

# By foot/bicycle

Shirehall is easily accessible by bicycle or on foot. If you need help planning your cycle route to the Shirehall call Transport Planning on **01743 253035**, or visit **www.shropshire.gov.uk/cycling.nsf** to download a Shrewsbury cycle map.

Covered parking for bicycles, motorcycles and scooters is sited in the short-stay car park.

### **Meetings and events**

Anyone arranging a meeting or event at Shirehall should encourage visitors to car share or use other means of transport if at all possible. **Please warn** them that parking may not be available to them, especially at peak times.

### **Access for disabled people**

The main and north entrances have ramp wheelchair access. **Please note** there is no ramp from the visitors' car park to the building. There are accessible toilets on the ground floor and lifts which access all floors.

Disabled parking spaces are at the front of Shirehall. Cars may be parked at the base of the Column on the white paviours, or at the base of the ramp by prior arrangement with main reception (01743 252873).

If you or someone you know would like this leaflet in large print, Braille or audio tape, this can be arranged. If you would like this publication in another language, we can translate it for you. Please contact (01743) 252826



# HOW TO FIND **SHIREHALL**



Shropshire County Council has a commitment through its Shirehall Travel Plan to encourage more sustainable travel. Please consider using public transport, cycling, walking or car sharing to reach us. All visitors are asked to report to main reception on arrival.

Shropshire County Council Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY2 6ND

Tel: 0845 678 9000 www.shropshire.gov.uk

### HOW TO FIND **SHIREHALL**

### By train

Shirehall is 2km from Shrewsbury railway station.

For train times call National Rail Enquiries **08457 484950** (24 hours), Welsh Language Tel: **0845 6040500**, Textphone **0845 6050600**. Online advance bookings can be made at www.nationalrail.co.uk

Free cycle parking facilities are available at platform 7 (lift from ground floor). Bicycles can be parked overnight. Both Arriva Trains Wales and Central Trains carry cycles free of charge on local services (subject to space).

The taxi rank is outside the main entrance to the station. The journey by taxi will take approximately 5 minutes.

If you are walking (30 mins) or cycling (10 mins) from here to Shirehall, cross the station car park to the traffic lights, turn left up Castle Gates and follow the map overleaf.

If you wish to travel from the train station to Shirehall by bus (8 mins): cross the station car park heading towards the traffic lights. Cross the road at the pelican crossing into SMITHFIELD ROAD (A488). Walk approximately 250 metres down this road to the bus station which is on the left (just into RAVEN MEADOWS).

## By car

For free online route planning visit **www.theaa.com** or **www.rac.co.uk** Please note that car parking at Shirehall is limited. We recommend that you use alternatives to the car whenever possible.

- **Short-stay parking** for staff and visitors whose business will last one hour or less.
- 2 Car share, members & authorised visitor parking for staff who have registered as car sharers;

for members; and for visiting speakers, inspectors etc who have been booked in with main reception (tel 01743 252873) by officers or members.

- 3 Visitors' parking for general visitor use.
- 4 Staff parking, exclusively for the use of staff.
- **5** Disabled staff parking.
- **6** Disabled visitors' parking.
- 7 Crown Court parking.
- C Visitor cycle parking.

# By bus

For bus times call Traveline on **0870 6082608** (0700 to 2230 daily).

### Textphone on **0870 2412216**.

Services from around the county terminate at Shrewsbury bus station.

Connections to Shirehall: The connecting service No. 8 (destination Sutton Farm) leaves Shrewsbury bus station, **Stand C** every 15 minutes (at 00, 15, 30 and 45 minutes past the hour). The bus stop is right outside the front of the Shirehall (by the Lord Hill Column). The journey takes 8 minutes. On your return, the bus stop is opposite Shirehall.

The following services access Shrewsbury via the Shirehall:

- Service 81: Wellington (four buses per day)
- **Service X5**: Telford (hourly)
- Service 96: Telford, Ironbridge, Buildwas, Wroxeter, Atcham
- **Service 436/437**: Bridgnorth, Much Wenlock, Cressage (hourly)

