

# Cotebrook Shire Horse Centre

## Access Statement

### Arrival :-

- There are 3 designated parking bays.
- There is ramped access from the car park to the entrance.

### General Site Accessibility :-

- There is wheelchair access to a reasonable proportion of the site.
- The area around the farmyard and education centre has hard surfaces in most places and is mainly level.
- Many of the horses are grazed in the fields on the farm and the paths to these are grassed and some have steep inclines, so manual wheelchair users will need the assistance of a very able pusher to negotiate them (especially in wet weather).
- Please note the adjoining 16<sup>th</sup> century Alvanley Arms has many original features including narrow doorways which mean that it has limited access for wheelchair users.

### Toilets :- The Centre facility

- There is good wheelchair turning space
- Ample room for a carer/carers
- Grab rails
- Right hand transfer to the toilet
- Easy access to the washbasin
- Easy access to the hand dryer

### Restaurant/Tearoom/ Shop

There is level access to the shop with sufficient room between shelving and displays and easy access to the restaurant with good access to the tables.

## **Other**

Pre-booking is required for parties requiring a guided tour and discounts are available for groups.

Assistance dogs are welcome but please note as this is a farm, prior notice is required.

There are videos in the café and the education centre that explain about Cotebrook and the Shire Horses for those who cannot access the fields.

**Whilst every effort has been made to ensure the information contained in this statement is correct, visitors with disabilities are advised to contact Cotebrook Shire Horse Centre directly for any particular requirements they may have for their own needs.**

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