

WHEELCHAIR ACCESS

Regarding wheelchair access to the building, there are five steps coming into the building for which we can offer the following two options:

1: Stair Climber – C-Max U1

The person must be able to transfer themselves, either with assistance or alone, from their own chair into the stair climber.

The stair climber climbs the stair electrically but is man operated. Their own chair will be carried in separately for use within the building. For this reason, we cannot accommodate the very large and heavy wheelchairs/cars as they must be able to fit into the lift and also be carried in.

Here is a link to how the stair climber works: <https://www.aatgb.com/c-max-u1/>

(if you cannot access the link, please enter 'C-Max U1 stair climber' into you search engine).

2: To be carried in.

We can arrange for our caretaker to help carry the person in along with their chair but further help must be arranged by the organisers.

In both options, we request advance notice, a name and mobile number of the person. We will also give the contact number of our caretaker so that they can call a head of their arrival to ensure someone is waiting for them at the main entrance.

Regretfully, a ramp is not permitted due to the width of the pavement and the fact that we are a listed building, the stair climber was the only option available to us.

Due to the above limitations, we cannot accommodate extremely large wheelchairs, heavy wheelchairs (often the electric types) which are too large to fit into the lift or are too heavy for persons to be carried in.

Once inside the building there is a lift and a disabled toilet.

Lift Measurements:

Width of lift doors (gap once open): 660mm

Height of lift doors (gap once open): 1996 mm

Wight load of lift: 400kg

Internal Width of the lift: 960mm

Internal depth of the lift: 1100 mm