and join the A1 and then take the A1 to junction 59 then take the first exit at the roundabout onto the A167 go straight on at three roundabouts at the fourth Thinford take the first exit onto the A688 and go straight on at the next at the second roundabout take the third exit into St Andrews Lane then go through three roundabouts and follow the road round into Durham Street just past the new houses on the right is Wood Lane take a left and the car park is beside the ground.

South

Take the A1 to junction 59 then take the first exit at the roundabout onto the A167 go straight on at three roundabouts at the fourth Thinford take the first exit onto the A688 and go straight on at the next at the second roundabout take the third exit into St Andrews Lane then go through three roundabouts and follow the road round into Durham Street just past the new houses on the right is Wood Lane take a left and the car park is beside the ground.



Public Transport and Walking



Train to **Durham Railway Station** then walk 6 minutes up to Milburngate Stance J and take the **Sapphire 6** or from Stance K **Go North East Castle Express 21** for Bishop Auckland which drops you at Durham Road and Burns Avenue then walk back cross the road and turn right and the ground is on the left after 20 yards



Main Stand

Admission

Adult: £15.00,
Concessions: £11.00,
Under 16s: £2.00
Child (Under 12): Free (accompanied by an adult)

Where to Drink

A new clubhouse bar was opened at the Durham Road End of the ground. Called the Neil Adams Sports Bar it welcomes visiting supporters and is also family-friendly as long as youngsters are accompanied by an adult. However, when matches are segregated at Brewery Field then away fans are unable to access this bar.

A few minutes' walk away along Durham Road (going towards the town centre) is the Moors Tavern, which is a community pub that has an affiliation with the football club. If you continue along Durham Road into the town centre a further two-minute walk will have you pass the Spennymoor Working Men's Club in King Street. If you then turn right into Cheapside will find a Wetherspoons pub called 'The Grand Electric Hall' which is located on Cheapside. Apart from offering the usual Wetherspoons fayre, it is listed in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide. Almost opposite the Grand Electric Hall is the Penny Gill a rock-themed pub that welcomes away fans. Also, located within a 10-minute walk of Brewery Field is Tudhoe Victory Club, 67 York Villas, Tudhoe Spennymoor DL16 6LP.

Tamworth

Ground - The Lamb Ground Kettlebrook Tamworth Staffordshire, B77 1AA

Telephone: 01827 65798

Fax: 01827 62236

Capacity: 4,100 (Seated 518)

Nickname: The Lambs

Year Ground Opened: 1934

Ground Guide

Although the ground is on the small side and gets its name from a former pub called the Lamb Inn, it is well maintained and has a capacity of 4,100. The Main Stand all seated covered stand that straddles the halfway line of the pitch and has a capacity of 526 seats.



The Main Stand

The other side is a small covered terrace, known by the fans as 'The Shed' which runs nearly the full length of the pitch and this terrace is used by the home support. The Castle End is an open terrace, whilst the other end is a partly covered terrace. This end, the Meadow Street End, is given to away supporters. The ground is overlooked in one corner by the sizeable Tamworth Snowdome.

Driving to the Ground

North East 

Drive down to Junction 35 and then take the third road and take the M18 Sheffield/Scunthorpe the M18 merges with the M1 and take junction 23A on to the M42 then take junction 10 on to the A5/A51 to Town Centre, then follow the signs for Kettlebrook and Tamworth FC.



North West

Take the M6 to junction 12 then take the A5 or you can take the M6 Toll road and get off at junction T4 and follow the signs for A5 and Tamworth then at Bonehill Roundabout go into to Tamworth and follow the signs for Tamworth FC and Snow Dome.



The Meadow Street End

South East

Take the M1 to junction then at Junction 19 take the M6 for Birmingham then at Junction take the sign for the M42 and then junction 10 take the slip road for Tamworth and follow the above directions from the North East. There are car parking spaces at the back of the main stand and its £2.00 for cars and £10 for coaches

Public Transport/Walking

Train to **Tamworth Railway Station** leave the station and walk along the approach road to the roundabout, turn left then cross the road leading under the railway bridge, leaving Jewson's on your right, walk along Offa Drive continue past Aldi to a roundabout, turn left leaving Bolebridge Garage on your left, cross the river bridge with the railway viaduct on your left.

Then follow the footpath to the left into Amington Road, cross Amington Road when you reach the roadside railings cross the road but don't go under the arches, once across the road head up Kettlebrook Road and the entrance to The Lamb is 50 yards ahead on your right.

Admission

Adults £14 (B £12),
Over 65's/Under 18's £9 (B £7),
Under 16's £4 (B £3),

Programme

£2.50

Where to Drink

The Social club at the Lamb not only serves beers and spirits but does a brisk trade in good food and if you are coming from the Railway Station then Sir Robert Peel in Lower Gungate. There is also a pub, called the Bole Bridge at 8 Bolebridge Street, which is popular with both home and away supporters.

Warrington Town

Ground - Cantilever Park Common Lane Latchford Warrington WA4 2RS

Telephone - 01925 653044

Capacity: 3,500 (200 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Wire

Founded: 1949 (Stockton Heath Albion)

Pitch Size: 100 x 68 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Enterprise Software

Kit Manufacturer: Macron

First Kit: Yellow Shirts Blue Shorts and Blue Socks

Away Kit: Blue Shirts White Shorts and White Socks

Website: www.warringtontownfc.co.uk

Programme: £2



Driving to the Ground

North 

Take the M6 to Junction 22 and at the roundabout take the third exit onto the A49 and at the fourth roundabout take the third exit into Mersey Street and at the second roundabout take the second exit into Knutsford Road and at Razor barbers take the right fork and follow it into Wash Lane and after the railway bridge follow it straight on by taking a right and you will see the ground beside the church in front of you with parking at the back of the stand.

South

Leave the M6 at junction 20, at the roundabout take the first exit and at the next roundabout take the second exit and follow A50 to Warrington along Knutsford Road and turn left immediately after crossing the Mersey ship Canal into Station Road Drive parallel to Ship Canal and take the second left as main road bends at the railway bridge turn left into Wash Lane and the ground is in front of you parking is behind the main stand.



Public Transport and Walking



From **Warrington Bank Quay Railway Station** walk up to the end of the road and turn right into Parker Street and take the **Cheshire Cat 5 Bus** to Louchers Lane which is the stop after the Causeway Hotel then turn left into Louchers Lane and the ground is front of you at the bottom of the lane.

Admission

Adult: £10.00,
Concessions: £5.00,
Under 16s: £1.00
Child (Under 12): Free (accompanied by an adult)

Where to Drink

The Social Club has a very good bar or you can try the Cheshire Cheese at 654 Knutsford Road or just across from the Station is the Pattern Arms Hotel in Parker Street.



Promotion to the National League and relegation to either Southern or Isthmian Leagues

Aveley

Ground - Mill Field, Mill Road Aveley, South Ockendon RM15 4SR
 Telephone: 01708 865940

Nickname(s)	The Millers
Founded	1927
Ground Capacity	1,200 (250 Seated)

Driving to the Ground



From M25, Northbound (anti-clockwise) then exit at Junction 31 (A1306, first junction from Dartford Tunnel). At the roundabout follow the directions for the Aveley turn off and head up Ship Lane. At the mini-roundabout High Street turn left. At the next mini-roundabout turn right into Mill Road. The entrance to the ground is 600 yards on the right (after St. Michael's Close).

From M25, Southbound (clockwise) Exit at Junction 30 and turn right (A13 London). At the next junction (A1306) follow signs to Rainham / Wennington. Then turn immediately right into Sandy Lane (B1335) to Aveley. At next roundabout turn right into Mill Road, the entrance to the ground is 300 yards on the left (after St. Paul's Close). There is a car park at the ground although it's not very big. There is plenty of room in the surrounding roads though.



Public Transport/Walking



Train to Rainham Railway Station then take Stagecoach London 372 bus towards Lakeside (Thurrock), Bus Station get off Aveley, Hanford Road (on Mill Road) and it's a five minute walk to the ground which is just off Mill Road up a lane.

Admission

Adults £9
OAP's/Students £4
Under 16's £2

Programme

£2.00

Bath City

Ground – Twerton Park, Twerton, Bath, BA2 1DB

Telephone - 01225 423087/313247

Capacity: 8,840 (1,006 seated)

Team Nickname: City,

Year Ground Opened: 1906 (Bath RTA FC)

Founded: 1889 (Bath AFC)

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: White and Black Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks

Second Team Colours: Red and Black Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks

Shirt Sponsors: BWW

Kit Manufacturer: Erra

Website: www.Bathcityfc.com

Programme: £2



Ground Guide

This ground is an older style of ground, with the ground capacity is 8,840. There are two stands which hold 790 & 236, uncovered terraces behind each goal and covered terracing everywhere else. Away fans generally stand at the Bristol End (the West end) and if there is segregation they get that area and the smaller stand. There's a club shop with a massive collection of programmes for the enthusiast and all the souvenirs you wish to take away with you.



Driving to the Ground

North 

Take the M5 to junction 15, exit onto M4 toward London/ M32/ Bristol, then at junction 19 of the M4 and merge on to the M32 and take the first exit onto the Bristol Ring Road, A4174,

going left signposted towards Bath. Follow this road and the signs to Bath until you join the A4 at Keynsham, again signposted Bath.

