# **U.K. Counties Athletic Union**



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Dear Colleague February 2024

Thank you, for your Entries to our CC Championships. I enclose details of how to get to Wollaton Park and parking arrangements (map included), also details of limited changing.

**NOTE:** Cars and Minibuses will be charged to park their vehicle on the park next to the course see details attached. Coaches will be allowed to drop off all Athletes and Spectators in the Park, but will then be re directed to a separate parking area away from the course. When it is time for your Coach to return to pick up your athletes and spectators, you will need to phone your driver accordingly.

Directions are also attached.

Please note that **ELECTRONIC CHIP TIMING** will be used again this year for all races. Please can you or your athletes pick up their numbers with their electronic chip from the Registration Tent marked No.1 on site map. Please also NOTE no chip on, then NOT listed in results.

**NOTE:** This year Chips & Nos. for the first 5 races will be available from 9.00 am. However Chips & Nos. for the last 5 races will be available from 11.00 am.

**NOTE:** If you have an Athlete with any Medical Problems could you please ask them to write their condition on the back of their race number and also a contact phone number. Also, a form will be available for team managers to leave a mobile contact number in the registration tent.

#### **Programme:**

U20 Men	8000M
U13 Girls	3000M
Senior Women	8000M
U15 Boys	4000M
U17 Women	5000M
U17 Men	6000M
U13 Boys	3000M
U20 Women	6000M
U15 Girls	4000M
Senior Men	10000M
	U13 Girls Senior Women U15 Boys U17 Women U17 Men U13 Boys U20 Women U15 Girls

I look forward to meeting you all at the Championships on 9th March 2024

Yours in Sport

Joe Mower Cross County Secretary

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### **Travel Directions**

### Car Parking - £10 Per Car

All car parking is within the Park with a maximum of 300m walk to the course.

In the Park please follow steward's directions and have £10 payment ready. The majority of the car parking is on grass which if wet will be slippery. Please proceed very slowly with care and avoid wheel spin and damage to the ground.

Parking immediately outside the park and surrounding streets will be prohibited with Police "No Waiting" cones and signs. This is a specific traffic order. Cars parked illegally will be lifted and taken to the Nottingham City Council compound with a considerable release fee.

Main Entrance to the Park for all Cars and Mini Buses will be via Wollaton Road (NG8 2AE) (off Ilkeston Road A609). Once in the Park please follow the directions as indicated by the Stewards.

Coaches will also access the Park via Wollaton Road (NG8 2AE) (off Ilkeston Road A609), where they will drop off all athletes and spectators, then be directed by the Stewards to an offsite parking area.

#### From the West, M1 Junction 25 follow A52 into Nottingham for 3 miles.

At Priory Island (Miller & Carter Steakhouse), continue straight on A52, Wollaton Park is on your left and the University of Nottingham is on the right for 3/4 mile until you reach the Nottingham Ring Road A6514. At the island bear left onto **Middleton Boulevard**, signed Mansfield A60 / M1 North, at the next island you will turn left onto the A609 Wollaton Road, then after approx 1 mile the road forks, Wollaton Road will bear left, while the A609 will continue straight on as Ilkeston Road. As you follow Wollaton Road the Main Entrance to Wollaton Park will be on the lefthand side.

### From the South, M1 Junction 24 take A453 for 6 miles into Nottingham passing Trent University Campus on the left.

1/4 mile after NTU, downhill, straight on at the next major cross road / traffic lights. After 200 yards get in right hand lane. The road rises and curves left and merges with A52 over **Clifton Bridge** / **River Trent** following main ring road signed M1 North / A60 Mansfield.

400 yards further on Showcase Cinema is on the left. Get in the middle lane which leads onto the Dunkirk flyover. Go over the flyover in the left lane. The University of Nottingham is on the left, QMC hospital on the right. Continue on ring road **Middleton Boulevard** towards M1 North / A60 Mansfield, at the next island you will turn left onto the A609 Wollaton Road, then after approx 1 mile the road forks, Wollaton Road will bear left, while the A609 will continue straight on as Ilkeston Road. As you follow Wollaton Road the Main Entrance to Wollaton Park will be on the lefthand side.

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From the East A52 as above from Clifton Bridge.

#### From the North M1 Junction 26 follow A610 into Nottingham for 3 miles.

Turn right onto Western Boulevard A6514 ring road signed Derby A52 / Birmingham A453. After roughly 1 mile you will approach "Crown" island (Crown Pub on right), keep in the middle or righthand lane as you approach the island, as go around the island you will bear slightly to the right and then straight onto Wollaton Road A609 towards Ilkeston. After approx a further 1 mile the road forks, Wollaton Road will bear left, while the A609 will continue straight on as Ilkeston Road. As you follow Wollaton Road, the Main Entrance to Wollaton Park will be on the lefthand side.

#### **Public Transport**

From Nottingham Railway Station walk 200m to Broad Marsh Bus Station.

The Trent Barton "Indigo" bus leaves every 10 minutes. Get off at Queens Medical Centre walk 100 yards uphill to traffic island turn right along the left-hand side of Middleton Boulevard for 100 yards to Wollaton Park gates and follow signs.