

This access statement does not contain personal opinions as to our suitability for those with access needs, but aims to accurately describe the facilities and services that we offer all our guests/visitors.

Access Statement for Heywood Hall

Introduction

Heywood Hall is located in the pretty village of Denstone, six minutes drive to Alton towers and 10 minutes drive to Uttoxeter. It is the perfect place to stay whether you are visiting Alton Towers theme park, walking or sightseeing in the area. The property has easy access from College Road

The property has 6 suites 3 of which are on ground floor level, with an entry level shower

We place locally sourced breakfast ingredients in the suites for you to prepare at your leisure.

We look forward to welcoming you. If you have any queries or require any assistance please phone 01889 591747 or email info@heywoodhall.co.uk.

Pre-Arrival

For maps on how to reach us please refer to the contact section of the website. Alternatively you can plan your journey by car or public transport using www.transportdirect.info; simply enter your postcode and ours, which is ST14 5HE to get directions.

The nearest railway station is Uttoxeter, which is 7 miles away. Taxis are available at the station. If you require an accessible taxi this can be booked in advance please call Uttoxeter Radio Cars 01889566917.

The nearest bus stop is 25 metres from Heywood hall, just opposite the Tavern Pub. There is shelter and seating, all buses can accommodate one wheelchair. The bus to Alton Towers is 32A. To Ashbourne and Derby is SW1 The street leading to the Guest House is paved

There is a local company which supplies equipment which can be hired, please see contact area of the website.

This information is available in larger print if required.

Car Parking and Arrival

The car park has a gravel surface leading to the path. The path leads to the front door of the suite. This is well lit. The door is 90 centimetres/3 feet wide. There is plenty of parking for cars at the entrance.

There is a ramp, which is more than 90 cm or 36 inches wide

Assistance can be given with luggage

Welcome Area

Guests are welcomed in the entrance hallway, which is level, where they are asked to register

Seating is available with upright chairs one with arms one without.

The area is well lit with overhead lighting

A magnifying glass, pen and pad of paper are available on request

Guests are shown to their suite.

Bedrooms

There is one bedroom with 2 twin beds and 2 single beds on the ground floor with step access from the door of the suite.

Furniture and beds can be rearranged in this suite.

One bedroom is accessed from two stairs

All doors to suites and bedrooms are 90cms or 36inches wide.

The heights of the beds from the top of the mattress to the floor is 56 cms/22inches. Blocks to raise the heights of the beds are available on request.

Storage space is an open wardrobe with shelves

The bedroom has two ceiling lights and three sidelights. Extra lighting can be supplied if required.

All our bedrooms offer good lighting with ceiling lights and sidelights

Our suites have a lounge area, with sofas and comfortable chairs and mini kitchen for guests to prepare their own breakfast/meals

There is good contrast between the carpet and walls/ ceiling. The carpet is short pile.

All the bedding is non-feather; our televisions are wide screen and digital with remote control, and subtitles.

Bathrooms, Shower-rooms & Toilets (Ensuite or Shared)

All suited have ensuite bathrooms. The ground floor suite offers the following:

Door opening to the bathroom is 90cms/ 36inches wide.

The Shower is separate and wet room style, with raised lip approx. 1cm/1/2 inch

The Toilet height is 42cms/16.5 inches.

The Sink height is 78cms/30.5inches all sinks have lever taps.

Seat raisers and shower seats where required

Fluorescent light over mirror

Good colour contrast between the doors, floor and walls, striped blue towels

Non-slip laminate flooring

Bathrooms to other suites, showers are separate in the bedroom, the shower door is bi fold.

Entrance doors and bathrooms doors to other suites are 90cms/36inches wide. All are well lit.

Public Areas - Halls, Stairs, Landings, Corridors

All public areas are well lit with sensor lighting, ceiling and wall lights

The flooring is short pile carpet

There is an angled stairway with 17 steps and a handrail on one side

Garden

There is a paved footpath leading to a seating area.

Additional Information

Should you need help with evacuation in the event of a fire, please notify us and someone will come to help.

We welcome trained assistance dogs. A water bowl is available for the bedrooms if necessary.

Future Plans

Upgrading bathrooms

We have a diversity consultant, Alborough Consulting, Grrerrards Cross, Bucks, to assist in accessibility matters.

Contact Information

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Local Equipment Hire: Castle Comfort Centre Mobility Centre Ltd
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Wolstanton, Newcastle Under Lyme, Stoke on
Trent ST5 8BW

Local Accessible Taxi: Uttoxeter Radio Cars 01889 566917

Local Public Transport: Bus number 32A and Number 30 Also SWIFT