

Access

We aim to make every customer's visit as enjoyable and comfortable as possible. With that in mind the following information details the access to all our sites in detail. If you require more specific information please contact our Inclusive Activity Officer on 01636 655701

Blidworth Leisure Centre -

Introduction

Services / facilities within the building include a fitness suite, dance studio, and an activity room.

Location

The venue is situated edge of the village, on the outskirts of Blidworth
There is a continuous unobstructed access route from Main Road and Belle Vue Lane
There are 2 bus stops, 10m to the left and 30m to the right of the centre.

Parking

Parking is free for all users.
The car park is located at the rear of the building, via Belle Vue Road
The car park type is open air/surface.
Parking spaces for Blue Badge holders do not need to be booked in advance.
There are 2 Blue Badge parking bays within the car park.
The nearest Blue Badge bay is 30m from the main entrance.
The route from the car park to the entrance is accessible to a wheelchair user
The car park surface is tarmac.



Main Entrance

The entrance has two sets of accessible automatic doors, each door and glass Panel have the Active 4 today logo on them.

Reception

The reception is in sight of the entrance and identifiable
The reception desk is 1106mm height
The main area is very spacious and good lighting
There is a second reception area facing the fitness suite
The desk has 2 levels 810mm and 1100mm in height



Inside Access

There is level access to the fitness suite, accessible changing facilities and village changing room.
Other facilities are located on the first floor. These are a studio and activity room and an accessible toilet
There is not a hearing assistance system.
This venue does play background music.
Music is played in the fitness suite.
Motorised scooters are allowed in public parts of the venue.
The lighting levels are varied.

Other Floors

The first floor can be accessed by the stairs or the lift.
The steps have uniform height risers and treads of equal depth and a width.
There are 3 steps then platform then 7 more steps then platform, then 7 step to the first floor
There is a handrail to the right at above the line of pitch. The handrail shape is circular



Lift

There is a lift for public use
The lift is located to left hand side of the reception area
The lift is a standard lift.
The floors which are accessible by this lift are ground to first floor.
Staff do not need to be notified for use of the lift.
The clear door width is 995mm.
The dimensions of the lift are 1100mm x 1400mm
There are support rails provided on the left looking into the lift, at 900mm high
There is a mirror to the left looking into the lift
The lift does have a visual floor indicator.
The controls for the lift are 1000mm high from the floor.
The lighting level in the lift is medium.



Fitness Suite

The fitness suite is located on the ground floor.
There is level access to the fitness suite.
The fitness suite is located behind the front reception desk.
All staff receives basic disability awareness training.
A portable hearing loop is not available for induction.
There is clear maneuvering space between equipment.
There is level access to all of the equipment.



Accessible Toilets

We have 1 accessible toilets/shower located on the ground floor to the left of the reception.
There is another accessible toilet on the 1st floor located between the dance studio and activity room.
There is pictorial signage on toilet doors.
There is level access to all accessible toilets.
A key is not required for the accessible toilet.
Lights are activated automatically
Accessible toilet/shower ground floor
The width of the accessible toilet door is 900mm.
The door is light.
The dimensions of the accessible toilet are 3300mm wide and 2120mm depth
There is a dropdown rail on the transfer side
There is a mixer tap.
There are 2 emergency pull cord alarms, one next to toilet, the other next to shower.
The emergency pull cord alarm is fully functional.
Disposal facilities are available in the cubicle.
There is a/are female sanitary and non-infectious waste disposal units.



1st floor accessible toilet

This is located opposite the lift, between the dance studio and the activity room.

Room sizes are 1800mm wide x 2105mm deep

Doors open inwards to the left and is 900mm wide

There are both fixed and dropdown support rails

Lights are activated automatically

There is an alarm cord, which is located near the WC and is from ceiling to floor

Additional Info

All staff receives disability awareness / equality training.

Documents can be requested in large print.

A bowl of water can be provided for an assistance dog.



Dukeries Leisure Centre

Southwell Leisure Centre

Newark Sports and Fitness Centre