



CROESO I CANOLFAN Y CELFYDDYDAU ABERYSTWYTH 2019
WELCOME TO THE INTERNATIONAL CERAMICS FESTIVAL 2019
at the award-winning
ABERYSTWYTH ARTS CENTRE

Contained within this pack is a whole host of information that you might find useful during your visit. We hope we have covered most eventualities, but if there is something else that you think might be usefully added in, do let us know so that we can improve this pack in the future.

We hope you enjoy your time at Festival



INTERNATIONAL CERAMICS FESTIVAL 2019

Since it began in 1987, this three-day festival has grown to become the UK's leading ceramics event. It offers teachers, students, ceramic artists, collectors, working potters, amateurs and lovers of craft, the chance to meet and study the work of distinguished, internationally known potters and ceramicists from Wales, the UK and around the world.

The Festival attracts over 1,000 people who attend lectures, watch practical demonstrations and visit our special exhibitions. Our international demonstrators show skills and techniques on our specially adapted stage and also have their own workspaces – enabling personal discussion about their work. The focus is both practical and inspirational – kilns are built, pots are made and fired.

The Festival supports emerging makers and has opportunities for students and recent graduates who work with clay through ceramics, fine art or 3-D design courses.

The Festival offer visitors opportunities to take part during the festival with a variety of hands on activities, as well as being able to vote for the Lifetime Achievement award and donate their work to the Cup Sale.

The festival is sponsored by Potclays, one of the UK's main ceramics suppliers, and is supported by other ceramic supply companies. It has financial support from the Welsh Arts Council and the Welsh Government.

The organisers are Wales's two potters groups, North Wales Potters and South Wales Potters together with Aberystwyth University.



ABERYSTWYTH ARTS CENTRE IS PROUD TO HOST ICF 2019

Award winning Aberystwyth Arts Centre is Wales' largest arts centre and recognised as a 'national flagship for the arts'. It has a wide-ranging artistic programme, both producing and presenting, across all art forms including drama, dance, music, visual arts, applied arts, film, new media, and community arts and is recognised as a national centre for arts development. Aberystwyth Arts Centre is a department of Aberystwyth University and a member of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

The Arts Centre sits at the heart of the university's campus, with stunning views over the town of Aberystwyth and along the coastline of Cardigan Bay.

If you would like to find out more about the Arts Centre and its partnerships please visit

<https://www.aberystwythartscentre.co.uk/history>

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TRANSPORT INFORMATION

By Car

The Arts Centre is situated at the heart of the Aberystwyth University campus, post code SY23 3DE. The turning onto campus is from the A487 and is well signposted. There are large car parks adjacent to the Arts Centre and on campus which are free for customers in the evening after 17.00 and at weekends. Please note that if you are visiting the Arts Centre during the daytime you should follow the signs to the Visitors Car Park, for which there is a small charge.

Public transport

Train services to Aberystwyth from Birmingham, Shrewsbury, Newtown and Machynlleth run every one to two hours except on Sundays. Please see www.nationalrail.co.uk for more detailed information.

The train station in Aberystwyth is adjacent to the main bus and coach terminals. There are a number of buses and coaches that run from the centre of Aberystwyth to the Arts Centre. Bus routes 301, 305 and 03 provide a convenient link from the town centre and seafront to the University's Penglais Campus and the Arts Centre, with other local buses serving the immediate suburbs. Please see

<https://www.aberystwyth.org.uk/transport/towntravel.shtml>

for more local information.

The walking time from Aberystwyth Arts Centre to the town centre is about 20 minutes, but please bear in mind that Penglais Hill is quite a steep climb so it takes longer coming back! There are bus stops at the campus entrance.

For both national and local bus timetables and train times contact Traveline on 0871 200 22 33 or www.traveline.info



FESTIVAL SITE DELIVERIES

From the Main Campus Reception follow the **ICF** signs that direct you to Art Centre parking and the Festival Site for product and material deliveries. Follow Festival Staff directions. Contact Sarah Morton on 07775 781897 for any enquiries or at aafstaff@aber.ac.uk

FESTIVAL OFFICE

During the Festival ICF is using the foil-clad Creative Units, nos. 4 and 5, which can be found behind the Festival Trade Stands Marquee. This is where the Festival Office and Festival Assistants Rest Room will be found. Follow the signs to the appropriate Units. These areas are for Staff and Guests only.

WIRELESS ACCESS

The Arts Centre is WiFi enabled – Join The Cloud Network.
<https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/is/wireless/visitors/>

PETS AND ANIMALS

Pets and animals are not allowed on the premises with the exception of Guide or Hearing Dogs.

SMOKING

Aberystwyth Arts Centre is a non-smoking venue. This applies to the entire building complex, including the accommodation areas.

