



**Accessibility Guide for Sibbecks Farm Glamping**

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## Welcome

Sibbecks Farm Glamping is a glamping site on the beautiful Isle of Wight. There are just two safari tents set in a wild meadow, each with their own separate and private spaces, with amazing views out to the surrounding countryside. Although you will be staying under canvas, this is definitely not camping in the traditional sense. The tents are fitted with proper beds, extra warm duvets & even electric blankets. A wood burning stove in the lounge area keeps the tent super cosy even on a cold night. There is a fully equipped kitchen & dining area, complete with a cooking hob, fridge/freezer, toaster & microwave. Each tent also has its own private shower/bath!

## At a Glance

### Level Access

- The main entrance has 7 steps and a handrail. There is no lift and no ramp.
- There is level access from the main entrance to:
  - Lounge, kitchen & dining area
  - Bedrooms

### Access with steps

- There are steps from the main entrance to:

- Glamping meadow



### Visual

- Some parts of the venue have low lighting.

### Getting here

Sibbecks Farm  
Newport Road, Whitwell  
Ventnor  
PO38 2AL



### Travel by public transport

- Ferry travel is necessary to reach the Isle of Wight. Travelling from the ferry ports to our glamping site is by car (private, or taxi). We are situated in a rural location.



### Travel by taxi

- You can get a taxi with Alpha Taxis by calling 01983 280280. The taxi company has a wheelchair accessible vehicle.
- You can get a taxi with Ryde Taxis by calling 01983 811111. The taxi company has a wheelchair accessible vehicle.



### Parking

- We have a car park. Parking is free.
- Guests can drive up to the entrance to the glamping meadow. From there is a further 50 metre walk to the Meadow Escape safari tent and a 150 metre walk to the Stream Escape safari tent. From the parking to the main entrance, there are 7 steps. There is no ramp and no lift.
- Meadow Escape safari tent - there is a 50 metre walk to the safari tent from the parking area on a mixture of gravel track & woodchip path. There are 7 steps to get up to the safari tent front entrance. There is hand rail and anti slip tape.  
Stream Escape safari tent - there is a 150 metre walk to the safari tent from the parking area on a mixture of gravel track & grass. The track gently slopes downhill. There are 2 steps to get up to the safari tent front entrance. There is no handrail. There is no vehicle access directly to the main entrance of each safari tent. Luggage can either be carried or transported in the wheelbarrows provided.



Parking and site entrance at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Meadow Escape safari tent and entrance at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Stream Escape safari tent and entrance at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Aerial view of the glamping site at Sibbecks Farm Glamping

## Arrival



### *Path to main entrance*

- From the street to the main entrance, there are 7 steps. There is no ramp and no lift.
- The path is sloped.



### *Main entrance*

- The door is 1120mm wide.
- The main entrance has 7 steps.
- This entrance has a handrail.
- The door to each tent is made of canvas. To access a guest must undo the zips on both sides of the door and roll up and secure with the fastenings.



Front door of the safari tents at Sibbecks Farm Glamping

## Getting around inside

### *Visual Impairment - General Information*

- Some parts of the venue have low lighting.



Spotlights in lounge area of the Sibbecks Farm Glamping safari tents



Lanterns used to light Sibbecks Farm Glamping bedrooms

### *Site facilities*

- The direction of transfer onto the toilet is to the front only.
- There is 170.00 at the side of the toilet.
- There is 750.00 in front of the toilet.
- The toilet seat is 400mm high.
- The basin is 650mm high. There is no space under the basin.
- The Stream Escape safari tent bath/shower & toilet are in a separate unit 25 metres away from the safari tent. To get there you must walk across the grass. There is a step up into the unit. The doors are 66cm wide by 191cm high.
- The Meadow Escape safari tent toilet & basin is situated on the veranda on the back of the tent. To get there you can exit by the back of the tent but through a zipped flap, or you must exit by the front of the tent, descend 7 steps and walk across the

wood chip path and step up onto the back of the tent veranda. The door to the toilet is 73cm wide by 170cm high.

The Meadow Escape shower unit is in a separate unit 10 metres from the safari tent. To get there you must exit by the front of the tent and descend 7 steps and walk up a wood chip path. There is a step up into the unit. The door to the unit is 77cm wide by 170cm high.



Meadow Escape toilet and basin at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Stream Escape bathroom at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Stream Escape bath at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Meadow Escape shower at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Meadow Escape shower unit at Sibbecks Farm Glamping

### *Lounge, kitchen & dining area*

- From the main entrance to this area, there is level access. The route is 1120mm wide, or more.
- The door is 1120mm wide.
- There is level access throughout the lounge area of the safari tent, and there is level access from the main entrance  
The dining table is 75cm high and has 66cm of clearance underneath  
Lighting is by spotlights, festoon lights and lanterns. There are numerous windows to allow natural light into the space also during the day.  
Electrical sockets are mostly at ground level with the exception of those in the kitchen area which are 100cm from ground level.  
The kitchen unit is 95cm high



Lounge, kitchen & dining area at Sibbecks Farm Glamping

### *Bedrooms*

- From the main entrance to this area, there is level access. The route is 1120mm wide, or more.
- The door is 1120mm wide.
- There is level access throughout the bedroom area of the safari tent, and there is level access from the main entrance  
The king size beds are 55cm high  
The bunk beds are accessed by a ladder  
Lighting is by lanterns & spotlights. There are numerous windows to allow natural light into the space also during the day.  
Electrical sockets are at ground level only as the walls are canvas



Bunk beds at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



King beds at Sibbecks Farm Glamping

## Getting around outside

### *Glamping meadow*

- From the main entrance to the area, there are 7 steps.
- The safari tents are situated in a meadow which is 3 acres in size. The majority of the meadow is deliberately left to be wild. Each tent is surrounded by a half acre area that is mowed and well maintained. As this is a natural environment however, there may be some uneven ground and slippery conditions after rain. The meadow is gently sloping. The Stream Escape safari tent is at the bottom of the slope, and the Meadow Escape safari tent is at the top nearest the meadow entrance & parking. The walkways to each tent and around the site are typically mowed grass. The Meadow Escape safari tent has a section of woodchip walkway from the meadow entrance running to the safari tent entrance. There is a stream running through the meadow which is crossed by two bridges. The stream is usually only a maximum of 25cm deep but in the winter months can temporary flood. There is no barrier or fence between the safari tent and the

stream.

The outdoor seating is in the form of wooden picnic tables and benches



Meadow Escape mowed pathways at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Meadow Escape outdoor space at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Stream Escape outdoor space at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Bridge across the Stream at Sibbecks Farm Glamping



Meadow at Sibbecks Farm Glamping

### **Customer care support**

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