Follow this through Salford and continue on the A4 down Lower Bristol Road Turn right at the next set of lights under the Railway Bridge (Cars Only) in Connection Road onto the High Street just past the Shops take a right at blockbusters and Twerton Park is on your left and there are good spaces for cars

South West

Take the M4 to Junction 19 and merge onto the M32 and follow the directions above.

South East

Take the M4 to Junction 18 and at the roundabout take the first exit onto the A46 and after three miles take the third exit at the roundabout onto the A420 then after a mile turn left into Freezeinghill Lane after three miles take a right at the sign for Weston into Lansdown Lane and continue to the church roundabout where you take the first left into High Street.

Then after 400 yards take a left as the road goes up the hill just before the hospital into Weston Lane then at the mini roundabout take the second exit onto Park Lane then at the end of the road take a right into Upper Bristol Road then take first left into Windsor Bridge Road then at the end take a right into Lower Bristol Road and then take a right into the High Street at the lights and continue up to blockbusters there take a left for the ground.

South

Take the M27 then continue onto the A36 and just before Claverton at the lights take a left onto Brassnockerhill (Signposted Claverton down) and at the mini roundabout take the second exit onto Claverton Down Road and follow the road to the end at the bottom take a slight left into Claverton Road (A36) and then take a right into the High Street at the lights and continue up to blockbusters there take a left for the ground.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to **Bath Railway Station** and walk up the approach and in Dorchester Street take **Traveline Southwest Bus 5** to Twerton Parade, Clyde Gardens, Twerton it's a three minute walk from this stop you cannot miss the ground



Train to **Oldfield Park Railway Station** and a 10 minute walk to the ground. Walk up the station approach and then take a right over the rail bridge then take first left into Bellots Avenue and take the path into the industrial estate and then take a left up the path into

Bellots Road then take a second left down a path into Inverness Road and go to the end and then right into Burnham Road.

At the bottom of Burnham Road take a left onto Lower Bristol Road after about 200 yards you will come to lights take a left through the bridge and when you reach the shops take a left at blockbusters and the ground is 30 yards on the left.

Admission

Adults £13

Over 65's/Students £10

Under 16's £7

Where to Drink

There is a social club at the ground which admits away fans, but may not do so for local derbies. Otherwise the Old Crown pub 131 High Street which is a small traditional pub has a small beer garden, pool table and has real ale on offer from Moles Brewery. Handily located next to the pub is a fish & chip shop.

If you are walking from Oldfield Station on Lower Bristol Road is the Royal Oak, which is listed in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide. Also on Lower Bristol Road, near to the retail park is the Golden Fleece' at 1-3 Avon Buildings Lower Bristol Rd.

Braintree Town

Ground - The Crossing Road Stadium Clockhouse Way, Braintree, Essex CM7 3RD

Telephone - 01376 345 617

Capacity: 4,151 (553 Seats)

Pitch Size: 110 x 70 yards

Team Nickname: The Iron

Year Ground Opened: 1923

Founded: 1898

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Adreas Carter Sport

Kit Manufacturer: Hummel

First Kit: Orange Shirt with Blue Shorts and Orange socks

Away Kit: sky blue shirts yellow shorts Orange socks

Website: www.braintreeownfc.org.uk

Programme: £3

Ground Guide



Quag End

The ground is surrounded by trees and a 4,000 capacity the main stand this runs for around half the length of the pitch and it contains 550 seats and has open terracing to either side. Like stands of its age have a number of supporting pillars running along its front. Opposite the main stand is the Crossing Road Terrace. This small covered terrace has the team dugouts located in front. Both ends are fairly new terraces, the most recent of which the Quag End was replaced in 2012. Both ends are uncovered and the smaller Social Club End, which can accommodate both home and away fans.



The Main Stand

Opposite is the Crossing Road Terrace. In a former life the framework for this stand was the old Main Stand at Bedworth United. This pitch roofed covered terrace has the dugouts located in front. A total of 1,130 can be catered for on this side, with 755 of them under the cover.



Cressing Road Sam TSB

Both ends are uncovered and the Clubhouse End (capacity 1,131), is split into two blocks of terracing with a gap in the middle that leads to the bar, main exit and excellent supporters club shop (an Aladdin's Cave of programmes, badges, and ephemera).

Driving to the Ground



Take the M25 to Junction then journey down the M 11to Junction 8 then drive to Braintree and use the bypass. From the Braintree bypass (A120) turn into Braintree at Galley's Corner Roundabout (the McDonalds roundabout) and follow signs for the East Braintree Industrial Estate down Cressing Road. The floodlights will be visible on the left, just past the Orange Tree pub. The entrance to the ground is the next turning on the left in Clockhouse Way, then left again.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to **Braintree Freeport Railway Station** (Greater Anglia) then turn left out of the station and walk up Charter Way then left into Century Drive then take the first right and walk up the roundabout then walk across the road and walk up the lane past the tennis courts and take the gap in the hedge row and walk across the park the ground is in front of you. First train back to Liverpool Street is at 17.02 then the next is at 18.02

Admission

Adults £16 (B £15) (C £14)
OAP's £10
Under 16's £5
Under 11's £3

Where to Drink

For Good food just past the ground at the bottom of Cressing Road is the Fowlers Farm good food as well as well stocked for all your drink needs? Across from the ground is The

Orange Tree which has just been refurbished and you can use the online menu to order your food before you arrive and is well priced and they also have good selection of drinks.

Chelmsford City

Ground - Melbourne Park, Salerno Way, Chelmsford Essex, CM1 2EH

Telephone - 0124 529 0959

Capacity: 3,065 (1,311 seated)

Team Nickname: City, The Claret Army, The Clarets

Year Ground Opened: 1930 (Chelmsford AAA)

Founded: 1878 (Chelmsford AFC)

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Red Shirts, White Shorts, Red Socks

Second Team Colours: White Shirts, White Shorts, Red Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Texo

Kit Manufacturer: Erra

Website: www.chelmsfordcityfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

Melbourne Stadium as a multi-use venue. The ground can hold a capacity of 3,065 with 1,311 seated around the ground there is one large main stand, with a few rows of terracing at the front, a few rows of seats on the far side of the ground and then temporary terracing (around 4 steps worth) behind each goal.



Driving to the Ground



From Junction 28 of the M25 join the A12 sign-posted Chelmsford. After approximately nine miles take the exit sign-posted Chelmsford/Harlow. You then join another dual carriageway

then continue along this road (for approximately two miles) until you reach the first of two roundabouts. You then go straight across the first roundabout (note at this roundabout anyone driving in on the A414 will join).

The A414 should turn left at this point and drive up to the second roundabout. At the second roundabout you take the first left, signposted Chelmsford Crematorium/ Widford Industrial Area, you keep straight on this road, following the signs for the Town Centre and Hospital A & E. Along this road you will notice a Nissan Garage on your right and later a Fire Station, also on your right. After passing the Fire Station you will reach the final set of lights on this road. Keep left as you approach these lights.



As you go through the lights keep left and enter the slip road. Ahead is a road signposted A1060 Sawbridgeworth. Take the A1060 turning and stay on this road, through first set of lights. At second set of lights go into the right-hand filter lane and turn right. This takes you into Chignall Road. Stay on this road for a short while before turning right into Melbourne Avenue. Ahead you will see a tall block of flats, turn left immediately in front of them into Salerno Way. The entrance to the Stadium is via a left turn at the next mini-roundabout.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to **Chelmsford Railway Station** then walk up Station Road on to Broomfield Road and turn right into Broomfield Road walk down to the junction and walk straight on Broomfield Road. At this point it is called Parkway and walk up till you get to the High School on your right then turn left at the lights into Cooperation Road at the end of the road walk across the road then turn right into North Road and walk up to the main roundabout (there are a number of small roundabouts in North Road) then cross over and turn left at Melbourne Primary School and then second right down Salerno Road the ground is at the bottom of the road

Admission

Adults £12
OAP's/Students £8
Under 16's £4

Where to Drink

The Flyer which is only 500 yards from the ground beside Morrisons in Dickens Place from there to the ground its walk to end of Dickens Place turn left cross the road and then right in Madeline Place go to the top turn left and walk up the path then cut through the trees to the Meadow Park the ground is on the left.

Chippenham Town

Ground - Hardenhuish Park, Bristol Road, Chippenham, Wiltshire SN14 6LR

Tel: 01249 650400

Fax: 01249 650400

Founded: 1873

Capacity: 2,815 (500 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Bluebirds

Founded: 1878

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Royal Blue Shirts, Royal Blue Shorts, Royal Blue Socks

Second Team Colours: White Shirts, White Shorts, White Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Thonby Surfaces

Kit Manufacturer: Insport

Website: www.Chippenhamtownfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

Inside you are presented with a hot potch mixture of stands, with plenty of trees and greenery on view around the outside perimeter. On one side of the ground is the Main Stand which is small covered seated stand runs for around a third of the length of the pitch, straddling the half way line, it contains four rows of seating and above is a glassed area which houses the club bar also been extended recently with the addition of a small prefabricated covered seated area to each side and towards the open end of the ground there a few portacabins two of which have been stacked on top of one another plus there is a small portion of open terrace.



