

Traffic Management Plan

Event: 'The Tempest' Outdoor Theatre Production

Date and time: Friday June 28 2019, 5-10pm

Venue: Croquet Lawn, Bramhall Park

Outline of Event:

This is an outdoor theatre production. The ticket price includes entry to Bramall Hall prior to the event. It is a picnic style, family event.

Managing Visitor Numbers:

- All tickets for this event will be sold on-line and in advance. We will be able to confidently manage the numbers for this event. We will also have details of all ticket holders and will be able to communicate important information to them about event times and parking arrangements in the run up to the event.
- The capacity for this event is 500.
- We know from previous events that this will draw a significant proportion of its visitors from the local area.
- We have staged similar events before in the same area. These were well managed and no issues arose or concerns were raised with regard to parking. We believe the model of pre-selling tickets to manage numbers and the ability to communicate with our audience has been a major factor in this success.
- One of our key messages to ticket holders will be to not bring their cars. We will also communicate information about walking routes and public transport options.
- The event is out of the usual opening times of the Hall and Café and we anticipate that the maximum number of parking spaces will be available for this event. Both of the on-site car parks will be used. Capacity for the top car park and lower car park is 56 plus 5 accessible bays. The designated coach bays will not be in use and will provide 12 additional spaces. Parking capacity therefore is 68 spaces (plus 5 accessible bays). We estimate a maximum of 125 cars requiring parking at the event.

Use of the Archery Lawn:

- We have requested the use of the area known as the Archery Lawn for the cars of performers, visitors and staff. We will give priority to Blue Badge holders. Parking will be marshalled by experienced Stockport Council staff. We will follow all Greenspace guidelines with regard to public safety around the children's play area. Staff will be in high vis jackets and will be in radio communication with staff in the Hall and Park.
- We will limit the number of requests we will make to use the Archery Lawn to a maximum of 6 a year.
- We will only request to use the Archery Lawn between the months of April – September when the weather is likely to be drier.
- Each time we use the Archery Lawn, we will offer to pay to remedy any irreversible damage caused by vehicles as a direct result of parking for this event.

Traffic Management:

- We will place 'No Waiting' cones on the junction of Bramhall Park Road and Hall Road which is the main junction approach road to the car parks.
- The driveway between the top and lower car parks and Hall Road will be coned off in order to keep the road clear for emergency vehicles and to enable a two way traffic flow.