The Great Dorset Steam Fair 2020

NEAR BLANDFORD, DORSET

Thursday 27th to
Bank Holiday Monday 31st August 2020

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Public Campsite Information

and Conditions of Entry 2020

Important Information
Please read prior to your arrival on site

Camping available from 08.00hrs on Tuesday 25th August to midday on Tuesday 1st September 2020
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Welcome

Thank you for making a booking for camping at the Great Dorset Steam Fair.

This booklet has been designed to give you all the information you require from arrival details through to a description of the facilities provided on the campsites.

We hope you have a very enjoyable stay with us, whilst staying on our campsites. Our campsites are equipped with toilets, showers, fresh drinking water, waste and Elsan points. We employ a dedicated campsite staff & security team who will be located in all the public campsites. Please speak to our team if you need any information or have any concerns or problems whilst staying with us.

Please use the following postcode for the Event: DT11 8HX

Key Information
For 2020 the Public Campsites are operational from **08.00hrs** on **Tuesday 25th August** to **midday** on **Tuesday 1st September**.

Access to the Public Campsites for new arrivals is between **08.00hrs** and **20.00hrs** from **Tuesday 25th August** to **Sunday 30th August**.

Any Public Campers arriving between 20.00hrs and 08.00hrs will be held in the Campsite Processing Holding Lanes overnight until processing resumes at 08.00hrs. Toilets and Water points are available.

**The Campsite Processing holding lanes open from 18.00hrs on Monday 24th August.**

Any public Campers who have already been processed and wish to re-enter the campsites are permitted to do so between the hours of 06.00hrs and 01.00hrs.
IMPORTANT CHANGES TO TICKETS AND PASSES FOR 2020

Changes have been made to simplify the pass system for the 2020 Event, from this year ALL Tickets & Vouchers will be sent out electronically, for you to Print out at home. Camping Tickets will therefore be sent out electronically, for you to print out prior to the event.

These printed Camping Tickets should be available and ready for scanning on arrival, this will assist in speeding up the processing on site.

People who have purchased the consecutive 5 Day Tickets will exchange their e-vouchers for an equivalent 5 Day Wristband at one of the Ticket Exchange Points (located at the Pay Gates). Customers are encouraged to follow the signage for the Ticket Exchange Points to avoid unnecessary queuing at the Pay Gate Ticket Offices.

Ticket Exchange Points will be open between 08.00hrs to 20.00hrs on Thursday 27th - Saturday 29th August. People arriving on or before Wednesday 26th August can exchange their e-vouchers at the Show Office. Shower Tokens can be purchased and Shower Token e-vouchers exchanged at the Ticket Exchange Points and Show Office.

People who have purchased individual pre-paid Day Tickets will have their individual e-tickets scanned at the Pay Gates. One ticket is required per person, per day, unless you have purchased a 5 Day Ticket.

All Ticket holders will have unlimited access to the showground for the number of days you have booked and will also be able to exit and re-enter the campsite from the Show Fields as many times as you wish, with according to the number of Day Tickets purchased.

1. ORDER CONFIRMATION

Having booked your Tickets and Camping online you will receive an email containing:
• Order Confirmation.
• Your e-tickets for the Events or e-vouchers, depending on what you have booked. 5 Day e vouchers will be exchanged for 5 Day wristbands on site.
• Your Camping Tickets.
• A copy of the Public Campers Information and Conditions of Entry 2020.

2. PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT EVENT

• Print out your e-tickets, e-vouchers, and Camping Tickets at home.
• Have your Camping Tickets available and ready for scanning on arrival, this will assist in speeding up the processing on site.

Note
• Appropriate Campsite Resident vehicle re-entry passes will be issued on arrival.
• Appropriate Campsite Resident Caravan/Campervan accommodation passes will be issued on arrival.
• Appropriate Campsite Resident Wristbands will be issued on arrival, these wristbands permit re-entry into the appropriate Public Campsites.
3. ARRIVAL PROCEDURES

1. Follow the signs to the Event marked Pre-paid Campsites, if you are camping in ‘Electric Hook-Up’ or ‘Disabled Access Camping’ please follow the appropriate signs.

