



SOPHIAWORKS EVENT GUIDE

SUNDAY 03 NOVEMBER 2024

GATES OPEN - 17:00

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We look forward to welcoming everyone to Sophia Gardens for our annual fireworks display.

Please read through the information below ahead of your arrival at the stadium, and share it with others in your group who are not signed up to receive our communications.

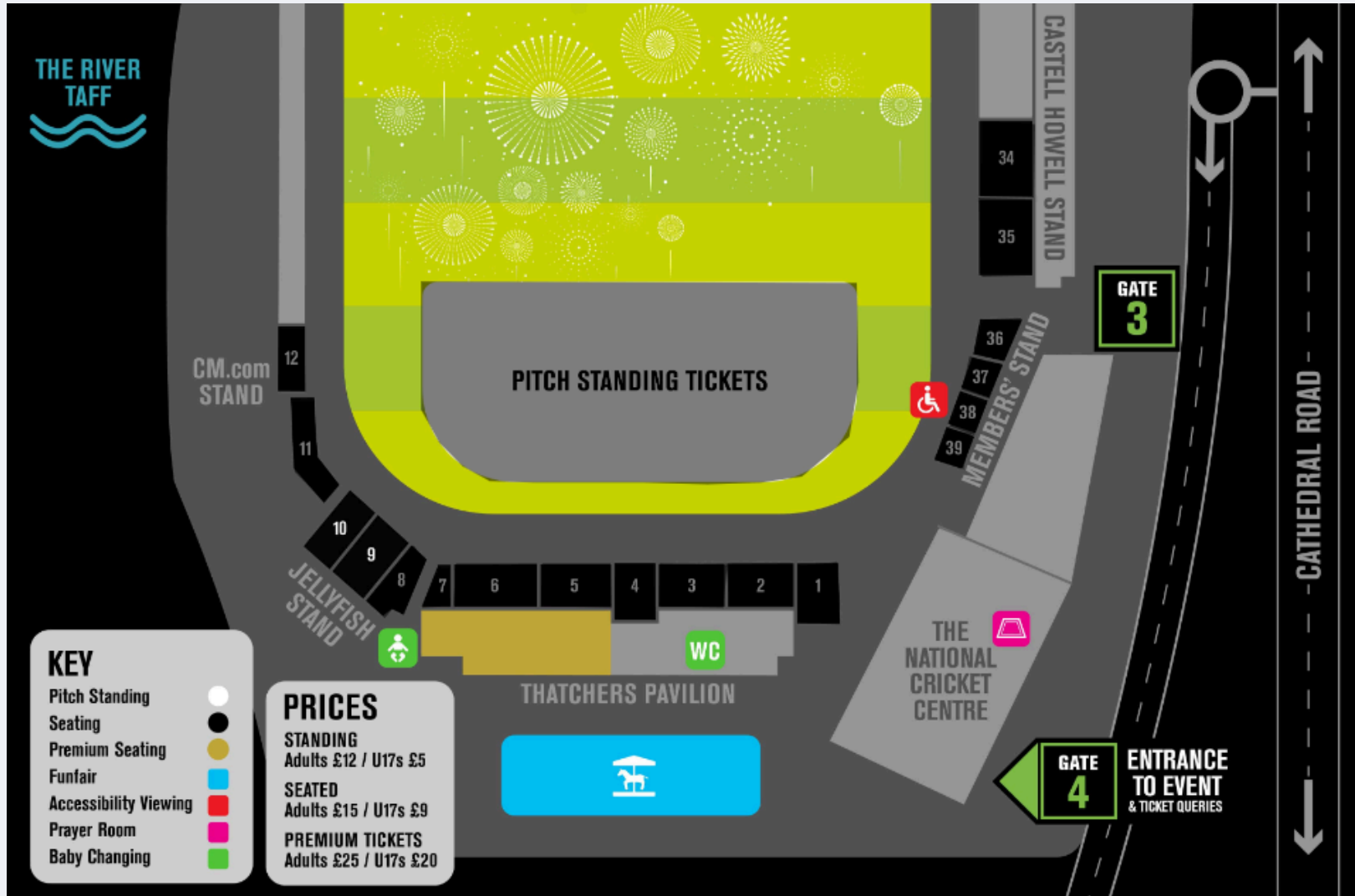
KEY TIMINGS: (times subject to change)

17:00	GATES OPEN
18:45	FIREWORKS DISPLAY STARTS
20:00	FOOD UNITS, BARS & RIDES CLOSE
20:15	STADIUM TO CLOSE



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OUR STADIUM



SOPHIA GARDENS



TICKETS

All ticket purchasers are to enter via Gate 4 & Gate 5.

