

# Welcome to

# White Water Park Caravan Club Site

## Get to know White Water Park

This pleasantly landscaped site is adjacent to the largest white water canoeing and rafting course built to international standard in Britain. The Centre provides facilities including a sheltered viewing balcony, a drying and changing room, canoe storage area, shop and cafe.

Famous for its summer International Riverside Festival, Preston Hall Museum houses displays of toys, art and everyday life in Victorian times. Nearby Teesside Park is a shoppers' paradise with restaurants, multi-screen cinema complex and bowling alley.

Birdwatchers, wildlife enthusiasts and walkers will be spoiled for choice with over 30 miles of coastline a short drive away - tiny fishing villages, traditional holiday resorts and dramatic cliffs. For a relaxing few hours, try one of the cruises available nearby on one of Britain's most popular rivers - you can board at Castlegate Quay.



## Things to see and do from this Club Site

### Local attractions

- **North Yorkshire Moors Railway**  
*Step back in time with Britain's most popular heritage steam railway. Enjoy stunning scenery along 18 miles of railway through the National Park. Daily running from end March to end October. Also, Pullman dining services operate at evenings and weekends throughout the year.*  
**01751 472508**  
[www.nymr.co.uk](http://www.nymr.co.uk)
- **Hartlepool's Maritime Experience**  
*A superb recreation of an 18th Century seaport, home of HMS Trincomalee, the oldest warship afloat in Europe. A great day out for all ages.*  
**01429 860077**  
[www.hartlepoolsmaritimeexperience.com](http://www.hartlepoolsmaritimeexperience.com)
- **Richmond Castle**  
*Breathtakingly sited on a rocky promontory above the River Swale, the great castle of Richmond is among the oldest Norman stone fortress in Britain, begun in the decades after the conquest. The towering keep, over 30 metres high and remarkably complete within, was added during the reign of Henry II in the 1170s.*  
**01748 822493**  
[www.english-heritage.org.uk](http://www.english-heritage.org.uk)
- **HM Bark Endeavour**  
*The replica HM Bark Endeavour is the only full-size replica of the world-renowned Captain James Cook's ship in the Northern Hemisphere, and is one of only two such vessels in the world! Berthed on the beautiful River Tees in Stockton-on-Tees, not far from the birthplace of James Cook.*  
**01642 608038**  
[www.hmbarkendeavour.co.uk](http://www.hmbarkendeavour.co.uk)
- **Kirkleatham Museum**  
*An 18th Century former Free School with exhibitions and displays on ironstone mining, social history, and Kirkleatham Village.*  
**01642 479500**  
[www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk](http://www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk)
- **Raby Castle & Deer Park**  
*Built for the mighty dynasty of the Nevills, this great fortress stands proud and defiant, its history rolling back almost a thousand years. Deer Park, gardens, coach house, shop and tearooms.*  
**01833 660202**  
[www.rabycastle.com](http://www.rabycastle.com)
- **Kiplin Hall**  
*Jacobean house furnished as a Victorian home with personal possessions, paintings and furniture collected over four centuries. Tearoom, garden, woodland and lakeside walks, play area and events.*  
**01748 818178**  
[www.kiplinhall.co.uk](http://www.kiplinhall.co.uk)
- **Saltholme RSPB reserve**  
*This reserve is within 10 miles. For more information visit:*  
[www.rspb.co.uk/reserves](http://www.rspb.co.uk/reserves)

### Activities

- **Cycling**  
*The nearest National Cycle Network route to this site is Dover to Shetland, Route 1, OS ref NZ463194.*
- **Walking**  
*Walks to Stockton and Middlesborough alongside the River Tees.*

# General site information

## RECEPTION SERVICES

### Mail and messages

Mail and messages are put on the board outside Reception.

### Site Shop

Please ask at Reception for opening hours. The shop sells Aqua Kem, Aqua Rinse, Gas, newspapers to order, milk, water, ice cream, canned drinks, sweets and chocolate.

### Information Room

Open 24 hours. Leaflets are available about the many attractions and places of interest that you can visit during your stay.

### Mobile & public telephones

All networks can be used on this site. Public telephone - there is a public telephone in the Information Room. This phone does not accept incoming calls.

## PITCHES

### Pitch care

Awning ground sheets must be lifted daily if on grass.

### Motor caravans

If your pitch is left unoccupied, please leave your motor caravan sign on display.

### Vacating your pitch

If you wish to stay after 12 noon on your day of departure, please ask at Reception.

### Barbecues

These are allowed on site but open fires are not. Please keep barbecues off the grass.

### Serviced pitches

These pitches have an allweather surface and usually an individual ground level inlet for grey water. Further shared facilities include an illuminated EHU bollard and drinking water.

### TV reception

Television reception is fair.

### Electric Hook-up

The cost of electricity is included in your pitch fee, but please help us to minimise our effect on the environment by considering your electricity use while on site. In 2009 The Club's expenditure on electricity was £4 million and any saving can help to reduce pitch fees or invest in new sites or redevelopments.

## SITE FACILITIES

Please see the Site map for locations of amenity blocks.

### Toilets and showers

The toilet block is closed for cleaning at the times shown on the block doors. Please ensure that children are supervised by an adult at all times. The disabled toilet and shower facilities and baby and toddler bathroom are located in the toilet block. Keys are available from Reception.

### Laundry

Prices for the use of the laundry facilities are:

Washing machine £3.00, Tumble drier 70p/cycle. Washing sinks and ironing board are also available. Please do not hang washing lines between trees or on the fences.

### Play areas

There is a children's play area.

### Games / TV Room

There is a communal games room with television and pool table.

### Recycling facilities

Recycling on all service points.

## SAFETY ON SITE

### Pets

Please keep your dog on a lead not exceeding 3 metres at all times on the pitching areas and roads within the site, and clean up after them. The dog walk is on the public footpath/cycle way that runs down the river side of the site.



### Fire Point

(to activate alarm/warning) Located at all service points. The fire assembly point is at the Late Night Arrivals area as shown on the Site map.

### Vehicles and cycles

Parents are reminded that children remain their responsibility and therefore they should be supervised at all times, and to ensure that all members of their party follow the principles of road safety.

Motor vehicles and bicycles on site should, at all times, be used with due regard to the safety and convenience of others and their speed should not exceed walking pace (5mph). No cycling is permitted on site between the hours of dusk and dawn, as determined by the Wardens. Any one-way system signs should be observed by all vehicles and cycles. Foot pedalled cycles, scooters and skateboards can be used, but are not allowed on the paved area around toilet blocks and communal areas and must not be ridden on footpaths. Please note that motorised mobility scooters are allowed on site, but children's motorised scooters or skateboards are not.

### Security Barrier

There are security barriers on site. A card for the entrance barrier can be obtained from Reception after checking in and choosing a numbered pitch. The exit barrier is automatic.

### Visitors

Please ask your visitors to make themselves known at Reception when arriving at the site. If you are expecting visitors after hours, please meet them at Reception.

## OUT AND ABOUT

### Supermarkets

The closest are at Portrack Lane and Teesside Retail and Leisure Park, Stockton.

### Swimming pool

'Splash' in Stockton.

### Tourist Information Centre

In Stockton.

### Public Transport

Please ask at Reception about local services.

### Places of Worship

C of E, Catholic, Methodist and United Reformed Churches are in the local area.

## TELL US WHAT YOU THINK...

If you have any comments or suggestions that could help us to improve this Site, please put them in our Visitors' Comments Book. And if you discover a local pub or restaurant or an interesting place to go, tell us about that too!

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