2. Upon arrival to the Event, follow the instruction of the Event Staff at the Campsite Processing Lanes.

3. Once processed you will then be directed to your pitch.

   Please note that campsites will be filled in order of arrival date and you will not be able to choose which campsite you stay in for normal camping.

   If you have booked a Hired Caravan, you must produce your valid proof of booking to the Processing Staff within the Campsite Processing Lanes. Without your PASSES and PAPERWORK you will be unable to gain admission to the campsite.

4. BOOKING CONDITIONS

4.1. To stay on the public campsites during the show, you must book the relevant number of tickets to correspond to the number of nights camping. This applies to each member of your group. If you have not booked sufficient tickets in advance, you must purchase a ticket at the Pay Gate to enter the showground. Tickets purchased on the day are charged at a higher rate than tickets booked in advance.

4.2. Any changes to your booking must be made by 14th August 2020 by telephoning the Booking Office on 01258 860361, subject to availability. This will incur a minimum charge of £5.00 to cover administration.

4.3. Should you decide to arrive a day earlier than you have booked, on and after the 14th August, you will have to pay the additional fee on your arrival at the Campsite Processing. The on day fee is £30 per night for a standard pitch, electrical hook up pitches are only available for online advance bookings. Should you decide to extend your stay whilst you are on site, you will need to pay the additional fee at the Campsite Processing Point within your campsite. (This will be subject to availability.)

4.4. Evening Tickets are only valid after 17.00hrs.

4.5. Day ticket holders will not require an evening ticket.

4.6. We will not refund or exchange any ticket or camping purchase unless the Event is cancelled.
4.7. Where reasonably necessary, we reserve the right to make alterations to the published Event or programme, artists and billed attractions are subject to change.

4.8. The Organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry/application at their discretion without giving reasons. In the event of refusal, The Organisers will not enter into correspondence on the subject.

4.9. The sub-letting of Camping Pitches is not permitted.

4.10. Tickets, Passes and Wristbands are non-transferable.

4.11. Additional vehicles are charged at £22.50 per night in advance or £30 on the day. Due to limited space only one extra car can be booked for each unit booked. Please be advised that if you have ordered electrical hook up we cannot guarantee that you will be able to have an additional vehicle parked next to your accommodation. A parking area as close as possible will be provided.

4.12. Campsite pitches must be vacated by midday on your departure day.

4.13. All units must have vacated the campsites by midday on Tuesday 1st September.

4.14. NO VANS, TRUCKS OR LORRIES of any description will be permitted on ANY of the Public Campsites. Please check that you do not have a prohibited vehicle before arriving on the campsite, please phone our booking office or email holly.oliver@gdsf.co.uk if you wish to check whether your vehicle will be permitted.

4.15. The maximum number of occupants per pitch is 5 people.

4.16. Cars, 4x4’s, Landrovers and crew cabs will be permitted. Please see page 8 for examples of permitted and prohibited vehicles.

4.17. Height restriction barriers will be in place this year to prevent LGVs from accessing the Public Campsites.

4.18. Campervans are permitted within the Public Car Parks for DAY VISITORS ONLY. NO CAMPING is permitted within the Public Car Parks, therefore any overnight parking is restricted to the Pay on Arrival Campsites and will be charged accordingly.

4.19. The organisers follow the DVLA definition of a motor caravan for VAN CONVERSIONS and as such the minimum features listed below must be present in order for a converted vehicle to qualify as a motor caravan:

- a door that provides access to the living accommodation
- a bed, which has a minimum length of 1800mm or 6 feet - this can be converted from seats used for other purposes during the day but must be permanently fixed within the body of the vehicle
- a water storage tank or container
- a seating and dining area, permanently attached to the vehicle - the table may be detachable but must have some permanent means of attachment to the vehicle. It is not good enough to have a loose table
- a permanently fixed means of storage, a cupboard, locker or wardrobe
- a permanently fixed cooking facility within the vehicle, powered by gas or electricity
- at least one window on the side of the accommodation
Height restriction barriers will be in place this year to prevent LGVs from accessing the Public Campsites.

