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Sussex County FA

Travel and Transport Plan

1. Venue

1.1 Address: Sussex County Football Association, Culver Road, Lancing, West Sussex BN15 9AX

1.2 Situated in the centre of Lancing, the Sussex County Football Association facility is accessed via Culver Road, a cul-de-sac

1.3 There are 21 full-time personnel employed at the venue

1.4 The venue is fully accessible by wheelchair users and disabled

2. Introduction

2.1 The site is used for a variety of events and functions:

- Outdoor - football matches, training, tournaments, courses
- Indoor – classrooms, dinners, training courses, meetings

2.2 Events can be attended by anything between 10-200 people. It is not envisaged individual attendance numbers will increase, but the number of events and repeat visits will

3. Current Travel & Transport Situation

3.1 Driving and Car Parking

3.1.1 The venue is accessed via the A27 and from there the A23/M23

3.1.2 A car park is located at the venue and is owned and managed by the Sussex County Football Association. There are a total of 67 parking spaces available together with 3 Disabled bays and an area for motor cycles and bicycle rack

3.1.3 It is available to venue users and the general public on a pay-and-display basis (9am-5pm), and is monitored by one of the staff members to ensure compliance with parking requirements.

Up to nineteen County FA staff are able to park free of charge

On a normal working day around half of these spaces are occupied, and several are leased out to local businesses on a year-round basis

3.1.4 On match/training days, the parking is monitored by use of attendants. Any overflow is directed to alternate sites located within 200 metres. These are Council pay-and-display (9am-5.30pm) facilities. The car park allows for coaches to be manoeuvred and parked within the car park area

3.1.5 Car sharing is actively encouraged amongst all users – matches, training and courses

3.1.6 The facility is accessed via three gates/two turnstiles directly from the car park

3.2 Rail

3.2.1 The Sussex County Football Association is accessible by train, and Lancing Station is located just a short walk away.

3.2.2 The station is serviced by trains on a regular timetable, with a wide range of destinations (see ***Appendix 1***)

3.3 Bus & Coach

3.2.1 The Sussex County Football Association is accessible by bus and coach, with routes through the village centre (see ***Appendix 2***) - the closest being just one minute's walk

3.2.2 The village is serviced by a variety of local, regional and national bus/coach operators on a regular timetable, with a wide range of destinations (see ***Appendix 2***)

3.4 Cycling & Walking

3.4.1 The actual and anticipated use of the facility does and will come from the local community, and from the 4-18 year age group

3.4.2 Cycling and walking is one of the main options for many local users, and a new cycles rack has just been installed, and cycling is encouraged

4. Travel Promotion

4.1 The following posters are displayed at the venue (indoor and outdoor noticeboards):

- Cycle Journey Planner
- Cycle Freedom
- Car Share
- Petrol v. Cycling

4.2 Car sharing and use of public transport are incorporated into a "Directions to Culver Road" document (see ***Appendix 3***)

4.3 The following websites are promoted within the "Directions to Culver Road" document (see ***Appendix 3***):

www.travelinesoutheast.org.uk

www.westsussex.gov.uk/publictransport

4.4 The Sussex County FA website is being updated to incorporate additional information relating to rail, bus and cycling information and timetable links

4.5 An annual Travel Survey will be conducted amongst staff and match-day attendees, in order to monitor and amend the effectiveness of the Travel Plan (to be shared with West Sussex County Council)

5. Travel Plan Co-ordinator

5.1 Travel Plan Co-ordinator – Adrian Howell (Stadium Manager)

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Appendix 1	Rail Travel				

Lancing Station

National Rail Enquiries: 08457-484950

Destinations:

Brighton	Haywards Heath	Gatwick Airport	East Croydon		
	Clapham Junction	London Victoria			
Hove					
Portslade					
Fishersgate					
Aldrington					
Southwick					
Shoreham					
LANCING					
Worthing					
West Worthing					
Durrington					
Goring by Sea					
Angmering	Littlehampton				
Ford					
Barnham	Bognor Regis				
Chichester					
Southbourne					
Emsworth					
Warblington					
Havant	Cosham	Fareham	Swanwick	Eastleigh	Southampton
Fratton					
Southsea					
Portsmouth					

Appendix 2

Bus/Coach Travel

Lancing Bus Stops

South Lancing, opposite The Broadway
South Lancing, opposite Old Salts Farm Road
South Lancing, adjacent to Seaside Primary School
Lancing, opposite North Road Post Office
Lancing, adjacent to West Lane
Lancing, Sir Robert Woodard Academy (W-bound)

