

The Plough Inn – Access Statement

The Plough Inn is committed to providing reasonable access for those with disabilities to its

Pub and bedroom facilities in this statement we have attempted to accurately describe the facilities offered to visitors to enable visitors to judge for themselves the suitability in line with their own access needs.

Pub

Access for those with physical disabilities is available in the Pub & Restaurant. Cars can be parked in front of the Pub whilst wheelchair users or those with restricted mobility are exiting a vehicle. Please note the car park itself contains some uneven surfaces and loose shingle.

The inward-opening doorway is 80cm wide. Trained assistance dogs are welcome.

There is no change in level in the Bar area and there are no rugs or mats within this area. Diners would usually make a reservation for a table in advance and at this time, it is possible to plan table allocations to create sufficient space/access for a wheelchair.

Waiter/waitress service is available from the bar directly to the table, and there is background music throughout the building.

Menus are changed very often and it is not therefore possible to provide a Braille menu. However, with adequate notice, a special large print menu could be provided. Dishes can also be modified for ease of eating on request, and we can cater for all dietary needs with notice.

Due to the layout of the pub there are not accessible toilets available. The Village hall facilities over the road can be used if it is not in use at the time.

Pub Exterior

Access to the rear garden involves steps to the higher level and is not suitable for wheelchair use. However, the area to the front of the pub has a paved level area with picnic-style tables, which is more suitable. Drinks and food can be ordered and served at the table on request.

Bedrooms

There are 6 letting rooms with parking close-by, although the car park has a gravel finish and contains some uneven surfaces. All of the rooms can be booked as twin rooms. All of the rooms have a separate shower and bath that tends to suit those who find baths difficult. However, there are no special handrails fitted to any of the bathrooms at the moment.

Trained assistance dogs can be accommodated in the ground floor of the bedrooms, by arrangement.

Travelling to The Plough Inn

Directions are available on our website and our postcode for Satnav purposes is ME13 0HY. The nearest main railway stations are Maidstone, Ashford & Faversham, and we would recommend booking a taxi in advance, if travelling by train. Charing does also have a train station and bus links to Maidstone.

Buses do come through Stalisfield village, but their infrequency would make it very difficult to plan a visit to the pub.

Additional Information

The nearest hospitals with an A&E Unit is Ashford. The closest GP's surgery is in Charing, just over 3 mile away.

Enquiries

Please feel free to contact us with any queries, by telephone on 01795 890256 or email: info@theploughinnstalisfield.co.uk.