Driving to the Ground



Exit junction 17 from the M4. Follow the A350 towards Chippenham for three miles to first roundabout, take second exit (A350); follow road to third roundabout (junction with A420). Turn left and follow signs to the town centre. Ground is 1 mile on left hand side adjacent to pedestrian controlled traffic lights. Car/Coach should park next to traffic lights.



Public Transport & Walking



The ground is one mile from **Chippenham Railway Station** walk up Station Hill then turn right on to Manfield Road and when it changes to Bristol Road the ground is on your right

Admission

Adults £13
OAP's/Students £8
Under 16's £3

Where to Drink

The Brunel Pub next to the Railway station or you can drink at the ground called the Blues Bar. It is located above the Main Stand and enjoys good views over Hardenhuish Park. Unless fans are segregated then the bar is open to all visitors and is also open at half time.

Dartford

Ground - Princes Park Grassbanks Darenth Road Dartford Kent DA1 1RT

Telephone: 01322 299990

Capacity: 4,100 (Seated 645)

Founded: 1888

Team Nickname: The Darts

Year Ground Opened: 2006

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: White Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks

Second Team Colours: Purple Shirts, Purple Shorts, Purple Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Goldsmith Group

Kit Manufacturer: Puma

Website: www.Dartfordfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

The ground has been well designed and comfortable with a capacity of 4,100 as well as being probably the most environmentally friendly football ground so far constructed in the UK. The main stand has just three rows, seating in total for 640 spectators and a glassed area at the rear, which contains the clubhouse bar. Like the rest of the stadium, the roof is situated quite high above the spectator area and has a slight oval angle to it. The other three sides of the stadium are small terraced areas.



Opposite the Main Stand the Wooden Man sculpture stands on the terrace, if segregation is in force then away fans are housed in the Car Park End which has a capacity of 700 supporters and in addition 38 seats are made available on one side of the Main Stand by the Car Park End.



Driving to the Ground

From the North



from the North take Junction 6A on to the M25 After going over the Dartford Crossing (which costs £2), leave the motorway at Junction 1b and take the left hand slip road for A225 Dartford. At the roundabout at the end of the slip road above the motorway turn right the Esso garage onto the A225 (Princess Road) towards Dartford. Go straight across the next roundabout, passing a BP garage on the right. At the next set of traffic lights then turn left into Darenth Road and then take the second left into Grassbanks for the stadium. There are about 300 spaces if full then drive down to the Bluewater Shopping Centre they give you three hours free parking and then use the transport directions to the ground

From the South



Leave the M25 at Junction 2 (A2/Dartford A225). At the roundabout below the roundabout take the Dartford A225 exit. At the next roundabout take the 1st exit by the Esso garage onto the A225 towards Dartford. Go straight across the next roundabout, passing a BP garage on the right. At the next set of traffic lights then turn left into Darenth Road and then take the second left into Grassbanks for the stadium. There are about 300 spaces if full then drive down to the Bluewater Shopping Centre they give you three hours free parking and then use the transport directions to the ground. The ground try to direct you to another shopping centre close by but they charge so why pay.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to **Dartford Railway Station** from there exit the station walk straight ahead towards the Orchard Theatre/Shopping Centre. Do not cross the bridge but take the steps/ramp down to the Bus stops, then take the **Fastrack B** bus service towards Bluewater/Gravesend and alight at the Princes Park stop. Buses run every 10 mins during the day, with a slightly longer interval in the evenings and is £4.00 return with **Arriva Kent Thameside**



The alternative is to take the train to **Ebbsfleet International** then exit the station and take the Fastrack B service towards Bluewater/Dartford and alight at the Princes Park stop. The Buses run every 10 mins during the day, with 20 minutes in the evenings and is £4.00 return with **Arriva Kent Thameside**.

Admission

Adults £14

Over 65's/Under 18's £9*

Under 12's £5

Where to Drink

There is a bar at the ground The Defluo Bar which is specifically for the use of away fans with the entrance to it is in the car park at the away end of the stadium.

The nearest pub to the ground is the Ivy Leaf on Darenth Road, which is about a five minute walk away from the stadium entrance turn right along Darenth Road, cross over the main road at the traffic lights and the pub is on the right a few yards up the road and there is also the Malt Shovel, which also does food with both these pubs are listed in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide.

Otherwise Dartford Town Centre is around a 15 minute walk away, where there are plenty of pubs to be found. Wat Tyler on the High Street, the Paper Moon opposite and another the Flying Boat on Spital Street.

Dover Athletic

Ground - Crabble Athletic Ground Crabble Avenue Dover Kent CT17 0JB

Telephone Number: 01304 822373

Fax Number: 01304 821383

Capacity – 6,000 (1,000 seated)

Nickname – the Whites

Ground Opened – 1921 (Dover FC)

Pitch Size: 110 x 72 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Gomaz

Kit Manufacturer: BLK

First Kit: White Shirt with Black Shorts and black socks

Away Kit: Yellow shirts black shorts black socks

Website: www.doverathletic.co.uk

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

The Crabble Athletic Ground, commonly known simply as “Crabble” or “The Crabble” forms part of a larger council-owned complex, the ground has a capacity of 6,500 with 1000 seats the seats are divided between the Main Stand which runs the length of the ground and opposite in the right hand corner is the Family Stand and on this side of the ground has a bit of non-cover and also the small Crewe Spot enclosure, running both widths of the pitch are the Dover End and the River End both full covered standing enclosures behind each goal.

Driving to the Ground



Take the M25, on then to the M2/A2 (following the signs to Canterbury, and then from Canterbury follow signs to Dover) as far as the Whitfield roundabout (there is a McDonald's Drive-Thru on the left). Take the fourth exit at this roundabout, down Whitfield Hill. At the bottom of the hill turn left at the roundabout and follow this road until the first set of traffic lights. At the lights turn right (180 degrees down the hill) and follow the road under the railway bridge, the ground is a little further up the road on the left. There is no parking for supporters within the ground, although parking is available in the rugby ground, which is just inside the main entrance - stewards will direct you.



Public Transport



The closest station to the ground is **Kearsney Railway Station** which is about a 10-15-minute walk from the ground which is the last stop before Dover Priory on the line from London Victoria (via Canterbury).

From Kearsney **Railway Station**, turn right as you leave the station, go under the railway bridge and then take the first road on the left into Lower Road, follow Lower Road all the way along, past a pond on your right and Crabble Corn Mill on your left. At the end you will see the Cricketers Pub on the other side of the road. Turn right and you should see the entrance to the ground. Some trains on this line do not stop between **Canterbury East** and **Dover Priory** so if you are planning on getting off at **Kearsney Railway Station** make sure that the train you are travelling on is a stopping service.



Train to **Dover Priory Railway Station** then walk down passed the BP Garage on you left till you reach the roundabout then its first left first left into Priory Road just keep on walking the road changes to High Street and then London Road you should pass the Eagle Inn then keep walk up the road past the Sportsman's Bar and keep walking when you get to the Bull Inn turn left into Crabble Meadows walk through the tunnel under the railway and turn right this will take you into Crabble Avenue at the end of the road turn left up the hill then turn left through the park gates the grounds in front of you.



Dover End



From **Dover Priory Railway Station** take the number **6 Stagecoach** from Stop E Priory Street to Buckland Bridge it's an eight minute walk to the ground by crossing the road walking up Crabble Meadows and walk through the tunnel under the railway and turn right this will take you into Crabble Avenue at the end of the road turn left up the hill then turn left through the park gates the grounds in front of you or take **Stagecoach 60** to the park.

Admission

Adults £17
OAP's/Students £10
Under 16's £5

Where to Drink

The Cricketers Pub Crabble Avenue beside the cricket and rugby pitches has a friendly atmosphere and serves good food and has a large garden area for eating out in the warmer months and is on the way to the ground.

The Eagle Inn at 324 London Road which is 300 yards from Dover Priory Station is quite pub with traditional ales and wines as well as the modern beers and lagers

The Sportsman Bar at 238 London Road is 700 yards away from Dover Priory station looks rough on the outside but is well run by a former merchant marine engineer who keeps all the beers, ales and wines well up to stock and is very friendly.

Eastbourne Borough

Ground - Priory Lane Langley Eastbourne East Sussex BN23 7QH
Telephone: 01323 766265

Capacity: 4,151 (Seated 542)
Team Nickname: The Sport
Year Ground Opened: 1974
Founded: 1964 (Langley FC)
Undersoil Heating: No
First Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks
Second Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks
Third Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks
Shirt Sponsors: Bexhill 6th form College
Kit Manufacturer: Erra
Website: www.boroughfc.com
Programme: £3

Ground Guide

Although the ground is one of the more basic in the South with a capacity of 4,151, on one side is the smart looking Main Stand. This stand has a capacity of 542 seats. The stand runs for about half the length of the pitch and strangely has been built mostly to one side of the half way line.



