

Access Statement for The Walkers Stadium



Introduction

The Walkers Stadium is home to Leicester City Football Club; we are located in the heart of the midlands with excellent transport networks and ample car parking for guests. Unique surroundings, attention to detail and excellent catering options make us ideal for any event.

Pre-arrival

- Contact our sales team for assistance prior to arrival on 0844 815700 (selecting option 1) alternatively you can email venuesales@lfc.co.uk
- The Stadium is only one mile from the City Centre, well within walking distance, and taking only 5 minutes to drive.
- There are many bus services to and from the City Centre, the most frequent route is the Arriva Bus Service number 84, 85 or 47, which departs from the Haymarket Bus Station on Charles Street.
- The Walkers Stadium is only minutes by taxi from Leicester Midland Mainline Railway Station, or 20 minutes by foot along the A594.
- Taxis can be pre-booked when required from the free telephone located in the main reception area. Accessible taxis and minibuses are available on request.
- Our website www.thewalkersstadium.co.uk has been developed to accessible guidelines set by WC3.

Arrival & Car Parking Facilities

- The main car park entrance is manned on most event days to offer personal assistance to arriving guests.
- There is directional signage at the entrance of the car park.
- There are over four hundred complimentary secure parking spaces at the stadium.
- Designated accessible parking spaces are located within close proximity to main reception.

- The car park is tarmac with no ramps or kerbs, and well lit at night allowing easy access to the main entrance.
- There is a drop-off point located outside the main entrance.
- There is clear signage throughout the car park.
- There is a separate deliveries entrance for events, and for exhibitors to gain access to the main conference suites. Your dedicated sales person will give you more information upon request.

Main Entrance & Reception

- We request all guests use the main stadium entrance.
- The main entrance has accessible manual doors with no steps or platforms.
- The main reception desk is located immediately in front of you when entering the main entrance.
- The main reception desk is staffed Monday to Friday from 08:00hrs to 16.30hrs; additional hours are available to suit the business need.
- We provide a seating area in the main reception, and it boasts natural daylight through floor-to- ceiling windows.
- An accessible unisex toilet is located in the main reception area.
- Two accessible lifts are located in reception allowing access to all three floors.

Public Areas

- The public telephone and complementary taxi phone is located in the main reception area.
- All lifts have audible enunciation and tactile buttons at standard height.
- There are safe-havens equipped with evacuation chairs located on each floor near the stairwell.

- There are two accessible toilets on the first, second, and third floors of the stadium as well as public toilets.

Accessible toilets provide:

emergency alarm pull cord;

flashing light when fire alarm sounds;

150x160cm free space, free of obstacles and doors;

non-slip laminate flooring;

vertical rails either side of the basins and toilets;

horizontal rails on the side opposite transfer from the toilet and;

lever taps on sinks.

Conference and Meeting Rooms

- Hearing loops are available in all meeting and conference rooms on request.

First Floor

- Two large conference rooms accessible via the lifts or staircase to the right of reception.
- Both rooms are accessible through double doors.
- Toilets are located between the two conference rooms; we also provide an accessible toilet to the same specification as the public toilets listed above.

Second Floor

- We have six meeting rooms on the second floor, all of which is accessible via the lifts or via the staircase to the right of reception.
- All rooms are located along a wide corridor with double door access.
- All rooms have double door access.
- Toilets are located along the corridor along with two accessible toilets to the same specification as the public toilets listed above.

3rd Floor

- We have one conference room and forty-four executive boxes on the third floor, all of which are accessible via the lifts or staircase within reception.
- All rooms are located along a wide corridor with double door access.
- The conference room has double door access.
- The executive boxes have single accessible door access and overlook the football pitch.
- Toilets are located along the corridor along with two accessible toilets to the same specification as the public toilets listed above.

Contact Information

Address: The Walkers Stadium, Filbert Way, Leicester, LE2 7FL

Telephone: 0844 8157000

Fax: 0116 2294549

Email: venuesales@lfc.co.uk

Website: www.thewalkersstadium.co.uk

Hours of operation: Reception 8am – 6.30pm Monday to Friday

Local accessible taxi number: Swift Fox Cabs 0116 2628222

Local Traveline: 0871 2002233