



Wheelchair Accessible Caravans and Chalets in the UK

This list has been compiled as a result of many requests for information for fully accessible caravan holidays. Unlike the majority of our literature we have not visited all the places included but those marked with an asterisk * we have visited. We have tried to ensure the information is correct but we strongly urge you to consult with the owners of each property about the appropriateness of the accommodation for your own specific needs.

Caravans

5 Hawthorn Way - Primrose Valley

2 Mount Pleasant, Off Lane End, Baildon, Shipley, West Yorkshire, BD17 6BX

This private modern 2 bedroom Pemberton Sovereign Caravan sleeps up to six people and has been designed specifically for wheelchair users. It is located on the Haven Primrose Valley Park in Filey (North Yorkshire). It is one of four coastal holiday homes that have been adapted and are run by Allan and Jan Ratcliffe. Allan is a C5 quadriplegic and their main aim is to provide the best possible holiday facilities for disabled people who need more than just wheelchair access. The caravan has a balcony with long countryside views which catches the sun all day and is set in landscaped gardens. The owners have tried to cover every detail and even provide a large lockable storage box for hoists and chairs etc when not in use. They even provide a small portable ramp for you to take on outings. The facilities on the site including shows/bingo and café, bar and restaurant are wheelchair accessible.

Tel:- 01274 588142

E-mail:- baildon1824@btinternet.com

Website:- www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?EstID=861

39 Golf Village

2 Mount Pleasant, Off Lane End, Baildon, Shipley, West Yorkshire, BD17 6BX

This private modern 2 bedroom Pemberton Sovereign Caravan sleeps up to six people and has been designed specifically for wheelchair users. It is located on the Haven Lakeland Caravan Park in Flookburgh (Cumbria). It is one of four coastal holiday homes that have been adapted and are run by Allan and Jan Ratcliffe. Allan is a C5 quadriplegic and their main aim is to provide the best possible holiday facilities for disabled people who need more than just wheelchair access. The caravan has a veranda and patio with pleasant views that catch the sun all day and is set on a spacious landscaped corner plot. The owners have tried to cover every detail and even provide a large lockable storage box for hoists and chairs etc when not in use. The facilities on the site including shows/bingo and café, bar and restaurant are wheelchair accessible.

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The Scout Holiday Homes Trust

Gilwell Park, Chingford, London, E4 7QW

The Scout Holiday Homes Trust has two caravans, one at Burnham on Sea (Somerset) and one at New Milton (Hampshire) that are wheelchair accessible. Both have wheel-in showers, wheelchair height kitchen units and are double glazed and centrally heated. The caravans are available to families, carers and groups who have a member with a disability, physical, mental or age related illness and to low-income or single-parent families. No Scouting connection is required. To obtain a colour brochure please email or phone using the contact details below:

Tel:- 0208 433 7290

E-mail:- holiday.homes.trust@scout.org.uk or lynda.peters@scout.org.uk

Website:- <http://scouts.org.uk/supportresources/177/lastminute-holiday-deals?moduleID=4>

and

<http://www.scoutbase.org.uk/library/hqdocs/facts/pdfs/fs295415.pdf>

Park Resorts

Swan Court, Waterhouse Street, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire, HP1 1FN

25 of Park Resorts UK Coastal Holiday Parks have specially adapted Caravan Holiday Homes for guests with special mobility requirements. Each has an access ramp, wide sliding doors with level access to the dining room, and a fully fitted bathroom with appropriate WC, sink and shower facilities. For further details and floor plans please use the website address below or call to order a brochure.

Tel:- 0843 309 2501

E-mail:- holiday.admin@park-resorts.com

Website:- www.park-resorts.com/accommodation/caravans/accessible/

Warrington Disability Partnership

The Centre for Independent Living, Beaufort Street, Warrington WA5 1BA

The WDP has two wheelchair accessible caravans, the Grenadere at Pensarn (Conway) and the Guillemot at Rhyl (Denbighshire). Both caravans feature a ramped entrance, wider exterior doors, wheel in showers and exterior lights to illuminate the approach. The interiors also have wide sliding doors providing clear access to each room.

