## **Disabled Visitors**

# **Visiting Swansea city centre**

# By car (Postcode is SA1 4PQ)

Swansea is easily accessed from the M4 junctions 42, 45 and 47 – just follow the Wales Airshow signs.

# **Swansea Mobility Hire**

Swansea Mobility Hire provides powered scooters, wheelchairs and manual wheelchairs to help people who have limited mobility to shop or visit other facilities within Swansea City Centre.

Swansea Mobility Hire Swansea City Bus Station Plymouth Street Swansea SA1 3AR

www.swanseacitycentre.com/swanseamobilityhire

Phone 01792 461785 or e-mail swanseamobilityhire@swanseacitycentre.com

# **Public transport**

Visit Traveline Cymru's website or call 0871 200 2233 for help on planning bus, coach and rail journeys. Buses will be running as normal – check timetables at Traveline Cymru's website. There may be delays due to heavy traffic.

## Car parking

Have a look at the car parks page on the council's website which lists the spaces available for disabled visitors. www.swansea.gov.uk/carparks

#### **Event Car Park Surfaces**

- Recreational Ground Gravel surface
- Lacrosse Field Grass
- Civic Centre Tarmac
- Swansea University Tarmac
- Sketty Lane Car Park Grass/Tarmac
- Francis Street Tarmac
- The Guildhall Tarmac
- Civic Centre East Tarmac
- Paxton Street Tarmac/gravel
- LC / Oystermouth Road Tarmac
- St Davids Tarmac/Covered

## **RADAR facilities and Changing Places sites**

The RADAR key scheme is a nationally recognised scheme that provides access to quality public services using a key. RADAR Keys are obtainable for £3 from the Civic Centre on Oystermouth Road – 01792 636000

Changing Places provide accessible toilet facilities for people with profound and multiple learning difficulties and other disabled people who cannot use standard accessible toilets.

The facility provides extra space for disabled people and their personal assistants or carers, and a height adjustable changing bench and hoist.

The following locations have changing places facilities

- Civic Centre
- Quadrant Bus Station Public Toilets will need a Radar Key
- National Waterfront Museum
- LC Leisure Centre
- Swansea Railway Station

The following places have an accessible toilet and need a Radar key to access them;

- Welcome Lane public toilets
- Caer Street Public Toilets
- Maritime Quarter Public Toilets
- Healthmatic Automatic PC, Maritime Quarter

# Wales National Air Show information for disabled visitors

There will be two Disability Zones provided at this years' Airshow

Cenotaph Area

Situated along the Prom between the Cenotaph and Brynmill Lane. Available in this area;

- Hardstanding access from the road to the beach and a ramp on to the beach.
- A designated area specifically for people with disabilities and their families
- · Changing Places Toilet

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 The wheelchair swing is also available in Victoria Park for family that wish to step away from the Airshow at any point.

#### Civic Centre

On the grass area at the rear of the Civic Centre by the Library. Available in this area;

- A designated area specifically for people with disabilities and their families
- Stewards to monitor the area and provide information regarding what displays at the Airshow are going to be louder than others.
- Accessible toilet
- The location means that you will by close to the Civic Centre for people that may need to find a quieter

space and to access the Civic Centre Changing Place Toilet.

Please bring your own chairs and picnic blankets for comfort as these will not be provided.

Please be aware that the Wales Airshow is a fantastic day out for families, but the air displays can be quiet loud, if your child/person you support is upset by noise please ensure that you bring any equipment or support devices with you such as ear defenders with you – These are not provided by the Airshow organisers. Some traders at Civic Centre and the Cenotaph areas will have ear defenders for sale.

#### First aid

There are two first aid tents at the Air Show with qualified first aiders in attendance at all times. Please ask a steward if you require medical assistance.

#### Contact

For further information please ring 01792 635428.