

Welcome to the Brighton & Hove Pride citywide newsletter. Inside this newsletter you'll find key information for each Pride event taking place this summer. This year the Pride weekend is Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd August and will feature **Pride on the Park supported by Hayu**, our official fundraiser for our local LGBTQIA+ community groups distributed by the Pride Community Foundation, in Preston Park, the **Pride Street Party** on Marine Parade and 'Ravishing Rage', the **Pride LGBTQIA+ Community Parade**, through the centre of the city.

Pride recognises the inconvenience these events may cause to some residents and businesses over the weekend. We endeavour each year to provide useful information about the activities happening in your area and to communicate our plans widely so that we can keep everyone informed of any new developments for each Pride event.

We also have a dedicated Residents' Information page on our website that has further information about each Pride event. **Brighton-Pride.org/residents**

Once again we'd like to thank you for your continued support and patience over the Pride weekend.



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Please check our website for latest updates:
Brighton-Pride.org/residents

NEWSLETTER BRIGHTON & HOVE PRIDE – JULY 2025

FUNDRAISING FOR



The Brighton & Hove Pride LGBTQIA+ Community Parade 2025 will take place at 11am on Saturday 2nd August, with the theme Ravishing Rage – a celebration of resilience, spirit, passion, and unity.

This year, we march with unstoppable energy and fearless spirit, turning adversity into triumph. Be louder than ever, be brighter than before. We dance in protest, we march in celebration.
Fury never felt so fierce!

The Pride LGBTQIA+ Community Parade is a highlight of the Brighton & Hove Pride weekend, showcasing local charities, community groups, small businesses, emergency services, the NHS, and strategic partners. Attracting over 300,000 people, the vibrant parade is one of the city's largest events and travels from Hove Lawns to Preston Park for Pride on the Park supported by Hayu, the Pride official community fundraiser. Full map on pages 8 to 9.

PARADE ROUTE:

Hove Lawns • King's Rd • West St • North St • London Rd • Preston Rd • Preston Park



TRAVELLING AROUND THE CITY:

Plan Ahead: Brighton city centre will be bustling, so plan ahead for your journey. Consider cycling or using public transport to avoid traffic and parking issues.

Road Closures: The Parade route, and several of the roads surrounding the route, will be closed to traffic from 9:30am on Saturday 2nd August, with phased reopening from 1:30pm to 5:30pm. Diversion routes and signage will be in place and a list of road closures will be published on the Brighton & Hove City Council and Pride websites nearer the time.

Buses: Brighton & Hove Buses will continue to run but there will be changes to the routes and timetables while the roads are closed for the Parade. Check the Brighton & Hove Buses website and app closer to the time for full details of services and timetable changes. www.buses.co.uk

Taxis: Taxi ranks within the Parade route will be temporarily suspended while the roads are closed. Normal service will resume once the roads are reopened.

Car Parks: Car parks in the city will remain open, however there may be restricted hours or access or with temporary diversion routes in place, check with the car park provider in advance of travelling.

Cycling: Cycle paths within the city remain open, cycling within the Parade route is restricted during the road closure times.

KEY POINTS FOR RESIDENTS:

Time Management: Allow extra time for everything. Crowds and queues might be bigger than expected.

Stay Safe: Listen to stewards and speak up if something seems unusual or out of place.

Protect Your Valuables: Keep an eye on your belongings, including your bag and phone.

Weather Preparedness: Be prepared for all weather conditions. If you are coming out to see the Parade, bring a light jacket or poncho just in case. Don't forget sunscreen, sunglasses, and a hat to protect yourself from the sun.

Stay Hydrated: Bring a refillable water bottle. You can find the nearest water point using the Refill app: www.refill.org.uk

Leave No Trace: Take your rubbish and litter home. Let's all pitch in to keep our city clean and beautiful!

More info at Brighton-Pride.org/pride-parade

BRIGHTON AND HOVE

PRIDE 2025

LGBTQ+

COMMUNITY

PARADE 2025

RAVISHING

RAGE

FURY NEVER FELT SO FIERCE!

