



IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR RESIDENTS & RETAILERS



Caerphilly Council Summer/Autumn Events 2026

BARGOED SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL

Saturday 11th July

LOCATION: Lowry Plaza, Hanbury Square, Hanbury Road, High Street and Upper High Street.

OPENING TIMES: 9.00am - 6.00pm

ROAD CLOSURES, CAR PARK CLOSURES & TRAFFIC SYSTEMS: A full road closure of Hanbury Square, Hanbury Road, High Street and Upper High Street from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until 9.30pm on the event day. Emporium Car park will close at 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until 9.30pm on the event day. All vehicles must be removed from the car park before the closure is in place. Suitable safety vehicles will be placed on all vehicle entry points onto the event site. This vehicle mitigation creates a safe event environment for the event to take place and forms part of the event counter terrorism plan.

RETAILER ACCESS: Please arrange deliveries prior to 10.30pm on the Friday before the event and after 9.30pm on the event day or between 3.00am - 7.00am. There is no access to HGV vehicles in the town centre during the road closure period.

RESIDENT ACCESS: No parking is permitted on Hanbury Square, Hanbury Road, High Street and Upper High Street from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until 9.30pm on the event day. Alternative parking arrangements must be made. A diversionary route around the town centre will be in place for the duration of the road closure. Residents of West Street, Cross Street and Capel Street will need to use alternative routes. No access will be permitted onto Hanbury Road from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until after 9.30pm on the event day.

TAXIS: Taxis are not permitted through the road closure area. Please arrange alternative collection and drop off sites.

BUS STOPS/ROUTE: All buses will operate directly to/from Bargoed Interchange and will not serve Hanbury Square or Royal Square. Buses on route C18 and X38 will operate via Wood Street, Ruth Street and Henry Street and will not serve Hanbury Square, Royal Square or The Plasnewydd.

BLACKWOOD BEACH PARTY

Saturday 18th July

LOCATION: High Street, Blackwood.

OPENING TIMES: 9.00am - 5.00pm

ROAD CLOSURES, CAR PARK CLOSURES & TRAFFIC SYSTEMS: A closure of High Street from its junction with Bridge Street and Pentwyn Road from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until 8.30pm on the event day. Bridge Street and Pentwyn Road will remain open. Wesley Car Park is inaccessible during the event for the general public from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event to 8.30pm on the event day. Suitable safety vehicles will be placed on all vehicle entry points onto the event site. This vehicle mitigation creates a safe event environment for the event to take place and forms part of the event counter terrorism plan.

RETAILER ACCESS: Retailers that do not have rear lane access off the road closure area on Blackwood High Street should arrange deliveries required during the event weekend to be made prior to 10.30pm on the Friday before the event day or between 3.00am - 7.00am on the event day.

RESIDENT ACCESS: Wesley Road residents have previously been issued with passes to gain access to their property via Cefn Road from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until 8.30pm on the event day. The passes issued should be kept for all future events that we host in Blackwood Town Centre – they are reusable. This is the only access route to your property during the road closure period and passes must be visible on entry. The barrier will be unlocked for the duration of the road closure and manned by a steward during the event opening hours. Security will partially monitor the barrier overnight. If unmanned when you access/egress the site, please ensure the barrier is kept closed afterwards. If you have misplaced your pass(es), please contact events@caerphilly.gov.uk / 01443 866390 and state your name and address and that you require a replacement pass to be issued.

TAXI: No taxis are permitted through the road closure area. Please arrange alternative collection and drop off sites.

BUS STOPS/ROUTE: Bus stops affected by the road closure are the 14 service which will divert via Bloomfield Road, Attlee Road and Albany Road and the 8, 27 and 56 services which will divert via B4254, the A4048 and onto Chartist Bridge roundabout. All these divers take place on both outward and return journeys.

CAERPHELLY CHEESE FESTIVAL

Saturday 29th & Sunday 30th August

LOCATION: Cardiff Road, Twyn Road, Castle Street (Northbound carriageway only), Dafydd Williams Park, Rear of Caerphilly Castle (Grassed area on castle side of Crescent Road), Castle Court Shopping Centre and Twyn Car Park.

OPENING TIMES: 9.00am - 5.00pm on both days.

ROAD CLOSURES, CAR PARK CLOSURES & TRAFFIC SYSTEMS: A closure of Cardiff Road, Twyn Road and Castle Street (Northbound carriageway only) from 10.30pm on the Friday before the event until 8.30pm on the Sunday of the event weekend. St Fagan's Street one way system will be removed during the road closure between its junction with Bradford Street and Cardiff Road. Vehicles must take a left turn when driving from St Fagan's Street to Bradford Street. Pentrebanne Street vehicle mitigation will be placed by The Hive Tuition Centre to incorporate the businesses located on this street into the event site. St Fagans Street vehicle mitigation will be

placed beyond Peacocks /The Deli to incorporate these businesses into the event site. No waiting cones will be placed just beyond Peacocks / The Deli by residential properties to create a turning circle for any vehicles entering St Fagan's Street from its junction with Bradford Street. Twyn Car Park closes at 6.00pm for the event set up on the Friday before the event until 8.30pm on the Sunday of the event weekend. Suitable safety vehicles will be placed on all vehicle entry points onto the event site. This vehicle mitigation creates a safe event environment for the event to take place and forms part of the event counter terrorism plan.