Please phone our booking office or email holly.oliver@gdsf.co.uk if you have any questions regarding prohibited vehicles on our campsites.
6. Pitch Layouts & Regulations

Campsite Pitches cannot be reserved for family or friends. If you want to camp together you will need to arrive at the campsite at the same time. This also applies to Additional Cars.

Do not set up in the campsite until you have been shown to your pitch by a campsite steward.

A pitch can contain a maximum of one caravan plus awning and towing vehicle; OR one tent plus car; OR one motorhome plus awning.

All tents and caravans must be properly spaced according to strict fire regulations.
All caravans must be parked with the drawbars facing into the roadway. 3 clear metres must be left between your towing vehicle and the next unit to comply with fire regulations. This space must be kept clear of all obstructions. Campervans must also be parked with the front facing into the roadway.

All ‘gazebo’ type structures must be adequately secured to the ground.

Standard Pitch sizes are 6m frontage x 7.6m depth.

Oversize Pitch sizes are 6m frontage x 18.2m depth.

Oversize Pitches are for Caravans or Campervans that exceed 7.6m in length (including drawbars on caravans).
1. **Alcohol and Glass Bottles**  
   1.1 In the interest of Public Safety, **GLASS BOTTLES ARE NOT PERMITTED** within the two Main Show Fields, Fields A and B. This especially includes all of the Beer Tents, the Outdoor Concert Area and the Fairground.

   1.2 Alcohol and Glass Bottles should not be brought in from any of the car parks or any of the campsites onto the two Main Show Fields. Any person(s) attempting to bring Alcohol or Glass Bottles through any of the Pay Gates will either have the alcohol/bottles confiscated or be refused entry.

   1.3 Only alcohol purchased on site is to be consumed within the two Main Show Fields. Anyone consuming alcohol in the Beer Tents or Outdoor Concert Area that has not purchased it in these areas will be asked to leave the tent/area concerned.

   1.4 Alcohol will only be served to persons aged 18 or over, any person(s) who appear(s) to look under 25 will be required to provide identification for age verification as part of the Challenge 25 Scheme which is adopted on site for all Alcohol sales.

   1.5 The maximum size of container for scrumpy cider sales on site is 2 Litres.

2. **CCTV & Recorded Images**  
   2.1 The Great Dorset Steam Fair show site is protected by Closed Circuit Television, images that are recorded for the purposes of crime prevention and public safety. The scheme is controlled by the Great Dorset Steam Fair Control Room.

   2.2 Please be advised that CCTV operates in all areas of the showground for your safety and security 24 hours a day for the duration of the event.

   2.3 By entering any area of the Great Dorset Steam Fair Site and or any property used by the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd, you consent that your image may be photographed or filmed by the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd or by a third party acting for or on behalf of the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd, with all photographic and filmed images remaining the property of the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd. Furthermore the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd reserves the right to share and/or distribute these photographic and/or filmed images for promotional purposes, with Local Authority Agencies and/or any relevant media outlets, as deemed appropriate by Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd.

   2.4 The Great Dorset Steam Fair is working with Dorset Police to provide a safe and secure event for the whole family. Additional security measures, enhanced CCTV and ANPR (Automatic Number Plate Recognition) technology will be in place again this year.
3. **Conduct and Anti-Social Behaviour**

3.1 Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd prides itself on running a family event. All persons are asked to maintain a high standard of conduct at all times whilst on site.

3.2 Anti-social behaviour will not be tolerated. The Organisers and Security will not tolerate any threatening, abusive or insulting words or mannerisms, or physical abuse to any member of our staff, contractors, exhibitors, traders or patrons. Any person found to be acting in such a manner will be escorted off site and will be banned from attending future shows.

3.3 Any person wishing to enter any area of the Great Dorset Steam Fair Site who is under 18 years of age MUST be supervised by an adult who is aged 21 years or older.