Opposite is and a small covered terrace, called the Peter Fountain Stand, that extends again for around half the length of the pitch. In one corner this meets the River End Terrace, which is covered. The opposite end, the Mick Green Stand, is a small covered area which is divided into two. The team entrance from the dressing rooms to the ground runs out from this end and above this stand is one of the two club houses.



Driving to the Ground



Take the M25 to Junction 7 take the M23 (S) exit to Brighton/ Gatwick Airport and continue on the A23 to just outside Brighton then take a left on to the A27, then at the roundabout, take the 2nd exit onto the A27 ramp to Lewes/ Newhaven then after 18 miles and having gone straight on at four roundabouts take the left onto Polegate By-Pass/A27. At the roundabout, take the 3rd exit onto A22/ A27 and two miles later at the roundabout; take the second exit onto A22, then take the A22 towards Stone Cross and Westham.

At the next roundabout take the first exit again towards Stone Cross and Westham. Continue towards Stone Cross village until you will come to a crossroads, with a church on your left and the Red Lion pub on the. Turn right just past the pub onto the B2104 Friday Street, then at the end of Friday Street, turn left at the double mini-roundabout into Hide Hollow (B2191). After passing Eastbourne Crematorium on your right, turn right at the roundabout into Priory Road. The entrance to the ground is about 200 yards down the road on the left. There is a good sized car park at the ground which holds 400 cars, which is free.

Public Transport & Walking



20 minutes

Train to **Pevensey & Westham Railway Station** its 20 minute to the ground come out of the station and walk down Eastbourne Road it changes to Hide Drive when you come into Eastbourne at the first roundabout take a left into Priory Road the ground is just of the road 200 yards down turn left at the sports centre the ground is beside it.

Admission

Adults £12

OAP's/Students £8

Under 16's £1



Where to Drink

The Langley Sports Bar at the ground has good food and restaurant cuisine on site but a good selection beers and spirits. You can also find 'The Martello Inn' on Langney Rise, 'The Kingfisher Tavern' at Langney Shopping Centre and 'The Friday Street Farm' in Friday Street.

Farnborough

Ground – Cherrywood Stadium Cherrywood Road Farnborough GU14 8UD

Telephone: 01252 541469

Fax: 01252 372640

Capacity: 6,000 (Seated 2,000)

Founded – 1968 (Farnborough Town FC)

Team Nickname: Boro, The Yellowes

Year Ground Opened: 1975

Pitch Size: 112 x 76 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Easy as HGV

Kit Manufacturer: Adidas

First Kit: Blue & Yellow Hoops Shirt with White Shorts and Blue and White socks

Away Kit: Sky blue & White shirts White shorts White socks

Website: www.Farnboroughfc.co.uk

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

Cherrywood Road has a capacity of 6,000, for just now but with a lot of construction this will increase. The Moor Road End turnstiles are to the left of the main stand and a brand-new stand at the Prospect Road End with a capacity of 1,300

On the Main Stand side, you have a small open terrace near the turnstiles and club shop, this leads to the front of the main stand, which has seating for 700 people. The other side of the Main Stand is another small terrace called the Chairman's Mound traditional home fans.

The Moor Road End terrace is for away supporters (during segregated matches) and is covered with a capacity of 1,980 and The Electronic scoreboard is above it, the East Stand is completely cover with 1064 seats and a family enclosure.

Driving to the Ground



From the M3 motorway leave the motorway at Junction 4 and take the A331 signed to Farnham. After a few hundred yards exit at the second slip road which is Signposted A325 Farnborough then turn right at the roundabout and cross over the dual carriageway and a small roundabout.

Pass the Farnborough Gate shopping Centre on your left and at the next roundabout turn left onto the A325. Go over a pelican crossing and at the next set of lights take the right filter into Prospect Avenue. At the end of this road turn right at the roundabout into Cherrywood Road. The ground is half a mile on the right.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to Farnborough Railway Station then exit from the main entrance of the railway station onto the approach and turn right onto Union Street i.e. with the railway line on your right. After half a mile turn right at the traffic lights onto Prospect Road, go under the railway bridge

and follow this road over two mini roundabouts and a real one (where it becomes Cherrywood Road) with the ground is half a mile beyond the third roundabout.



From **Farnborough Halt Rail Station**, walk up Farnborough Street past the Imperial Arms and at the junction turn right into Ship Lane. Follow this road over the brow of a gentle rise and just before the Ship turn left into a short blocked-off road and walk through onto the Farnborough Road (dual carriageway). Turn left and head towards the traffic lights. Cross at the lights and turn right into Prospect Avenue. At the end of this road turn right at the roundabout into Cherrywood Road. The ground is half a mile on the right.

Admission

Adults £10
OAP's/Students £8
Under 16's £4

Programme

£2.00

Where to Drink

Beside the Farnborough main Station is the Ham & Blackbird or beside Farnborough North station is the Swan Inn at 122 Prospect Road do the best beer and spirits.

Hampton & Richmond Borough

Ground - Beveree Stadium, Beaver Close, off Station Road, Hampton, TW12 2BX
Telephone: 0208 979 2456

Founded – 1921 (Hampton FC)

Ground Capacity: 3,500

Ground opened: 1919 (East Hampton FC)

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Blue & Red Shirts, Blue Shorts, Red Socks

Second Team Colours: White Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Fotmob

Kit Manufacturer: Joppa

Website: www.spennymoor townfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

The Beveree Stadium is on the small sidewall maintained and has real wooded feel to it, with a lot of large trees being visible around its perimeter. On the west side of the ground, there is a mixture of stands. In the centre is the very small Main Stand that has 234 seats. It has three large supporting pillars along its front. An additional row of seats has been attached to the front wall at pitch level (included in the number above). Attached to the Main Stand in the south east corner is a shallow terrace, which has seven wide steps, and has a corrugated roof that covers most of the area. Again, it has a number of supports running across its middle.



Main Stand

On the other side of the Main Stand is a small covered seated stand, with 251 seats. Although it is temporary in nature, it looks as though it has been there for some time as the green seats look faded and some of the seats are not in the best condition! The corrugated iron roof only covers the back few rows of seats and there are also some standing areas on this side of the pitch.

Driving to the Ground



From the M25 exit Junction 12 and go round the roundabout and take the third exit onto the M3 Junction and come off at Junction 1 (Sunbury) follow signs for A308 Kingston (third exit) and from the North take Junction 13 of the M25 take the first exit onto Staines By-Pass/A30 go through one roundabout.

Then for both routes follow the road past Kempton Park race course. After approximately 2 miles turn left into High Street at the Indian cuisine, then immediately left into Station Road. The entrance to Beveree is in Beaver Close, which is 200 yards on the right and there is street parking further up the High Street.

Public Transport and Walking



The nearest station is **Hampton Railway Station**, exit the station from the platform your train alights at. Turn left and you'll pass the Railway Inn pub to your right. Continue following the road as it passes the village green to the right, then the Worlds End Public House to the left. The stadium is on the left-hand side in Beaver Close, just past the police station. Total journey time from the station.



The alternative is to go to **Kingston Railway Station** and from Stop R take the **London Bus 216** (Kingston - Staines), or the **London Bus 111** (Heathrow Airport - Kingston) buses stop outside the stadium.

Admission

Adults £13
OAP's/Students £8
Under 16's £3

Where to drink

At the ground is the club house called Hammonds Bar, which at one time used to be known as the Beaver Bar! This bar serves real and also shows televised sports. Probably the closest pub to the ground is the Worlds End which is around a five-minute walk away on Station Road.

Havant & Waterlooville

Ground - Westleigh Park, Martin Road Havant PO9 5TH
Telephone - 023 9278 7855
Capacity: 5,250 (Seated 526)
Team Nickname: The Hawks
Year Ground Opened: 1982

Founded: 1998 (Merger of Havant Town And Waterlooville FC)

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks

Second Team Colours: White Shirts, Sky Blue Shorts, White Socks

Third Team Colours: Sky Blue Shirts, Sky Blue Shorts, Sky Blue Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Bishop Printers

Kit Manufacturer: uhlssport

Website: www.HWfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

West Leigh Park it features covered terracing on three sides of the ground catering for 1500 of the 5,250 capacity and a stand large enough to accommodate 526 people. They have a club house open to all at lunchtimes and evenings daily. They also have a small but very friendly supporter's shop.



Main Stand & Enclosure

Opposite is a small open terrace that runs almost the full length of the pitch. It does though have a set of four floodlight pylons running across the front of it. Unusually the dugouts are located on this side of the pitch, opposite to the Main Stand. Both ends are small covered terraces, one of which is split into two sections. There is a noticeable slope to the pitch which runs down from north to the south end of the ground.



Driving to the Ground

From North West



Take the M6 to just after Junction 5 and merge on to the M42 At junction 3A, exit onto M40 toward London/ Warwick/ Stratford then at junction 9, take the A41/A34 exit to Bicester/ Aylesbury/ Oxford/ Newbury.

At the roundabout, take the 3rd exit onto A34 then just before Winchester At the roundabout, take the 3rd exit onto the M3 ramp to Southampton/ Bournemouth/ Portsmouth and merge on to the M3 then just before Southampton keep to the left hand side and take the M27 after 20 mile just after Portsmouth take the exit for the A27, then take a right after a mile on to the B2149/A3023 exit toward Havant/ Hayling Island into Havant.

