### **Accessibility Guide for Westbrook Bay**

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#### Contact for accessibility enquiries: Thanet Visitor Information Centre



#### Welcome

Westbrook Bay, a designated water ski area, perfect for people who love their water sports. It is a great family beach with a sandy bay, where a small section of sand remains exposed at high tide.

There is an adventure golf course 'Strokes' along the promenade, with tennis and bowls close by. There is a cafe on the promenade to keep you in constant supply of ice cream. The nearest car park is located along the promenade of Westbrook, Barns car park.

- Seasonal lifeguards
- Toilets
- Beach Chalets
- Beach Shop

- Beach wheelchairs available, further information can be found out by contacting 07432 648275

Watch the video: Westbrook Bay

#### At a Glance

There is level access from the car park to:

• Beach



• We have information in audio, braille and large print.

#### **Getting here**

Royal Esplanade Margate CT9 5DL

## Travel by public transport

- You can get to Westbrook Bay by bus and train.
- The nearest bus stop is on Westcliff Road. The bus stop is 0.3 miles / 0.5 km from Westbrook Bay.
- The nearest train station is Margate. The train station is 0.5 miles / 0.8 km from Westbrook Bay.

#### 🚔 Travel by taxi

- You can get a taxi with Central Cars by calling 01843 888888.
- You can get a taxi with Thanet Cars by calling 01843 333333.
- You can get a taxi with United Cars by calling 01843 581581.
- Please contact the Thanet Visitor Information Service for information on accessible taxis in the area. 01843 577577

# Parking

- We have a car park. The parking is less than 50 metres from the main entrance. Parking is free.
- There are no official drop off points but the best place to stop would be adjacent to Westcliff Gardens, as the ramp access is opposite this road. There is parking available at the far west of the beach at promenade level, (Barnes Car park) alternatively there is lots of parking available on the main road (Royal Esplanade)

### Arrival

### **Getting around inside**

### **Getting around outside**

# 📥 Beach

- From the nearest car park to the beach, there is level access. There is a permanent ramp. There is a portable ramp. The entrance is 5640mm wide.
- There are Deck chairs.
- There is a First Aid Station.
- RNLI on weekends and Bank Holidays from 27th May until 7th July, then 7 days a week from 8th July to 3rd September.
- Bay inspectors in season assist with minor first aid.

#### **Customer care support**

#### Accessibility equipment

- We provide wheelchairs. Wheelchairs are free.
- All- Terrain Beach Accessible Wheelchair Hire donations welcome https://www.beachwithinreach.org.uk/
- For a list of more items, please go to https://www.visitthanet.co.uk/plan-your-visit/accessibility-information/.

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