



August 2025

Dear Residents,

RE: Manchester Pride - Key Dates, Times, and Important Information

We hope this letter finds you well. As you may be aware, the much-awaited Manchester Pride Festival is fast approaching. We are writing to provide you with essential details regarding the event's schedule, access, accreditation, road closures, and communication channels to ensure a smooth and enjoyable experience for everyone involved.

Key Dates & Times:

Site and Infrastructure Build:

Dates: 18th August to 22nd August

General Working Times: 0800 to 2000 (exceptions may apply due to weather conditions)

Dates: 22nd August to 25th August

Manchester Pride Activity Timings: 1200 to 0000 daily

Breakdown and De-rig of Infrastructure:

Dates: August 25th to August 28th

General Working Times: 0800 to 2000 (exceptions may apply due to weather conditions)

Please note that some businesses in the Village may host Pride-related activities outside of these times.

Access & Accreditation:



The safety of all Village community members and visitors during the Pride weekend is our top priority. To ensure everyone's well-being, we will be implementing security measures and infrastructure installations. We understand that this might cause some minor disruption to your daily routine.

Residents of premises within the Gay Village Party site will receive a residents' wristband that will grant smooth access to their homes. Please see the map below detailing the site in red. To register for these

wristbands, please visit:

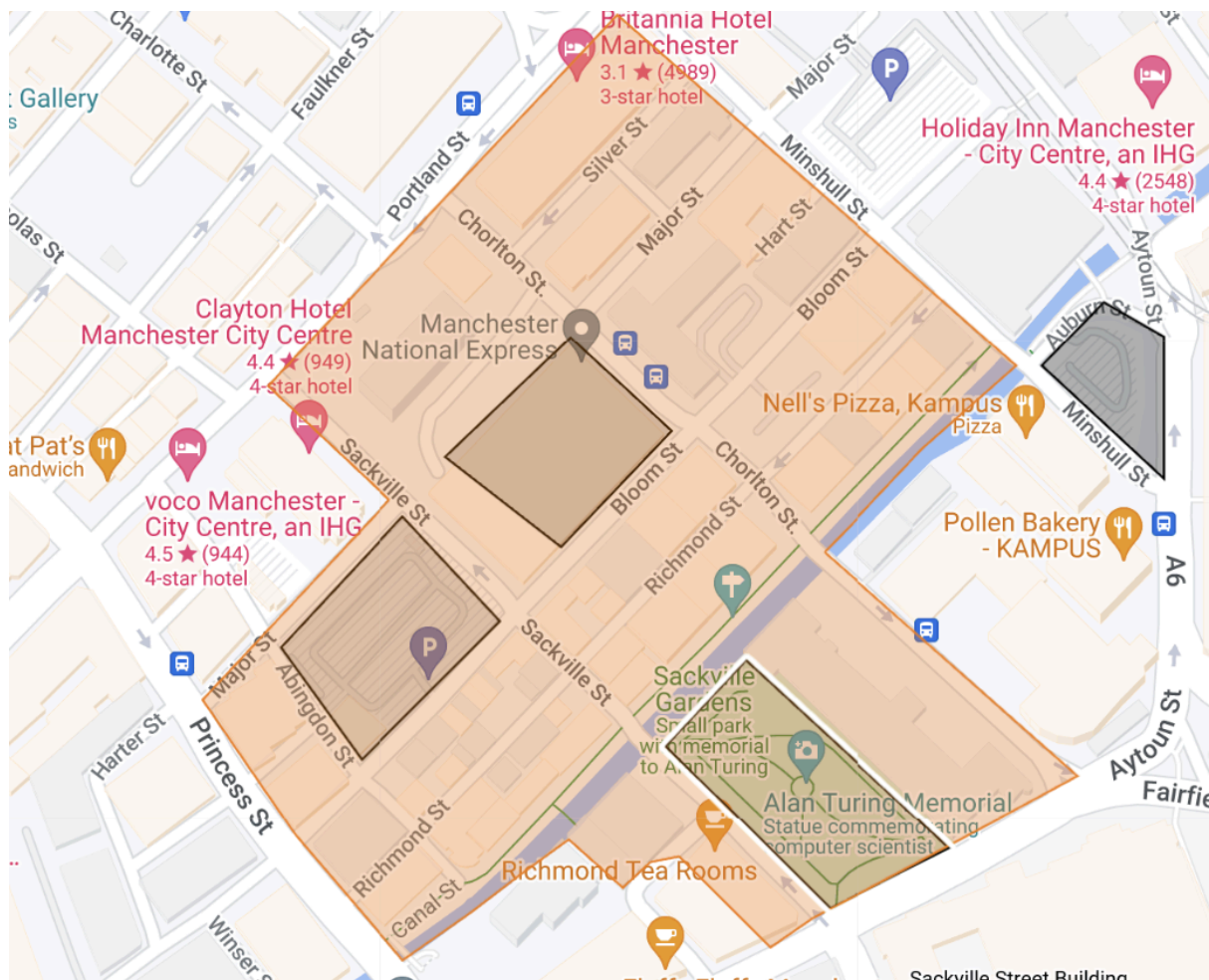
<https://www.manchesterpride.com/village-residents-and-businesses-information> and click the 'Apply for Accreditation' link. Additionally, private residents may register for up to 4 Gay Village Party wristbands that will grant you and your guests access to our three staged arenas. This is not applicable to any rented holiday accommodations. Holiday rentals will need to apply for business wristbands for any staff attending the properties.