At the Hayling Island roundabout, follow the road through the town centre crossing three sets of traffic lights until you go over the railway and come to a roundabout. Go straight on, through another three sets of lights. At the fourth, just past the Elf garage, turn right into Barton's Road. The ground will be on your right. At the top of the hill immediately after a pedestrian crossing, turn right into Martin Road. The entrance to the ground is several hundred yards along the road on your right.

From North East



From the M25 take junction 10 on to the A3, follow the A3 southwards until it becomes the A3. Just after it does take the B2149 turning, signposted to Emsworth, at the top of the slip road turn left, follow the road to a small roundabout and turn right. Continue along this road into Rowlands Castle and you'll be confronted by a small double roundabout.

Go straight over the first and right at the second, taking the road running down the right hand side of the Shell petrol station. Follow this road round until it becomes a dual carriageway. At the first set of traffic lights turn left into Bartons Road. The ground will be on your right. At the

top of the hill immediately after a pedestrian crossing, turn right into Martin Road. The entrance to the ground is several hundred yards along the road on your right.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to **Havant Railway Station**, leave the station by the north exit (that being the side that doesn't have the main ticket office), walk north up Leigh Road, directly ahead of you on leaving the station. After half a mile the road eventually comes to a dead end by a junction onto a dual carriageway, cross the road and walk along the right-hand side of the dual carriageway (this is pavement, the route runs along a housing estate), continue up to the next set of traffic lights, just before a petrol station and opposite the Heron pub, and looking right you should see a dead-end road and the ground's floodlights. Turn into the road and the ground entrance is a hundred yards on the left.

Admission

Adults £16
OAP's/Students £10
Under 16's £6
Under 11 with an adult Free

Where to Drink

The Heron Pub in Petersfield Road is on the way to the ground from the railway station you get a good selection of food and beer and the staff is very friendly and helpful and also the club have a excellent bar and if you are arriving by train at Havant Station then nearby on Park Road South is Parchment Makers. Whilst on Homewell is a traditional pub called the Robin Hood

Hemel Hempstead Town

Ground - Vauxhall Road Hemel Hempstead HP2 4HW
Telephone: 01442 259777
Fax: 01442 259777
Capacity: 3,152 (300 seated)
Team Nickname: The Tudors
Year Ground Opened: 1885
Founded: 1885
Undersoil Heating: No
First Team Colours: Red Shirts, Red Shorts, Red Socks
Second Team Colours: Blue Shirts, Blue Shorts, Blue Socks
Shirt Sponsors: Lynch
Kit Manufacturer: Hummel
Website: www.HHTfc.com
Programme: £3

Ground Guide



Main Stand

The ground has one Main Stand which has 250 seats with behind the goals a small covered enclosure which doesn't go the width of the pitch and opposite the main stand is another small enclosure and at the other goals is a similar enclosed structure which also doesn't go the length of the pitch the rest is open area.



The Adeyfield School End to the west of the ground covered terrace, which is raised above pitch level. This is due to the levelling out of the pitch which was completed some years ago. Opposite at the other end is the CRK Windows Stand and this was once a similar looking terrace to the Adeyfield School End, but in 2015 the terrace was replaced with seating, comprising of 180 red seats in five rows.

Driving to the Ground



Leave the M1 at Junction 8 then at the roundabout (first exit from the south third exit from the North) follow the dual carriageway over two roundabouts into St Albans Road. Get into outside lane and after 100 yards turn right into Leverstock Green Road. Follow road to mini-roundabout turn left into Vauxhall Road, next large roundabout take third exit into ground car park.

Public Transport & Walking



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3 mins

Train to **Hemel Hempstead Railway Station** then walk to Stop F at the train station and take the **Arriva 500, 501 or 502** to the Bus Station then go to Stance 6 and take the **Arriva 301** to Vauxhall Road on Longlands then cross the road and take a right walk up Vauxhall Road and at the roundabout take a left between the houses to the ground.

Admission

Adults £14
OAP's/Students £9
Under 16's £2

Where to Drink

The Tudor Tavern bar and there is a good selection of drinks, the bar is small but comfortable, you'll find somewhere to sit or something to lean on, and there are 3 screens that will be showing live ESPN or Sky Sports if there is a football/rugby game on or Sky Sports News if there's nothing else going on. Kids are welcome.



The Crabtree is the nearest pub, just around the corner from the ground on Leverstock Green Road. If travelling by car, ignore the turning in to Vauxhall Road and you'll see the pub on your left. It is a large pub with good selection of drink and decent food, big car park, but no TV's for Sky Sports.

Maidstone United

Ground - The Gallagher Stadium James Whatman Way Maidstone Kent ME14 1LQ

Telephone: 01622 753817

Fax: 01622 753818

Nickname: The Stones

Founded – 1887 (Maidstone Invicta) reformed 1992

Ground Capacity: 4,200 (800 Seated)

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Gold Shirts, Black Shorts, Gold and Black Socks

Second Team Colours: Navy Blue Shirts, Navy Blue Shorts, Navy Blue Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Brittlite

Kit Manufacturer: Hummel

Website: www.Maidstoneunitedfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

After an absence of 24 years, Maidstone United finally returned home to the brand new 2,226 capacity Gallagher Stadium. It is a fantastic new build, located close to the town centre and with excellent transport links and since been upgraded to 4,200 with 800 Seats with extension of the main stand



The ground is set in a valley, with the steep main stand spanning 1/3 of the length of the pitch but offering excellent views. Behind each goal is a small covered terrace whilst the rest of the ground is concrete pathways. The Spitfire Lounge in the corner of the ground is the main clubhouse and has plenty of room.

Driving to the Ground



North & West

Take the M25 to Junction 5 then keep in the right-hand lane onto the M26 and then continue onto the M20 then exit at junction 6 and at the roundabout take the third exit and at the running Horse roundabout take the second exit onto the A229 go through the next roundabout and at the second roundabout take the third exit.



North & East

Take the M25 to Junction 2 onto the M2/A2 and come off at Junction 3 and at the roundabout take the third exit and at the next roundabout take the first exit onto the A229 go through the next roundabout and at the second roundabout take the third exit.

The ground is on your right-hand side as you reach first major roundabout. Parking at ground is for pass holders only. There is ample room at Pay and Display opposite Maidstone East station.

Public Transport and Walking



10 minutes

Train to **Maidstone East Railway Station** you can walk up Station Road and turn left on to Week Street and at the first roundabout take the first left and at the next roundabout walk straight on and then take first left and walk the few yards to the ground.



16 minutes

Train to **Maidstone Barracks Rail Station** it's a 16 minutes' walk to the ground walk up to the main road take a right then walk up to the LA Fitness sign and walk through the bridge and down the Medway River then cross the bridge walk back down the river and within 100 yards you are at the ground.

Admission

£16 for Adults,

£7 Concessions,

11-16 years olds £4 and free under 11

There is a £1 charge to sit in the stand.

Where to Drink

There is a large supporters club at the stadium itself (located next to the main entrance) called the Spitfire Lounge which welcomes visiting supporters. This also has the benefit of having BT and Sky Sports to view the early kick offs. On Sandling Road (just off the main roundabout by the stadium) is the Flower Pot pub

The Gallagher Stadium is only a ten-minute walk away from the town centre, where there are plenty of pubs to be found, including Waterstones on Waterside. The closest of these is the Society Rooms on Week Street (near Maidstone East Railway Station).

St Albans City

Ground - Clarence Park, York Road, St Albans, Hertfordshire, AL1 4PL

Telephone: 01727 848 914

Capacity: 5,007 (667 seated)

Team Nickname: City, The Saints

Year Ground Opened: 1894

Founded: 1908

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Yellow Shirts, Blue Shorts, Blue Socks

Second Team Colours: Purple Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Enter Shikarti

Kit Manufacturer: Hummel

Website: www.Stalbanscityfc.com

Programme: £3



Main Stand (Stephen Harris)

Ground Guide

Clarence Park which has been opened since 1894 and backs on a beautiful cricket ground has a small stand with few rows but has the capacity of 667 and beside is the Boardroom with the club shop at the corner of the York Street end.

Across from the main Stand is the Cricket End enclosure with the York road and Hatfield Road End small uncovered at the back of the goals. At the back of the main Stand is the Saints Bar. The club has put in plans to move 100 yards to The City of St Albans Stadium



Cricket Ground Terrace

Driving to the Ground

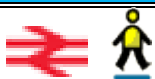


Come off A1 (M) at junction 3 onto A414 to St Albans. At next major roundabout take A1081 exit to St Albans. Follow road for approx. 1 mile until mini roundabout (Great Northern pub on left). Turn right into Alma Road. Then at the traffic lights turn right into Victoria Street and continue to junction with the Crown pub. Go straight across into Clarence Road, the ground is first on left about 50 yards past junction or take the next turning on the left into York Road; ground entrance is at the end of the road on the left.



Hatfield Road of East Terrace

Public Transport & Walking



Train to **St Albans City Railway Station** (Thameslink) then Turn left out the station into Station Way and cross Hatfield Road into Clarence Park. Follow the path round to the right of the ground until you reach the main entrance.

