



ARRIVAL PAPERWORK

- ✓ You need to print out and bring your arrival email and your e-ticket that has the barcode on it, or at least have stored them both your phone (and ensure you have plenty of battery on arrival!). It will be scanned at the gate before you are wrist banded.
- ✓ Your proof of your right to volunteer or work in the UK (UK/EAA/Swiss passport OR your working visa OR your UK Birth certificate & NI card OR your UK Birth certificate & a letter from your current or previous employer showing your NI number)

TENT AND CAMPING KIT

✓ Tent. Take a bit of advice from us, don't buy one of the single skin £9.99 supermarket specials. You'll regret it if it rains. Your tent is going to be your home for at least five days, so it's worth spending a bit more. Make sure you pack the poles, pegs etc!

The average 2-person tent nowadays can in most cases accommodate a family of four, so if you're coming with a friend why not consider sharing? Let's face it - you won't be spending that much time in your tent anyway!

✓ Mallet / hammer: for bashing down those tent pegs.

✓ Sleeping bag: the more you pay, the warmer you'll be.

✓ Pillow

✓ Sleeping mat or airbed / pump: you need to be insulated from the ground.

WANT A BIT MORE COMFORT?

- ✓ An extra blanket - it will come in very handy if it gets really cold.
- ✓ A small folding camping chair.
- ✓ Foil blanket - to put over your tent when you're trying to get some sleep during the day under the hot summer sun (hopefully!)
- ✓ Ear plugs

FOOTWEAR & CLOTHING

✓ A pair of waterproof shoes, walking boots or as a last resort wellies - you cannot wear flip-flops or 6 inch heels while on shift!

✓ A good quality fleece, warm coat or sweater for night shifts - trust us when we say that it gets very cold on a night shift. Even in the middle of summer!

✓ A waterproof jacket & waterproof trousers

✓ Take more socks, you can never have enough!

✓ Fancy dress. You are at a festival, after all...!

EATING, DRINKING AND COOKING GEAR

Please bring your own washable knife, fork and plate to use at our crew caterers. If you don't have your own, our caterers will charge you a small fee for single use items.

- ✓ Plate
- ✓ Knife & fork, spoon
- ✓ Mug and flask (for hot drinks both on and off shift)
- ✓ Water bottle - useful to re-fill with water.
- ✓ Snack food - very handy for taking on shift.
- ✓ Alcohol - Don't forget you can only bring alcohol in the first time you come through.

not leave one in the car out of site or hide one in a sock in your tent? It gives you something to fall back on in an emergency)

- ✓ Cash: if you must bring large amounts of cash with you, don't keep it all in one place, get creative by spreading it around in your tent. £20 in one sock £10 in another!
- ✓ Keys - only bring the ones you need, in case you lose them.
- ✓ Mobile phone - a power bank can be very useful if your world falls apart if you can't update Facebook
- ✓ Camera / spare batteries -great to have but only if you can afford to lose it!

TOILETRIES

- ✓ Towel
- ✓ Hairbrush
- ✓ Razor / foam
- ✓ Sanitary products
- ✓ Toilet rolls / tissues, wet wipes
- ✓ Showering stuff / gel / shampoo
- ✓ Toothbrush / toothpaste
- ✓ Soap / deodorant
- ✓ Bin bags - dirty clothing / clearing up etc.

FOR YOUR SHIFTS

- ✓ Small rucksack / bag - you might have lots of stuff to carry to your shift location, can also be ideal for exploring on your day off.
- ✓ L.E.D torch / spare batteries
- ✓ Pen or pencil and small notepad
- ✓ Mug - absolutely essential, especially if you want a hot drink on shift.
- ✓ Flask - if you've brought one to site, fill it up with hot water and take it on shift with you. Add a pot noodle and you've got a cheap hot meal to tide you through.
- ✓ Warm clothes for night shifts if you start your shift at 4pm on a sunny day, you'll be shivering by 10pm.

MEDICATION & PERSONAL PROTECTION

- ✓ Medication - prescriptions / inhalers / chemist sundries
- ✓ Medical info (allergies etc) / next of kin notification
- ✓ Sunscreen / sun hat / sun protection/sunglasses. The sun is great for a tan but it can also have both long and short term effects on your health.
- ✓ Insect repellent – always useful.
- ✓ Glasses / contact lens stuff.
- ✓ Contraceptives - yes that means you. You might get lucky and it's better to be safe than sorry!

THE ALL IMPORTANT EXTRAS!

What else might you need to make your stewarding experience the best ever? Well, we could go on forever with this question but here are a few non-essential things that past stewards have suggested we add to this section:

- ✓ Book or something to read
- ✓ Duct tape or gaffer tape (multitude of uses!)
- ✓ Solar or wind-up mobile phone charger
- ✓ Flag – to help you find your tent in a big field!

VALUABLES

Don't take anything to a festival that you can't afford to lose. If you are worried, use the site lock-ups.

- ✓ Your debit or credit card (If you bring both why

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RESPECT THE CITY