

## Travel & Accommodation Information for the British Down Syndrome Swimming Championships

**Venue:** K2 Crawley Recreation Centre 01293 585300  
Pease Pottage Hill  
Crawley  
RH11 9BQ

**Free car parking on site**

Website: <https://www.everyoneactive.com/centre/k2-crawley/>

**Date:** Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024

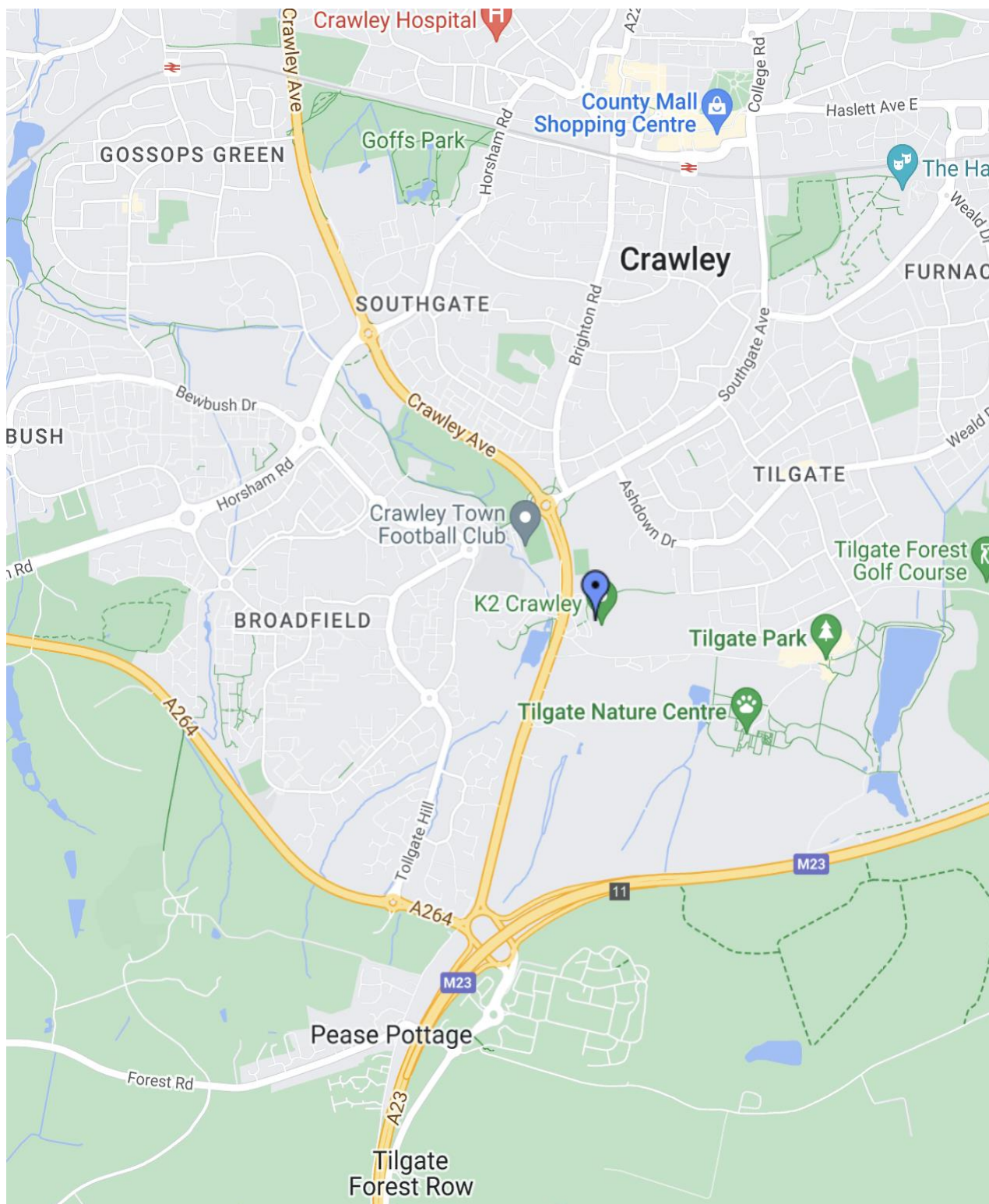


Link to apple map: <https://apple.co/44KYEOj>

Link to google map: <https://bit.ly/3Q6tU6e>

What 3 Words: happy.pies.quiz

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Directions: The K2 Leisure Centre is on the A23 at Pease Pottage Hill in Tilgate, between Thomas Bennett School and Tilgate Forest Recreation Centre and opposite Broadfield Stadium.

