

Club Sites Access Statement

Tarland Access Statement

At the Camping and Caravanning Club, we are committed to creating great experiences for all our guests and ensure everyone is made to feel welcome.

This access statement provides full access information about our site and its facilities for all guests who wish to stay at Tarland.

If you require any further information or wish to book online, please visit:

www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk/tarland

For telephone bookings please call our UK Service Centre on 02476 475426

Opening hours: 8:00am – 5:30pm, Monday to Friday, Closed 10:00am – 11:00am on Wednesday

Saturday: 9:00am – 1:00pm from January to August



Site Contact Details

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About Tarland

Enjoy this peaceful Aberdeenshire campsite in the east of Scotland just outside the Cairngorms National Park, in an area favoured by royalty.

The Club's Tarland by Deeside campsite lies just outside the Cairngorms National Park and shares the same stunning scenery as Balmoral Castle. The area surrounding the site is tranquil and exceptionally beautiful and rich in historic and prehistoric sites.

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This beauty and tranquillity flows into our Tarland campsite. Trees line the site and are dotted throughout separating camping pitches into smaller, more intimate areas. The site also has a wooded dog walk.

On site you'll also find a brand-new facility block. Facilities include a laundry, dishwasher, accessible room along with male and female toilets and showers.

The village of Tarland is a five minute walk from the campsite and has shops, a golf course and bowling green. From here you can pick up the ten kilometre Tarland Way walking and cycle path which runs from the village to Aboyne.



Your Arrival on Site

Insch train station is approx. 17 miles from site. Bus stop is approx. 450m. There is a sign on the edge of the village directing you to the site.

Loose gravel around entrance gate. One keypad operated barrier which requires a 4-digit entry code and is automatic on exit. The barrier is locked between 11pm and 7am.

New arrivals should pull up to the left of reception in front of the New Arrivals Signage.



Your Check In

The reception is clearly signed for arrivals. Opening hours are 9am-10.30am & 4pm-6pm. Beside the reception door is the site mobile number to call on arrival if the office is unmanned.

Loose gravel and concrete slabs lead to the reception; there is a slight lip on the door.

Good clear floor space in reception.



Your Pitch

Cars can be parked next to most pitches on site. This can sometimes be weather dependant.

Loose, compact smaller gravel on all hardstanding pitches. Many level hardstanding and grass pitches are close to the site road.



Travelling Around Site

All site roads are compacted gravel. There is a speed limit around the site of 5mph.

There are no speed bumps along the main touring site road. At night there is low level lighting on the outside of all blocks and the rest of the site is dimly lit by hook-up bollards.

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There are a small number of benches dotted around the site.



The Facility Block

The facility block to the left of reception houses ladies and gent's toilets and showers. Dishwashing area, laundry room, easy access/family room, and CDP.



The Accessible Facilities

Easy access room incorporates washing facilities, shower and toilet and baby changing unit.



Laundry & Food Preparation Areas

The laundry and food preparation areas both have level access. The approach path is gravel.

The taps are screw top.

The washing machine and tumble dryer are front loading and can be reached from the floor.

There are outdoor washing up facilities available.

All washing up sinks has screw top taps.



Recreational Areas

There is a small lip leading to the indoor recreational area, next door to reception.

There is a variety of seating available such as sofas, freestanding chairs and tables.

It has a TV, table tennis table and a mixture of books and board games to enjoy.



Waste, Water, Fire and Evacuation

Some loose gravel leading to all refuse areas but no steps or kerbs to restrict access.

There is no fence surrounding bins. All bins on site are full height industrial 1100L and 600l units 1.2m high.

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There is a fire triangle located at all water points which has unrestricted access over grass. The firefighting equipment is all accessed over grass. The assembly points are in the main car park which is loose gravel, and the other is in the top righthand side of site which is gravel. Campers are briefed about the assembly point on arrival, there are clearly signs.

Although we have tried to be as accurate as possible and include as much detail as we can in this statement, we are always happy to give additional information on any of our Club Sites if this statement does not answer your questions. We encourage and welcome feedback so if you have any comments please don't hesitate to get in touch.



"Stayed twice in September and had a great experience.

An attractive flat site surrounded by mature trees. Staff were great - especially as we were first time caravaners. Well spaced out pitches, grounds were very well kept, staff were helpful. As a small site it was nice to have space, and the site was nice and quiet. So much to do in the local area - climbed 5 Munros and had lovely visits to Braemar and Ballater."



"What a stay it was. Such friendly staff and the site was absolutely beautiful. So peaceful and can't fault it. The facilities were so shiny and clean. Would absolutely stay here again."



Great to be back at Tarland now that the facility block is available again! The new facility block is a pleasure to use, but there were a couple of niggles. Firstly, a lack of hooks for hanging clothes/towels in the toilet area (by contrast, the shower cubicles are well appointed). Secondly, we really missed the lack of provision of clothes drying lines, or racks. Traveling in a small campervan, having lines to dry clothes on site is a real benefit, and Tarland used to have the distinction of drying racks within the warm laundry room as well. It is a missed opportunity in the re-vamped facility block not to have provided a covered drying area - especially with the new

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mountain bike trails drawing
in more outdoor recreation
users.