3.4 The Organisers and Security reserve the right to remove any person for being found in possession of any prohibited item or substance; for acting under the influence of alcohol or drugs; for failing when required, to provide proof of identity or age, or valid photographic identification (i.e. a Valid Passport or Driving License).

3.5 The Organisers & Security reserve the right to confiscate any item, which in their reasonable opinion, may cause danger or disruption to any other persons at the event. Without exception, the following items may not be brought into, used or consumed in the two Main Show Fields (Fields A and B): Your own alcohol (excludes campsites), laser pens; items which may be regarded as weapons; illegal substances; Chinese lanterns; charcoal barbecues; quad bikes; mini motorcycles; golf buggies; utility vehicles and any of the Prohibited Items referred to in Condition 12. Disabled scooters are permitted but must have the appropriate Road Traffic Act insurance, if applicable.

3.6 You must comply with all instructions given by stewards and Security.

3.7 Help us to continue to maintain a friendly, family atmosphere by reporting any case of anti-social behaviour to Security, the nearest Steward, or an Emergency Contact Point. You may also call the Showground Telephone Helpline for non-emergencies on 01258 690890.

3.8 The Organisers may prosecute if you cause damage to the event site, the event’s infrastructure or cause harm to any other person at the event.

3.9 Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs is not permitted on site, any drivers deemed to be under the influence of such substances will have their keys confiscated and the Police will be notified.
4. **Dogs and Other Animals**

4.1 Dangerous dogs are not permitted on site. If any dog is deemed to be dangerous, the Organisers and Security reserves the right to ask the owner to remove the dog from the site.

4.2. Dogs are allowed in the Showground but must be kept on leads at all times and muzzled (where appropriate).

4.3 Dog waste must be disposed of at designated bins marked “Dog Waste”. Please bring your own dog waste bags.

4.4. Please be aware that the Great Dorset Steam Fair has limited space to exercise your dog. Please make use of the public footpaths in the surrounding area.

4.5. Do not leave your dog in your vehicle, caravan or tent unattended. This particularly applies in hot weather. Please make use of the Dog Crèche in the centre of the Showground.

4.6. Although we welcome domestic pets at the Event we unfortunately cannot permit any other animals in any area of the Great Dorset Steam Fair Site.

5. **Disabled Scooters**

5.1 Disabled/Mobility Scooters are permitted to be used on site by authorised users only. The law states that a class 2 and class 3 vehicle may only be used by a disabled person. A disabled person in this context is someone with an injury, physical disability or medical condition which means that they are unable to walk or have difficulty in walking.

5.2 All users of Disabled/Mobility Scooters are advised that they should have public liability insurance.

5.3 Class 3 vehicles must be registered with the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency and would be required to have road traffic act insurance to be used on site.

5.4 Powered wheelchairs and scooters **MUST NOT** travel faster than 4mph in pedestrian areas.

5.5 A Class 3 vehicle may only be used by a disabled person aged 14 or over.

6. **Enforcement by the Event Organisers & Security**

6.1 The Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd adopts a three level Enforcement Procedure onsite.

- **Level 1** Written Deficiency/Enforcement Notice by the Event Organisers or Security, prescribing a fixed time period to improve any breaches of the Conditions of Entry or to remedy any concerns raised.

- **Level 2** Written Temporary Closure of an Area, Activity, Stand, or Pitch by the Event Organisers or Security, for a fixed time period to improve any breaches of the Conditions of Entry or to remedy any concerns raised.

- **Level 3** Written Permanent Closure of an Area, Activity, Stand, or Pitch by the Event Organisers or Security, for the duration of the event. If the breach of the Conditions of Entry or the raised concern poses a serious and imminent risk to life, then
Enforcement Levels 1 and 2 will be bypassed and an Enforcement Level 3 will be implemented. If a combination of three Level 1 or 2 Enforcement Notices are served, then the third notice would be escalated to a Level 3 Enforcement Notice (In effect a three strike policy).

