

Crofthead Holiday Park

Old Toll, Ayr, South Ayrshire, KA6 6EN

Travel Plan

October 2023



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Welcome

Welcome to the Crofthead Holiday Park travel plan. Here you will find how to get around the local area and to and from the holiday park without having to use a car.

The holiday park is located to the south of the A70 at Old Toll, approximately 3.5 kilometres to the east of Ayr town centre.

Getting about on foot or bicycle

The main pedestrian routes to and from the Holiday Park are via the footway along the northwestern side of Sandyhill Terrace and along the northern side of the A70.



Northwestern footway along Sandyhill Terrace

The footway along the northern side of the A70 is also a shared footway/ cycleway and provides a direct connection to and from Ayr Station and the town centre, mainly off road.



Northern shared footway/ cycleway along the A70



On site cycle infrastructure

To further encourage cycling, a new lockable bike store for up to 20 cycles is in the process of being installed within the immediate vicinity of the reception.

Travelling by bus

There is one bus service available to and from the Holiday Park via stops on the A70 at Old Toll.



Location of bus stops on the A70 at Old Toll

There are buses during the day on Mondays to Saturdays to and from Ayr town centre via Holmston Road, as well as some areas outwith the town such as Coylton, Drongan, Ochiltree and Cumnock. Less frequent services operate on Sundays. Bus tickets can be bought from the bus driver or on-line and daily/ weekly/ monthly/ yearly tickets offer multi-journey opportunities at reduced costs.

Stagecoach West Scotland service 42 runs between Ayr and Cumnock via Coylton, Drongan, Ochiltree every 60 minutes (Monday to Saturday daytime), with short working between Ayr and Drongan every 60 minutes (providing a 30 minute headway over that section), every 120 minutes (Monday to Saturday evenings) and every 60 minutes (all day Sunday).

The 42 timetable is available via the link below:

Stagecoach West Scotland 42 Service



Travelling by train

Ayr rail station is located in the town centre, some 3.5 kilometres to west of the holiday park.



Ayr Station and bus stops at Burns Statue Square

Ayr rail station can be accessed via bicycle or via the Stagecoach West Scotland service 42. There is sheltered storage for 52 cycles available at Ayr rail station. Ayr rail station has a manned ticket office. There is also CCTV coverage, with ramps to both platforms.

For more information on Ayr rail station are available from the links below:

Ayr Station

Scotrail operates a 30 minute service between Ayr and Glasgow Central via Prestwick, Troon, Barassie, Irvine, Kilwinning, and Paisley. The journey time to Ayr is around 52 and 55 minutes.

The Ayr to Glasgow Central train timetable is available from the link below:

Ayr to Glasgow Central



Useful contacts

Transport Providers				
Stagecoach West Scotland	Sandgate AYR KA7 1DD		Stagecoach West Scotland	
Scotrail	Caledonian Chambers 87 Union Street GLASGOW G1 3TA	08457 484950	<u>Scotrail</u>	
Traveline Scotland	n/a	0871 200 2233	Traveline Scotland	

Taxi Companies				
A to B Taxis		01292 404707	A to B Taxis	
Ayr Cabs	36 Springbank Road AYR KA8 9BP	01292 787878	Ayr cabs	
Ayr Citadel Taxis	Mews House, Mews Lane, AYR KA7 1DL	01292 402204	Ayr Citadel Taxis	
Ayr Premier Taxis	88 Green Street, AYR KA8 8BG	01292 404040	Ayr Premier Taxis	
Streamline Taxis	16A Main Street, PRESTWICK KA9 1NX	01292 284545	Streamline Taxis	
Thistle Cabs Group Ayr	53 George Street, AYR KA8 OAH	01292 260000	Thistle Cabs	



Objectives

It is considered that the following are reasonable objectives for the Holiday Park to achieve via the Travel Plan.

Objective One

Encourage the use of alternative modes of transport to the private car and to promote the management of private car usage in order to reduce environmental impacts for all journeys to and from Crofthead Holiday Park.

Objective Two

To encourage safe walking, cycling and public transport trips to and from Crofthead Holiday Park.



Appendix B

Current Public Transport Timetables