SATURDAY

2ND AUGUST



PRIDE
BRIGHTON + HOVE
#WeStandTogether
BRIGHTON-PRIDE.ORG



Pride on the Park, supported by **Hayu**, is a vibrant celebration and vital community event and the cornerstone fundraiser of Brighton & Hove Pride. Held annually at Preston Park, it features a diverse lineup of live performances, entertainment, and activities designed to bring people together in support of LGBTQIA+ causes. The funds raised at **Pride on the Park** directly benefit local charities, community groups, and essential services, reinforcing the event's commitment to inclusivity, equality, and social good. **Pride on the Park** embodies the spirit of unity and resilience, making a significant positive impact on the Brighton & Hove community.

In addition to a mainstage of world class artists and performers, **Pride on the Park** hosts an array of diverse and inclusive stages and entertainment zones across Preston Park including the Dance Tents, Cabaret Stages and more, featuring more than 150 LGBTQIA+ artists across the weekend.

Across the next few pages you will find information outlining the dates and times the park is closed for the event site build and festival itself, soundcheck times, road closure information and more.



More info at PrideOnThePark.co.uk



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PRIDE 2025

PRIDE ON THE PARK

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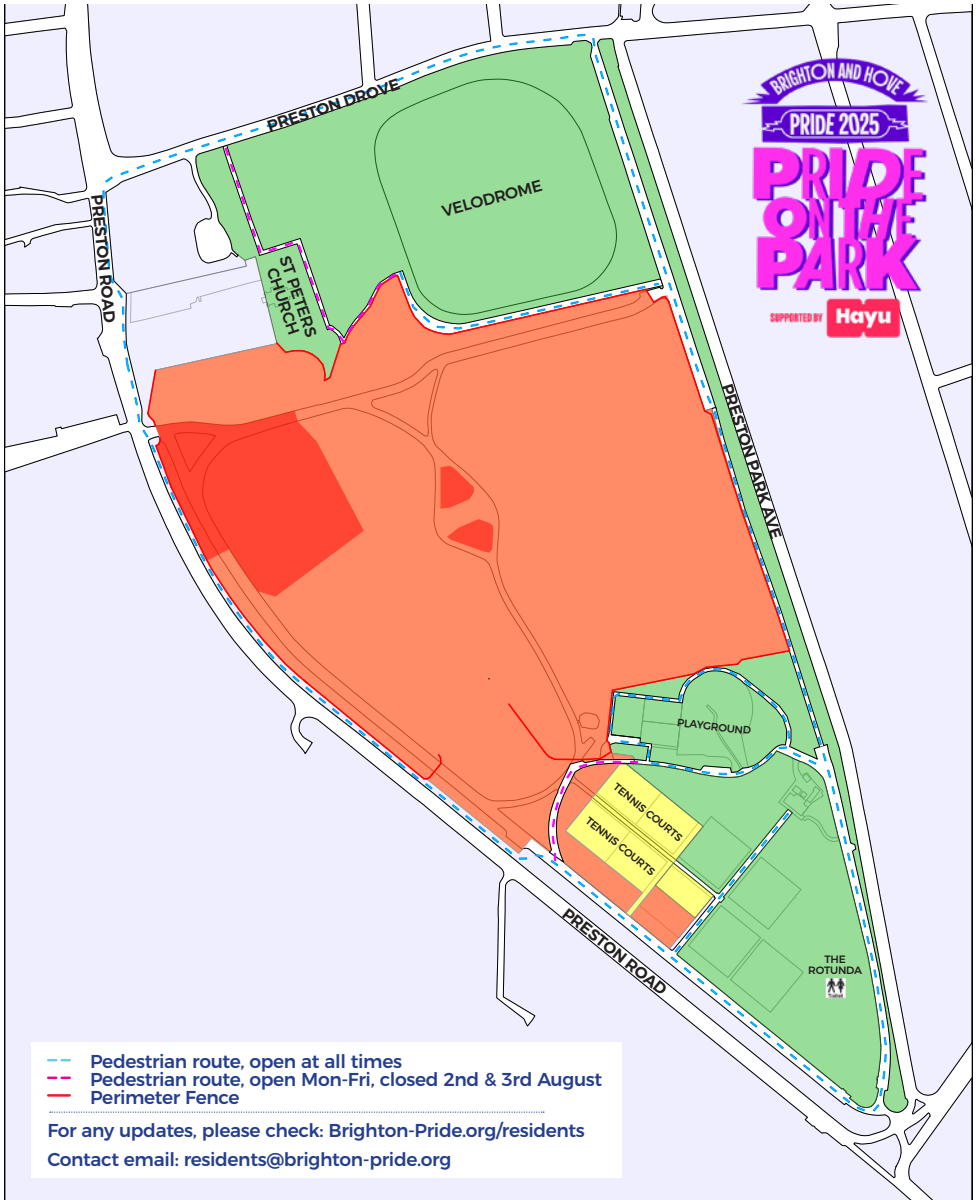
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PRIDEONTHEPARK.CO.UK