Admission

Adults £16
OAP's/Students £12
Under 16's £8
Under 12 Free with Adult



York Road Terrace

Where to Drink

The Saint Bar at the ground is a good welcoming small bar with The Crown Bar on Hadfield the nearest Pub to the ground its only two minutes across the Cricket Ground with five televisions, 2 large screens, and an outside TV, The Crown Pub & Restaurant is the perfect venue to follow all the sporting action.

They also serve up great value for food and a wide selection of real ales and wines and they have a very nice beer garden for sitting out on the warm days.

Slough Town

Ground - Arbour Park Stoke Road Slough, SL2 5AY

Main Telephone No: 01494 676868

Founded: 1893 (Slough FC)

Capacity: 3,500 (200 Seated)

Team Nickname: Rebels

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Blue & Yellow Shirts, Blue Shorts, Blue Socks

Second Team Colours: Sky Blue Shirts, Sky Blue Shorts, Sky Blue Socks

Shirt Sponsors: VD Film
Kit Manufacturer: Macrom
Website: www.Sloughtownfc.com
Programme: £3

Ground Guide

Arbour Park is a little different, mainly down to the smart looking Main Stand on one side of the pitch. From the outside, this stand that runs around half the length of the pitch and sits astride the halfway line is particularly eye-catching with a central column flanked by two semi-circular metal facades. The curves continue over the roof, extending over the 250 seats below. This seating area is comprised of eight rows. With no supporting pillars to contend with and with the rake of the stand being quite steep



Opposite the Main Stand is the East Stand. This small covered all seated stand is four rows high and runs for around a third of the length of the pitch, on the halfway line. It has a small curved roof. Both ends have small covered terraces that more or less extend the full width of the pitch.



Driving to the Ground



From the M4 take exit at Junction 6 and then head towards Slough on the A355, go straight through roundabout until you reach main set of lights. (A4) then turn right and head east towards Slough Town Centre on the A4 for approx. two miles. At main set of lights turn left onto B416 signposted for slough cemetery & crematorium then follow this road you will go through several sets of lights an Arbour Park will be on your right.



From the M40 exit at Junction 2 and follow the A355 towards Slough and then take a left turn onto Parish Lane at The Indian Courtyard Restaurant and follow this road until it ends, turn right onto Windsor Road (B416) and follow this road until you reach a mini roundabout, take the second exit towards Slough Cemetery & Crematorium with Arbour Park will be on your left.

Public Transport & Walking



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→ 1 mins

Take the GWR train to **Slough Railway Station** then turn right out of the station and walk 100 yards to the Bus Station and from bay 13 take the **Redline WP1 bus** to Stoke Road at Calf Lane then a walk to the ground on your right

Admission

- Adults £13
- OAP's/Students £9
- Under 16's £5
- Children under 12 Free with Adult

Where to Drink

There are plenty of pubs around Slough Centre with the nearest to the ground is the Lemon Tree on Calf Lane but the club has a nice bar and if there is a big crowd then they have an extra tent outside the ground beside the bar

Taunton Town

Ground: Wordsworth Drive, Taunton, Somerset TA1 2HG

Main Telephone: 01823-278191

Founded: 1947

Capacity: 2,500 (300 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Peacocks

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Claret & Blue Shirts, Blue Shorts, Claret & Blue Socks

Second Team Colours: Blue & Yellow Shirts, Blue Shorts, Blue Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Porto

Kit Manufacturer: Joppa

Website: www.Tauntontownfc.com

Programme: £3



Driving to the Ground



From the M5 leave at junction 25 and then follow the signs to the Town Centre. Then go along Toneyway then take the first exit at the roundabout into Chritchard Parkway. At traffic lights turn left into Wordsworth Drive (Signposted Holway) and go straight on at the next set of light ground is on the left.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to Taunton Railway Station 25 minutes' walk, turn left out of station and follow road right through the Town Centre, bearing left into East Reach. Follow the road down and turn right into Wordsworth Drive shortly after Holcombe's Garage.

Admission

Adults £10
OAP's/Students £8
Under 16's £2

Tonbridge Angels

Ground - Longmead Stadium, Darenth Avenue, Tonbridge, Kent TN10 3JF

Main Telephone No: 01732 352417

Founded: 1947 (Tonbridge FC)

Capacity: 2,500 (700)

Team Nickname: The Angels

Undersoil Heating: No

First Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks

Second Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks

Third Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks

Shirt Sponsors: Ferham Homes

Kit Manufacturer: Joppa

Website: www.tonbridgeangelsfc.com

Programme: £3

Ground Guide

The clubhouse can be found to the right of the main entrance, looking out towards the pitch, albeit at ground level and a little way from the action. The ground has a capacity of 2,500 with 700 seats around the ground



For the time being there is no cover on the near side of the ground, except for the Directors' Stand which is a real gem. It may in the future become a casualty of any building that takes place although we can but hope that the club will do what it did with the stand when they moved back in the 1980's and re-erect it elsewhere in the ground. Previously there were some rather precarious railway sleepers on this side, providing a slightly elevated but were replaced by two identical "Mezzanine" stands, erected in 2000/01 season.

Driving to the Ground



Take the M25 clockwise and at junction 5 keep on the right fork, onto the Sevenoaks Bypass/A21 toward Sevenoaks/Hastings and follow the A21 and exit for the B245 through Hildenborough towards Tonbridge (Tonbridge is not signposted at this junction) so at the at the roundabout, take the second exit onto London Road and continue down this road for around 4 miles. At the T Junction just past the Langley Hotel take a left turn into Dry Hill Park Road, after another 400 yards, go left at the mini-roundabout, then at the next roundabout, by the 'Pinnacles' Pub turn left again and follow Darenth Avenue to the bottom of the hill, and the car park.



Main Stand

Public Transport and Walking



Train to **Tonbridge Railway Station** which is one and a half miles away, turn out of the station and walk down the approach and left onto High Street when London goes left take the right and walk past the George and the Dragon pub on the right into Shipbourne Road and walk on past the Post Office till you reach the Pinnacles pub then turn left up Darenth Road to then follow the path into the local park the ground is in front of you or you can take a taxi to the ground

Admission

Adults £12
OAP's/Students £6
Under 16's £2

Where to Drink

There is a clubhouse bar at the ground, that normally welcomes visiting supporters. However, with not much else around the local area, it does fill up pretty quickly. So, there is the Station House 1 minute from the station on Barden Road, Punch and Judy three minutes' walk from the station on St Stephens Street, The Beer Seller 4 mins walk, on High Street or next door is the Humphrey Bean or the Forrester on Quarry Hill Road and there are another 12 pubs within 10 minutes of the station.

Torquay United

Ground – Plainmoor, Maham Road Torquay, Devon, TQ1 3PS

Main Telephone No: 01803 328 666

Fax No: 01803 323 976

Capacity: 6,500 (Seats 2,950)

Team Nickname: The Gulls

Year Ground Opened: 1921

Pitch Size: 114 x 76 yards

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: 1899

Kit Manufacturer: Nike

First Kit: yellow Shirt with Blue Shorts and Blue socks

Away Kit: White shirts Black shorts blue socks

Website: www.torquayunited.com

Programme: £3



Ground Guide

The new stand which was opened in July 2012 has a capacity of 1,750 and called Bristow's Bench after a former Director of the Club, the stand also includes new dressing rooms, disabled facilities and a new press box. It is a fairly simple looking affair, although it has windshields to either side situated below an elevated roof. The stand is raised above pitch level meaning that spectators have to climb a small staircase to enter it.



Main Stand (Bristow Bench)

Opposite is a small covered terrace, called the Thatcher's Popular Cider Terrace. It looks slightly odd, having a large television gantry perched on its roof. At one end is the Yelverton Properties Family Stand, covered all seater stand that has a capacity of 1,200. Differing from other clubs, the Directors Box is situated in this stand, rather than being on one side of the pitch.

The other end is the Marsh Toyota Away Terrace built in 2000 to replace a former open terrace where around 1,100 away supporters can be accommodated; to one side of this stand is Police Control Box at one end of the ground. In addition, up to 500 seats can also be made in the new Bristow's Bench Stand for away supporters as well, outside the ground behind the home end and next to the Club shop is a programme shop which is worth a look.



Driving Directions



Follow the M5 to the end and continue on the A38 and then just at Kennford Junction take the left-hand lane onto the A380. On reaching Kingskerwell, take the first exit at the large roundabout (Signposted Torquay Hospital/ Torquay/Teignmouth) onto the A3022 and after

one mile turn left towards Torquay Hospital on Hele Road. After 700yards take the first exit into Teignmouth Road then at the next roundabout take the second exit into Westhill Road for Warbro Road then its 9th right at the top of the hill to the ground. Street parking can be found around the ground if the gates are open use Westlands School.

Public Transport



Train to **Torquay Railway Station** turn left out of the station into Rathmore Road and follow the road down cross over the road and take a right into Falkland Road with Kings Garden on your right walk to the end of the road and walk straight on at the end of the road, go into Lucius Street and follow the road round past the church into Tor Hill Road keep left into Castle Circus past the clock tower, walk then go left into St Mary's Church Road (Long Hill Walk past a beautiful Georgian church) cross the road and turn left into Bonshill Road walk along till you get to Jubilee House then turn left into Derwent Road, turn right into Victoria Park Road the ground is a the top of the road, and turn left into St Pauls and then right into Maham Road.

