Access Statement – Culzean Castle

Your Point of Contact

- For bookings please call 02476 475 426
- For site queries please contact 01655 760627
- Site Page www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk/culzeancastle

Your Arrival on Site

- Train station 4 miles from site. Bus stop is approx. 100m
- There are two brown signs off the A719, one large site sign on entrance
- One keypad operated barrier that is automatic on exit. It's locked between 11pm and 7am
- Overnight parking is available just outside the main site gate.
- Approach road is tarmac
- The visitors parking doubles as the overnight which is 10m from the main gate
- New arrivals should pull up to reception. The surface is tarmac with a ramp and six steps with handrail
- There are no designated accessible spaces but plenty of spaces a short, level distance from the reception
- There is a handrail attached to the reception wall
- There are steps and a gentle incline
- Potted plants along the path

Your Check in

- The reception is clearly signed for arrivals
- Opening hours are 9am-10:30am then 4pm-5.30pm
- For out of ours assistance, there is a bell located on the reception door which is connected to an on duty team member
- Access to reception if via level concrete slabs
- There are no access issues as you enter reception
- o Good clear floor space in reception
- There is a low level reception counter

<u>Your Pitch</u>

- o Cars can be parked next to most pitches on site
- Four pitches are close to the accessible room
- Hardstanding's are loose, compact smaller gravel
- Many level hardstanding are close to the site road
- Site has a mixture of level and slightly sloping pitches

Your Facilities

- There is a clear tarmac path leading to the facility block
- No steps leading to the block
- There is a gradual incline leading to the block, but it is not steep
- There is level access in to the block
- Two semi ambulant cubicle in both ladies and gents
- o All taps are push button in gents and ladies
- Wall hung seats in all shower cubicles
- o All showers are push button. Temperatures cannot be adjusted
- All showers have level access, no steps
- \circ There is low level lighting on the outside of the block throughout the night

Your Accessible Facilities

- There is a flat tarmac path leading to the accessible facility
- There is a handrail to the left of the path as you approach the accessible room
- \circ $\;$ There is flat level access in to the accessible facility
- Doors have RADAR locks
- \circ $\;$ The toilet has one drop down rail to the left and one wall mounted to the right
- Toilet has a larger flush handle
- There is transfer space to the left
- The washbasin cannot be reached from the toilet
- Taps are lever top
- There is a hand dryer
- There is a full length mirror
- Showers have wall mounted hand rails
- Shower is dial operated
- Shower is open access
- Shower head is height adjustable
- Floor is non-slip
- There is a low level hair dryer
- \circ $\;$ There is an emergency cord that can be reached form the floor $\;$
- \circ $\;$ The alarm can be heard from the staff pitches and reception
- Low level hooks for towels

Your Laundry and Food Preparation Areas

- There is good level access leading to these areas
- Access is over tarmac
- o Taps are push button
- Washing machines are front loading and floor level
- o Tumble dryers are stack
- There is a freestanding ironing board
- There are both indoor and undercover outdoor washing up facilities
- Sinks are push button
- There is an outdoor drying area
- Outdoor washing up area has one low level sink

Your Recreational Areas

- There is no indoor recreation area
- There is an outdoor children's play area
- Tarmac sloping path leads the children's play area
- There is one bench is overlooking the play area
- Play area surface is rubber
- There is no raised edge surrounding the play area

Waste, Fire and Evacuation

- Small steep ramps leading to all the refuse areas
- Paths are gravel. There are no steps
- Low level fences either side of the path could be used for support
- o Most waste containers are waist level, some are full size 1100L commercial bins
- Fire triangles on all water points
- o There is unrestricted access to all firefighting equipment over grass
- Fire assembly points are; one in main carpark outside reception, the other is at the children's play area
- Main carpark is gravel, the play area field is grass
- Assembly points are included in the site leaflet, but campers are also informed on arrival

Miscellaneous Information

- There are speed bumps on the site road
- \circ $\;$ Facility blocks have external wall lights. Rest of the site is lit from bollards
- Reception carpark will hold at least eight cars
- Overnight carpark will hold at least six cars

Ready Camp

- Parking is next to Tents
- \circ $\;$ There is a path leading to the units
- One step in to each ready camp