

# DISABLED SUPPORTER GUIDE





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# HOW WE GOT HERE

### **OUR HISTORY**

Founded in 1920, Morecambe Football Club have represented the seaside town on the football map for over 100 years. In our early years we entered the Lancashire Combination, where we would remain for 48 years and would go on to win the league title on 5 different occasions.

In 1968, the club then joined the newly formed Northern Premier League and have had relative success at that level: winning the FA Trophy in 1974 before clinching the Northern Premier League Presidents Cup in 1992. With Jim Harvey installed as the Manager of Morecambe FC, the club would win promotion to the Conference (5th tier).

Not content with achieving promotion to the conference, under Harvey, the club would narrowly miss out on runner's up spots and play-off success as the intent was there for all to see. During a league fixture with Cambridge United in November 2005, Jim Harvey suffered a heart attack and the club moved quickly to appoint former Manchester United midfielder Sammy McIlroy as caretaker manager.

The following season the club would come through the play-off's successfully, dispatching of Exeter City in the final. In 2007, the club had made the decision to leave Christie Park and move to new grounds in preparation for the 2009-2010 campaign. In summer 2010 the club would move to the Globe Arena.

Sammy McIlroy departed Morecambe on 9th May 2011- days later Jim Bentley was appointed Manager, becoming player-manager on a two-year deal. In October 2019, Bentley decided to move to pastures new with over 400 games behind him as Morecambe Manager. The experienced Derek Adams was installed as the new Morecambe FC Manager following Bentley's departure.

On 31st May 2021, Carlos Mendes Gomes converted a 107thminute penalty to send Morecambe FC to League One for the first time. Following a short stint under Stephen Robinson, Derek Adams would return for his second spell as manager in February 2022 using the remainder of the campaign to ensure the club's safety in League One, meaning a second consecutive season of third-tier football for The Shrimps. The 2022/23 season saw Morecambe collect a record number of points in League One however it wasn't enough to maintain our position in League One.



