

Welcome to Amberley Fields Caravan Club Site

Get to know Amberley Fields

There are only a small number of touring pitches on this mainly storage and base pitch site, and they are marvellous for plane spotters, as they're alongside the Gatwick runway!

The touring pitches are pleasantly placed and as the site is not far from the A23 it can be used as a base for exploring this part of West Sussex, or for taking a trip to London, only half an hour by rail from Gatwick. Travelling south you can readily reach Brighton for the sea and nearby Crawley offers a comprehensive shopping centre.



Things to see and do from this Club Site

Local attractions

• The Priest House

15th Century timber-framed hall house and cottage garden containing country furniture, ironwork, textiles and domestic objects in furnished rooms, situated in a picturesque village.
01342 810479

www.sussexpast.co.uk

NT Nymans Gardens

One of the great Gardens of the Sussex Weald with a collection of rare and beautiful plants from all over the world, including breathtaking spring colour in the walled garden, an old fashioned rose garden, summer borders and much more.

01444 400321

www.nationaltrust.org.uk

• RHS Wisley

Stretching over 240 acres of glorious garden, Wisley demonstrates the best in British gardening practices, whatever the season. Plant centre, gift shop and restaurant.

0845 260 9000

www.rhs.org.uk/wisley

Huxley's Experience

A large collection of birds of prey housed in aviaries typical of their natural habitat set in a landscaped garden. Flying demonstrations. 01403 273458

www.flyingfalcons.co.uk

British Wildlife Centre

Discover Britain's wonderful wildlife. See over forty different native wild animals from tiny harvest mice through to magnificent red deer, including species rarely seen in the wild.

01342 834658

www.britishwildlifecentre.co.uk

• The Eden Valley Museum

Housed in a Grade II listed 14th Century farmhouse, visitors can learn about the history of the Eden Valley, including tanning and cricket ball making.

01732 868102

www.evmt.org.uk

Pulborough Brooks RSPB reserve

This reserve is within 20 miles. For more information visit: www.rspb.co.uk/reserves.

Activities

Cycling

There is a cycle route within two miles of the site. The nearest National Cycle Network route to this site is Greenwich to Eastbourne, Route 21, OS ref TQ277389.

Cycling notes

These have been developed in conjunction with Sustrans and are available on this site. They include a detailed map, step-by-step directions and useful route information. A great way to explore the local area, you can pick them up FREE from Reception or download them from www.caravanclub.co.uk

Walking

Good walking routes near the site are to be found in the local parks within 2 miles of the site.

General site information

RECEPTION SERVICES

Mail and messages

Mail and messages are put on the board at Reception.

Site Shop

Open at the same times as Reception. The shop sells Gas and rock pegs. **Information Room**

Open at the same times as Reception. Leaflets are available about the many attractions and places of interest that you can visit during your stay. **Mobile & public telephones**

Some mobile phones do not work in the area. Public telephone - there is a public telephone located by Reception. Please note that this phone does not accept incoming calls.

Wi-Fi

Wi-fi internet access is available on this site. Please ask the Warden for details.

PITCHES

Pitch care

Awning ground sheets must be lifted daily.

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, it is normally not a problem unless the site is fully booked. Please see the notice at the site office.

Barbecues

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

TV reception

Television reception is fair, and best with aerial vertical. The best frequencies for TV reception are: BBC1 - 57; BBC2 - 63 ITV - 60; Channel 4 - 53; Channel 5 - 33. The EHU bollards do not have a TV socket and a booster is required.

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 blocks are closed for cleaning at the following times:

11am to 12 noon. The disabled toilet and shower facilities are located in the toilet block.

Laundry

Prices for the use of the laundry facilities are: Washing machine £3.00, Tumble drier 70p/cycle, Spin drier 10p/cycle. Washing sinks and ironing boards are also available. Please do not hang washing lines between trees or on the fences.

Recycling facilities

On site.

SAFETY ON SITE

Pets

Please keep your dog on a lead at all times on the pitching areas and roads within the site, and clean up after them. Dogs must be exercised in the designated Dog Walk Area.

Fire Point

(to activate alarm/warning) Located at all service points and at Reception. **Site security**

There is a security blocker on site. This is operated by a card given to new arrivals.



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.

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.

OUT AND ABOUT

Supermarkets

The closest is Tesco in Hookwood, about 3 miles from the site.

Cinema

The closest is in Crawley, about 3 miles from the site.

Tel: 01293 537415.

Swimming pool

The closest is in Crawley, about 3 miles from the site.

Tel: 01293 537431.

Tourist Information Centre

In Crawley.

Tel: 01293 545322.

Public Transport

The nearest bus service is 1 mile away, that goes to Crawley.

Places of Worship

A list of local denominations is available in Reception.

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!

Site address, Charlwood Road Lowfield Heath, Crawley, RH11 0QA Telephone: 01293 524834

