



Coming to Brunton Park?

... Here's all you need to know...

Introduction



Welcome!!

The Carlisle United guide for supporters coming to Brunton Park has been designed to help you get the most out of your visit and find your way to, in and around the ground and give you all the information you need.

We hope you enjoy your time here at Carlisle United.

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Travelling to the Stadium

By Car



Leave the M6 motorway at J43 and take the exit signed Carlisle A69. The blue roof of the Pioneer Foods Stand can be seen on the right hand side, almost as soon as you leave the roundabout.

Keep going straight ahead along Warwick Road (A69) for one mile.

After passing through the third set of traffic lights the club shop (Blues Store) and statue of Hughie McIlmoyle on the right mark the main entrance to the ground for main stand ticket holders, directors, hospitality guests and reserved guest car parking only.

Official Car Parking

Main Car Park (both home and away supporters)

From the North and South follow the directions above and turn right immediately at the third set of traffic lights. Drive through the blue gates and behind the Pioneer Foods Stand to enter the car park on the right.

Supporters travelling from the West can enter the car park from St Aidans Road via Victoria Place. Due to the location of our car park, we advise fans to check the availability of car parking facilities when the weather is bad. Cars are charged £3 to use the car park.

Please note – cars will only be allowed to exit the car park after the game once all supporters have cleared the area and any away coaches have left the stadium. This is typically after 15 minutes post match.

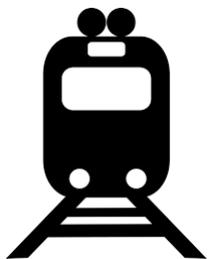
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Coach Parking



From M6 J43 take the exit signed Carlisle A69. At the third set of traffic lights turn right. Stewards will allow the bus through behind the Pioneer Foods Stand for passengers to disembark at the away turnstiles; the bus will then be directed to the car park and allowed back after the game to pick up passengers from the away end. All coaches, other than the official team coach, are charged £15 with minibuses being charged £10.

By Rail



Brunton Park is 1.2 miles from Carlisle Railway Station. Head out of the train station, past the Griffin pub and cross the road. You will be able locate Nando's Restaurant on the crescent shaped road. Turn right past Nandos and walk straight down Warwick Road for about 1 mile and you will reach Brunton Park on the left hand side. A taxi rank is located just outside the Railway Station. Journey time 10 minutes and will cost no more than £5.

By Foot



From the city centre we are approximately 0.8 miles from the Lanes Shopping Centre. Exit via KFC onto Lowther street and turn right. Take the next left onto Lonsdale Street and carry straight on across the road at the traffic lights until you get to Hartington Place. Take a right, at the end of the road head left, and you are now on Warwick Road. Brunton Park is located on the left hand side as you walk along. Journey time around 15 minutes.

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By Bus

Take the number 685 bus from the bus station (located on Lonsdale Street) towards Brampton.
Alight at Brunton Park, right outside the Club Shop.



Away Supporter Ticket Information

Tickets

Advance tickets for away supporters should be purchased direct through their own club. The away club will receive an allocation of tickets to sell and the seating details will be shown on the ticket. If the away supporters ticket allocation has not been sold out before the day of the game, tickets may be available for visiting supporters on match day (unless stated otherwise) at the Away Ticket Office located at the back of the Pioneer Foods Stand which is next to the visitors turnstiles. There will be a £3 increase on match tickets sold on the day of the fixture (excluding juniors, U11s and U7s).

Ticket Collections

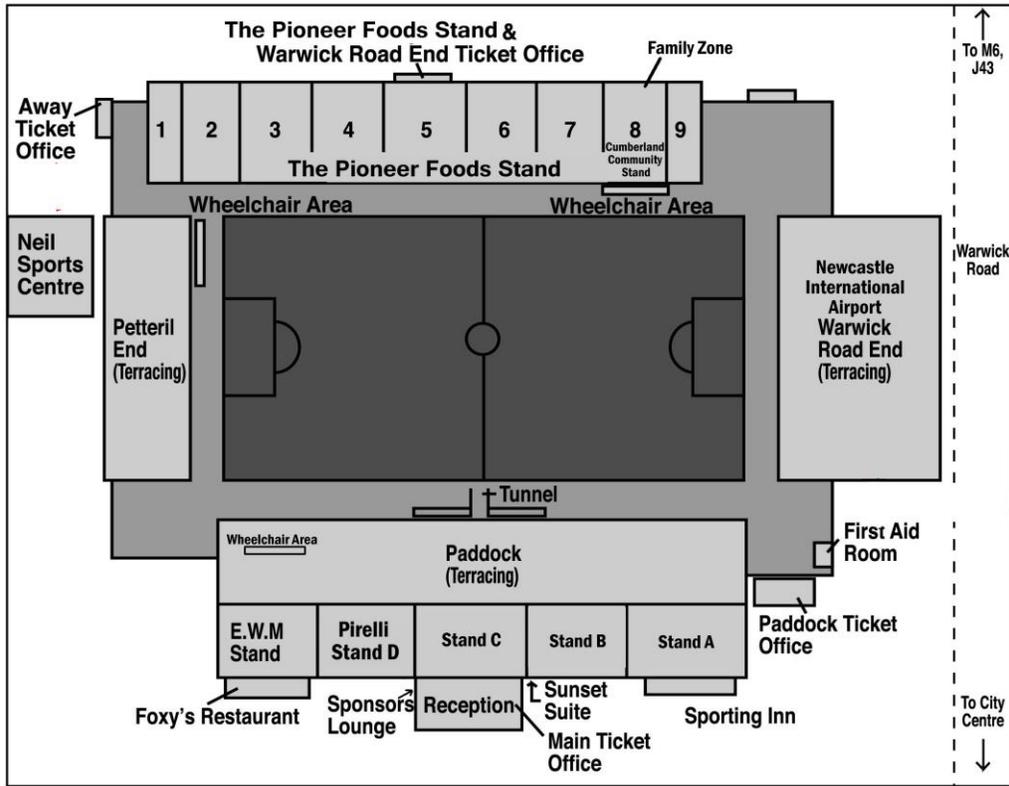
Visiting supporters who have chosen to collect their tickets at Brunton Park will be able to pick their tickets up on the day of the game from the Away Ticket Office from 1:30pm or 6:15pm for an evening fixture, until kick off.

