

Notts County Football Club

First time fan guide



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An unrivalled history, an incredible future

Notts County Football Club are the world's oldest professional football club, having been established in 1862, and a founder member of the Football League.

Currently competing in League Two of the Sky Bet EFL, Notts play at Meadow Lane, which has a capacity of 20,300 and has been the club's home since 1910.

The stadium is a short walk from Nottingham train station and the city centre, with fantastic public transport links, as well as car parking available around the ground. Further details of how to get to Meadow Lane are included in this guide.

The club's rich and illustrious history includes an FA Cup triumph in 1894, and the honour of having provided Italian giants Juventus with their now infamous black and white striped kit, a gesture that formed a lasting bond between the two clubs.

More modern success has included being crowned Anglo-Italian Cup Winners in 1995 and lifting the League Two title in the 2009-10 season, while off the pitch the club continues to go from strength to strength under the leadership of chairman and owner Alan Hardy, who bought the club in January 2017.



NOTTS COUNTY FC
FOUNDED 1862

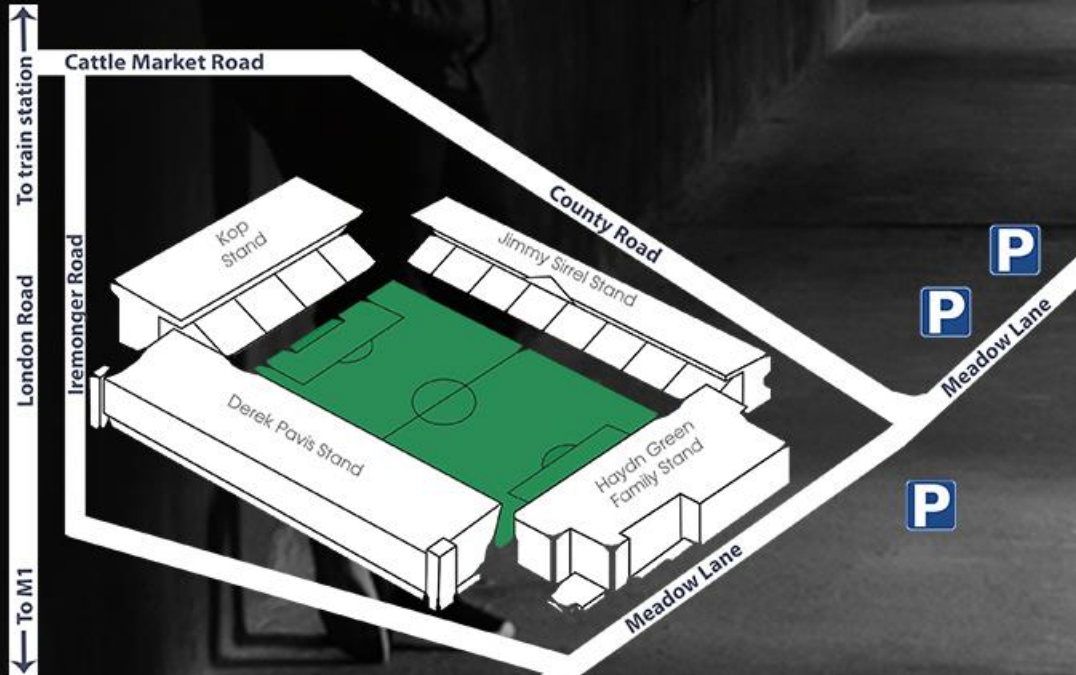
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Getting to Meadow Lane

PARKING

Matchday parking is available for a small fee at three locations within close proximity to Meadow Lane Stadium, which are highlighted on the map below.

Roads in the immediate vicinity of the stadium are subject to parking prohibitions on matchdays but some street parking is available for those arriving early.



SAT NAV

The club's postcode is NG2 3HJ.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

BY TRAIN: Meadow Lane is just a 5-10 minute walk from Nottingham station. Head towards London Road, turn right and cross over at the traffic lights before continuing down to Cattle Market Road, where you will see Meadow Lane Stadium.

BY BUS: Meadow Lane is well served by local buses, with further details on services and timetables available from the following:

City Transport | www.nctx.co.uk

Trent Barton | www.trentbarton.co.uk

BY TRAM: The city of Nottingham benefits from an ever-improving tram network including a number of park-and-ride facilities. More details can be found at:

City Trams | www.thetram.net

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Buying your ticket

Match tickets are available to purchase in person at the Meadow Lane ticket office, over the phone and online. On matchday, dedicated booths open around the ground to help supporters avoid queues at the ticket office windows.

Details of prices and availability for all upcoming home and away games, together with information regarding official away travel arrangements, can be found on the club's official website: www.nottscountyfc.co.uk.

IN PERSON

On a weekday (non-matchday) the ticket office can be found inside the club shop. It's open Monday – Friday, 9am to 5pm.

ONLINE

Tickets for all forthcoming fixtures can be booked in advance by visiting the ticketing section of our website: www.nottscountyfc.co.uk/tickets. Tickets purchased online can either be sent out by post, left for collection or made available to print at home. Alternatively, just show the barcode in your ticketing email on your mobile phone at the turnstile!

BY PHONE

During normal opening hours, the ticket office can be contacted by phone on 0115 9557 210.

