# Malton Food Lovers Festival FAQ's

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup>, Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> and BH Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2022 9am to 6pm (Saturday/Sunday) & 10am to 5pm (BH Monday)

### Q – Where can we park?

A- We have two festival car parks with a free Park & Ride service into town from both sites.

- Riverside Meadow Park & Ride. £7.50 per car with a free shuttle bus to the festival for all passengers
- Orchard Fields Park & Ride. £7.50 per car with a free shuttle bus to the festival for all passengers

From the A64 eastbound follow the signs to our 'Riverside Meadow' car park that is adjacent to the York Road industrial park.

From the A64 westbound follow the signs through Old Malton to our 'Orchard Fields' car park. If you use the What3Words navigation app the reference for Riverside Meadow is (<a href="https://w3w.co/dined.newspaper.comforted">https://w3w.co/dined.newspaper.comforted</a>) and the reference for Orchard Fields is <a href="https://w3w.co/croutons.coupler.contents">https://w3w.co/croutons.coupler.contents</a>.

The Park & Ride coaches will run continuously from 9am to 6.30pm on Friday/Saturday and 10am to 5.30pm on Sunday. The frequency will be approximately every 15 minutes (depending on traffic).

Well behaved dogs on leads are welcome on the shuttle buses.

Disabled parking will be available at both Park & Ride sites but if the disabled person cannot transfer to the coach then we recommend they use the council pay & display car parks at Wentworth Street and Water Lane. A very limited number of spaces are available on a first come, first served basis in the private car park adjacent to the Newgate entrance (speak to the road closure staff for access info).

### Other Malton car parks:

- Wentworth Street Car Park. RDC Pay & Display
- Water Lane Car Park. RDC Pay & Display

https://www.ryedale.gov.uk/information/parking-roads/car-parks/

# Q – Is there coach parking available?

A - The usual coach drop off point is behind the road closures - so for this event coaches are advised to make their way to Spital Fields Court (YO17 7LH). This is a side street opposite one of the entrances to the festival and is just around the corner from where the Park & Ride service drops off. Once the passengers have been dropped off, the coach park is at Wentworth Street Car Park (YO17 7BQ), accessed via Smithson Court.

Q – Is there any parking overnight for campers or campervans?

A – The Malton Food Lovers Festival car parks (Orchard Fields and Riverside Meadow) are not suitable for use overnight and the gate will be locked at approximately 6.30/7pm.

We suggest you look for official sites via the Welcome To Yorkshire website:

https://www.yorkshire.com/accommodation/listings?categories=&dateRange=&location=malton&occupancy=&term=

# Q – Can we travel to Malton by train?

A – Yes, Malton is accessible by train and the train station is a short walk from where the festival is taking place. Please check the train timetables before you travel <a href="https://www.tpexpress.co.uk/travel-updates/temporary-timetable-amendments">https://www.tpexpress.co.uk/travel-updates/temporary-timetable-amendments</a>

Q – How far is the Festival from the train and bus station?

A – The Malton Food Lovers Festival is approximately a third of a mile from the train and bus station (5-10 minute walk). This route will be sign posted.

Q – Will there be any baby changing facilities?

A – Yes, the disabled access loos also have baby changing stations inside and there are baby changing facilities available inside The Milton Rooms.

Q - Can I bring my dog?

A – Yes, Malton is generally a very dog friendly town (the UK's most dog friendly market town 2018) and dogs are welcome as long as you are sure they can cope with the conditions. However, the Food Lovers Festival is extremely busy so we advise against bringing dogs if possible because their paws could easily be stood on and their leads could trip people up. If you do choose to bring your dog, they must be kept on leads at all times and you must clear up after your dog immediately. If your dog is getting upset or is causing a nuisance to other festival goers then you and your dog may be asked to leave.

Q- Do I need a ticket to enter the Malton Food Lovers Festival?

A – The Malton Food Lovers Festival is free to enter. Food and drink and any produce bought at the Festival will need to be paid for. Children's entertainment (such as fairground rides) will be chargeable. Magical Quests will be offering free character 'meet & greets throughout the weekend. The Be Amazing Arts children's activity tent (next to The Milton Rooms) offers free activities (storytelling, performing arts workshops and a dizzy disco) and also offer face painting and crafts for a nominal fee. The 'Creativitent' will be open 10am to 5pm on Sat/Sun and 11am to 4pm on BH Monday.

Q – What are the Main Stage timings?

A – The provisional running order is as follows:

#### Saturday

- 10.00 Paul Robinson Head of Innovation at Yorkshire Baker
- 11.00 Lee Rushforth from Evolve Your Roots
- 12.00 Torie True Author of 'Chilli & Mint'
- 13.00 Tommy Banks from The Black Swan, Oldstead & Roots, York
- 14.30 Kathryn Bumby, The Yorkshire Pasta Co with Gilly Robinson from The Cook's Place

## Sunday

- 11.00 Gilly Robinson The Cook's Place with Annabelle Taylor from Wass Farm
- 12.00 Jon Appleby from The Feversham Arms
- 13.00 Rob Porter from Rob's Cooking Tips & Tricks
- 14.00 David Atherton Winner of Great British Bake Off (2019)
- 15.00 Simon Jewitt from Crafthouse & Angelica

# **BH Monday**

- 11.00 Ellie Dunderdale Cooking in Tudor times
- 12.00 Donna Wright from Arnold's of Bridlington
- 13.00 Jono Hawthorne from V & V
- 14.00 Peter Garlick from The Talbot
- 15.00 Alice Booth New Product Development Manager at Yorkshire Baker

Timings are subject to change, for up-to-date info please see the chalkboards at the entrance to the demo tent.

Q – What is happening at The Cooks Place over the Food Lovers Festival weekend?

A – The provisional running order is as follows:

Yorkshire Baker is working in partnership with The Cook's Place, to run pop-ups across the festival weekend. The bakery's innovation team will run hourly demonstrations each day from 11am – 4pm, allowing festivalgoers to get some tips for creating delectable miniature pies at home.

Q – Will there be any vegan, vegetarian and/or gluten free food?

A – Yes, there will be several traders selling veggie and/or vegan dishes and/or other special diet options. Please check with the individual vendor to make sure the food/ingredients is right for your requirements. The information stand at the festival will be able to give you directions. There is a dedicated vegan/vegetarian street food offer in Market Place East near Linton's Pet Shop

Q – Will there be live music on an evening?

A –Malton Food Lovers Festival closes at 6pm on Saturday/Sunday and 5pm on BH Monday, however there are events/music nights taking place in bars and venues around the town.

Q – Where are the toilets located?

A – Public toilets are available in Market Place (opposite The Shambles), in The Milton Rooms and in The Shambles Car Park.

Q – Who do I contact if I have a question that is not covered in the FAQ's?

A - Please email enquiries@visitmalton.com