With regards to any duplicate ticket requests, Carlisle United ticket office must be informed by the visiting club's Ticket Office Manager. If a supporter misplaces a ticket they must contact their own club first who will authorise Carlisle United to assist.

Duplicate tickets will not be issued without authorisation from a representative of the visiting club. Duplicate tickets will be available from the Away Ticket Office. Any visiting supporter that attempts to use a match ticket that has been cancelled will be refused entry to Brunton Park.

For any further information on ticketing queries we recommend that you call the Carlisle United Ticket Office on 0844 371 1921.

Stadium Information



Smoking

Brunton Park is a no smoking area, this also includes e-cigarettes and vaporised cigarettes.

On entry to the stadium

Supporters may be searched prior to entering the stadium. In the event of any supporters being found with prohibited items in their possession, police will be alerted and an arrest may be actioned. Copies of the Ground Regulations are displayed at the turnstiles and can be found online at www.carlisleunited.co.uk

Emergency Procedures

In the event of an emergency occurring at the stadium, the Public Address System will be used to broadcast information and directions to spectators. Such broadcasts will be preceded by a three-tone chime. When the chimes are heard, please be silent, pay attention to what is said and obey any instructions. An example of this alert will be carried out just before kick-off and at half-time, and will be clearly stated that the announcement is for instructive purpose only.

Disabled Visitor Information

Parking for Blue Badge holders is free and is situated at the away end of Brunton Park, next to the Pioneer Foods Stand – we have limited spaces and these are allocated on a first come, first served basis.

The away end has four spaces available for wheelchair users and this area is uncovered. Wheelchair spaces can be booked through the away club.

If it does rain, you will be allowed to move to the front of the Pioneer Foods Stand in front of your own supporters - please ask the stewards first.

If there are spaces available in the home disabled area and the weather is poor the club will allow you to move into this area, which is covered.

Ambulant disabled supporters can book a ticket in the away end of the Pioneer Foods Stand through your own club.

For any specific requirements or for any further information please contact Nigel Dickinson, Disability Liaison Officer, on **01228 554 168** or email nigel.dickinson@carlisleunited.co.uk

Food and Drink

In the away concourse, situated in the Pioneer Foods Stand, we have catering outlets serving hot, cold and alcoholic drinks, hot food and cold snacks. These kiosks open at 1.30pm (6.30pm for a night match) and close 15 minutes into the second half of the game.

We also have a local food stand on the West side of the stadium provided by Lakeland Steaks who serve locally produced burgers and hotdogs before and during the game. Give them a try.

Away fans are also welcome in our Sunset Suite bar, also situated on the west side of the ground which opens at 12.30pm and shows the live football on the big screens. A selection of pies and snacks are served in here. Please note as this is an old stand access is by stairs and there is no wheelchair access. You may also use the adjacent Sporting Inn bar as well.

Match day hospitality packages are available for visiting supporters by contacting Carlisle United's Commercial team on 01228 554 155 or emailing commercial@carlisleunited.co.uk. Prices start from £25pp.

In the area

Local restaurants include Stoneyholme Golf Course which has access to and from the supporters' car park and the Beehive which is opposite Brunton Park along Warwick Road. You can buy meals and drinks at both of these local businesses.

Warwick Road also hosts many other restaurants and places to buy food - including Nando's, Warwick Fish & Chips, Casa Romana Italian restaurant, Alexandros Greek restaurant, Claire's Bakery, The Post Office, Lakeland Gate Inn, Toby Carvery and Tesco. All of these places are within walking distance of Brunton Park.

Carlisle Rugby Club is a two minute walk from Brunton Park and can be accessed from the main car park, via a footpath. They host home and away fans on a match day and serve drinks and a small selection of food.

Staying Over

Here on Warwick Road and the surrounding area we have a large amount of B&B's, guest houses and hotels.

Please click [HERE](#) to compare prices and locations for local hotels.

Useful Information

Whilst visiting Brunton Park you may wish to make a day of it and see all that Carlisle has to offer which includes;

- Carlisle Castle
- Carlisle Cathedral
- Tullie House Museum
- Cumbria's Museum of Military Life
- Guildhall Museum
- The Citadel
- Bitts Park
- The Lake District

All located in the Carlisle City Centre and the surrounding areas. For further information, directions and a more up to date guide please visit www.discovercarlisle.co.uk

Useful Information

Ticket office opening times

The main ticket office is open from 10am to 5pm weekdays on the east side of the stadium located behind the Pioneer Foods Stand and from 10am to 5.15pm on match days. Our ticket offices are located on the previous map.

Blues Store opening times

Our Blues Store is open from 10am to 5pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. It is closed for stock taking every Wednesday. Saturday match day opening is from 10am to 5.30pm.

Programmes & Golden Gamble / lottery

Match day programmes are available to buy on the day of the fixture. There are sellers in and around the stadium selling them as well as being available in the Blues Store and programme hatch which is located next to the Paddock turnstile. Golden Gamble tickets can be purchased at the same time for the chance to win the half time draw.