Beach Life Drive-in Cinema FAQ's

When are the film start times?

Tuesday 11th August: 16:00pm – The School of Rock 19:30pm – Dirty Dancing

Wednesday 12th August 16:00pm – The Greatest Showman 19:30pm – Grease

Thursday 13th August 15:30pm – Hairspray (earlier film start time) 19:30pm - Moulin Rouge!

Friday 14th August 16:00pm - Mamma Mia! 19:30pm – Yesterday

When can I arrive on site?

Gates will open one hour before film start time.

Will there be any catering on site?

A small selection of catering will be available on site as well as a bar with a small selection of beverages. All catering units have been briefed and trained adequately to follow Government Guidelines. This includes the use of PPE. Catering will either be delivered to your vehicle at a distance, or 2 metre queuing systems will be in place. Alternatively, cars can choose to bring their own selection of food and drinks to be consumed inside their vehicle during the showing. Please use card as your method of payment.

Will there be any toilets on site?

A sufficient amount of toilets will be available for use during the event. These are being regularly monitored and cleaned. Please ensure you use our provided hand sanitizer stations before and after use in the toilet.

What hygiene measures are in place?

Regular announcements will be made to remind visitors to be diligent. Please make use of the sanitiser stations positioned around site, especially when using toilet and catering facilities. Please remember to keep a 2 metre distance at all times. Staff will be seen to be wearing PPE at all times.

Where is the drive in cinema located?

The film screenings will take place in Hampden Park. Please enter the entrance to the park on Kings Drive via Sussex Downs College, you will then be directed through the fields which will be clearly signposted. We ask you to be patient with our marshals who will be doing their best to get you on to site and into your parking spot as smoothly and safely as possible.

Can I leave the site before the film has ended?

This is only permitted if the need to leave is essential (such as an emergency), due to the disruption this may cause for other paying customers. A marshal will need to be notified if this the case, to assist you out of the event site as safely and smoothly as possible.

Can I leave my vehicle to watch the film?

We would advise that it is safest to stay inside your vehicles during the screening, however attendees are permitted to leave their vehicles to the right hand side if they wish. This rule is in place to keep in line with Government guidelines.

Can I choose where I park my car?

All space allocations are clearly marked out to ensure all vehicles have a clear view of the film. Marshals will direct you to your allocated spot. Please be advised that larger vehicles will be permitted to park towards the back of the screening to ensure the views for other vehicles are not compromised. Allocations are based on a first come, first serve basis.

What should I bring with me to the drive in?

To make the screening as comfortable as possible inside your vehicle, we advise pillows, comfy clothing and any snacks or drinks you may wish to bring.

How will I be able to hear the film?

Audio will be played via FM (connecting to your car radio) or via PA, this is subject to license approval. More details will be advised nearer to the time.

What can I do if I start to feel unwell?

Please alert a marshal if you start to develop symptoms of feeling unwell during the screening.

Are pets allowed?

As a temporary measure you will not be able to bring dogs as leaving your car to stretch their legs would not be an option.

Will I get a refund if the event is cancelled?

As Government legislation is changing on a daily basis, we have to be prepared for every eventuality. Although we are taking every precaution in order to keep safe, in the unlikely event we have no choice but to cancel a film or close the cinema your bookings will be refunded within 5 working days.

Can I buy a ticket on the day?

Subject to availability, limited tickets may be available to purchase at the gates. Please check our ticket website to ensure that the screening has not sold out.