

**STOCKPORT COUNCIL**  
**EXECUTIVE REPORT – SUMMARY SHEET**

**Subject: Park Use Application - Marple Poppy Appeal Ride of Remembrance**

**Report to: (a)** Marple Area Committee  
September 2024

**Date:** Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup>

**Report of: (b)** Director of Place Management

**Key Decision: (c)** **NO / ~~YES~~** *(Please circle)*

Forward Plan  General Exception  Special Urgency  *(Tick box)*

**Summary:**

The Neighbourhood Service has received an Event Application from Marple Area Poppy Appeal to finish their Ride of Remembrance within Marple Memorial Park. The event will take place on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2024 between 1pm and 4.00pm, permission has been requested to use the park from 1pm until 4.30pm to enable event set up and close of the event. There will be a First Aid Tent.

The Ride of Remembrance will involve 100 motorbikes riding through the town. Each rider will carry one of the large street poppies with the name of one of the fallen men from the Marple area. Once in the park, the poppies carried by the riders will be transferred onto the Wall of Remembrance.

Money raised from the event will go to the Royal British Legion.

**Recommendation(s):**

The Area Committee is recommended to give approval and the application be granted subject to the event organiser obtaining and providing the relevant paperwork at least 2 weeks prior to the event, including any necessary licences, health and safety documentation, insurance certificates, a satisfactory traffic management plan and the payment of agreed fees and charges.

**Relevant Scrutiny Committee (if decision called in): (d)**

Communities & Transport Scrutiny Committee

**Background Papers (if report for publication): (e)**

Event Application, Ride Route Plan, Park Plan, and Bike Parking Plan.

Contact person for accessing  
background papers and discussing the report

**Officer:** Jonathan Headlam  
**Tel:** Tel: 0161 474 3142

**'Urgent Business': (f)** **~~YES~~ / NO** *(please circle)*

**Certification (if applicable)**

This report should be considered as 'urgent business' and the decision exempted from 'call-in' for the following reason(s):

The written consent of Councillor \_\_\_\_\_ and the Chief Executive/Monitoring Officer/ Borough Treasurer for the decision to be treated as 'urgent business' was obtained on \_\_\_\_\_ /will be obtained before the decision is implemented.

## Event 102270 - Marple Memorial Park - 27/10/2024

Location of the event (*)	Marple Memorial Park
Name of event (*)	Marple Poppy Appeal Ride of Remembrance
Organisation (*)	
Title (*)	
Forename (*)	
Surname (*)	
Address 1 (*)	
Address 2	
Address 3	
Town (*)	
Postcode (*)	
Preferred Contact number (*)	
Alternative Contact number	
Your Email Address (*)	
Have you read our online event information pack? (*)	Yes
Applicant Type (*)	Charity
Do you have public liability insurance? (*)	Yes
Is the event (*)	One day
Date (*)	27/10/2024
Start time (hh:mm) (*)	13:00
End time (hh:mm) (*)	16:00
<b>Access</b>	
Date (*)	27/10/2024
Time (hh:mm) (*)	13:00
<b>Vacate</b>	
Date (*)	27/10/2024
Time (hh:mm) (*)	16:30
Will a registered charity benefit from the event? (*)	Yes
Charity name (*)	Royal British Legion
Registered number (*)	219279
Will all income raised go to this charity? (*)	Yes
Park Funday	No
Community Group Event	No
<b>Charity Event</b>	<b>Yes</b>
Religious Event	No
Carnival	No
Music festival	No
Sponsored Walk	No
Orienteering	No
Accompanied walk	No
Educational programme	No
Forest School	No
Car show	No
Art activities	No
Family occasion	No

Sports activity / tournament / coaching	No
Picnic	No
Cross country / fun run (potential fee)	No
Market / Car Boot Sale	No
Bonfire / firework Display	No
Fun Fair	No
TV /Filming (potential fee)	No
Circus (potential fee)	No
Other	No
Will there be any first aid provision on the day? (*)	Yes
Please give full details (*)	First Aid available in organisers tent
How many people in total are expected to take part in the event including the organisers, participants and spectators? (*)	51-250
Will vehicles be brought onsite during the event? (*)	Yes
Number of small sized vehicles (bikes, cars etc.)	100
Number of medium sized vehicles (caravans, campers van etc.)	100
Number of large sized vehicles (lorries, trailers etc.)	0
Will all vehicles remain onsite for the duration specified? (*)	No
Please give full details (*)	The vehicles are motorbikes and some may choose to leave prior to the end of the event
Fundraising for and / or promotion of a political party (this includes political parties having a stall at your event)	No
Raffle	No
Gambling	No
<b>Collections for a charity</b>	<b>Yes</b>
Sale of alcohol	No
Music event	No
Theatre performance	No
Market stalls	No
Car boot sale	No
Provision of any food	No
Hot food & Drinks	No
Ice cream Van	No
Market stalls selling food both packed and unpacked	No
Cake Stall	No
BBQ	No
Animals	No
Face painters	No
Sports coaching and competitive sports	No
Street entertainers	No
Re-enactment group	No
Toilets	No

