



2018-19

Away Visitor Guide

Wigan Athletic

DW Stadium

Capacity: 25,138 (all seated)

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Club nickname: The Latics

Year ground opened: 1999

What's the DW like?

The DW Stadium was opened in 1999 after the club moved from its former home of Springfield Park. The four separate stands are of roughly the same height and are all single tiered. There is an electric scoreboard above the Boston (East) Stand, on one side of the ground. The stadium is also shared with Wigan Warriors Rugby League club.

Away fans are located in the North Stand at one end of the stadium, where up to 4,800 visiting supporters can be accommodated. The concourses are spacious and the facilities are good. There are screens showing the early kick off game and a betting outlet. Food on offer includes a range of Hollands Pies including chunky steak, meat & potato and a cheese pie and Herta Hot Dogs.

Directions

Exit M6 at Junction 25. At end of slip road turn left and head towards Wigan on A49. Continue past Sainsbury's and cross the roundabout (2nd exit). Follow signs for Wigan A49 for 1.2 miles to saddle roundabout. At the Saddle roundabout, take first exit sign-posted Standish A49 into Robin Park Road, driving past the ASDA superstore. Follow signs for DW Stadium.

Post code for Sat Nav: WN5 0UN

Car Parking

The DW Stadium has 2000 car parking spaces located around the venue with parking allocated specifically for away supporters at a cost of £5 per car/motorbike or £10 for a minibus. Car Park 1 is allocated for away supporters.

Supporters are asked NOT to park at the nearby Robin Retail Park as there is a time limit on parking are you could risk getting a ticket or clamped!

NOTE: There is sometimes a delay getting out of the car park after the game due to crowd volume.



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By train

Wigan's central railway stations (Wigan North Western & Wallgate stations) are a good 20-minute walk from the ground.

Taxis are available from outside Wigan North Western station which approximate 1.4 miles away from the DW Stadium. A taxi to the DW Stadium should cost around £5 from Wigan North Western station.

Pubs for away fans

An indoor Marquee Bar, specifically for the use of away fans, is located beside the away turnstiles. It also houses a big screen television, sells pies, teas and coffees. Also open at half time.

Alternatively, the traditional pub for away fans visiting the DW stadium is the Red Robin, which is only a few minutes' walk away from the ground opposite the Cinema Complex. In the centre of town (20-minute walk) is the 'Moon Under Water' pub, or the 'Anvil' pub, which is located next to the bus station.

On the concourse, alcohol is available in the form of draught Fosters, Strongbow and John Smiths.

NOTE - There is a limit of buying two pints per person.

Hotels

There are plenty of options within a two-mile radius of the stadium if staying overnight with a Holiday Inn Express (WN5 0LX), a Premier Inn in the town centre WN1 1BL and a Mercure (WN1 3SS) all nearby.

Disabled facilities

Disabled supporters are recommended to park on the North West car park for easy access for more information please email disabledcoordinator@dwstadium.com.

Each stand at the DW Stadium has two designated disabled platforms with catering and accessible toilets available, along with a lift to each concourse and direct access to the platforms. Wheelchair spaces are limited and allocated on a first come first served basis.

Audio headsets are available for visually impaired supporters but are limited. These are available from main reception on payment of a refundable deposit of £10.

Further disabled supporter information and contacts are available online -

<https://www.wiganathletic.com/tickets/disability-information/>