PHOTOCOPYING

Guests may use the photocopier located in the Administration office if needed. There will be a charge for this service: b&w A4 x 10p, A3 x 20p and colour A4 x 40p, A3 x 80p.



ABERYSTWYTH TAXIS

There is a short selection of local taxi companies see below.

For a full list of local taxi companies please go to:

<https://www.thephonebook.bt.com/bus/taxi/aberystwyth/>

Aber Cars	01970 627070		
Cambrian Cabs	01970 626292	www.cambriancabs.co.uk	
Domino's Taxis	01970 625888		
Garys Cabs	01970 623541		
M & C Abercabs	01970 880865		
Mayan cabs	07477 165 263	www.mayancabs.co.uk	Cards accepted
Dragon Cars	07977 990646	www.dragoncabsaber.co.uk	



MEDICAL AND EMERGENCY CONTACTS

For medical emergencies requiring an ambulance please ring 999 first before informing 24/7 Campus helpline on 01970 622900

OTHER MEDICAL CONTACTS

Hospital Acute & A&E Department	Bronglais General Hospital Caradog Road Aberystwyth	SY23 1ER	01970 623131
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Doctors	Padarn Surgery, Penglais Road, Aberystwyth,	SY23 3NF	01970 624545
	Ystwyth Primary Care Centre, Parc Y Llyn, Llanbadarn Fawr, Aberystwyth	SY23 3TL	01970 613500

Dentists:	Denticare 61 North Parade Aberystwyth	SY23 2JN	01970 612266
	Ystwyth Primary Care Centre Parc Y Llyn Retail Pk Llanbadarn Fawr Aberystwyth	SY23 3TL	01970 613500



Pharmacies	Boots UK Ltd, 55-57 Terrace Rd, Aberystwyth	SY23 2AF	01970 612292
	Lloyds Pharmacy Ltd, New Padarn Surgery Site, Penglais Road, Aberystwyth	SY23 3DU	01970 612694
Osteopath	Aberystwyth Osteopathic Clinic Main Terrace, Aberystwyth	SY23 2AZ	0800 849 6802
Physiotherapist	Aberystwyth Physiotherapy Sportscare Clinic 12 Upper Portland Street Aberystwyth	SY23 2DT	01970 639118
Chiropodists	Aber Foot Care Llanbadarn Fawr Aberystwyth	SY23 3TL	01970 613533

For more information contact at <http://www.nhsdirect.wales.nhs.uk/> or on 0845 4647 (please note that calls are charged at £0.02 per minute plus an access charge levied by your 'phone provider).



SUPERMARKETS

CK Foodstores (has a Post Office)	Waun Fawr Aberystwyth SY23 3QH	<i>Mon-Sat</i> <i>07.00-22.00</i> <i>Sun</i> <i>10.00-16.00</i>
Iceland	Rheidol Retail Park Station Road Aberystwyth SY23 1LL	<i>Mon-Sat</i> <i>09:00 19:00</i> <i>Sun</i> <i>10:00 16:00</i>
Lidl	Rheidol Retail Park Alexandra Road Aberystwyth SY23 1LP	<i>Mon-Sat</i> <i>08:00 22:00</i> <i>Sun</i> <i>10:00 16:00</i>
Morrisons (has a petrol Station)	Parc Y Llyn Retail Park Llanbadarn Fawr Aberystwyth SY23 3TL	<i>Mon-Sa</i> <i>06.00 22.00</i> <i>Sun</i> <i>10.00 16.00</i>
Spar	32 Terrace Road Aberystwyth SY23 2AE	<i>24 hr, including Sun</i>
Tesco Express	19-21 N Parade Aberystwyth SY23 2JN	<i>Daily</i> <i>06:00 23:00</i>



EATING OUT AND TAKEAWAY DELIVERY

Arts Centre Cafés & Bars

Café opening hours during Festival

Friday 5 & Saturday 6 July 07.30 – 22.00

Sunday 7 July 07.30 – 20.00

Piazza Café opening hours during Festival

Friday 5 July 10.00 – 20.00

Saturday 6 July 0800 – 21.30

Sunday 7 July 08.00 – 16.00

Our award winning cafés offer brilliant coffee, great salads and hot meals as well as a wide range of snacks and cakes. The café is in the main foyer, and the Piazza Café on the lower level.

Please note that at lunchtimes on Saturday and Sunday the café will be serving from its usual location plus on the Bar level.

Bar opening hours during Festival

Friday 5 July 12.00 – 24.00

Saturday 6 July 08.30 – 01.30

Sunday 08.30 – 19.30

The theatre bar offers a wide range of drinks plus speciality teas and coffees. It also serves Paninis made to order.



