



2022/23

# Dorset Football League

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# Dorset Premier League

Promotion to Wessex or Western Leagues Division One

## Symbols



= Car



= Taxi



= Railroad



= Local Bus



= Walking

# Balti Sports

**Ground:** Cranford Avenue, Weymouth, DT4 7LQ

**Telephone** – 01305 777828

**First Colours:** Navy Blue Shirts, White Shorts, Blue and White Socks



## Driving to the Ground



Take the A354 to the Manor Roundabout at Morrisons and there take the first exit onto Dorchester Road and then take a left into Fernhill Road for Weymouth College, at the college take a left and park there and walk to the top and the ground will be in front of you.

## Public Transport & Walking



**20 minutes**

Train to **Weymouth Railway Station** then turn left into Queen Street and at the end do a right and left into Victoria Street, at the Park Inn take a right and then first left into Dorchester Road cross the road, then take the church path this will bring you out on Cranfield Road and then walk straight on through Weymouth College car park to the ground.

## Admission

Adults £3

OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Blandford United

**Ground** – Blandford Recreation Ground, Park Road, Blandford DT11 7DB

**Telephone** – 01258 456120

**First Colours:** Navy Blue Shirts, Shorts and Socks



## Driving to the Ground



### North

From the North take the A350 to Windmill Hill and then take a right for the B3082 and turn into Whitecliff Mill Hill and when you get to Blandford Hospital the ground is on the left.

### South

Take the A354 to the Tesco Roundabout and take the first exit onto the Bournemouth Road, the Stour Inn mini roundabout take the third exit onto West Street and follow it into Salisbury Road and then take a left for the Hospital and the ground is on the left opposite the hospital.

## Public Transport & Walking



**2 minutes**



**X8**



**2 minutes**

Train to **Poole Railway Station** and then from outside the Station take the **More X8 bus** to Blandford Hospital and walk across the road to the ground.



## Admission

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Bournemouth Sports

**Ground:** Bournemouth University Sports Campus, Chapel Gate, East Parley BH23 6BL

**Telephone** – 07450 428279

**First Colours:** Amber and Black Shirts, Black Shorts, Black and Amber Socks



## Driving to the Ground



Take the A388 and then take the Hurn turn off for the B3073 and take a right and head for Hurn, at Hurn Bridge roundabout take the first exit signposted for Bournemouth Sports Centre and at the Chapel Gate Roundabout take the second exit, then turn left for sports centre and the ground is at the end of the car park.

## Public Transport & Walking



**2 minutes**



**13**



**30 mins**

Train to **Bournemouth Railway Station** and there take the **More 13 bus** to Parley Cross and walk up to the crossroads and take a right into Chichester Road and at Chapel Gate Roundabout take a left and then left for the sports ground and its at the end of the car park.

## Admission

Adults £3

OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Dorchester Sports

**Ground:** The Avenue Stadium, Weymouth Avenue, Dorchester DT1 2RY

**Telephone** – 07796 541901

**First Colours:** Sky Blue Shirts Black Shorts and Sky Blue Socks



## Driving to the Ground



From the M27 go off at Junction 1, the M27 becomes the A31. Remain on this road for approximately 25 miles, until Bere Regis roundabout. Here you take the A35 Tolpuddle Bypass to Dorchester. After the dual carriageway section of the bypass, you will come to Kingston Maurward roundabout. Continue across the roundabout along the A35. Turn right at the next roundabout and right again into the Tesco complex. At the roundabout inside the complex, turn right again past the entrance to the petrol station and take the left-hand fork to the stadium parking area. Terrace entrances are situated adjacent to this, whilst the bar and stand entrances are on the opposite side of the ground.



From the M5 take Junction 23, and then the A39 towards Glastonbury. At Street, take the B3151 through Somerton to Ilchester and then the A37 into Yeovil. Continue on through Yeovil

on the A37, following signs for Dorchester. On the approach to Dorchester, follow signs for Park and Ride, turning right onto the bypass.

At the next roundabout take the second exit and continue to the next roundabout. The ground is in front of you at this roundabout and to get to the car park, turn left and then right into the Tesco complex. At the roundabout inside the complex, turn right again past the entrance to the petrol station and take the left-hand fork to the stadium parking area. Terrace entrances are situated adjacent to this, whilst the bar and stand entrances are on the opposite side of the ground.

### Public Transport & Walking



**12 minutes**

The ground is close to two railway stations **Dorchester South Railway Station** and exit the platform through the ticket office and then follow the station approach road to the end (next to the Station Public House). Take a left to the traffic lights and at the lights, continue straight across the railway bridge and the ground is about five minutes down the road on your left - hand side, just after Tesco. The bar and stand entrances are adjacent to the road, the terrace entrances are on the opposite side of the ground.