Digital tickets are in use and have to be scanned from the Sophia Gardens Ticketing App, which can be downloaded from the Apple App Store and Google Play Store.

Please download your tickets onto the app in advance to avoid connectivity issues on the day.

In the rare case that you have not received your tickets, please reach out to TICKETS@GLAMORGANCRICKET.CO.UK for assistance.

SEATING

Allocated seating for those with seated tickets will be in operation.

Should you need any help or have any questions during the match, our friendly stewards will be more than happy to assist you.

BAG SEARCH

If you are bringing a bag, please leave yourself extra time for entry as this bag will need to be searched and tagged on entry.

The Stadium reserves the right to refuse entry to any person carrying any prohibited items which may be deemed to be offensive, disruptive, dangerous or likely to infringe any party's rights, safety or security, or any dangerous article or substance.

FOOD, DRINK & FUNFAIR

A delightful range of food and drink options will be available in the Pavilion car park and will include the following: **Chang's Wok, Dinky Donuts, Event Mobile Catering, Fire & Flank, HelloGoodPie, Keralan Karavan, Little Dragon Pizza, MacDaddies, Meating Point and RJR Bars.**

Funfair rides will be located on entry at Gate 4 along with the food and drink. Cash and Card payments will be taken.

PROHIBITED ITEMS

- Sharp implements such as knives and forks
- Firearms, weapons, knives and imitation weapons
- Glass bottles and containers
- Alcohol
- Cans (soft drinks or alcohol)
- Fireworks, explosives and flammable items, including sparklers.
- Air horns/blow horns
- All musical instruments including whistles
- Gas Containers
- Illegal drugs
- Animals (except guide dogs)

PERMITTED ITEMS

- Personal (folding) umbrellas
- Cooler bags/boxes
- Own foodstuff (with plastic cutlery)
- Soft drinks/water in plastic containers (tops to be removed, although stewards may in certain conditions allow tops to remain – e.g. for medical conditions, elderly people, family usage)
- Cameras and video cameras (for recreational and non-commercial use only)
- Flasks and reusable water bottles
- Small radios, CD/DVD/MP3 players – only with headphones
- Glass containers – perfume, prescription medication, insect repellent
- Aerosol deodorant, medication or insect repellent

A NIGHT FOR ALL



ACCESSIBILITY AND INCLUSIVENESS

Sophia Gardens, Cardiff is a venue that caters for all of our visitors' needs. Glamorgan Cricket is a proud member of the Level Playing Field organisation.

Please visit our [website](#) for more information!

Glamorgan Cricket can supply a event-day sensory pack for fans with sensory needs. These packs include items such as noise-cancelling headphones, fidget spinners, a map of the Stadium, and more. They are designed to enhance the event day experience for people living with Autism, ADHD and Down Syndrome. The sensory packs will be available from Reception for a cost of £10 per pack. For more information click [HERE](#).

If you have any further enquiries please email info@glamorgancricket.co.uk or phone our main reception desk on 02920 409 380.

We have a dedicated accessibility stewarding team on site – please speak to your nearest steward if you require any assistance.

We have been making improvements around the stadium and now have a Changing Places Toilet located on the Castell Howell concourse and we have a Family Toilet located behind the CM.com Stand. Multi-Faith Prayer rooms will be available in the National Cricket Centre.



PARKING

There is no public car parking available at the Stadium. There are a number of independent car parks located throughout the city.

Please visit:



[NCP CARDIFF](#)



[CARDIFF COUNCIL PARKING](#)



GROUND REGULATIONS

We would like to politely remind all spectators to check our Ground Regulations before you arrive. Please read these [HERE](#).



TRAIN, WALK & BIKE

Cardiff Central railway station is approximately 1 mile from Sophia Gardens (walking time approximately 20 mins). There are regular trains that run between Cardiff and all major towns and cities. For the latest train information, please visit www.nationalrail.co.uk.

The most popular and picturesque means of reaching the Stadium from the city centre is on foot. The final part of the leisurely stroll takes you along the banks of the famous River Taff. If you decide to travel to the Stadium by bike, there is bike parking available at Gate 5.

Please note: If you are heading towards the city centre or train station at the end of the event, please be aware that the gates to Bute Park will be closed. Whilst you will still be able to cross the bridge into the park, you will not be able to exit. Please utilise the Taff Trail footpath running alongside the river which will bring you out at Cowbridge Road East/Castle Street.



CRICKET'S WARMEST WELCOME

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