

TAPNELL FARM

ACCESSIBILITY GUIDE

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ACCESSIBILITY GUIDE FOR: Wood Cabins



Welcome

These stylish wood cabins are west facing. Exposing you to beautiful views, including Freshwater Bay, Tennyson monuments that both lead to the Needles. The cabins are fully insulated and heated hence they are open 365 days of the year. They have huge veranda doors that allow you to absorb the stunning location, may it be on a clear day with blue skys or a starry night. The cabins have a decking in front and down the side of them with bbq, seating and a jacuzzi. The decking has a wooden hand rail and has chicken wire at 37" high. Cabin 1 has a sloped entrance, providing wheelchair access.

At a Glance



Level Access

- The main entrance has 1 step. There is no lift and no ramp.
- There is level access from the main entrance to:
 - Cabins

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Access with steps

- There are steps from the main entrance to:
 - Bedroom
 - Cabins
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Bedrooms

- We have non-allergic bedding.



Visual

- The walls and the doors have a high colour contrast.



General

- We have emergency evacuation procedures.
- Staff are available from 9 am to 9 pm.
- Out of hours please call 111.

Getting here

Tapnell Farm
Newport Road
Yarmouth
Isle of Wight
PO41 0YJ



Travel by public transport

- You can get to Wood cabins by boat or ferry.
- The nearest port is Yarmouth. The port is 3.5 miles / 5.6 km from Wood cabins.
- There are other ports that the ferry arrives at depending on which is the nearest to your route of travel, these are East Cowes and Fishbourne
- Daily from 29th March to 28th September 2024, you can now catch the bus to Tapnell Farm from Newport Bus Station (Stand B) or Yarmouth (Stand C). The bus stop at Tapnell farm is a 5-minute walk away from the Domes.



Travel by taxi

- You can get a taxi with Norton Taxi by calling 01983 759955.
- You can get a taxi with I cab 07553567567.

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Parking

- We have a car park. The car park is less than 50 metres from the main entrance. Parking is free.
- There is a communal car park which is situated near to the accommodation and wheel barrows are provided for guests to take their luggage to their designated site. From the car park to the main entrance, there are 4 steps. There is no ramp and no lift.
- Due to the stunning location, we provide a true glamping style treat. The path to the cabins is uneven and there are steps leading down to the veranda. There is a 40" high handrail down the steps



Decked area, wheelchair access in cabin 1

Arrival

Path to the main entrance

- From the street to the main entrance, there are 4 steps. There is no ramp and no lift.
- The path is sloped.

Main entrance

- The door is 1270mm wide.
- The main entrance has 1 step.
- The main door is side-hung and manual.
- The lounge entrance area is accessed by level entry from the front decking (cabin 1 - via 15ft slope, cabin 2 via 4 steps with a 6inch decline per step. There is a 40-inch-high handrail down the steps) through one of the 2 sets of double doors. There is a 4.5-inch lip to the door - which has to be stepped over.

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Main entrance

Getting around inside

Visual Impairment - General Information

- We have high colour contrast between walls and doorframes.



Well-lit and bright interior



Bedrooms

- All bedrooms have windows.
- Bedrooms have ceiling lights, floor standing lights, bedside lamps, and natural daylight.
- Lights are LED and energy-saving. Some lights can be controlled independently.

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- All bedrooms are non-smoking.
- We have non-allergic bedding.
- All bedrooms have fitted carpets.
- All pillows and duvets are anti-allergy and microfiber
- The bedroom nearest the main entrance has 1 step.
- We have bathrooms with a separate shower.
- We have bathrooms with a bath.
- The walls and the fittings have high colour contrast.



Shower Room



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Bath Room



Cabins

- From the main entrance to the laundry, there is level access. The route is 1270mm wide, or more. We have an iron and ironing board. You can use the ironing board sitting down.
- The kitchen is open plan connecting with the lounge and the dining area at level entrance from both. Ironing board supplied but Iron is in the honesty shed due to child safety.



Open plan kitchen



Self-catering kitchen

Cabin

- We have an open-plan kitchen.
- From the main entrance to the kitchen, there is level access.
- The route is 1270mm wide, or more.
- The work surface is available at a height between 650mm and 900mm.
- The hob is available at a height between 650mm and 900mm.
- The sink is available at a height between 650mm and 900mm.
- The oven is available at a height between 650mm and 900mm.
- The table and plates are in high colour contrast.
- The kitchen is open plan connecting the lounge and dining area with level entry from both. The worktops are pine/ wood finish, and the sink is stainless steel. There is a standard fridge freezer which is situated in the kitchen and is set on the floor.

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Lounge

Cabins

- From the main entrance to the lounge, there is 1 step. There is no lift and no ramp.
- The step into the lounge area from the main entrance is 4.5 inches high

Getting around outside

Cabins

- From the main entrance to the gardens, there are 3 steps. There is no lift and no ramp.
- The route is sloped.
- slight slope



Leading up to the Garden from Terrace

Terrace

Cabins

- To get to a table, there are no steps.
- From the main entrance to the terrace, there is 1 step.
- To be able to access the terrace from inside you have one step to go over which is 4.5 inches. If you are going to the terrace from an external route, you have four steps with a 6-inch decline. (Cabin 1)

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Cabin Terrace

Customer care support

Accessibility equipment

- All dogs are welcome on-site in our various sorts of accommodation, but please may we ask owners to clear up dog waste. Assistance/ guide dogs are allowed in the Farm Park but to be on leads at all times. Please note that no dogs are allowed in the Wallaby area.
- We have an area to charge mobility scooters and battery-powered wheelchairs.
- There are plenty of sites where these could be charged.
- You can hire mobility equipment from Island Mobility by calling 01983 530000.

Emergency evacuation procedures

- We have emergency evacuation procedures for disabled visitors.
- All accommodation has smoke/ heat detection, fire blankets, fire extinguishers and carbon monoxide detectors.

Customer care support

- Tapnell Farm office is open 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday and 10am to 4pm weekends, please visit or call 01983 758722 or 01983 758729

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