The alternative is to take the train to **Dorchester West Railway Station** and alight from the train at and exit from the platform adjacent to Do-It-All. Walk down the hill to the traffic lights and the junction where Great Western Road, Maumbury Road, Damers Road and Cornwall Road meet. Turn right onto Maumbury Road, and continue with the market area to your left. At the next set of traffic lights turn right across the railway bridge. The ground is about five minutes down the road on the left-hand side, just after Tesco. The bar and stand entrances are adjacent to the road, the terrace entrances are on the opposite side of the ground.

### Admission

Adults £3

OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Holt United

**Ground** - Petersham Lane, Gaunts Common, Holt, Wimborne BH21 4JR

**Telephone** - 01258 840 379

**First Colours:** Red and Black Shirts, Black Shorts and Socks

### Driving to the Ground



Take the A31 and leave for St Leonards and at the roundabout from the North take the third exit and first exit from the south onto Horton Road follow the road and the take a left for Lower Mannington and Holt and just before the T Junction take a right and then right again, as you

come into Guants Common take a left into Petersham Lane and the ground is on the left at Witchampton junction.



**Public Transport & Walking**



Train to **Poole Railway Station** then walk 5 minutes to Sterte Road and take the **More Bus 3** to Wimbourne Minster and then take a taxi to the ground and book a return journey as the buses back to Poole are at 17.25 and 17.55.

**Admission**

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

**Merley Cobham Sports**

**Ground** - Cobham Sports & Social Club, Merley Park, Wimborne BH21 3DA  
**Telephone** - 01202 885 773  
**First Colours:** Royal blue Shirts, Shorts and Socks





### Driving to the Ground



Take the A31 to Wimborne roundabout there take the first exit from the north and second from the south and straight through the roundabout, then first left into Merley Park Road and the entrance to the ground is on the right after 10 yards.

### Public Transport & Walking



5 minutes



4



9 minutes

Train to **Poole Railway Station** then walk up Serpentine Road past Barclays House then turn right and walk to the roundabout and there turn right and this is about 9 minutes' walk Barclays on Wimborne Road and there take the **More Buses 4** to Blackwater Drive on Gravel Hill then walk 500 yards down to the pub there take a left and then first right for the ground which is behind the pub

### Admission

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Poole Borough

**Ground** - Turlin Moor Recreation Ground, Hamworthy, BH16 5BN  
**Telephone** – 07449 172280  
**First Colours:** Black and Amber Shirts, Black Shorts and Socks



**Driving to the Ground**



Take the A31 to Lake Gate roundabout at Ashington there take the first exit into Wimbourne Road, go straight on at a number of roundabouts and at the T Junction take a left and join the A350, at the next roundabout take the second exit, straight on at the next roundabout and at Snows Garage turn right into and the ground is on the left they share it with the local rugby club.

**Public Transport & Walking**



**12 minutes**

Train to **Hamworthy Railway Station** then out of the main entrance take a right and at the end take a left after the Esso Garage and then first right and the ground will in front of you and take the lane to the ground.

**Admission**

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Sturminster Marshall

**Ground:** Churchill Close Sturminster Marshall BH21 4BQ

**Telephone** – 07714 763005

**First Colours:** Green Shirts and Shorts with Black Socks



## Driving to the Ground



Take the A31 to the roundhouse roundabout and then take the second exit for Sturminster Marshall A350 and when you reach the village take a right for the Red Lion Inn go straight on at the roundabout and at the primary school turn left into Churchill Close then take a right and the ground is on the left

## Public Transport & Walking



**2 minutes**



**X8**



**6 mins**

Train to **Poole Railway Station** then follow the path round to the right and under the bridge and round to the lights there cross over the road turn right and walk up to the bus stop and



take the **Dalmory X8 bus** to Sturminster Marshall to first School and then walk back and turn right and then right again and the ground is on the left.

### Admission

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Sturminster Newton United

**Ground:** Barnett Lane, Honeymead Lane, Sturminster Newton DT10 1EW

**Telephone** – 07398 206487

**First Colours:** Red & Black Shirts, black Shorts and Socks.



### Driving to the Ground



Take the A357 and from the West take a left and from the east take a right for the Leisure Centre and cross the River Stour bridge into Bridge Street and at the High School take a right for the Leisure Centre and then left for the Leisure Centre and the football ground is at the top the lane.