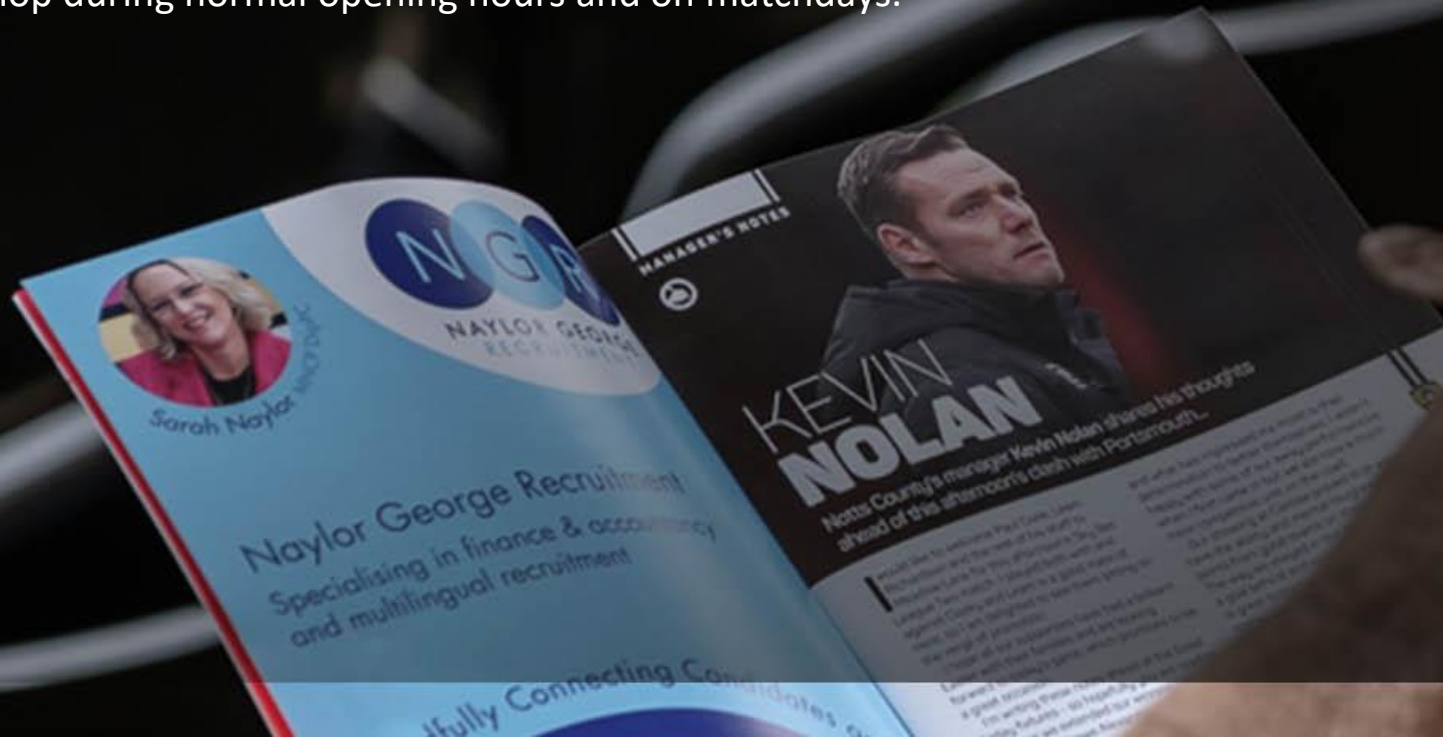


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The Mag

Priced £3, our matchday programme, the Mag, is available around the ground and from the club shop. Containing exclusive features, columns from the chairman and manager, player interviews, junior features and much more, it's always a worthwhile purchase!

Supporters can also pick up back-issues of the Mag from the club shop during normal opening hours and on matchdays.



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Meet Mr & Mrs Magpie

Mr and Mrs Magpie are Notts County's friendly mascots, welcoming fans of all ages to every home game.

Keep an eye out for them in the club shop, near the Broken Wheelbarrow and on the pitch before the game.

Mr and Mrs Magpie both love a selfie, so be sure to grab them for a photo!



A woman with long reddish-brown hair, wearing a red and blue puffer jacket and black gloves, is pouring a drink from a white bottle with a blue cap into a white cup. She is also holding a white plate with food, including what looks like fries and a burger. The background is slightly blurred, showing other people and structures.

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Food & drink

THE BROKEN WHEELBARROW

Named after the iconic chant of Notts County fans, this sports bar is the perfect place to have a drink and grab some food before a home game.

Opening at least two hours before kick-off, there is a full range of alcoholic and soft drinks, including real ale, as well as a variety of meal options to cater for all tastes. For those sitting in the Haydn Green Family Stand, the bar is also open at half-time and is accessible directly from the concourse.

ON THE CONCOURSE

Once inside the ground, each stand is served by a number of concourse catering outlets, offering a range of hot snacks including burgers, pies and vegetarian options, as well as sweets and crisps and a full range of hot, cold and, at certain outlets, alcoholic beverages.

The concourses in the Derek Pavis Stand and the Kop Stand benefit from TV screens at each concourse catering outlet, so you can check the latest scores or watch match highlights while grabbing a bite to eat.

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Don't miss a thing – stay in touch

Keep up to date with all the latest news, images and video from Notts County using the club's official social media pages.



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YouTube

@officialncfc



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If you have any questions related to a match day, or the club in general, you can direct them to our dedicated Supporter Liaison Officers. The SLO's are a team consisting of club staff and supporters with a wealth of knowledge.



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