HILLSIDE RESIDENTS: St Martins School will be utilised as a park and walk for the event duration. There is a one-way system in operation, and all vehicles will enter via Rectory Close and exit via Hillside. It is advised that all vehicles on Hillside are moved onto driveways for the weekend, where able, to aid a clear exit route for vehicles and pedestrians leaving the school throughout the day. Alternatively, we recommend you park in St Martins School for the event days from 9.00am until 5.00pm. No waiting cones will be placed on the left-hand side of the street as you exit the school onto Mountain Road, to ensure access is maintained for pedestrians and emergency vehicles during the event. These will be enforceable during the event opening times. Any residents who encounter vehicles parking across their driveway during the event, causing an obstruction to your property, please contact the police via 101.

TAXI: No taxis are permitted through the road closure.

RETAILER ACCESS: Retailers that do not have rear lane access on the road closure area on Cardiff Road should arrange deliveries required for the event weekend to be made prior to 10.30pm the Friday before the event or between 3.00am - 7.00am on the event days. St Fagan's Street retailers that have parking / garage space at the rear of their properties on Park Lane will be issued with passes for access during the event. Twyn School can be used for parking during the event opening hours each day if required and if in receipt of a pass. Retailers and Library staff that are permitted access to the car park at the rear of Principality Building Society and Caerphilly Library have previously been issued with passes to gain access to their car park. The passes issued should be kept for all future events that we host in Caerphilly Town Centre – they are reusable. If you have misplaced your pass(es), please contact events@caerphilly.gov.uk / 01443 866390 and state your name and address and that you require a replacement pass to be issued.

ICELAND DELIVERY SERVICE, NICOLA DOWNIE FLORIST & SPORTS DIRECT CAR PARK: Access is not permitted to the general public into the car park. A steward will monitor the lockable drop-down bollards between Windsor Street and Sports Direct / Nicola Downie Florist / Iceland car park during the event. Any taxi requirements will need to arrange collection from the end of the Windsor Street North Urban Lane. Iceland, Nicola Downie Florist and Sports Direct key holders, managers and early shift workers can access the car park via Cardiff Road from 3.00am until 7.00am on the event days. After these times vehicles will only be permitted to leave the store car park via Windsor Street North Urban Lane. All other staff should park in alternative car parks in the vicinity or there is provision at Twyn School. Passes have previously been issued to Sports Direct, Nicola Downie Florist and Iceland, to access this school during events. The passes issued should be kept for all future events that we host in Caerphilly Town Centre – They are reusable. If you have misplaced your pass(es), please contact events@caerphilly.gov.uk / 01443 866390 and state your name and address and that you require a replacement pass to be issued.

RESIDENT ACCESS: To facilitate a safe passage for Iceland, Nicola Downie Florist and Sports Direct delivery vehicles through Windsor Street North Urban Lane, residents are requested to keep this lane free of vehicles during the event period. There will be a prohibition of waiting and loading in this lane from 6.00pm on the Friday before the event until 8.30pm on the Sunday of the event weekend. St Fagan's Street residents that have parking / garage space at the rear of their properties on Park Lane have previously been issued with passes for access during events. The passes issued should be kept for all future events that we host in Caerphilly Town Centre – they are reusable. If you have misplaced your pass(es) , please contact events@caerphilly.gov.uk / 01443 866390 and state your name and address and that you require a replacement pass to be issued. Twyn School can be used for parking during the event opening hours if required.

BUS STOPS/ROUTE: Bus stops affected by the closure will be moved to the main interchange and an alternative route along Clive Street, Ludlow Street and Crescent Road will operate.

RISCA BEACH FEASTIVAL

Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th September

LOCATION: Tredegar Park, Tredegar Street, Risca.

OPENING TIMES: 10.00am - 4.00pm

ROAD CLOSURES, CAR PARK CLOSURES & TRAFFIC SYSTEMS: The event is held in Tredegar Park and therefore no road closures are required. There is no impact to the traffic systems within the town centre whilst the event is taking place.

RESIDENT & RETAILER ACCESS: The event is held in Tredegar Park and there is no impact on access for residents or retailers to their properties.

TAXIS: Taxis are unaffected by the event.

BUS STOPS/ROUTE: Bus stops are unaffected by the event.

Thank you for your time and cooperation during this busy period. For general queries please contact the Events Team on 01443 866390 / events@caerphilly.gov.uk. To get involved in any of the events or to provide any feedback after the events, please contact the Events Team on **01443 866390 / events@caerphilly.gov.uk**. For regular event updates follow Visit Caerphilly and Caerphilly County Borough Council on Instagram, X and Facebook. For further information on all events please visit: www.visitcaerphilly.com/ events Town centre businesses are encouraged to sign up to the CCBC Business Newsletter. Keep up to date on what is happening in Caerphilly County Borough. Visit: <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKCAERPHILLY/subscriber/new> to subscribe today!



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