Aberystwyth Students Union

The Students Union Shop will be open during the Festival for snacks, drinks, basic toiletries and stationery. Opening hours: Friday 5 July 10.00 – 16.00; Saturday 6 July 09.00 – 17.00; Sunday 7 July 09.00 – 15.00.

Starbucks will be open on Saturday 6 July 08.30 – 18.00; Sunday 7 July 08.30 – 16.00.

Brynamlwg Tavern on Campus (Behind Silver Pods)

Traditional British tavern food 12.00-14.00 and 17.30-20.30

<http://www.aber.ac.uk/en/media/departmental/brynamlwg/images/Brynamlwg-Menu-120415-2.pdf>

FAST FOOD AND TAKEAWAYS (LOCAL AND DELIVERY)

Stone Willy's Pizza <http://aberystwythstonewillysonline.com/>

Pizza, Burgers, Wraps delivered to Campus Accommodation

Summer Opening Times (Delivery only)

Mon-Sun 12:00 - 14:00 & 17:30 – 22.00

If ordering to University halls of residence, please state your block within your address for us to ensure prompt delivery.

The Union, Penglais, Aberystwyth, SY23 3DX 01970 621719

Y Dafarn Datws (Fish and Chips) Waunfawr, opposite CK supermarket 12.00-20.30

A variety of online food delivery outlets can be found at:

<https://www.aberystwyth.org.uk/foodanddrink/fastfood.shtml>



ABERYSTWYTH RESTAURANTS

There are a number of restaurants, cafés and bars in the town offering a wide range of choices. It is advisable to book if you want to be sure of a table, especially for group bookings.

<http://www.aberystwyth.org.uk/foodanddrink/> has a list of food and drink establishments in and around Aberystwyth town.

ATMs

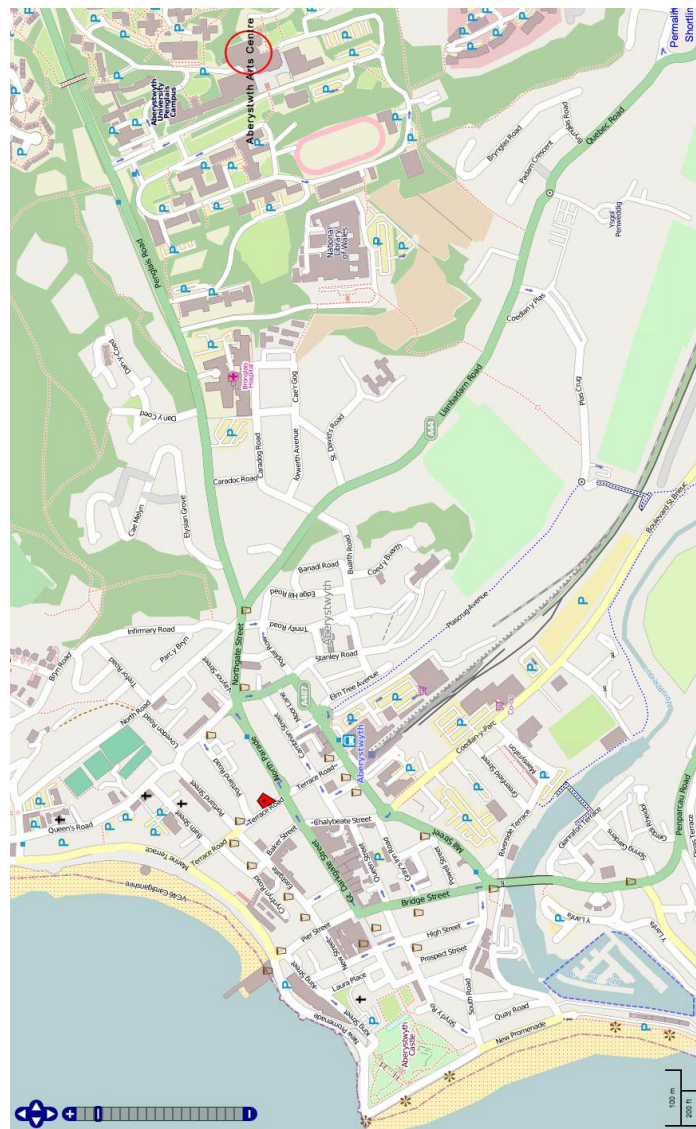
Free ATM's can be found on site:

- Piazza outside the Arts Centre
- The Students Union
- CK's Supermarket, Waunfawr (close to Accommodation)

Plus, most banks in Aberystwyth town centre have free ATMs.



MAP OF ABERYSTWYTH SHOWING TOWN CENTRE & ARTS CENTRE



For a link to a downloadable and/or printable map please go to <https://www.aberystwyth.org.uk/transport/aberystwyth-town-map.pdf>