## Public Transport & Walking



**2 minutes**



**X8**



Train to **Poole Railway Station** then follow the path round to the right and under the bridge and round to the lights there cross over the road turn right and walk up to the bus stop and take the **Dalmory X8 bus** to Blandford Crown Hotel and then take a **Taxi** to the ground.

## Admission

Adults £3

OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Swanage Town & Herston

**Ground** - Days Park, De Moulham Road Swanage, BH19 1NN

**Telephone:** 01929 424 673

**First Colours:** Black and White shirts, Black Shorts and Black Socks



## Driving to the Ground



Take the A351 to Gorfe Castle and take a left onto the B 3351 and just before the golf course turn right for Swanage and at the T Junction turn right onto Ulwell Road and at the Crows Inn turn right into Seaward Road then right into De Moulham Road and walk 300 metres to the ground by going through North Beach Car Park the ground is on the left

**Public Transport & Walking**



Train to **Bournemouth Railway Station** and then walk 4 minutes to the Bus Station there take the More Bus 50 from Stand A to Swanage, Castleton Hotel on Ulwell Road there cross the road walk past the Crow’s Nest Inn and then take a left into Seaward Road then right into De Moulham Road and walk 300 metres to the ground by going through North Beach Car Park the ground is on the left



You can take the train to **Poole Railway Station** and walk under the bridge and through the shopping centre to the bus station then take the **More X50 bus** to the Crow Nest and then take a left into Seaward Road then right into De Moulham Road and walk 300 metres to the ground by going through North Beach Car Park the ground is on the left

**Admission**

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

**Wareham Rangers**

**Ground** - Purbeck Sports Centre, Worgret Road, Wareham, BH20 4PH  
**Telephone:** 01929 556454  
**First Colours:** Gold and black, Black shorts and Socks

**Driving to the Ground**



Take A351 to Purbeck Roundabout and take the first exit onto Worgret Road and then take first right for the Sports Centre and the pitch is beside the hockey ground



### Public Transport & Walking



19 minutes

Train to **Wareham Railway Station (Dorset)** there take a right and walk down past Saxon Roundabout North Street to the Town Museum crossroads there take a right into West Street and the entrance to the ground is on the left for the Sports Centre and the pitch is beside the hockey ground

### Admission

Adults £3

OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

# Westland Sports

**Ground** - Alvington Development Centre, Alvington Lane, Yeovil, BA22 8UX

**Telephone:** 07976 374143

**First Colours:** Sky- and Navy-Blue Shirts, Navy Blue Shorts and Socks

### Driving to the Ground



From the south take the A37 and join the A30 at Yeovil at the Quicksilver Inn and from the west continue on past the Quicksilver Inn and follow the A30 to Westcombe Hill Road in Yeovil, at the roundabout take the first exit and at the next roundabout go straight on into

Bunford Road, next roundabout takes the first exit into Bluebell Road then first left and the first left into Alvington Lane and the entrance to the ground is on the left.



### Public Transport & Walking



68 →



81 →



4 minutes

Train to **Yeovil Junction Railway Station** and then take the **South Western Coaches 68 bus** to Denners and then take the **South West Coaches 81 bus** to Bluebell Road walk back to the airfield Tavern and take a right then first left into Alvington Lane and the entrance to the ground is on the left.

### Admission

Adults £3  
OAP's/Students Under 16's £1

**Reserve Sides-** Bridport, Hamworthy United, Portland United, Shaftsbury Town Sherborne Town and Wimborne Town

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# **Cranborne**

**Ground:** Mick Loader Recreation Ground, Penny's Lane, Cranborne BH21 5QE  
**Telephone:** 01725 517 440



## Public Transport/Walking



Train to **Salisbury** then walk up to the roundabout there walk straight on into Fisherton Street and just before the church turn left into Malthouse Lane then right into Priory Way just past Salisbury Playhouse then first left into Minster Street and follow it to the Sainsbury there take a right past Superdrug then cross the bridge over the river past the library and just past Strada take a left and out of the prescient take a left then first right into Blue Boar Road to the Bus Station there take the **Damory Coaches 302** to Crane Street in Cranbourne at the Fire Station and walk towards the primary School and then follow the road left and then take a first right and the ground is on the left just past the Cricket ground.

# Parley Club

Ground - Christchurch Road, West Parley BH22 8SQ

**Telephone:** 01202 573 345

## Public Transport/Walking



Train to **Bournemouth** then walk 4 minutes to the Bus Station and there take the **More Bus 13** from Stance 1 to the Cross Roads in West Parley and at the crossroads take a right and the ground is 100 yards on the left.