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INFORMATION FOR PRESTON PARK RESIDENTS

PRESTON PARK CLOSURE INFO

-  Closes 8am Thursday 24th July
Opens 6pm Thursday 7th August
-  Closes 8pm Sunday 27th July
Opens 6pm Weds 6th August
-  Closes 6pm Friday 1st August
Opens 9am Sunday 3rd August
-  Open at all times

SOUNDCHECK INFORMATION

Friday 1st August 10am to 8pm
Saturday 2nd August 9.30am to 12pm
Sunday 3rd August 11am to 1pm

PRESTON ROAD CLOSURE INFORMATION

Thursday 31st July: 8pm to midnight
Saturday 2nd August: 10am to midnight
Sunday 3rd August: 11am to midnight

WASTE & CLEANSING

Litter pickers will operate during the build, break and event, and will collect and dispose of rubbish from across the event site. Once the event has ended on both days, a larger team and road sweepers will manage clean up across the event site.

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Can be disposed of in general bins, extra bins have been provided around the area.

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Pride takes safety very seriously. We work with the council to agree safe areas for park users and safe working areas for our crew.

After the event, the team work really hard to get the park open and back to full use as soon as possible.



Event Dates & Times

POTP Saturday 2nd August 2025, 1pm to 10.30pm

POTP Sunday 3rd August 2025, 1pm to 10pm

This is when the event, including music and entertainment, starts and finishes on both days.

RESIDENT ACCESS

Pedestrians will have unrestricted access to their homes and business at all times.

A number of roads around Pride on the Park will be closed to traffic over the weekend. These will include Preston Road, Preston Park Avenue, Rookery Close, Grange Close and Lovers Walk. Vehicle movement over the weekend will be restricted, if you require your vehicle over the weekend, you are strongly advised to park outside the POTP event site. See information (on previous page) for road restrictions.

SECURITY - POLICE BARRIERS

Sussex Police will again install security barriers north and south of Preston Park along Preston Road. Vehicle access to any resident and business property in this area will not be possible during these timings. The decision of closing and opening the barriers is managed by Sussex Police.

Sussex Police intend to close the barriers at these times:

Saturday 2nd August 2025, 12pm - the event has finished & is safe to do so

Sunday 3rd August 2025, 1pm - the event has finished & it is safe to do so

Registered Carers and Blue Badge Holders may be allowed to pass through the barriers if they have been pre-registered in advance by 10am Friday 1st August 2025. Please contact **residents@brighton-pride.org** to register your vehicle access request. Please note this is not guaranteed, you may be expected to park your vehicle and make your way on foot and we strongly advise you to make alternative arrangements wherever possible.

Emergency vehicles will have unrestricted access at all times.

More info at **Brighton-Pride.org/residents** or email **residents@brighton-pride.org**

INFORMATION FOR PRESTON PARK RESIDENTS

HOW TO CONTACT US

If you have any questions or queries regarding the Pride on the Park, then please do not hesitate to contact us by email at residents@brighton-pride.org
Please quote your full name and address to help us deal with your enquiry as quickly as possible.

POTP has a dedicated phonenumber to address questions from local residents.

Contact: 07539 179481

During these hours:

Thurs 31 July & Fri 01 August - 9am to 5pm

Sat 02 & Sun 03 August - 10am to 11pm

Our Noise Management Team will be monitoring noise levels Friday, Saturday and Sunday during event hours.

Our Resident Liaison Manager will be available in person at Purple Accreditation and on the phone number above.