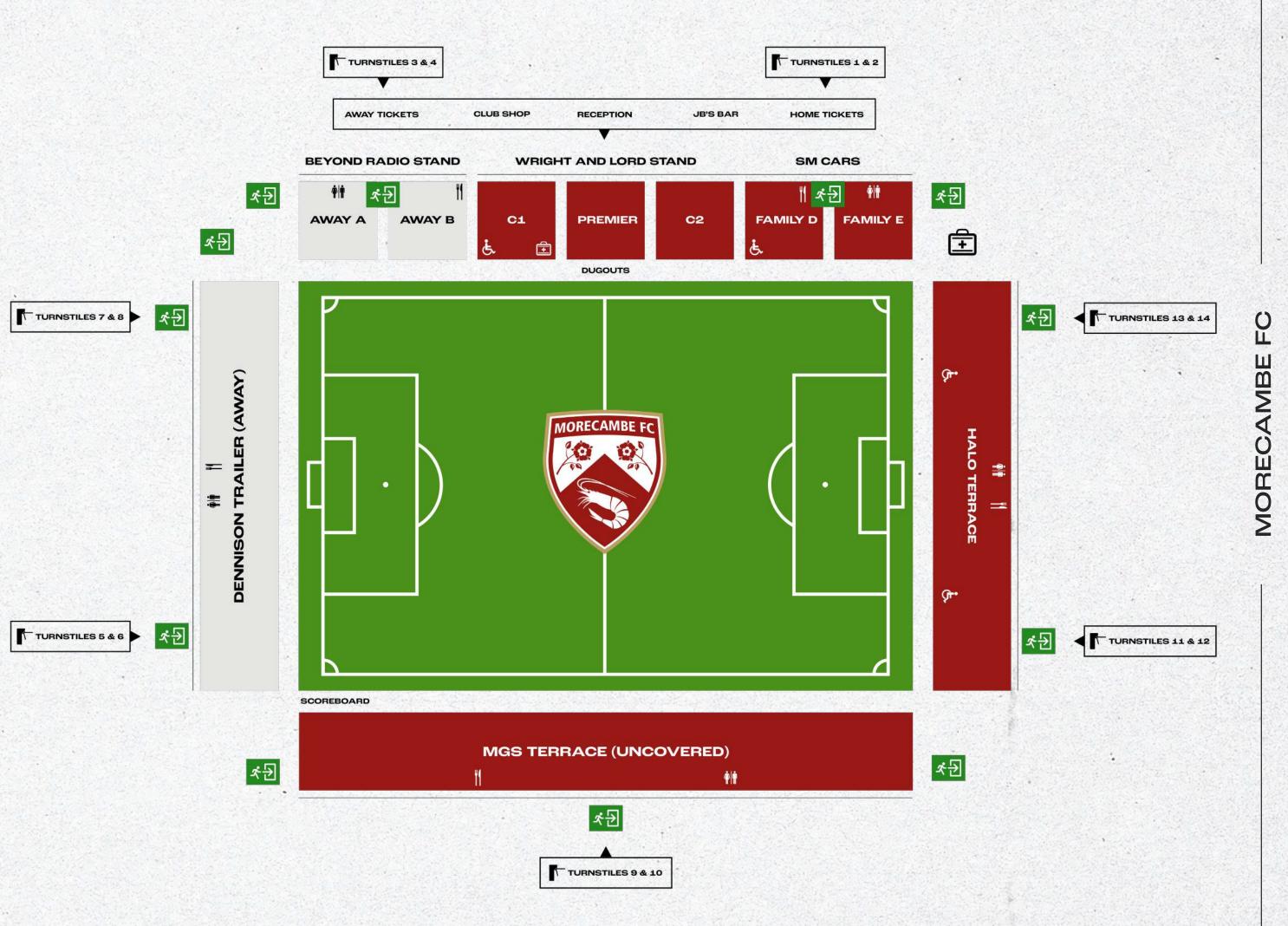
# GROUND

## INFORMATION

The Club has a number of wheelchair bays available for supporters. The disabled wheelchair bays for home fans are situated in Family Stand D, C1 and C2 and the front of the Halo Terrace.

Wheelchair users and ambulant supporters who are in receipt of a medium to higher disability allowance or enhanced PIP are entitled to have a carer accompany them to the Mazuma Mobile Stadium free of charge.

Tickets for disabled supporters can be purchased by contacting the Club Shop. Proof of entitlement will be required when booking tickets. The Club advises ambulant disabled supporters to purchase their match ticket in the seated stand on Row A.





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# PARKING

There are a limitted number of disabled car parking spaces available at the Mazuma Mobile Stadium.

Supporters can book these in advance by calling the Morecambe FC Club Shop on 01524 411797 ext 3 at the cost of £10, payable on booking. Booking disabled parking guarantees a space on the main car park. Proof of entitlement of blue badge will be needed at the point of purchase.

However, there may still be a short journey involved to get from car park space to the relevant turnstiles.





# ACCESSIBLE

# TOILETS

There are accessible toilets and facilities located in all of the stands for disabled supporters.

There are clearly signposted, but should you require assistance, please speak to a steward.





# ASSISTANCE

# DOGS

Any supporter wishing to attend the Mazuma Mobile Stadium with an assistance dog, needs to contact our SLO in advance of the fixture to make arrangements.

Contact our SLO using the following:

mail slo@morecambefc.com

or call 01524411797





# GATERING FACILITIES

All of our catering and bar facilities have a low-level counter, adequate for wheelchair users.

As a Club we are dedicated to making your trip to the Mazuma Mobile Stadium an enjoyable experience.





# FOOD & DRINK

# MENU

#### FOOD

Meat & Potato Pie £4.50
Chicken, Ham & Leek Pie £4.80
Sweet Potato, Chickpea
& Vegetable Pie (vegan) £4.50
Cheese & Onion Pasty £3.50
Mom's Bad Boy Hotdog
£4.50
Junior Hotdog £3.00

#### SNACKS

Salt & Vinegar

All Butter Flapjack	£2.00
Mars Bar	£1.50
Yorkie	£1.50
KitKat	£3.50
Fruit Pastilles (vegan)	£1.50
Haribo	£2.50
Walkers Grab Bags	£2.00
Ready Salted	
Cheese & Onion	

#### HOT DRINKS

Tea	£2.50
Coffee	£2.50
Hot Chocolate	£2.50
Bovril	£2.50

#### **ALCOHOL**

San Miguel	£4.80
Carlsberg	£3.80
Thatchers	£3.80

#### COLD DRINKS

Pepsi Max	£2.50
Fanta Orange Zero	£2.50
Oasis Summer Fruits	£2.50
Blackcurrant	
Fruit Shoot	£1.50
Still Water	£1.50

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# MEAL DEALS



Meal Deal £7.00

- ONE FOOD ITEM
- ONE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE



Meal Deal £6.00

- ONE FOOD ITEM
- ONE HOT OR COLD

#### **Choose from:**

#### FOOD

- Meat & Potato Pie
- Sweet Potato, Chickpea
   & Vegetable Pie
- Mom's Badboy Hotdog

#### HOT DRINKS

- Tea
- Coffee
- Bovril
- Hot Chocolate

#### ALCOHOL

- Carlsberg Lager
- Tetley's Bitter
- Thatchers
- Cider
- Guinness

#### COLD DRINKS

- Pepsi Max
- Fanta Zero
- Oasis Summer Fruits
- Still Water

# Kids Meal Deal £5.50

SERVED IN A KIDS BOX

- Moms Junion
   Hotdog
- Fresh Fruit Item
- Blackcurrant
   Fruit Shoot
- Fruit Pastilles

#### Plus...

Colouring book with crayons

### WE'RE IN IT TOGETHER