Tel:- 01925 240064

E-mail:- info@disabilitypartnership.org.uk

Website:- www.disabilitypartnership.org.uk/leisure/caravan.shtml?hilite=holidays

Private Caravan at Sand-le-mere

Flat 18, Block 21, St James Drive, Horsforth, Leeds, LS18 5QY

This private wheelchair friendly caravan is sited at the Sand-le-mere holiday park on the East coast at Tunstall, Withernsea. It is centrally heated and double glazed with a veranda and ramped access. The unit sleeps 4 to 6 people with 1 large bedroom and 2 single beds. The wet room has a shower seat and grab rails with loo and washbasin, all are wheelchair accessible.

Tel:- 0113 2582496 or 07718 742673 (Sue Grainger)

E-mail:- keith.grainger1@ntlworld.com

Website:- www.sand-le-mere.co.uk (holiday park)
www.homepage.ntlworld.com/katron.guest1/van%20booking%20form.htm
(booking form)

Wooda Farm Park

Poughill, Bude, Cornwall, EX23 9HJ

Wooda Farm Park has one caravan that has been especially adapted for wheelchair users. The caravan has two bedrooms and sleeps a maximum of 5 people. There is ramped access through the lounge door which leads to a spacious fully adapted interior.

Tel:- 01288 352069

E-mail:- enquiries@wooda.co.uk

Website:- www.wooda.co.uk

Avon Estates

Avon Park, Warwick Road, Stratford-upon-Avon, Warwickshire, CV37 0NS

Avon Park has one caravan that is wheelchair friendly and has a level access shower. The park itself is on the banks of the River Avon and one mile from the town.

Tel:- 01789 293438

Website:- www.stratfordcaravans.co.uk/holiday_accommodation.html

Brean Leisure Park

Holiday Resort Unity, Coast Road, Brean Sands, Somerset TA8 2RB

Brean leisure Park have an adjoining holiday park (Holiday Resort Unity) which has some caravans suitable for wheelchair users and other guests with special needs. These caravans all have wider doors to access them and sliding doors internally, 2 twin bedrooms, spacious low level shower, toilet and low level kitchen. They are also equipped with central heating, double glazing and direct dial telephone accommodating up to 6 people. Using the website address below you can take a 360° tour of one of these caravans.

Tel:- 01278 752100

E-mail:- admin@hru.co.uk

Website:- www.hru.co.uk/caravan_holiday_homes
www.brean.com/stay.asp (Brean Leisure Park)

Bond Holiday Homes *

Marton Mere Holiday Village, Mythop Road, Blackpool FY4 4XN

Bond Holidays own five luxury caravans that have been specially modified to provide full wheelchair-access with wheel in showers. Each have extra wide doors are accessed by a ramp. They are all located at the Marton Mere Holiday Village Nature Reserve, just a few miles outside Blackpool.

Tel:- 01253 341218

E-mail:- sales@bondhotel.co.uk

Website:- www.bondhotel.co.uk/index.php/bond-holiday-homes.html

Haven Holiday Parks *

1 Park Lane, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire HP2 4YL

Haven have caravans at the majority of their parks that are specifically designed for wheelchair access with ramps, wide sliding doors, converted WC/Shower Room and trapeze lift handles. The Pemberton class vans have wheel in showers. Our researchers have visited Havens Presthaven Sands Park near Prestatyn in North Wales. You can find full details of this on our website using the following link. (www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?EstID=481)

Tel:- 0871 230 1926 (Special Needs Advisor)

E-mail:- enquiries@haven.com

Website:- <http://www.haven.com/accommodation/caravans/accessible.aspx?tour=caravans&tabs=1&grade=grade-8?tabs=1&grade=grade-8>

Atlantic Coast Caravan Park

53 Upton Towans, Hayle, Cornwall, TR27 5BL

This park has one modern mobile home suitable for the elderly and some disabled customers with a wheel in shower. Other features include wider doors, lower work surfaces, extra grab rails and ramped access. It is located on a convenient corner plot close to all the amenities. The site laundry, shop and cafe all have ramped access.

