





Sainsbury's

























EVENT DETAILS



Event Timings

Sunday 24 August

Spectator Village Opens: 10:30

Doors Open: 11.50

First Event: 13.20

Last Event: 18:55

Spectator Village Closes: 20:00

To view the event schedule Click here

Venue address:

Birmingham Alexander Stadium, Stadium Way, Perry Barr, Birmingham, B42 2LR

Travel Information:

The Alexander Stadium is situated only a few miles from Birmingham's City Centre on the A34.

Travelling by bus

From Birmingham City Centre you can take bus 51. Plan your journey by visiting the Network West Midlands website. www.networkwestmidlands.com

Travelling by train

The nearest train station is Perry Bar which is around 20 minutes walk to Alexander Stadium along the A34. Alternatively, from Birmingham city centre's New Street Station, you can take bus 51 or take a taxi direct to the Stadium which takes approximately 15 minutes. Play your journey by visiting the National Rail website.

Travelling by taxi

Taxi drop off is located outside the "Tennis Courts" pub on the Walsall Road heading in to Birmingham.

Travelling by car

From the M6:

All vehicles travelling from the North exit the M6 at Junction 7/A34 and follow the A34/Walsall Road approximately 2 miles before turning left into Church Road for Perry Park car parking.

From the South:

All vehicles travelling from the South, exit the M6 at Junction 6/Aston Expressway/ A34 and follow signs to Birchfield Road/ A34. Follow the A34 for approximately 1.5 miles and then turn left into Perry Avenue for Perry Hall playing fields.

From Birmingham City Centre:

Join the A34 (Walsall) at Lancaster Circus roundabout. Continue on the road for approximately 3 miles taking the right lane for Walsall A34. Turn left onto Perry Avenue for Perry Hall playing fields.

Car parking available on site

Car parking is available on Perry Park. You can access this via the A34 Walsall Road, from the M6, Junction 7.

There will be a £5 car park charge.

Ones to watch

Mo Farah, Christine Ohuruogu and Greg Rutherford are all set to compete at the Sainsbury's Birmingham Grand Prix, a world class field has been assembled for the twelfth leg of the Diamond league which promises to deliver an entertaining afternoon of athletics action.

They join Commonwealth stars such as Kirani James in the 400m, David Rudisha in the 600m, Blessing Okagbare in the 100m as well as Sally Pearson and Tiffany Porter who will continue their rivalry over the 100m hurdles against some strong American athletes. The men's high jump has been a blockbuster attraction all year and no doubt this will continue in Birmingham with Bohdan Bondarenko and Mutaz Essa Barshim both aiming to leap over 2.40m again this year.

The Sainsbury's IPC Grand Prix Final follows the Diamond league event as Birmingham welcomes the best para-athletes in the world to Alexander stadium. In the season finale, David Weir, Jonnie Peacock and Hannah Cockcroft will all be competing, fresh from the IPC European Championships in Swansea. They will once again be hoping to impress in front of the home crowd.

SPECTATOR VILLAGE