Please complete the application form before the 12th August.

Accreditation can be collected from the Manchester Piccadilly Hotel, 91 London Rd, Manchester M1 2PG. Please see the table for opening times. You will need to bring proof of your address, in the form of a driver's licence or utility bill. Only residents whose property resides inside the Gay Village Party site will be accepted for Accreditation.

Accreditation Collection Centre Opening Times:

Wednesday 20th August	12:00 - 22:00
Thursday 21st August	12:00 - 22:00
Friday 22nd August	12:00 - 22:00
Saturday 23rd August	15:00 - 22:00
Sunday 24th August	12:00 - 14:00



Road Closures:

In the interest of safety, certain roads in and around the Village will be closed and altered during the event. We are making efforts to maintain access to residential parking wherever possible, and if your building is affected, you will be directly contacted with further information.

The majority of road closures will be in place on the morning of Friday 22nd and will reopen on Tuesday 26th August at 7am. There are some exceptions to this, please see below.

Please see the full list of road closures below:

Road Name	From	To	Date From	Start Time	Date To	End Time
Major Street	Abingdon Street	Sackville Street	8/19/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Portland Street	Aytoun Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Portland Street	New York Street	Piccadilly	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Abingdon Street	Silver Street	Canal Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Canal Street	Abingdon Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Richmond Street	Princess Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Bloom Street	Princess Street	to It's extent	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Major Street	Princess Street	Abingdon Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Little David Street	Chorlton Street	In its entirety	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Hart Street	Princess Street	In its entirety	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Hart Street	Minshull Street	In its entirety	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Princess Street	Whitworth Street	Major Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Sackville Street	Whitworth Street	Major Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Chorlton Street	Whitworth Street	Major Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Minshull Street	Aytoun Street	Major Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Minshull Street	Major Street	Portland Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Auburn Street	Aytoun Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Major Street	Chorlton Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Silver Street	Chorlton Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	6:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Portland Street	Portland Street	Minshull Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Portland Street	Portland Street	Princess Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Harter Street	Harter Street	Princess Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Bloom Street E/bound	Bloom Street	Princess Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00
Waterloo Street	Waterloo Street	Princess Street	8/22/2025	10:00	8/26/2025	7:00

Resident Communications:

We encourage you to contact our residents hotline if you encounter any urgent issues during the event. 3. The hotline number is **07759 876094**. Any reported issues will be logged with our Event Control team and addressed promptly.

For matters not requiring immediate action, you can contact our team at 0800 0912 770 from now until Tuesday, August 26th, between 10:00 and 18:00.

We deeply value your understanding and cooperation in making Manchester Pride a safe and successful celebration. This event is an opportunity for us to come together, celebrate diversity, and promote inclusivity. We are committed to minimising disruptions and ensuring the well-being of all residents and visitors.

Thank you for your ongoing support, and we look forward to celebrating Manchester Pride with you!



Warm regards,
Team Manchester Pride