

## **Coach Parking for visiting the Spinnaker Tower**

It is possible to drop off and pick up at Gunwharf Quays (at the back of Marks & Spencer's) at no charge; however a 15 minute window for a drop off and pick up applies. You must then move your coach to the designated coach parking area.

Depending on your plans there are two options available.

- 1. We are delighted to have secured access to one of the coach parking bays within the turning circle at the back of Marks & Spencer's. This space can only be reserved in conjunction with a visit to Spinnaker Tower and is subject to availability. If you would like to reserve this please notify our team at the time of booking and we will contact our partner Land Securities and check availability and then come back to you. A £5.00 pay and display charge will apply.
- 2. Portsmouth City Council make a charge for parking at any of their sites. The current cost is £1.00 per hour up to 4 hours and over 4 hours the full days charge applies of £5.00.

## A Guide to Coach Drivers

After dropping off your passengers, you may then proceed to park at the D-Day Museum, St Georges Road or Museum Road according to your requirements. (Note spaces are available on a first come first serve basis and are not pre-bookable.)

All group coach drivers are entitled to free entry to the Spinnaker Tower. Please show some form of ID on arrival to our group's desk and the name of the group with which they are associated.

To travel between the D-Day Museum and Spinnaker Tower, First Buses are available every half hour, which stop outside the National Westminster Bank, Palmerston Road, Southsea and returns to the Hard Interchange (next door to Queen Street) Then it is a short walk through Gunwharf Quays to the Spinnaker Tower. Please note it is about a 10 minute walk from the D-Day Museum to Palmerston Road. To return to the D-Day Museum, buses leave from the Hard Interchange and take you to Palmerston Road, Southsea. The bus numbers are 1, 7, 18 and 19. A stagecoach bus number 23 also runs from Southsea.

The Spinnaker Tower is situated on the waterfront at Gunwharf Quays, Portsmouth- PO1 3TX.

The M27, A27 and A3(M) connect Portsmouth Harbour with the rest of Britain's motorway network. Come into Portsmouth on the M275 and follow the brown signs to the Historic Waterfront, and then the Spinnaker Tower. This will leads you directly to the 1450 space Gunwharf Quays underground car park (cars/bikes only- max height 2.2m).

A drop off and pick up point is located to the left of the ram to the underground car park.

## GETTING TO PORTSMOUTH Please use the map and table below for information about Portsmouth's coach parking and drop-off locations. Portsmouth The great waterfront city



|    | Location                                    | Toilets | Refreshments | Open     | Spaces       |
|----|---|---------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| 1. | Queen Street (coach drop off point only)    | 100m    | 100m         | 24 hours | n/a          |
| 2. | St Georges Road (coach drop off point only) | 200m    | 200m         | 24 hours | n/a          |
| 3. | St Georges Road / Museum Road               | 200m    | 600m         | 24 hours | 18           |
| 4. | Seafront D-Day                              | Yes     | 50m          | 24 hours | 25+ wash bay |
| 5. | Port Solent (free parking)                  | Yes     | Yes          | 24 hours | 8            |
| 6. | Cascades Approach                           | Yes     | Yes          | 24 hours | 3            |
| 7. | Gunwharf Quays (drop off point only)        | 100m    | 100m         | 24 hours | n/a          |

Parking fees: £1 per hour up to 4 hours. Over 4 hours, £5 for all day.

Drop off and pick up charges at Queen Street: £3.50 to drop off, £3.50 to pick up.

All details correct as of January 2019