### Arriving by Bus or Train

The K2 Leisure Centre is about 1.4 miles from Crawley Railway Station (services to London Victoria, Gatwick Airport and Thameslink). To walk to the leisure centre, turn right out of the station, then right again at the traffic lights onto Southgate Avenue. At the end of Southgate Avenue, turn left. The leisure centre is about 200 yards ahead of you on the left-hand side of the A23.

The number 2 bus (<https://www.metrobus.co.uk/services>) stops at Crawley bus station near Crawley railway station and visits the K2 Leisure Centre approximately every 15 minutes.

The number 10 Fastway bus from Gatwick airport via Crawley bus station (near Crawley Railway station) stops nearby at Broadfield Stadium and on Southgate Avenue (<https://www.metrobus.co.uk/services/MB/10#timetable>).

### Arriving by Car

**From the south**, follow the A23 towards Crawley. About one mile past Pease Pottage, get in the outside lane and turn right at the traffic lights. Watch out for the 50 mph limit as you approach the lights — there are sometimes speed traps.

**From the north**, follow the A23 through Crawley. Look for a roundabout containing a giant football, outside Bradfield Stadium. Go straight on in the left-hand lane, and very soon you will see the K2 Leisure Centre to your left as you approach a set of traffic lights.

**From the M23**, leave the motorway at junction 11, Pease Pottage. Get in the right-hand lane on the slip road, follow the roundabout all the way round and join the A23 heading towards Crawley. The K2 Leisure Centre is on your right, at the first set of traffic lights.

**Free car parking**, including disabled bays close to the main entrance is available. Other locations nearby are often used as overflow car parks and will be signposted when in use.

### Arriving by Plane

Gatwick Airport is approximately a 15 minute drive from K2. There are many car hire companies operating at the airport. The number 10 Fastway bus from Gatwick airport via Crawley bus station (near Crawley Railway station) stops nearby at Broadfield Stadium and on Southgate Avenue (<https://www.metrobus.co.uk/services/MB/10#timetable>).

## Taxis

Being so close to Gatwick Airport, Crawley has numerous taxi firms. Here is the link to the yellow pages taxi page for Crawley

<https://www.yell.com/s/taxis+and+private+hire+vehicles-crawley-west+sussex.html>

## Hotels

There are many nearby hotels. These are just a few:

### **The Crowne Plaza, Gatwick**

<https://www.crowneplaza.com/redirect?path=hd&brandCode=CP&localeCode=en&regionCode=925&hotelCode=LGWUK&PMID=99801505&GPC=DSS&cn=no&viewfullsite=true>

### **Arora Hotel**

<https://gatwick.arorahotels.com/> (temporarily closed)

### **Premier Inn**

Crawley Town (Goff's Park) is 1.4 miles from K2 but there are 7 Premier Inns within 8 miles of K2

<https://www.premierinn.com/gb/en/hotels/england/west-sussex/crawley.html>

### **Travelodge**

There are 4 Travelodges within 8 miles, the closest being Travelodge Crawley

<https://www.travelodge.co.uk/hotels/583/Crawley-hotel?sb=1>

### **Holiday Inn Express**

<https://www.ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels/gb/en/crawley/cryuk/hoteldetail>

### **Cottesmore Golf & Country Club**

<https://www.cottesmoregolf.co.uk/> and also self-catering lodges

### **AirBnB**

<https://www.airbnb.co.uk/>

## Exploring Crawley

<https://www.experiencewestsussex.com/map/crawley-gatwick/>