6.2 The Public Camper shall indemnify and hold the Organiser harmless with respect to all claims of, and liability to, loss or damage of any type arising from the Organiser whilst enforcing these Conditions of entry, including but not limited to:

- During the removal of vehicles, trailers and caravans by the Organiser or Appointed Agent, including for any personal possessions or belongings left behind on site.
- Forcible entry into vehicles, trailers and caravans by the Organiser or Appointed Agent, including but not limited to; in the interest of child welfare and/or animal welfare.

7. **Fire Regulations**

7.1 You should provide at least one ABC Dry Powder Fire Extinguisher, that is BSEN3 and BS5423 compliant, which has been serviced in accordance BS5306 part 3.

7.2 Where cooking facilities are being used, at least one fire blanket must be provided. When gas rings are used to heat boilers etc, they must be stood on flameproof material which will not transmit heat. Cooking appliances must not be stood directly on grass or stubble.

7.3 No charcoal barbeques or open fires are allowed on site. Any charcoal barbeques or open fires will be extinguished by the Fire Service or Security.

7.4 In the event of a fire please raise the alarm immediately by ringing 999 from a mobile phone and stating your exact location. Please notify a Steward or Security as soon as possible.

7.5 In no circumstances must rubbish be stacked against caravans, tents, vehicles.

7.6 Fire Extinguishers are located in all marquees and at all emergency contact points throughout the showground.

8. **Holding Lanes and Campsite Re-Entry**

8.1 Access to the Public Campsites for new arrivals is between 08.00hrs and 20.00hrs from Tuesday 25th of August to Sunday 30th August.

8.2 Any Public Campers arriving between 20.00hrs and 08.00hrs will be held in the Campsite Processing Holding Lanes overnight until processing resumes at 08.00hrs. Toilets and Water points are available.

8.3 The Campsite Processing holding lanes open from 18.00hrs on **Monday 24th August**.

8.4 Any public Campers who have already been processed and wish to re-enter the campsites are permitted to do so between the hours of 06.00hrs and 01.00hrs.
9. **Liability**

9.1 The organiser will not be liable to the customer if the Event is cancelled, curtailed or altered in any way due to any occurrence outside the Organisers control (including adverse weather conditions), no refunds will be issued under these circumstances.

9.2. The organiser accepts no liability to the customer for the breach of contract, loss, injury or physical damage of any kind howsoever arising whether by statute or otherwise except where death or injury is caused by the negligence of the Organiser, its agents or servants.

9.3 Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd will not be liable for any damage caused by adverse weather conditions.

9.4 Only vehicle and pedestrian entry and exit gates marked on the site map must be used. The organisers will be held harmless with respect to all claims of, and liability to, loss or damage of any type arising from the the use of unauthorised entry and exit points/gates.

9.5 The Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd will be held harmless against any financial losses incurred by individuals or parties who breach these “General Terms & Conditions” of entry.

10. **Noise/Generators**

10.1 Petrol generators will be permitted on the campsites with a maximum of 5 litres of Petrol to be stored per generator, providing that it is in a British Standard green plastic petrol can.

10.2 All generators should be moderately sized and must not reach a noise level whereby they become a nuisance to adjacent campers.

10.3 The Organisers and Security will stop the use of any generator if, in their opinion, it is causing a nuisance to others or it is in a dangerous condition.

10.4 All generators must be turned off at 23.00hrs and must not be turned on again before 07.00hrs.

10.5 The use of generators, televisions, radios, stereos or other equipment that emits excessive noise is banned from 23.00hrs to 07.00 daily. At other times these must not exceed a moderate noise level.

10.6 Please be respectful of other campers and keep noise to a minimum overnight. Security and Stewards will be monitoring noise levels.

11. **Parking Enforcement**

11.1 Parking enforcement action will be taken if vehicles are parked causing an obstruction. Vehicles that are causing an obstruction will be towed away and the owner will be liable for the cost.

