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Access Guide

Hengistbury Headlines

Hengistbury Head, Bournemouth 22-25 September 2016

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Facilities

What	Y/N	Notes
Blue Badge parking	Υ	Blue Bade Parking is available in
		Hengistbury Head Car Park.
Accessible toilets	Υ	Accessible toilets at Hiker Café and
		Mudeford Spit - marked on the
		Hengistbury Headlines Map Guide.
Accessible food stalls	Υ	

Event information

See our Hengistbury Headlines Schedule online for individual show times. For 'Grading' Key see page 7.

Name	Type of Event	Distance	Terrain	Grading (red/ orange/ green)	Duration	Seated/ standing	Sudden Loud noises and Lighting effects	Notes
The Soaring Sky	Promenade performance	200m in performance, 250m to return to Solent Beach Car Park	Wooden boardwalk which will be swept before performances, but some	Green	10 minutes	Standing	No	Touch Tour at 1pm-1:30pm on Sunday 25 September, ahead of the first

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			sand may remain.					performance at 1:30pm Written descriptions will also be provided and Volunteers will be available to read the information.
Remnant Ecologies	Do Not Feed The Birds! Is a promenade performance Other pieces are static sound installations.	Performance roaming between Hiker Café and Visitor Centre: 150m From first to last installation: 1500m	Hard standing – concrete paths (performance) Installations - firm compacted dirt paths/hard	Green	25 minutes for performance 'Do Not feed the Birds'. The installations are in place for the whole of the event.	Standing	No	Written descriptions will also be provided and Volunteers will also be available to read the information.

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			standing					
Hides	Static installation animated with performance.	10-20m from footpath.	Uneven ground, short grass next to steep slope to beach.	Green	The installation is in place for the whole of the event.	Standing, seating available	No	Touch Tour at 12pm-12:30pm on Sunday 25 September.
Cloudscapes	Static performance and installation inside a vehicle.		Uneven ground, various heights of grasses, directly next to beach and gravel areas. Installation inside a ramped horse box.	Green/Orange	45 minutes	Seated	No	BSL interpreted performance at 4:15pm – 5pm on Sunday 25 September.
Overture	Static sound installation.	10m from footpath.	Access to the site involves steep slopes,	Orange/Red due to steep slopes to	The installation is in place for	Standing, seating available	No	Written descriptions will also be

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			see Hengistbury Headlines Map. The installation is within a flat grass field, positioned next to a concrete path, some ground is uneven.	access. Accessible with electric wheelchair/ mobility scooter.	the whole of the event.			provided and Volunteers will also be available to read the information.
Romantic Botanic	Promenade performance.	800m from start to finish.	Getting to and from Romantic Botanic involves steep slopes, please refer to the Hengistbury Headlines	Orange/Red	40 minutes	Standing	No	BSL interpreted performance at 12:30 – 1:15pm on Sunday 25 September.

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			map guide. This piece involves walking along with the performers. The ground is, at times, uneven with narrow paths.					
You're Getting Warmer	Promenade interactive installation / treasure hunt	1434m from start to finish	Concrete paths	Green	45-60 minutes	Standing	No	
Tree	Promenade dance performance.	1562m from start to finish	Concrete paths, uneven grass land, beach shingle, gravel and woodland.	Green/Orange	75 minutes	Standing	No	Recommended viewing points will be sign posted when performance takes place on beach areas.

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General Info

- Refer to the Hengistbury Headlines map guide, available online and at the event
- What to bring All events are outdoors, so please dress appropriately for the changing weather and time of day and bring a water bottle. Most events are generally not seated and in some instances, audiences will move around, so suitable footwear is essential. A torch may also be useful for some of the more rural events
- Food and drink: there will be stalls offering food and drink, alongside the Hiker cafe and the Beach House Cafe, most will cater for vegetarian and gluten free diets. Please inform food sellers of any allergies or intolerances before purchasing food.

Grading Key

The following coding system has been used where possible, detailed descriptions on each site are also included. The information included in this guide is to help audience members decide which routes they want to take as they move around the village and the festival sites. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask a member of Activate at the festival information points or contact Jen Walke, Festival Producer on 07970 915970 or 01305 260954

GREEN: Gentle to moderate gradients with reasonably level surfaces. Path surfaces include tarmac, short grass and firm compacted gravel. No narrow gaps, steps or other access restrictions. Suitable for some wheelchair users and mobility scooters but assistance may be required on some slopes and surfaces.

ORANGE: Moderate gradients with uneven surfaces. Long grass and uneven surfaced paths with loose gravel, and larger sized stones. No narrow gaps, steps or other access restrictions. Suitable for some all-terrain mobility scooters.

RED: Steep gradients or paths with narrow, uneven surfaces. Long grass, un-surfaced paths with larger diameter loose gravel, bare earth, exposed tree roots and large stones. Narrow gaps including bridges, steps and other access restrictions.

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