WOODFORD BRIDGE COUNTRY CLUB

Terrain

Hilly with speed bumps which are not adapted for wheelchair users. Wheelchair users need assistance to manoeuvre around the resort.

COMMUNAL AREAS

FRONT DESK RECEPTION: Currently not accessible in a wheelchair. Hand rails are installed along all steps in front desk reception.

BAR/RESTAURANT: Both accessible by wheelchair users. Flat access. The carvery area in the restaurant is not accessible as there are steps leading down to it.

GAMES ROOM: Accessible via main entrance, though a gutter has to be crossed which might necessitate some assistance for wheelchair users.

ENTERTAINMENT: Accessible via the lift in the leisure centre. Guests can be dropped off right in front of the door. Disabled parking is close by. A speed bump will have to be crossed to get from the disabled parking space to the leisure centre/entertainment.

LEISURE CENTRE: See entertainment for access. Pool hoist, disabled toilet and changing facilities available. The gym is equipped with an inflatable exercise ball for the disabled.

Parking

Designated disabled parking bays available. Disabled-friendly accommodation can have a specific parking bay reserved for them if requested.

ALL ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation steps have hand rails.

ACCESSIBLE ACCOMMODATION

CS5, Jay and A17 are equipped with grab rails, low baths or shower room, and raised toilets.

STUDIOS (CS5): Doors/openings, clearance, floor level, bathroom grab rails, lighting, wardrobes, mirrors, showers and taps.

1B (A17): Bathroom grab rails and mirrors.

2B (JAY ACCOMMODATION): Doors/openings, clearance, floor level, bathroom grab rails, lighting, mirrors and showers adapted.

PUFFIN ACCOMMODATION: Floor level, lighting and mirrors.

CURLEW ACCOMMODATION: Floor level, lighting and mirrors.

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RECENT REFURBISHMENTS

Internal and external demarcation to steps. A new electronic keycard system has been installed on all entrance doors to resort accommodation and some communal entrances such as the leisure centre entrance, thus enhancing resort security and member safety. Fencing around ponds. Nosing of steps and signage by squash court in leisure centre. Fencing, gate and hand rail installed to leisure centre fire escapes. Specified disabled car parking spaces. Hand rail placed around top of orchard. Path created for easy access on back lawn. Hand rail put in front desk reception. Put mirror in disabled toilet. Visible marking to identify equipment in disabled toilets.

EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

- Pool hoist
- Bath seat
- Chair raisers
- Easy grip knife
- Foot stool with handle
- Portable hearing loop
- Cordless kettle tipper
- Constrictor
- Walking frame
- DDA video
- Wheelchair
- Toilet seat raiser
- Bath tub rail
- Hand rail

OUTINGS AND EXCURSIONS

CUTINGS AND EXCORSIONS

SKERN LODGE: Has special disabled weeks for disabled person and caregiver, who must stay with them at all times. Activities depend on the disability. Dining room and showers suitable for disabled.

BIG SHEEP: Family theme park, disabled access, some slopes but help available.

HARLEQUINNS CENTRE: Ten-pin bowling.

TORRINGTON 1646: Popular local attraction; all the sights and sounds of the 17th century.

BRADWORTHY TRANSPORT MUSEUM.

EDEN PROJECT.

DRAGON ARCHERY.

- Shower stool
- Foam toilet seat
- Pull ring devise
- Kettle jug tipper
- Hearing loop at front desk reception
- Knob turner
- Tap turner
- Sharp bin
- Crutches
- Pick up claw
- Gymnic ball
- Handy reacher litter picker
- Commode

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PROXIMITY/ACCESSIBILITY TO LOCAL SUPERMARKETS, SHOPS, ETC.

BIDEFORD PARK AND QUAY: Fully accessible to disabled with toilet facilities.

ATLANTIC VILLAGE SHOPPING CENTRE.

ROADFORD LAKE.

WEST WARD HO!

INSTOW AND SUMMERLEAZE BEACH.

AREAS NEAR THE RESORT/TRANSPORT

QUAY CARS: Disabled taxi available during the day time.

FIRST BUS (X9) AND STAGE COACH (85): No disabled access available on local buses.

DEVON IN A DAY AND HOLSWORTHY CARS: Large vehicles available although disabled person would have to be removed from wheelchair.

HAEMODIALYSIS CLINICS CLOSE TO RESORT

North Devon Kidney Unit, Widgery Drive, South Molton, EX36 4DP. TEL: 01769 579147 DISTANCE FROM RESORT: About 1 hour drive from resort.