11.2 The organisers will be held harmless with respect to all claims of, and liability to, loss or damage of any type arising from the Organiser whilst enforcing the Condition above as per Condition 6.
12. Prohibited Items

12.1 The following items are prohibited at the Great Dorset Steam Fair on site: knives, crossbows, catapults, Chinese lanterns, non-pressurised wick lanterns, explosives, flares, offensive weapons, all firearms (which include shot guns, air guns, BB guns, replica and toy guns), any type of ammunition, anything that could be considered as a weapon, chainsaws, or fireworks.

12.2 All quad bikes, motorcycles, mini motorcycles and other conversions are prohibited and must not be used on site.

12.3 Any hi-visibility jackets with the names of any utility company such as Wessex Water, BT etc.

12.4 The sale or display of any items that bear the Great Dorset Steam Fair Limited logo or the words ‘The Great Dorset Steam Fair’, or any goods which could be construed as being official souvenirs of the show.

12.5 Other than domestic pets, no livestock or animals of any kind whatsoever.

12.6 The organisers reserve the right to demand that any items they deem unsuitable or unsafe be removed from Sale.

12.7 The use of drones, remote control aircraft and other associated flying objects are not permitted.

12.8 Walking sticks, walking canes (or similar) except for assistance with mobility impairments.

13. Refusal of Entry, Searching and Ejection

13.1 The Organisers reserve the right to refuse entry to any vehicle(s) or person(s) without giving reasons. In the event of refusal the organisers will not enter into discussions or correspondence on the subject.

13.2 In the interests of public safety, the Organisers and Security reserve the right to search any vehicle(s) or person(s) entering or exiting the site. All searches will be carried out in line with the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd Search Policy. Any person(s) who refuses to be searched will be asked to leave site.

13.3 Any person(s) who refuses to leave site when asked will be escorted off site in-line with the Great Dorset Steam Fair Ltd Ejection Policy.

14. Road Traffic Act

14.1 The Road Traffic Act applies on site. All vehicles being driven on site must be done so in accordance of this law. All drivers must have a valid Driving License, and all vehicles must have the necessary Insurance and MOT Certificate (where applicable).

14.2 Therefore, all vehicles being driven on site must be compliant with the Road Traffic Act for Insurance and Licensing Purposes, and carry the minimum third party insurance as required by the Road Traffic Act. The Event Organisers reserve the right to inspect Insurance Certificates, MOT Certificates and Driving Licences on demand.
15. **Security**
The Organisers will use reasonable endeavours to protect the site; accordingly, security personnel will patrol the site 24 hours a day from Saturday 22nd August to Tuesday 01st September.

15.2 If you see anyone causing trouble please report it as soon as possible to Security or call the Showground Helpline on 01258 690890. Please provide as much information as possible as this will help when dealing with an incident. Please make yourself aware of the location of the nearest 24hr Emergency Contact Point.

15.3 **THE GREAT DORSET STEAM FAIR LTD WILL NOT ACCEPT ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO GOODS OR EQUIPMENT, PRIOR TO, DURING OR AFTER THE SHOW.**

16. **Smoking**
16.1 In accordance with Smoke Free (Premises and Enforcement) Regulations 2006 all the Marquees on site will be No Smoking. No Smoking rules must be strictly observed in specified no smoking areas.

16.2 Sales of Cigarettes and Tobacco Products on site: -It is illegal to sell tobacco to any person under 18 years old. -It is illegal to sell loose cigarettes, they must be sold in their original packaging of 10, 20 or 25 with the required Health Warnings. Cigarettes and tobacco products must carry the fiscal mark to show the correct tax has been paid.

17. **Speed Limit**
The onsite speed limit is 5mph and must be complied with at all times.

18. **Traffic Control**
All Public Campers must comply with the traffic control equipment that is used on the showground. Anyone seen failing to comply with the equipment may be asked to leave the showground or not invited back in future years.

19. **Two Way Radio Equipment**
19.1 If a Public Camper wishes to use two-way radio equipment they must have the appropriate license from Ofcom for their use. The Organisers reserve the right to limit the use of two-way radios on the Showground and request that the Organisers receive frequencies which are to be used at the Show at least one month prior to the Show.