Please check our website for latest updates:
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PRIDE
BRIGHTON + HOVE

CITYWIDE MAP



PRIDE PARADE ROUTE
START: HOVE LAWN
2ND AUGUST, 11AM

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PRIDE ON THE PARK
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**PRESTON PARK
2ND & 3RD AUGUST**

**PRIDE
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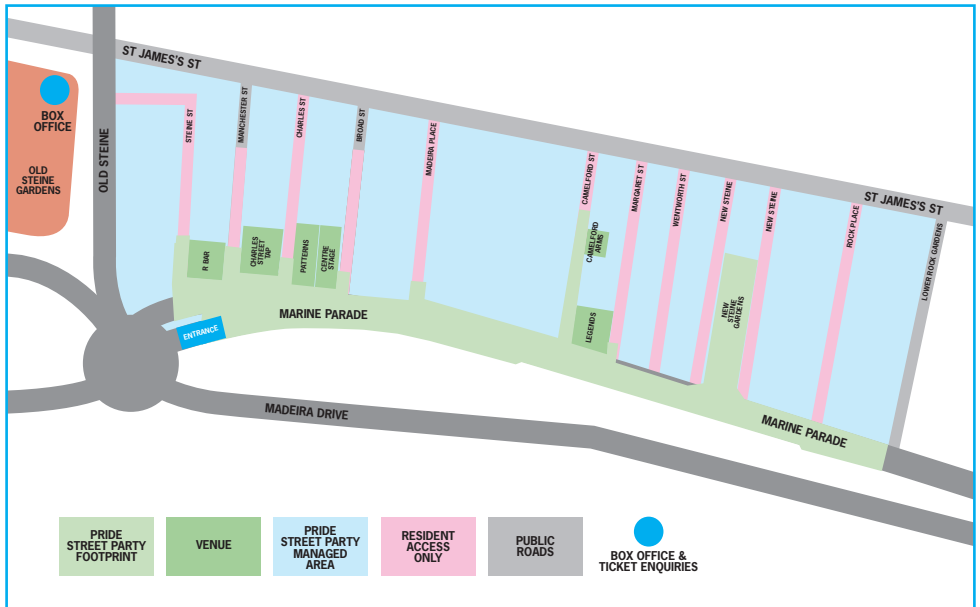
**PSP BOX
OFFICE**





The Pride Street Party businesses across Kemptown and Marine Parade come together to celebrate Pride and raise extra funds for the Pride Community Foundation and Pride Social Impact Fund.

Entertainment zones, stages, bars and venues, live performances and cabaret, DJs, drag artists, singers, performers, musicians come together for an unforgettable weekend of fundraising celebrations.



More info at BrightonPrideStreetParty.co.uk

BRIGHTON AND HOVE

PRIDE 2025

SATURDAY 2ND AUGUST & SUNDAY 3RD AUGUST 2025

PRIDE STREET PARTY

BRINGING THE COMMUNITY TOGETHER FOR A SPECTACULAR WEEKEND

OF ENTERTAINMENT HOSTED BY OUR LGBTQ VENUES

DANNY BEARD | **JAGUAR** | **RHYTHM OF THE 90S**

MARY MAC | **TAYCE** | **FREEMASONS (RUSSELL SMALL)** | **SONIA**

ANGIE BROWN | **AMANDA WILSON** | **BIGBROVAS & BOOTY LUV**

CHICO | **DILF** | **LIVIN' JOY FEAT LUZHANN** | **LONDON GAY BIG BAND**

POLYGLAMOROUS | **SCARLETT HARLETT** | **VICKI VIVACIOUS**

A-Z

ALEX FINCHER **ALTIE ORDINARY** ALLAN JAY **AMY LAQUEEFA** BILLIE GOLD **CHRISTINA ELLINAS**

DARCEY NOX DAVE LYNN **DJ AMY LAQUEEFA** DJ AURA JAY **DJ JACK MCNAMARA** DJ OLIVER PARTRIDGE

DJ TOBY LAWRENCE DJ TRICK **DOLLY DIAMOND** DR BEVERLY BALLCRUSHER **DRAG WITH NO NAME**

GABRIELLA PARRISH **HOMOELECTRIC** DAN BEAUMONT · JAMIE BELL · BESTLEY **JASON LEE**

KARA VAN PARK **LOLA LASAGNE** MARSHA MALLOW **MARTHA D'ARTHUR** MARY O'KART

MILES ELLOITT **MRS MOORE** OPHELIA PAYNE PEARL AND DEAN

PRICILLA **QUEEN OF THE DESERT MEDLEY** WITH ORIGINAL LONDON CAST MEMBER **PORTIA EMMA LINDARS**

KARLA BEAR **ROSE GARDEN** RUFFLES **SALLY VATE** SAM SOLACE **SHOW WHITE TRASH**

SON OF A TUTU **STEPHANIE VON CLITZ** TANYA HYDE **THE ACTUALLY GAY MENS CHORUS**

TRIBUTE ACTS

LADY GAGA: GONNA MARIE TREGO | **MELISSA TOTTEN AS MADONNA**

THE DOLLY SHOW: KELLY O'BRIEN

THE VOICE OF WHITNEY: MICHELLE LAWSON

PLUS MANY MORE TBA

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BULLDOG

CAMELFORD ARMS



THE ZONE

Event Dates & Times

PSP Saturday 2nd August 2025, 2pm to 11pm

PSP Sunday 3rd August 2025, 2pm to 9pm

This is when the event, including music and entertainment, starts and finishes on both days.