Tel:- 01736 752071

E-mail:- enquiries@atlanticcoastpark.co.uk

Website:- www.atlanticcoastpark.co.uk

Hoseasons

Hoseasons Holidays Limited, Lowestoft , Suffolk, NR32 2LW

Hoseasons have a number of wheelchair accessible caravans on some of their parks sleeping 4-8 people with wheel in showers. For details of which sites have level access showers you will need to contact them on the telephone number below as you can't view their accessible accommodation on line. Having said this you can search and refine your results for wheelchair access, you just can't see the layout or facilities available for the results that are shown.

Tel:- 0844 847 1356

Website:- www.hoseasons.co.uk

Cornwall Disabled Association Caravan

1a, 1Riverside Walk, Heron Way, Newham Truro, TR1 2XN

The caravan sleeps six, with one double room, one twin and additional sleeping accommodation for two people in the lounge area. It is located on the Monkey Tree Holiday Park in Newquay (Cornwall). The park features a heated outdoor swimming pool, toddler's pool and sauna with a poolside snack bar and BBQ area. The lounge bar has free nightly entertainment (from the end of May to the end of August). Other amenities include a shop, freezer pack service and a launderette with dryers.

Tel:- 01872 273518

E-mail:- info@cornwalldisabled.co.uk

Website:- www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?EstID=844

Sovereign Pemberton Adapted Caravan

ACN, Paces campus, Packhorse lane, Sheffield, S35 3HY

This specially adapted caravan is owned by A.C.N. independence and leisure which is a social enterprise based in Sheffield and sleeps up to six people. It is located on the Haven Blue Dolphin Holiday Park in Gristhorpe Bay (North Yorkshire). Facilities include a wheel in wet room and portable hoist available. There is wheelchair access to all the site facilities including the restaurants.

Tel:- 0114 284 4868

E-mail:- karen@abbeycareonline.co.uk

Website:- www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?EstID=357

Chalets

Rockley Park Chalet

Livability Self catering holidays, PO Box 36, Cowbridge, Vale of Glamorgan, CF71 7TN

The charity Livability (formerly John Grooms) owns this accessible chalet at Haven's Rockley Park in Hamworthy (Dorset). The chalet has been specially adapted and has a double bedroom, twin bedroom and has two sofa beds sleeping up to six people. The park is set within 87 acres of landscaped parkland overlooking soft, sandy beaches with spectacular views over the bay towards Poole. Additional features include wheel-in shower, self-propelled shower chair and portable hoist.

Tel:- 08456 584478

E-mail:- selfcatering@livability.org.uk

Website:- www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?EstID=305

ACN Independence and Leisure Chalet

ACN, Paces campus, Packhorse lane, Sheffield, S35 3HY

This specially adapted brick built chalet is owned by A.C.N. independence and leisure which is a social enterprise based in Sheffield and sleeps up to five people. It is located on the Haven Blue Dolphin Holiday Park in Gristhorpe Bay (North Yorkshire) with lovely open views over the Wolds. Facilities include a wheel in wet room, ceiling hoists and electric double profiling bed. There is wheelchair access to all the site facilities including the restaurants and parking for two cars.

Tel:- 0114 284 4868

E-mail:- karen@abbeycareonline.co.uk

Website:- www.abbeycareonline.co.uk/holidayhome.php

Smuggler's View Chalets

Livability Self catering holidays, PO Box 36, Cowbridge, Vale of Glamorgan, CF71 7TN

The charity Livability (formerly John Grooms) owns two compact Canadian-style timber chalets situated on the Hoburne Naish Holiday Park in New Milton (Hampshire). Each chalet sleeps up to four people in a double and a twin bedroom and offers modest but comfortable accommodation. Both chalets have their own patio area and parking is close by. The park is set in a cliff-top location with dazzling views across the Solent and nearby beaches. Additional features include wheel-in shower and shower chair/commode. Please note that Livability do not recommend these chalets for someone completely reliant on their wheelchair.

Tel:- 08456 584478

E-mail:- selfcatering@livability.org.uk

Website:- www.disabledholidayinfo.org.uk/search/searchdetail.cfm?EstID=313

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