



**Mount Edgcumbe**  
**Thursday 2nd - Sunday 5th July**

**Campsite Guide**

Our official event campsite is located at Barrow Field within the Mount Edgcumbe Estate. Whether you're racing, supporting, volunteering or spectating, the campsite is a great way to be at the heart of the Championships throughout the weekend.

Camping is available throughout the Championships and bookings remain open. If you decide during the event that you'd like to stay overnight, you can simply book online and check in at the campsite reception desk.

Book your camping via our [website](#).

**Travel**

All event road traffic must follow either Route A - A38 or Route B - Torpoint Ferry as outlined in the [Travel Guide](#) on our website.

The local area features passing places and narrow lanes. Please be considerate of residents and other road users, waiting for others to proceed and pass safely.

Please consider car sharing where possible. Public transport routes are also available.

**Arriving**

All campers must check in at the campsite reception desk on arrival to collect their campsite wristband. This wristband provides access to the campsite and must be worn for the duration of your stay.

Check-in is available from:

Wednesday: 4pm to 8pm



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Thursday - Sunday: 8am to 8pm

## **Departure**

Check out time is by 11am on your final day.

The campsite will close at 11am on Monday 6th July.

## **Facilities**

The campsite includes:

- Toilet facilities
- Hot showers
- Drinking water
- Catering vendors

Please note that there is no electric hook-up available.

## **Vehicle Access & Parking**

There is a specific area set aside for campervans and other tiny homes on wheels within the campsite.

Cars may enter the campsite and will be directed to a designated parking area.

A 5mph speed limit applies throughout the site.

To ensure the safety of all campers, no vehicle movements are permitted within the campsite between 8pm and 8am.

## **Campsite Etiquette**

The GigRower European Championships is a family-friendly event and campers of all ages will be staying onsite throughout the weekend.

Please help us create a welcoming environment for everyone by:



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- Respecting fellow campers
- Keeping noise to a reasonable level
- Observing quiet hours after 11pm
- Leaving pitches tidy and disposing of waste responsibly

Please respect neighbouring campers and event staff, particularly during early morning race preparation periods.

### **Late Arrivals**

If you are unexpectedly delayed and arrive after 8.00pm, please contact the number on the main campsite gate.

When arriving late, please be considerate of other campers who may already be resting:

- Drive slowly and follow directions from event staff
- Keep noise to a minimum while setting up
- Avoid loud music and unnecessary vehicle movements
- Use low-level lighting where possible
- Consider setting up only essential equipment and completing your pitch the following morning

### **Site Conditions**

The campsite operates within a temporary outdoor event environment. Ground conditions may vary and some areas may be uneven or sloping.

If you are bringing a campervan, motorhome or caravan, please ensure you bring any equipment required to safely secure and level your vehicle, including wheel chocks where appropriate.

### **Camping Safety Briefing**

Please take a few moments to familiarise yourself with the following safety information before setting up camp.

#### **Vehicle Safety**

- Always apply your handbrake when parked.
- Campervans, caravans and trailers should be secured appropriately, including the use of wheel chocks where necessary.
- Observe the 5mph speed limit throughout the site.
- No vehicle movements are permitted between 8.00pm and 8.00am.

#### **Fire Safety**

- No open fires or fire pits are permitted anywhere on site.



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## Emergency Procedures

- The emergency assembly is located near the entrance to Dry Walk Car Park.
- Please familiarise yourself with the nearest evacuation route on arrival.
- In the event of an emergency, follow instructions from event staff, marshals or emergency services.
- An AED (defibrillator) is located at the campsite reception desk.
- If you require medical attention whilst on the campsite please visit the campsite reception desk.
- If you discover a lost child, vulnerable person or have a safeguarding concern, please notify Camping HQ, the Event Reception Desk or the Event Safeguarding Team immediately

## Children & Families

The GigRower European Championships is a family-friendly event and we encourage parents and guardians to take a few moments to familiarise children with the site on arrival.

Please ensure children know:

- Where the campsite reception desk is located
- Where the toilets are located
- How to identify event staff and volunteers
- Who to approach if they become lost, separated from their group or need assistance
- The name of their responsible adult

If a child becomes separated from their group, they should go directly to the relevant desk depending on their location; Race HQ, campsite reception desk, car park gate marshal or find an event marshal.

Parents and guardians remain responsible for supervising children throughout their stay, particularly around roads, vehicle movements, the waterfront and operational event areas.

A quick walk around the site with younger children on arrival can help them feel confident and know where to go if they need assistance.



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## **Dogs**

Dogs are welcome in the public outdoor areas of Mount Edgcumbe Country Park. However, dogs are not permitted in the campsite.

## **Alpacas & Wildlife**

The field adjacent to the campsite is home to alpacas.

Whilst they are generally friendly animals, please do not enter their enclosure, feed them or attempt to interact with them.

Alpacas can kick, spit and bite if startled or stressed.

## **Ticks**

Ticks may be present in long grass and rural areas around the estate.

We recommend checking yourself and children regularly, particularly after spending time in long grass or woodland areas.

If you discover a tick attached to your skin, please visit the Event Medical Team or First Aid Point. They have appropriate tick removal equipment and can assist with safe removal.

Avoid attempting to remove ticks using inappropriate methods such as burning, covering with substances, or excessive pulling, as this may increase the risk of complications.

## **Lyme Disease Awareness**

Lyme disease is uncommon but can occur following a tick bite. Most cases can be treated successfully with antibiotics, particularly when identified early.

Following the Championships, please consider seeking medical advice if you experience:

- A circular or expanding "bullseye" style rash around a tick bite or elsewhere on the body
- Flu-like symptoms, including fever, chills, headache or fatigue
- Muscle and joint aches
- Neck stiffness



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- Unusual tiredness that persists after the event

Symptoms can develop several days or even weeks after a tick bite, and not everyone who develops Lyme disease will notice a rash.

If you are concerned, please contact your GP or NHS 111 and mention any recent exposure to ticks.

## **Enjoy!**

Thank you for helping us create a safe, friendly and enjoyable campsite for everyone. We hope you have a fantastic stay and enjoy a memorable weekend at the inaugural GigRower European Championships.



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