Enquiries: www.travelinesoutheast.org.uk

Destinations:

Brighton	Gatwick Airport	Banstead	Sutton	London Victoria	
Hove					
Portslade					
Southwick					
Shoreham	Pyecombe	Hurstpierpoint	Hassocks	Burgess Hill	H.Heath
LANCING	Upper Beeding	Steyning	Henfield		
Sompting					
Broadwater	Washington	Storrington	Pulborough	Billingshurst	
Worthing					
West Worthing					
Durrington	Salvington	Findon			
Goring by Sea					
Ferring					
East Preston					
Angmering	Barnham	Rustington	Littlehampton	Arundel	Bognor Regis

Routes/Number/Operator:

7/7a	Salvington (Compass)	9	Shoreham-Littlehampton (Stagecoach)
16	Worthing (Compass)	19a	Shoreham (Compass)
25	London-Worthing (National Express)	26	London-Bognor Regis (National Express)
106	Worthing-Henfield (Compass)	700	Brighton-Arundel (Stagecoach)
N2	Brighton-Worthing (B&H)	N700	Brighton-Worthing (Stagecoach)
WG1	Lindfield-Worthing (Sussex Bus)	X2	Billingshurst-Shoreham (Compass)
X5	Littlehampton-Shoreham (Compass)	Pulse	Durrington (Stagecoach)

Appendix 3 — Directions to Sussex County FA

PLEASE: Use public transport whenever possible. Timetables and routes can be found at **www.westsussex.gov.uk/publictransport**

Rail Services (National Rail Enquiries: **08457-484950**)

Lancing is served by frequent rail services from London, Brighton, Littlehampton, Bognor Regis, Chichester, Portsmouth and Southampton, and most surrounding towns. Leave Lancing Railway Station and walk north (**Please note:** If you are on the same side of the rail line as the railway station building and ASDA, you need to cross over the railway bridge and walk in the opposite direction). Walk up North Road, taking the third turning on the left into Culver Road.

Coach and Bus Services (www.travelinesoutheast.org.uk)

Lancing is served by the following bus/coach routes – 7, 7A, 9, 16, 19A, 25, 26, 106, 700, N2/N700, WG1, X2, X5 and Pulse, with regular services from all surrounding towns and villages, as well as London and Brighton. The closest bus stop is North Road Post Office, just 50 meters from Culver Road. The Sussex County FA HQ is at the end of Culver Road.

Cycling

Although there are no local cycle routes, cycling to Culver Road is a simple option, with the A259 coast road being the main artery for cyclists. There is an open-air six-cycle rack located in the car park and bicycles can also be left inside the stadium if required.

Driving Directions from West Sussex

From Chichester along the A27 through Worthing until you reach the Manor Roundabout at Lancing Leisure Centre. Turn right (sign-posted South Lancing A2025) at the roundabout into Grinstead Lane. 500 yards on the right is The Harvester restaurant, turn right after the restaurant into Grinstead Avenue, left at the mini roundabout into North Road. Pass the shops until the next mini roundabout and turn right into Culver Road.

Directions from Mid/North and East Sussex

From the Crawley area use the A23 until you reach the A27 where you need to go Westbound (Worthing). From Eastbourne/Hastings take the A27 past Lewes, Brighton, Hove, Portslade & Shoreham Airport until you reach the Manor Roundabout at Lancing Leisure Centre. Turn left (sign-posted South Lancing A2025) at the roundabout into Grinstead Lane. Then follow the directions as above.

IMPORTANT: ***Whenever possible, if driving, please try to 'car-share' (www.westsussexcarshare.com). This will help protect the environment and reduce the pressure on parking at the venue – which is extremely limited.***

Parking in Lancing

The stadium and offices are located in a residential area and cul-de-sac, and there is limited parking at the ground. We request that for matches, events and courses the alternate car parks (located just one minutes' walk away) are used. These are located on North Farm Road and Queensway, as well as street parking along North Road and at Lancing Station/Asda. See map for details.

All car parks are pay-and-display (£0.50 per hour, Mon-Fri 9am-5.30pm, Sat 9-12am), and have disabled bays.

Parking is ***strictly forbidden*** on Culver Road itself and cars may be removed.

Arriving and Leaving

We would request that all drivers and pedestrians respect our residential neighbours when entering and leaving Sussex County FA.

For matches, events and courses there will normally be parking attendants to assist.

Disabled

There are parking bays available for Blue Badge holders in all car parks.

The venue is fully accessible for wheelchairs, and disabled toilets are available on-site.

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