

How to find us

The Great Yorkshire Showground is situated on the A661 Wetherby Road south of Harrogate, 1.5 miles from the junction of the A658, next to Sainsbury's supermarket. Direction signs to the Show will be clearly visible on all signed routes outlined.



Gate Opening Times
Tuesday to Friday
8am - 6pm

Signed Routes to the Show:

Showground Green Zone

Visitors travelling from Northumberland, Durham & Teesside

- Leave the A1(M) at Junction 47 onto the A59 (Allerton Park).
- Follow the Show direction signs towards Knaresborough and then the A658 towards Harrogate.

Alternative routes (No Show signs)

- Leave the A1(M) at Junction 50 and follow the A61 towards Ripon and then Harrogate to the Blue Zone.
- Leave the A1 (M) Junction 48 and travel towards Knaresborough and Harrogate on the A6055.

Visitors travelling from the South on the A1(M)

- Visitors travelling to the Show from the south along the A1(M) northbound carriageway should exit at junction 46 (Wetherby) and follow the GYS direction signs.
- At the roundabout turn right onto the A168 and follow the Show signs.
- After 2 miles turn left towards Knaresborough.
- At the T-junction turn left onto the B6164 towards North Deighton. (If the traffic flow is heavy at this point you may be directed right at this junction towards Little Ribston and Knaresborough. Follow the signs).
- In North Deighton turn right towards Spofforth and Harrogate. At the junction of the A661 turn right towards Harrogate and follow the Show signs.

Alternative routes (No Show signs)

- Leave the A1(M) at Junction 45, Grange Moor, and follow A168 towards Harrogate on the Wetherby bypass and then follow the Show signs.
- The A661 from Wetherby to Spofforth is not a designated Show route and should be avoided.

Visitors travelling from the East Coast, York & East Yorkshire

- Join the A1(M) at Junction 44 and travel North.
- Follow the directions outlined above.

Alternative routes (No Show signs)

- From the A64 follow the A1237 York Outer Ring Road and the A59 towards Harrogate.
- From A1237 take the B1224 towards Wetherby then follow the above directions.
- From the A59 at Green Hammerton turn right onto the B6265 towards Boroughbridge and the A6055 to Knaresborough.

The A59 from York to Harrogate should be avoided as delays can be expected at Junction 47 A1(M)/A59 (Allerton Park), between 7.00am and 11am.

Showground Brown Zone

Visitors travelling from Leeds, Bradford & Otley

- Follow the A61 or A658 towards Harrogate.
- Follow the Show direction signs on A658 towards York.

Alternative routes (No Show signs)

- At the junction of the A61/A658 follow the A61 into Harrogate and turn right onto Hookstone Drive towards the Blue Zone.

Showground Blue Zone

Visitors travelling from the West, Skipton & Ripon

- From A59 turn right at the junction with the B6161 2 miles west of Harrogate.
- Follow the Show direction signs on the B6161 and turn left towards Harrogate on the B6162 at Beckwithshaw.

A661 One Way System

Wetherby Road (A661) will be one way from the Kestral Roundabout to the junction with Ridding Lane towards the Showground from 6.30am on Show days.

The one way system has been extended which will be in bound on A658 between the Knaresborough Thistle Hill junction to the Kestrel roundabout for the morning period only.

This will be reversed at 2pm between Sainsbury's traffic lights and The Kestrel Roundabout to accommodate traffic leaving Harrogate. This will remain in force until 9pm and the restrictions may be removed earlier depending on the volume of traffic.

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