

ACCESS STATEMENT - WICKS FARM HOLIDAY PARK

INTRODUCTION

Wicks Farm Holiday Park is a 5 star park with a Gold David Bellamy Award for Conservation.

The Park consists of 2 sections. A Static Holiday Home Park for 73 privately owned holiday caravans available for the owners and their families use, throughout the year for holiday purpose.

The Park also has a separate Camping Site for tents and motor caravans only; this is open from March to November. We also have Camping Pods.

The Park is in rural surroundings within the Chichester Harbour Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty and 1½ miles from the award winning West Wittering Blue Flag Beach (www.westwitteringbeach.co.uk).

Dogs are allowed on park but must be on a lead at all times. There is good off-park dog walking on adjoining public footpaths.

2 PRE ARRIVAL

Advance booking is available for the camping site for stays of 4 nights or over.

Full Site Conditions and Tariffs are available by post or at www.wicksfarm.co.uk.

No new arrivals are allowed after 9pm.

ARRIVAL

There is a car park for new arrivals and shoppers opposite the reception and shop (approximately 20 metres) on the main drive.

The main gate is operated by keypad pin number between 7.30am and 10.30pm. Access during the night is for emergencies only.

There is a ramp entrance to the reception and shop. The aisles are narrow and not all suitable for wheelchairs but staff will willingly assist.

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The Park has tarmac roads with occasional speed ramps, which are designed so wheelchairs can avoid them and are clearly marked.

All Holiday Homes are on concrete bases but the majority of the park is landscaped grass.

The Camping area is grass with tarmac access roads. There are 7 hard standings for motor caravans.

The Camping Site has the following facilities:

*Toilets, hand basins with hot water
Showers (free of charge)
Laundrette
Elsan emptying point
Motor caravan dump
Dishwashing room
Kitchen with kettle, microwaves and toasters*

The facilities are accessible but no dedicated disabled facilities are available.

There are no communal rooms or entertainment facilities on the park.

There are 10 wooden camping Pods containing one double and two single beds, with lighting, heating and a fridge. There are no cooking or toilet facilities in the Pods which are provided in the main toilet block. They have a step into them and are not disability friendly.

4 LEISURE

The Park has a ball area with facilities for table tennis, volleyball, basketball and football.

There is also a large children's sandpit with a small activity centre and slide.

Limited adjacent seating is available for parents.

There are other leisure facilities available locally including the Westgate Centre (6 miles), which is the local leisure centre with a swimming pool. Golf is available at Chichester Golf (5 miles); Butlins Leisure Centre (12 miles) welcomes day visitors at a charge.

SHOP

The Park shop stocks basic provisions and further 7 day convenience shopping is available locally within 2 miles.

Chichester (6 miles) has many shops with many national chains represented.

5 MEDICAL TREATMENT

The local Health Centre is at Witterings Health Centre, Cakeham Road, East Wittering, PO20 8BH (2 miles) Telephone Number 01243 671833. Appointments are available for doctors and nurses.

*The local Hospital is St Richards, Spitalfield Lane, Chichester, PO19 6SE (7 miles) Telephone Number 01243 788 122
This hospital has an A & E Department.*

Taxi numbers: (local)

Area Cars *01243 601701*
Central *01243 789 432 (Wheelchair)*

Other Contact Information:

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NHS Non-emergency Service *111*

Coastguard *999*