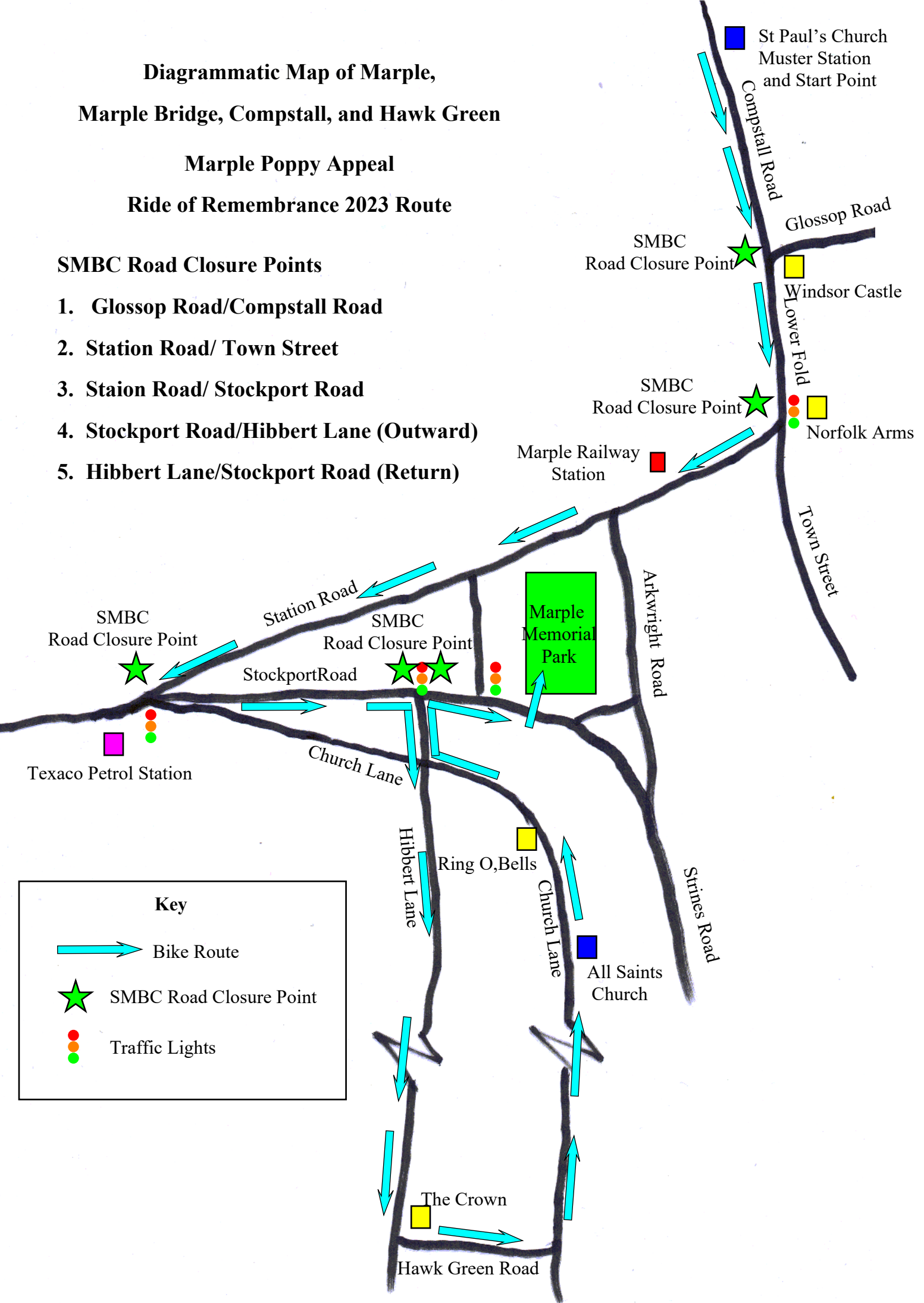
Stage; Mobile (Trailer)	No
Stage; Constructed	No
Lighting rigs	No
Temporary structures	No
Inflatables (e.g. bouncy castles)	No
Marquees	No
Bonfires	No
Fireworks / pyrotechnics	No
Fairground rides	No
PA equipment	No
Motor cycles	No
Motorised procession	No
Will the event be open to the general public? (*)	Yes
Will an entry charge be applied? (*)	No
Will you be charging for parking (*)	No
Highway directional signs? (*)	No
Banners / Posters? (*)	No

