



## **The Exchequer Disability Access Statement**

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## Welcome

Just 2 miles from Fleet, this award-winning village pub is the perfect spot for an after-work pint, a family celebration, or a quick refuel during a walk along the nearby canal.



**Getting here**

The pub is on Crondall Road just off the A287. There are no footpaths on the narrow country lanes.

The closest bus stop is Union Road in Crondall Village. The closest train station is Fleet 2.9 miles away.

Footprint Taxis is a 24 hour, seven days a week local taxi service. Available on 01252 844844 or 01256 409059 or via [bookings@footprint-cars.co.uk](mailto:bookings@footprint-cars.co.uk)

**Car Parking**

The pub has customer parking to the rear of the main building. It is a large tarmacked area with 32 marked bays. The car park slopes slightly downhill and has a single, low, speedbump across the entrance.

There is car park lighting in the evening; a motion detector is in operation by the entrance and a floodlight on the back of the pub.

There is an overflow car park area that is not tarmacked and has no marked bays.

The assembly point is in the far-right corner of the main car park with clear signs.

The car park has no outside lighting.



**Arrival**

The pub has one main door at the front of the building. The car park is to the rear of the pub so access to the main entrance is through the car park and the front patio area across tarmac and block paving. The car park slopes upwards towards the pub at a very gentle incline and the front patio area slopes downwards slightly.

A curved brick step 12cm high and 117cm deep leads you up to the door which pulls outwards and can be latched open. Another step 17cm high and 16cm wide takes you into the porch. A ramp can be assembled and placed over these steps if required.

The door is 81cm wide and 197cm high. The porch flooring and through the second door is door mat carpeting. The second door is pull open double doors. The door width, when both open is 108cm. the distance between the 2 doors is 119cm.



## Bar and Restaurant

The bar flooring is large grey tiles. The restaurant flooring is a mix of wood with large rugs and carpeted areas. Two areas of the restaurant have a single step up to them. One is 9 cm high and the other is 16cm.

The bar height is 99cm with several low backed bar stools at 73cm. A choice of drinks is clearly displayed on and behind the bar.



Full table service is available throughout the bar and restaurant for drinks and food.

The bar area and restaurant are all lit using wall, ceiling spot and overhead lighting with certain areas which can be individually adjusted to suit your needs. The pub has plenty of natural day light from the many windows, all have adjustable blinds. We do not provide any alternative formats of our menus such as braille or large print, but a member of our staff will be more than happy to help you with anything you would like to know.

There is are two steps from the bar into the restaurant. A ramp is available upon request for wheelchair access.





Our daily specials are written on a large blackboard in the centre of the restaurant. If you are unable to access this due to the steps around the building, a member of staff will be able to read them out to you, or take a photo on one of our iPads and share this with you.

We offer a gluten free menu, and have full allergen information available on request for our menus and daily specials. If you have any specific dietary requirements, please inform a member of staff on arrival, or prior to your visit, so our chefs can cater for you and ensure we can provide something exciting for you to enjoy.



**Customer Restrooms**

The customer toilets are on the ground level but are small and not suitable for wheelchairs. We do not have a designated wheelchair accessible toilet. The door to the separate male and female toilets is 71cm wide and pushes into a well-lit narrow hall. The hall is 73cm at its narrowest point.

The ladies' toilets have baby changing facilities in. The seat of the toilet is 40cm from the floor. Smoke detectors are fitted within the area.



### Patio and Garden

We have 2 outside areas for eating and drinking. The front patio and a larger patio at the rear of the building.

During the summer months, we offer full table service to our patio areas. We have printed drinks lists available if you would like to see what we have on offer.

There are 2 bollard posts with lights in to show the way into the rear patio. The distance between the 2 posts is 93cm.

There is a an upper and lower rear patio area. Posts with lights show the 2 steps down to the lower part, each step is 15cm high.

The rattan garden furniture is movable and the table clearance height is 72cm.

The flooring is large slab paving.



**Additional Information**

We welcome all dogs in the pub, including assistance dogs. If you have an assistance dog and require any help, then please let a member of staff know.

There are no facilities to charge mobility scooters or battery powered wheelchairs.

There is free Wi-Fi throughout the pub.

The closest accident and emergency hospital is 6.7 miles away Frimley Park Hospital, Portsmouth Road , Camberley, Surrey, GU16 7UJ Tel:01276 60460

The closest chemist is 1.2 miles away The Richmond Surgery, Richmond Close, Fleet, Hampshire, GU52 7US Tel: 01252 447001

**Evacuation Procedure**

Fire exit signs and extinguishers are visible around the pub also signage is placed in areas which are used as assembly points. Should a fire arise all staff are trained in the evacuation procedure including checking the toilets to ensure all customers and staff exit safely.

