

Room Hire at Ferry Meadows Country Park

Ferry Meadows Country Park is at the heart of the Nene Park with its beautiful lakes, river, meadow and woodlands and boasts a vast range of facilities making it the perfect place to hold your meeting, training session, education day or even children's birthday party if you are looking for somewhere out of the ordinary.

With an extensive range of attractions in the park, Ferry Meadows is also a great place to build a whole day of activities tailored to your groups needs.

We have two rooms available for hire:

1 John Horrell Conference Suite and Meeting Room

The John Horrell Conference Suite and Meeting Room is available for hire and is regularly used for talks, meetings, seminars and training.

Location

The John Horrell Conference Suite and Meeting Room is close to the main car park located within the Visitor Centre complex in an attractive setting overlooking Overton Lake and has access to the Conservation and Willow Gardens at the rear. See Ferry Meadows Country Park leaflet for park layout.

Facilities

- The meeting room has capacity for up to 40 people sat in conference style, or 20 in board layout. There are 40 chairs and 8 tables available.
- The room and park is fully accessible – there are disabled parking bays, easy access paths and facilities, an induction loop system in the room for visitors with hearing aids (please switch aids to the T position), a disabled access toilet and access to hire a wheelchair or batricar for use around the park.
- There is a small kitchen area at the rear of the room with facilities for making hot drinks. Coffee, tea, sugar and milk etc are not provided.
- The audio-visual facilities available include; Flip Chart, Digital Projector, Slide Projector, Overhead Projector and Projector Stand; a pull down screen is housed above the audio-visual cupboard. If you require any of the above equipment then please speak to us in advance. All faults, damages or breakage to the facilities or any of the equipment must be reported immediately to a member of staff.
- There are two toilets separate to the main visitor toilets (one designed for disabled access with pull cord alarm); both are situated off the lobby.
- The meeting room is heated with night storage heaters. At times, these are left switched on and can get very hot. Please do not place any items on or against the heaters, do not cover the vents, touch any switches or adjust the controls.

2 Resources Room

The Resources Room is available to hire for groups and organisations looking for a room to carry out educational activities, art and craft workshops / demonstrations, children's birthday parties or anything that requires a more practical indoor space.

Location

The Resources Room is very close to the main car park located opposite the main visitor toilet block and opens out onto a wood-chipped area where outdoor activities could take place in conjunction with indoor activities. See Ferry Meadows Country Park leaflet for park layout.

Facilities

- The meeting room has capacity for up to 30 people sat in conference style, or 15 in board layout. There are 30 chairs and 6 tables available.
- The room and park is fully accessible – there are disabled parking bays, easy access paths and facilities, a disabled access toilet within the main visitor toilet block and access to hire a wheelchair or batricar for use around the park. There is a toilet within the room itself but it is not accessible in a wheelchair.
- There is a sink and drainer in the room.
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- The resources room is heated with night storage heaters. At times, these are left switched on and can get very hot. Please do not place any items on or against the heaters, do not cover the vents, touch any switches or adjust the controls.

General Information about Ferry Meadows Country Park

Catering

Tea Time Catering is the catering concessionaire that operates the Visitor Centre Café. They can provide refreshments, snacks and buffets etc. To discuss your catering requirements please contact the manager on 01733 234493.

The Lakeside Café and bar at the Watersports Centre is open daily throughout the year and also provide catering for groups. Please contact the manager on 01733 370293.

Group Bookings for Other Park Facilities / Activities

There is a huge range of facilities and activities within Ferry Meadows that can be arranged for groups and tailored to your needs. Many of these are run by separate tenants and should be contacted directly to discuss requirements. For details please see the Ferry Meadows leaflet or visit www.neneparktrust.org.uk

If you would like to organise an activity for your group that requires bringing in additional facilities or services, please discuss this with the office in advance.

For enquiries and bookings please contact:

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