

Party in the Park 2009

Event Information

Date and times

Party in the Park is on Sunday 23 August 2009, local bands begin at 1.30pm.

The main acts start with The Yeah You's at 4.30pm followed by Ironik and headline act McFly. The concert will end around 8pm.

Opening times of Crow Nest Park

The park will be open to the public from 6am on Sunday 23 August, after this time you can come into the park but please be advised that none of the facilities such as the catering stalls and toilets will be open until shortly before the event begins.

Please be aware that there is strictly no camping in or around the park and those who try to do so may be moved on by the police or security staff. The park will be closed overnight and security staff will be patrolling the area.

Entry to the event

This event is free and no tickets are needed. Kirklees Council runs Party in the Park each year for its residents, but are happy to welcome those from outside the area. However no preference will be given to those who arrive earlier than the opening time of the park and there are no guarantees of entry at any time during the day.

Travelling to the venue

Party in the Park is being held in Crow Nest Park, Cemetery Road, Dewsbury, WF13 2SG. Follow this link to a Google map, where you can also get directions <http://bit.ly/laUDV>. Stick to the main roads where you'll pick up directions to the park and the car parks for this event.

Parking and shuttle buses

Many of the roads around the park will be closed on the day and the evening before so please be aware that there will be no parking nearby or access for vehicles. For full details of which roads will be closed please see below.

The park is less than 1 mile from Dewsbury train station; a walking route will be signposted. Free shuttle buses will leave from outside the station for those who do not wish to walk. These will return to the station after the concert.

Free parking is available at Cliffe Street in Dewsbury town centre and at the Playing Fields via Tanhouse Street of Huddersfield Road. Free shuttle buses will run from both of these car parks up to the park and will return after the concert. The Playing Fields are approximately a 20 minute walk away from the park.

The shuttle buses will start running from 12.30pm and will finish at 8.30pm.

Drop-off and pick-up

There will be a drop-off and pick up point at Cemetery Road accessible via Temple Road for people getting a lift to and from this event.

Walking routes

These will be signposted from Dewsbury train station and the Playing Fields.

Access for people with disabilities

There will be some disabled parking available on Boothroyd Lane, although this will be limited and offered on a first come first served basis and you will need to present a blue badge to the steward. The drop-off point, details above, is approximately 100m metres from the area in the park where the concert is taking place.

There will also be an accessible viewing platform and accessible toilets on site. Please note, to ensure that there is enough room on the viewing platform for everyone who needs it we can only allow one carer per disabled person.

Road closures

The following roads will be closed from 5pm until 12pm on Saturday 22nd August and from 9am until 12pm on Sunday 23rd August.

1. Point closure at junction of Moorlands Road and Moorlands Avenue to prevent access to Moorlands Road
2. Point closure at the junction of Boothroyd Lane and High Street to prevent access to Boothroyd Lane
3. Point closure at the junction of St Mathews Road and High Street to prevent access to St Mathews Road
4. Point closure at the junction of St John's Parade and High Street to prevent access to St John's Parade
5. Point closure at the junction of Park Parade and High Street to prevent access to Park Parade
6. Point closure at the junction of Boothroyd Lane and Staincliffe Road to prevent access to Boothroyd Lane

Young people under 16

We advise that all young people under the age of 16 are accompanied by a responsible adult as Kirklees Council cannot accept any responsibility for their welfare and wellbeing.

Food and drink

There will be food and drink stalls in the park during this event. A bar, selling alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks, will be open during the concerts. No under 18's will be served alcohol and staff will check the ID of anyone who looks under 21.

You may bring food and drink into the venue but please do not bring any glasses or glass bottles, these will be confiscated. Additionally, no barbeques, gas cylinders, tents or tables will be permitted and under 18's are not permitted to bring or drink alcohol on site. Those found doing so will be asked to leave.

Please note, the organiser reserves the right to search and confiscate glass, illegal substances or dangerous items.

Pets and animals

No dogs (except guide dogs) or other pets will be admitted.

Accommodation

If you're coming to Party in the Park from outside the area and wish to stay overnight, please call the Tourist Information Centre on 01484 223200 for details of nearby hotels.