Admission

Marsh Toyota Away Stand

Adults £17,
Over 65's/Students £13,
Under 16's £6

Where to have a Drink

The local Torquay social club behind the stands is a good place to drink or walk down on to Babbacombe Road to the Dog & Duck which welcomes away fans and there is good beer and banter with the staff this is ten minutes from the ground.

Truro City

Ground - Treyew Road Truro Cornwall TR1 2TH

Main Telephone No: 01872 225400/278853

Fax: 01872 225402

Founded: 1889

Capacity: 3,500 (1,670 Seated)

Team Nickname: City or White Tigers

Ground Guide

The clubhouse can be found to the right of the main entrance, looking out towards the pitch, and there are the main stand and a small enclosure beside it and temporary seating round the ground to bring it up to conference standards and the club have plans to update the stand and two sides of the ground to two full length wise of the ground and one new stand at the car park end.

Driving to the Ground



Leave the M5 at junction 31 and join the A30 towards Bodmin and Okehampton. Travel through Okehampton, Launceston, and Bodmin. Just past Mitchell (windmills on right hand side) at the roundabout, take the second exit onto A39 (Signposted Truro). After approximately six miles turn right at traffic lights, travel downhill crossing over three roundabouts, following signs for Redruth. Approximately 500 metres after third roundabout signed 'Arch Hill', go straight on into Green Lane with the ground is situated on left hand side.



Public Transport & Walking



Train to Truro Railway Station is $\frac{3}{4}$ mile from the ground an easy 15-minute walk turn right into Harrison Terrace then a quick right into Stratton Terrace then right on Chapelhill at the roundabout walk down Treyview Road watch crossing the A390 to the ground.

Admission

Adults £12
OAP's/Students £6
Under 16's £2

Programme

£2.00

Welling United

Ground - Welling United Park View Road, Welling, Kent DA16 1SY

Telephone - 020 8301 1196
Fax: 020 8301 5676
Capacity: 4,500 (Seats 1,000)
Team Nickname: The Wings
Year Ground Opened: 1925 (Eltham FC)
Founded: 1963
Undersoil Heating: No
First Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks
Second Team Colours: Shirts, Shorts, Socks
Shirt Sponsors: Secon Construction
Kit Manufacturer: Macrom
Website: www.wellingunitedfc.com
Programme: £3

Ground Guide

Park View Road, home of Welling United FC and Erith & Belvedere FC. The Wings moved to Park View Road when a fire destroyed their ground in Eltham and they moved into the old Bexley United ground which had just gone defunct, unlike many ground sharing arrangements this is a permanent.



Main Stand, High Street End, East Stand

The sale of the Deres old ground of Park View provided funds to completely redevelop one side of Park View Road, where Erith's headquarters are now maintained, completely separate from those of Welling United.

Park View Road is one of those 'traditional' football grounds adjacent to the main high street, with a capacity of 4,000 with 1,070 seated around the ground. Erith's own new facilities adjacent to the main stand, replaced aging terracing that was partly covered by a rusting shelter supported by a fragile-looking arrangement of scaffolding poles. The Welling clubhouse is quite small and its entrance is immediately ahead of the turnstiles as you enter the ground.

The Main Stand was built in the late 1950 by the now defunct Bexley United and was extended in the 1960 and this has now been updated to bring it up to Conference standards.

March 2014 which was nearly have them sent down to the Isthmian League if it hadn't been fixed.



East Stand

Opposite the Main Stand is the much newer East Stand which was opened in 2002. Also known as the Cricket Club side this stand is all covered and all seated. It has a capacity of 600. However, it only runs half the length of the pitch towards the Danson Park End and has a pair of pillars on either side which also serve as floodlight pylons. One of these could impede your view of the playing action down at the High Street End. At one side of the East Stand is the building which houses a social club and adjacent to this is a flat standing area. away fans are allocated the whole of the East Stand and the Danson Park Terrace. The terrace is open to the elements so if the weather forecast is not good, then use the East Stand, as they are under roof. There are 600 seats with around 400 standing places available on Danson Park End.

Both ends are open terraces. The larger of these is at the Danson Park End, which looks quite picturesque with a number of large trees behind it. Opposite is the smaller High Street End. This end is located very close to the main road and passengers on the upper deck of passing buses can see into the ground as they pass the ground. There is some netting at the back of the terrace to help prevent balls being kicked over.



Danson Park End (Baney 92)

Driving to the Ground



Go on to the M25 then over the Queen Elizabeth Bridge, leave the M25 at junction 1b, take the A225 exit to Dartford, at the next roundabout, take the second exit and then at the next roundabout, take the third exit onto the A2 ramp to London/ Bexleyheath.



Main Stand

Then A2 towards London and take Bexleyheath/ Sidcup, turn off (five miles along the A2) and then take the A221/A210 exit toward Bexleyheath /Sidcup, at the roundabout, take the second exit onto Blendon Rd/A210 then at the next roundabout take the third exit onto Danson Underpass/ A221 and go straight on at one roundabout past Danson House and park and then at lights take a left and the ground is 200 yards on the left just past the cricket ground and parking is in the local street.

Public Transport/Walking



Take the train to **Welling Railway Station** and from the station, go down the slope to the road at the bottom and then turn left into Central Avenue and go to the end of the road, turn left onto Bellegrove Road. This becomes Welling High Street and then Park View Road and the ground is on the right just after the Guy, Earl of Warwick pub; it is a 15-20-minute walk. If you wish to go by **London bus, numbers 89, 486 and B16** run past the ground from the station.



East Stand

Admission

Adults £13
OAP's/Students £9
Under 16's £5
Under 12 £2

Where to Drink

Although there is a good social club at the ground I like to drink at the Guy Earl of Warwick Pub it serves Courage beers and is friendly

The Nags Head at 37 Welling High Street which is on the way to the ground is a good community pub with plenty of atmosphere as serves flame grill food and run by Greene King. The Wings social club at the ground is friendly cheap beer and is tacked on to the side of the East Stand all fans are welcome.

Weston Super Mare

Ground - Woodspring Stadium Winterstoke Road Weston-Super-Mare Somerset BS24 9AA
Telephone: 01934 621618

Capacity: **3,500 (350 seated)**

Team Nickname: **The Seagulls**

Year Ground Opened: **1900 (Westland Cricket Club) 2004 (Football)**

Ground Guide

The ground has a small stand with a large enclosure at the Railway end with the clubhouse behind the stand the ground has a capacity for 3,000 with 350 seated in a small stand opposite the stand is small open terracing as well as behind one of the goals.

Driving to the Ground



Coming from the North or South it is much easier to come off at junction 21 of the M5 and then follow a path straight ahead on the new dual carriageway heading towards the town centre.

Keep going straight across three roundabouts down Herluin Way continuing to head towards the town centre. At the fourth roundabout you will see a Mc Donald's on your left and a big Asda on your right, as you approach the roundabout turn left then as you come to a mini roundabout carry on straight across (Second exit). Carry on over the railway bridge and you will see the ground on your right-hand side within a hundred yards.

Public Transport & Walking



Train to Weston Super Mare Railway Station and walk down Saville Road, at the bottom turn left into Locking Road walk down past the Renault Garage until you get to chop shop. On you right take a left into Langlands Road. Then walk down to the railway line and use the footbridge over the railway this will put you in Langlands Road walk down to the bottom then take a left into Winterstoke Road and walk up to the Turn right on the mini roundabout and carry on walking over the railway bridge and the ground is on your righthand side.



Admission

Adults £10
OAP's/Students £7
Under 16's £6

Programme

£2.00

Where to Drink

There are no pubs near the ground but if you are walking then Off the Rails the Rails pub was located on the platform the pub is divided into two with one half being a little cafe that sells sandwiches, snacks and newspapers. The other half has a small bar, around 4 tables and some bar stools and two toilets. There is a jukebox near the toilets that is free to use. There are two entrances to the pub – one on platform 2 and the other in the station car park. The pub sells 2 or three local guest beers along with 2 ciders. On tap when I visited was Arbor Oyster Stout, RCH PG Steam and Moles Slayer and the Moles Slayer was £2 a pint. The others were £2.60. The two ciders were Thatchers and Rich's Farmhouse Cider. The alternative is The New Ancaster on Drove Road good pub food and friendly staff.

Weymouth

Ground - Wessex Stadium, Radipole Lane Weymouth Dorset DT4 9XJ

Main Telephone No: 08721 840000

Fax: 01173 270298

Founded: 1880

Capacity: 6,600 (500 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Terras

Pitch Size: 114 x 76 yards

Ground Opened - 1987

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Dormeo

Kit Manufacturer: Umbro

First Kit: Blue Shirt with Crimson Shorts and Blue socks

Away Kit: White shirts Crimson shorts White socks

Website: www.uptheterras.co.uk

Programme: £2

Ground Guide

The Bob Lucas Stadium where there is cover on all four sides of the stadium. On the west side is the Main Grandstand, which is a covered seated stand that runs for around half the length of the pitch and sits astride the halfway line. The seating area of the stand is raised well above the level of the pitch, there a small staircase to access it. In front of this stand are the team dugouts.