19.2 The Organisers have the right to limit the number of frequencies used. Should a Public Campers frequency interfere with the Organisers own equipment, the Public Camper will be asked to either change frequencies or to cease using the two-way radio equipment. The Public Camper will produce their licence to the Organisers if so requested.
20. Unauthorised Connection to Site Services and Utilities
The unauthorised connection to any site services and utilities is strictly prohibited and may result in your removal from site. This includes, but is not limited to, the unauthorised connection to site provided: electrical installations, water supplies and internet connections.

21. Vehicle Requirements and Movements
21.1 Vehicle movement must be kept to a minimum at all times.

21.2 Vehicle movements are restricted on show days, a Vehicle Curfew will be in place in the two Main Show Fields (marked Fields A and B on the map) between 09.00hrs to 18.00hrs and a site wide Vehicle Curfew will be in place between 01.00hrs to 06.00hrs. Only essential site vehicles displaying the appropriate pass and Emergency Vehicles will be permitted to move during Vehicle Curfews.

21.3 All roadways must be kept clear of stationary vehicles for emergency access; any vehicle blocking a roadway will be removed.

21.4 Should you leave the site during your stay, you may re-enter with your vehicle between the hours of 6am and 1am. If you return to the site between 1am and 6am, you will be held in a holding lane.

21.5 Vehicle movement on the campsites is prohibited except to enter and exit the campsite. Vehicles must not be driven around the campsites to use facilities such as the showers, shops etc. Any vehicles driving around the campsite will be stopped by security.

21.6 If you have purchased an item from within the showground that you need collecting please visit the Show Office. Do not attempt to drive onto the showground, if you have purchased an item we will deliver it to you.

22.0. Adverse Weather
22.1. During adverse/wet weather conditions the organisers reserve the right to amend and/or cancel displays, attractions and/or working areas at their discretion.

23. Prohibited and Permitted Vehicles
23.1 NO VANS, TRUCKS OR LORRIES of any description will be permitted on ANY of the Public Campsites. You must not book Public Camping if you have one of these vehicles as you will be refused admission without refund in all cases.

23.2 Cars, 4x4’s, Landrovers and crew cabs will be permitted.

23.3 Only professionally manufactured/converted motorhomes and campervans will be allowed on the pre-paid campsites.

23.4 Only one caravan is permitted to enter the site per towing vehicle, i.e. making duplicate/multiple trips with towing vehicles to fetch additional caravans is not permitted.

23.5 Arriving in a Prohibited Vehicle will automatically invalidate your booking, you will not be permitted access to the site and no refund will be given.
8. GENERAL SHOW INFORMATION

**Banking**
There will be banking facilities on site in the centre area of the Showground, providing Cash Machine and banking services.

**Campsite Shuttle Bus**
This year we will be providing a free shuttle bus service in campsites 1 and 2 which will transport campers from the campsite to the pay gate.

**Crime Prevention Advice**
As we want you to feel as safe as possible whilst staying with us, we have invested heavily in security, however with such a large showground we all need to be vigilant and take measures to look after our own property. Please follow these simple instructions to safeguard your property:

• Make sure you do not leave valuables unattended.

• If possible make sure your caravan or tent and property is marked with your postcode. In the event of it being stolen it is much more likely to be returned to you if your postcode is marked on it.

• Make sure you lock your caravan and don’t leave valuables on display. Use your car boot or caravan to lock possessions away securely.

• If using a generator please make sure it is secure at all times by chaining it to your car or caravan. If you are aware of anything suspicious within your campsite or on the showground please contact our event staff, security or call the telephone helpline on 01258 690890.

**Info and Emergency Points**
“Info and Emergency Points” are located on your campsite and throughout the whole site, and they are marked on the Site Map. Please note their locations. This should be your first point of contact in an emergency and they operate 24 hours a day.

**Evening Entry**
Evening Tickets are required after 17.00hrs and cost £12 if purchased in advance (£15 at the show) and children under 6 years enter free. If you already have a Day Ticket, evening entry is included.

**Grocery Shops**
We aim to provide you with the best grocery provision possible on the showground. Our approved retailer will supply a range of products at the most cost-effective price they can.