**Diagrammatic Map of Marple,  
Marple Bridge, Compstall, and Hawk Green**

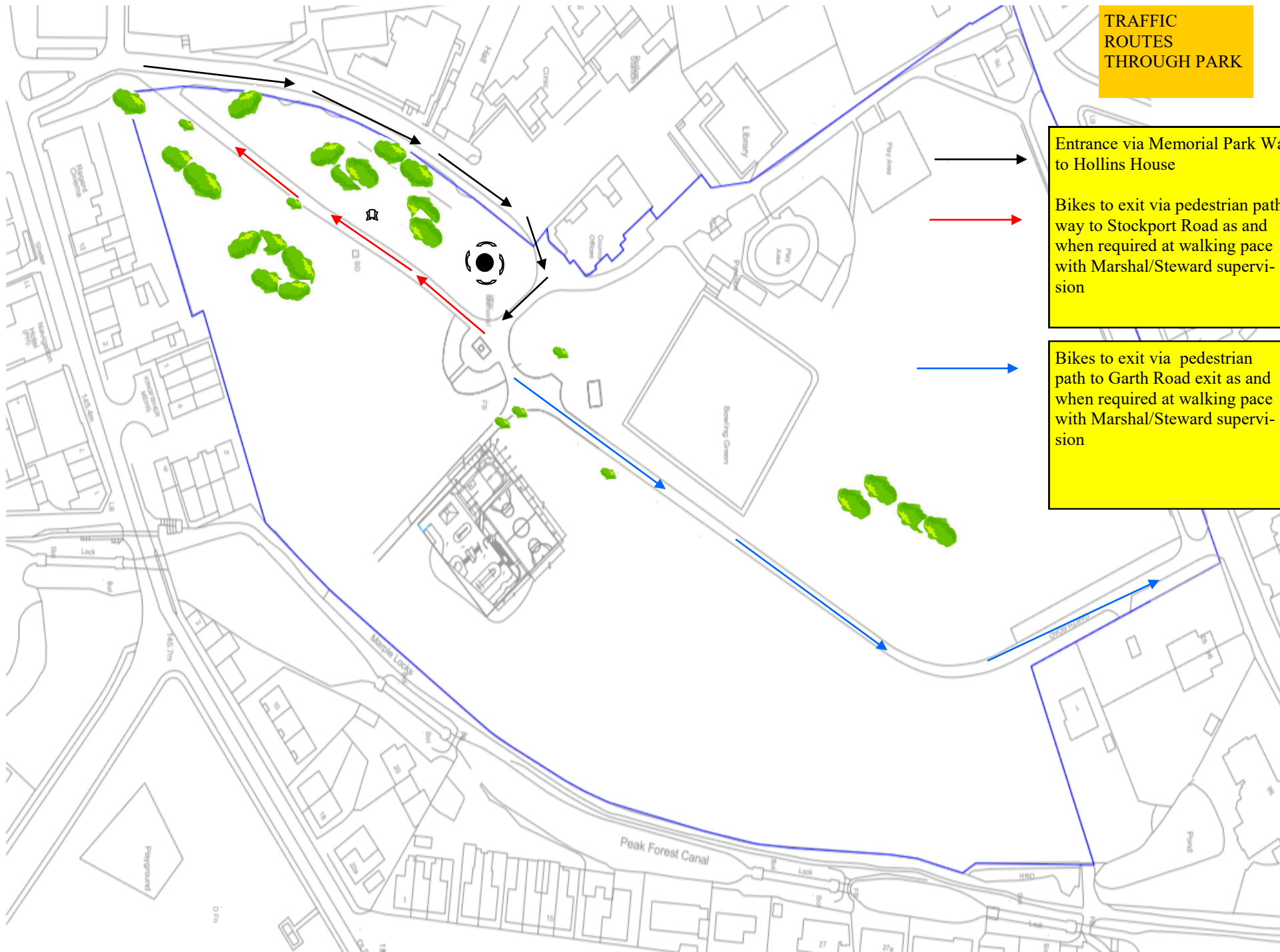
**Marple Poppy Appeal  
Ride of Remembrance 2023 Route**

**SMBC Road Closure Points**

1. Glossop Road/Compstall Road
2. Station Road/ Town Street
3. Station Road/ Stockport Road
4. Stockport Road/Hibbert Lane (Outward)
5. Hibbert Lane/Stockport Road (Return)



Key	
	Bike Route
	SMBC Road Closure Point
	Traffic Lights



**TRAFFIC ROUTES THROUGH PARK**

Entrance via Memorial Park Way to Hollins House

Bikes to exit via pedestrian pathway to Stockport Road as and when required at walking pace with Marshal/Steward supervision

Bikes to exit via pedestrian path to Garth Road exit as and when required at walking pace with Marshal/Steward supervision