GENERAL INFORMATION

On Friday evening (1st August) and Saturday morning (2nd August), the PSP Production team will install fencing, toilets, bins and other infrastructure to support the event taking place. This will then be removed after the event on Sunday 3rd in the evening into the early hours of Monday 4th August.

Please note, the PSP is a glass-free site so no venues will be permitted to sell alcohol in glass containers during this time, so please plan ahead.

ROAD CLOSURE TIMES

A number of roads around the Pride Street Party will be closed to traffic over the weekend. These include Broad Street, Camelford Street, Charles Street, Madeira Place, Manchester Street, Margaret Street, New Steine, Rock Place, Steine Street, Van Alen Mews and Wentworth Street. Vehicle movement over the weekend will be restricted and parking suspensions will be in place.

If you require your vehicle over the weekend, you are strongly advised to park outside the PSP event site in another Zone C area.

Where possible, please email residents@brighton-pride.org in advance with any vehicle access requirements within the PSP event site. If you rely on carers for your day-to-day health or medical needs please contact residents@brighton-pride.org to discuss your access requirements.

Pride Street Party - Road Closure Times

Closed Road	From	To	Dates
Marine Parade	Old Steine	Lower Rock Gdns	9pm Friday to 5am Monday*

* Marine Parade and Madeira Place are the location of the Police safety barriers and are staffed over the whole weekend for emergency access.

RESIDENTS' ACCESS

Pedestrians will have unrestricted access to their homes in the side streets which sit outside of the event site, with the exception of a small number of residents in Camelford Street and certain sections of Marine Parade.

Residents for Marine Parade & Camelford Access are advised to access via Madeira place and at these points will still be subject to a wristband check and bag search.

See map (on previous page) for all road restrictions. Roads in grey are open and unrestricted at all times for vehicles and pedestrians.

SECURITY – POLICE BARRIERS

Sussex Police will install security barriers from the evening of Friday 1st August, and they will remain in situ until the early hours of Monday 4th August.

The main barriers on Marine Parade and Madeira Place will be staffed from the time of installation through to removal to facilitate access for emergency vehicles at any point outside of and during the event.

PSP MAIN ENTRANCES

Gate 1 – Marine Parade – Aquarium Roundabout

WASTE & CLEANSING

Litter pickers will operate during the event and will collect and dispose of rubbish from across the event site. Once the event has ended on both days, a larger team and road sweepers will manage clean up across the event site.

Sunday evening post event, jet washing will take place in the areas where the toilets were located to ensure they are cleaned as infrastructure is removed.

SOUND & NOISE MANAGEMENT

PSP will have music and outside entertainment within its footprint which will only take place during the agreed event hours – Saturday 14:00 to 23:00 and Sunday 14:00 to 21:00.

PSP RESIDENT WRISTBANDS

Due to the move to Marine Parade, there are no resident wristbands this year.

BOX OFFICE / TICKET ENQUIRIES OPENING HOURS:

Saturday 2 August	12:00 to 22:00	Sales and Enquiries
Sunday 3 August	11:00 to 20:00	Sales and Enquiries

**Please note that timings are provisional and are subject to change.*

HOW TO CONTACT US

If you have any questions or queries regarding the Pride Street Party, then please do not hesitate to contact us by email at residents@brighton-pride.org
Please quote your full name and address to help us deal with your enquiry as quickly as possible.

RESIDENT LIAISON PHONELINE

PSP has a dedicated Resident phonenumber to address questions from local residents.

Residents Number: - **07564 672 916**

This line will be staffed between:

Saturday 2nd August: 10:00 to 23:00

Sunday 3rd August: 10:00 to 21:00

The PSP Team will be onsite for the duration of the event between 10am til late each day. Emails are monitored daily and on event days, we will respond to you as quickly as possible.



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