**Complaints**
Should you have a complaint in relation to the Event please contact the nearest “Info & Emergency Point” or the Show Office in the Administration Area on site promptly, as complaints may be difficult to rectify after the Event. Alternatively, you can email enquiries@gdsf.co.uk or call 01258 860361.
Medical Provision
If you are on any type of medication, then please bring enough of your usual medication to last for the entire duration of your stay on site. If you feel unwell or sustain an injury, please visit the Medical Centre which is very well equipped and professionally run. They are onsite and operational continuously from Sunday 23rd August to Monday 31st August. If you are ill or injured they will be able to help in the following ways:

• Offer treatment, being able to manage the majority of conditions on site
• Give advice on what to do next
• Make referrals to Accident and Emergency Departments if necessary
• Help you to make an appointment to see a Doctor The Medical Centre will have a doctor on site during the main show days, who will be supported with other highly qualified staff at all other times. For further assistance please visit the Medical Centre in the main Administration Area. The local hospital Minor Injuries Unit is NOT a walk in centre, but staff in the Medical Centre will be happy to advise

Shuttle Buses
Shuttle buses will be operating a hop-on and hop-off service around the perimeter of the showground on show days, price £5.

Radio Station
The Great Dorset Steam Fair’s very own onsite radio station will be broadcasting 24 hours everyday from Sunday 23rd August to Tuesday 1st September on 87.9 FM. The home of the Vintage Hits, playing great oldies together with show news, views and information, interviews, latest weather and traffic reports, competitions and much more… Look out for dedication forms around the show and our dedication line number on air.

You can also email a dedication before or during the show to studio@steamfairfm.com. You can listen online via the ‘listen live’ button on the Website www.gdsf.co.uk. Just select one of the streams compatible with your audio player.

Showground Telephone Helpline
01258 690890
We will again be offering a telephone helpline for all non-emergencies. This number should be used to report any problems or to contact the show organisers. IN AN EMERGENCY PLEASE RING 999

Showers
Shower facilities are supplied on all the main campsites and we employ dedicated staff to keep them clean. We aim to provide you with clean hot showers that are serviced regularly throughout the event.
Waste and Recycling
There is a substantial volume of waste at the Great Dorset Steam Fair, and this year we are continuing to make recycling and reusing our waste an even greater priority. At previous shows we have seen a total of 356 tons of waste – an enormous quantity. The components were separated off-site: cardboard was baled; wood and metal were “rehomed” and reused; glass, can and plastic were recycled. Organic & food waste was composted and vegetable oil was generated as a worthwhile by product.

The remaining combustible waste was transferred to a power station where it served as an efficient energy source. With the help of our waste contractor we’ll be collecting and disposing of the waste, and if you can use the waste and recycling bags provided, you will be helping us greatly.

Weather
We ask that you be prepared for all weather conditions. We sincerely hope that we will have good weather for this year’s show, however should we experience rain, please help us by following the points below:

• Please make sure your vehicle has a towing eye fitted to the front before arriving on site.
• If possible please make sure you bring your own tow rope as this will speed up the process if you become stuck.

The 2020 Great Dorset Steam Fair has three official general stores:
There will be a campsite store located in Campsite 1
a supermarket in Main Showground field A
and a kiosk in Main Showground field B.

These stores will be providing a wide range of goods and services to ensure you have everything you need to make your trip to the GDSF 2020 complete, without the need to leave site during the event for those essential supplies!

We look forward to providing all your daily essentials in 2020 and helping to make this year’s GDSF the best EVER.
THURSDAY 27TH AUGUST
TO BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY 31ST AUGUST 2020
South Down, Tarrant Hinton, Blandford, Dorset DT11 8HX

SHOWGROUND TELEPHONE HELPLINE
01258 690890

This telephone helpline will be available to everyone on the showground.
The service will be in operation from 8am on Sunday 23rd August through to 2pm on Tuesday 01st September

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www.facebook.com/GreatDorsetSteamFair

Scan the QR code with your smart phone to connect straight to our website

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