Both ends are similar-sized covered terraces, whilst on the remaining side of the ground, there is a covered terrace, that runs for around half the length of the pitch. This area is called the Southill Terrace and is affectionately nicknamed the Babs Windsor stand by the Weymouth fans. The rest of the ground mostly comprises of portions of open terrace, to either side of the stands and in the corners, making the ground a good size in terms of capacity. The ground has a set of four tall great looking traditional floodlights.



Main Stand

Driving to the Ground



Take the A35 and A37 to Dorchester and from Dorchester at the Castle Park roundabout go on to the A354. Take the second exit at first roundabout onto Weymouth Relief Road,

continue to the next roundabout then turn right. At the next roundabout take second exit and go straight on at the next roundabout then at the next roundabout take third exit (Signposted Football Ground) into Granby Way and at the next roundabout take the third exit into Radipole Lane there is plenty of parking at the side of the ground just of the lane.

Public Transport & Walking



2 – 6 minutes

Train to **Weymouth Railway Station** head out of the station and turn right down King Street. Cross over and turn left at the roundabout. The Bus Stop is located next to the roundabout in front of the Bus Garage. Both routes go via the Town Centre and pick up at Commercial Road (behind Debenhams) and Town Bridge at the harbour end of St Thomas Street. Both buses can be caught from King Street Roundabout just a few minutes from the station the following First Bus Routes.

The No. 5 Radipole and this route gets you closest to the ground and has a 40-minute frequency in the day time, but nothing in the evening. Ask the driver for Chafeys Avenue which is just a 2-minute walk from the Wessex Stadium.

The No. 3 for Hereford Road and this route has a 10 minutes frequency during the day and half hourly during the evening. Ask for Radipole Lane which is a 6 minutes stroll along Radipole Lane to the Wessex Stadium.

Admission

Adults £17
OAP's/Students £7
Under 16's £3

Where to Drink

Try the John Gregory in Radipole Street a good pint and food and friendly staff and only a few minutes from the ground

Worthing

Ground - Woodside Road, Worthing, West Sussex BN14 7HQ

Telephone - 01903 239575

Founded: 1886

Capacity: 4,000 (250 Seated)

Team Nickname: The Mackerel men or rebels

Pitch Size: 114 x 76 yards

Ground Opened - 1899

Undersoil Heating: No

Shirt Sponsors: Lee & Bo Hus

Kit Manufacturer: Adidas

First Kit: Red Shirt Red Shorts and Red socks

Away Kit: Blue and Black shirts Black shorts Black socks

Website: www.worthingfc.co.uk

Programme: £2



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Driving to the Ground



From the M25 leave the motorway at Junction 9 and at the roundabout take the third exit onto the A243 go straight on at the next roundabout and then at the next roundabout take the second exit onto the Leatherhead By-pass/A24 and taking the second exit at the next roundabout keeping on the A24 then at the next roundabout take the first exit and follow the road all the way to Worthing. Follow the A24 past the Black Horse pub on your left and keep driving past the Jet petrol station (on your left) then at the roundabout, take the second exit into Offington Lane. (This is a 30mph road) and carry on driving south. Continue to go straight on through the traffic lights at the Thomas a' Beckett pub (on the left corner).

Follow the road round and go straight on at the first mini-roundabout and about 100 yards along you'll see another mini-roundabout, take the first exit into Saint Lawrence Avenue. There's another mini-roundabout which you should go straight across then after 150 yards along there's another mini-roundabout, then take the third exit down Nutbourne Road and continue going straight to the next junction.

Take a left down Bulkington Road and Woodside Road will be third right in about 250 yards although now would be a good time to park your car as Woodside Road itself gets very busy on match days. This being a residential area, where parking is tight it is best on match days to drive or park down Woodside Road is not advisable. Try the roads situated around the ground like Bulkington Avenue, Nutbourne Road, Shermanbury Road, Gaisford Road, Woodmancote Road and Henty Road although this will get busy.



Public Transport & Walking



Train to **Worthing Central Railway Station**. When you come out of the station, take an immediate right and walk parallel to the train-line down Cross Street. About 100 meters down the road, you will see a train crossing and then turn right here into South Farm Road.

Take the next left down Pavilion Road and walk along here for about 400 meters where you should start to be able to see the floodlights and then you will see Woodside Road on the right and the ground is about another 200 yards on the left.

Admission

£8 for Adults,
£5 for concessions
£4 for children or free if comes in with an Adult

Programmes

£2.00

Yeovil Town

Ground – Huish Park, Lufton Way, Yeovil, Somerset, BA22 8YF

Main Telephone No: 01935 423 662

Fax No: 01935 473 956

Capacity: 9,665 (Seating 5,212)

Pitch Size: 115 x 72 yards
Team Nickname: Glovers
Year Ground Opened: 1990
Undersoil Heating: No
Shirt Sponsors: Jurassic Fibre
Kit Manufacturer: Hummel
First Kit: Green & White Shirt with White Shorts and Green and white socks
Away Kit: Red shirts Red shorts Red socks
Website: www.ytfc.net
Programme: £3



History Facts & Records

Founded – 1890

Years at Today's Ground –26 Years

First Admitted to the Football League – 2005

First Official Floodlit Match – October 1960 Huish Athletics Ground

Highest Attendance – 17,123 v Sunderland, in the FA Cup Fourth Round 29/ 01/1949
Huish Athletics Ground

Highest Score for – 17 – 1 v Yeovil GWR Somerset Senior Cup 1901

Highest Against – 0–6 v Stevenage, 14 April 2012

Highest Scorer in a Season & Highest Scorer Overall – 57 Johnny Hayward 1906/07
548 goals (1906–28)

Player with most First Team Appearances – Len Harris, 691 (1958–72)

Former Names

Yeovil FC, 1890 - 95

Yeovil Casuals, 1895 - 1907

Yeovil and Petters United 1907 - 1947

Former Grounds

Dorchester Road (1895 – 1902)

The Huish Athletics Ground (1902 – 1990) **

Ground Guide

The move to a new ground in 1990 from the old Huish Athletic Ground which had a large slope from one side to another, that slope has gone, but the team have continued to impress by reaching the second tier of football for the first time in 2013.

Both sides of the ground are similar looking stands and are of the same height. They are both cantilevered, covered single tiered stands that are all seated. Each stand has windshields to either side. The only differences between these stands, is that the Augusta Westland Community Stand has some executive boxes running across the back of it, plus the dug outs and players tunnel.



Opposite is the Screwfix Community Stand has a press box suspended from beneath its roof and a small simple looking electric scoreboard. At one end is the medium sized Thatchers Gold Stand Terrace, which is covered and for home supporters and again has windshields to either side.

Opposite is the Copse Road Terrace, which is given to away fans. This is smaller and uncovered. Oddly the steel work is in place at the back of this stand to incorporate more terrace space, but the concrete rows have so far not been added. Perched above the rear of this stand is a large electric scoreboard.



Driving Directions



Leave the M5 at Junction 25 and take the first exit onto the A358 (Signposted Yeovil/ Weymouth) drive down this to the next roundabout (with burger King on the right) take the first exit onto the A303. At the second roundabout called the Cartgate roundabout and take the second exit onto the A3088 towards Yeovil. Follow the road for around four miles until you reach a roundabout with the Westlands Airfield in front of you. Take the first exit at this roundabout and then continue straight on, crossing a number of roundabouts. As you pass the entrance to an Asda superstore, take the next left for the ground, which can be seen from the road. There is a fair-sized car park at the ground, which costs £2. Otherwise there is plenty of street car parking to be had on the roads leading down to the ground.

Public Transport/Walking



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5 mins

Train to **Yeovil Junction Railway Station** then take **South West Coaches 68 bus** to the bus Station then take the **Busses of Somerset 51 bus** to Forde Way at Ford Park then walk to the end of the street and turn left into Western Avenue then take first right into Corspe Road and follow it left to the ground

Admission

Screwfix Stand (Seating): Adults £17, Over 65's £10, Under 22's £10, Under 16's £6
 Copse Road (Terrace): Adults £16, Over 65's £14, Under 22's £12, Under 16's £5



Away End

Where to have a Drink

The Bell" on Preston Road which is 25 minutes away from the ground but I love the bell. Food is very good and very reasonably priced. The staffs are helpful the wine is always at the right temp and the beer also. The whole place has a really nice atmosphere and I love the way it is divided up into several different areas. It's so much better than the Airfield Tavern, Both in food quality and price. To get there quickly take the train to Taunton then walk up to the parade and then take the First in Bristol, Bath & the West Bus 54 Yeovil Hospital on Kingston and its five minutes to the pub.

There is also the Airfield Tavern, Alvington Lane and the Anvil which is beside Preston Primary School and not too far from the ground but Yeovil FC have often been known to erect a large marque for certain matches, allowing fans to shelter slightly from the elements and purchase a drink from a limited range of beer. Inside the concourses of the ground fans can also enjoy the expected range of drinks.