

Title.	Distance	Place	OS Map
<b>Trentham Gardens Staffordshire</b>	4.5 Miles 7 Km	Stoke on Trent	OS 258 Stoke & Newcastle under Lyme

Date of visit – June 2024

The walk explores the beautiful Trentham Estate gardens and lake. The circular lake walk is approximately 4.5 miles in length (7km) along wide paths making easy going for wheelchair users. One thing to note here is that the South Entrance is more difficult for vehicles with many potholes at the time of writing so our advice is to enter by the main entrance. On selected days there are boat trips on the lake and a miniature railway.

- **Facilities** – All the facilities are contained within the Trentham Estate. There is a garden centre and outlet village attached to the main entrance route which has a large number of outlet shops. The main entrance is wheelchair friendly with plenty of room.
- **Café** – There are food outlets within the shopping village as well as a main cafe within the gardens and a smaller cafe at the southern entrance. Access is good at both these points but only the main cafe has accessible toilets.



Trentham Estate Outlet Centre

- **Toilets** – Are available in the main cafe within the Gardens.



- **Path** - The paths are , in the main, wide and flat and made of crushed stone. There are some small inclines mainly towards the southern entrance on both sides of the lake but motorised chairs will have no problem and manual chairs may need strong armed companions but we didn't find these a major problem. The route in from the south side near Monkey World has two paths along the lake. Wheelchair users would be advised to keep to the path further inland from the lake as this is flatter and avoids some dips and inclines.



- **Information** – There are information boards scattered around the site

- **Website**- The Trentham Estate website is currently

<https://trentham.co.uk/>

Please check this for more information than this document contains

- **Directions** – Trentham Estate address is:-

Stone Road  
Trentham  
Stoke-on-Trent  
Staffordshire  
ST4 8JG

Getting here by...

Car

Car parking is FREE at Trentham at our two main car parks: one located near Trentham Garden Centre and one next to Trentham Shopping Village. There are 4 electric car charging points and 8 Tesla Supercharger stations located next to the Shopping Village. **Accessible and Parent & Child Parking available.**

To find us using Sat Nav, enter ST4 8JG.

#### **From the M6**

- Exit junction 15 of M6
- Follow A500 towards Stoke-on-Trent for 1 mile
- Exit right at roundabout and follow A34 towards Stone
- Trentham's main North Entrance is 1 mile on the right
- For South Entrance continue on A34 for another mile exiting right at the next roundabout

#### **From The A50**

- At Sideway Roundabout
- Exit left at roundabout and follow A500 for 1 mile
- Exit left at roundabout and follow A34 towards Stone
- Trentham's main North Entrance is 1 mile on the right
- For South Entrance continue on A34 for another mile exiting right at the next roundabout

Bus

The bus stop is only a short walk away from Trentham.

Buses from Hanley (City Centre) and Stafford.

The 101 service operated by First Bus runs from Hanley (City Centre) and Stafford via Newcastle-under-Lyme.

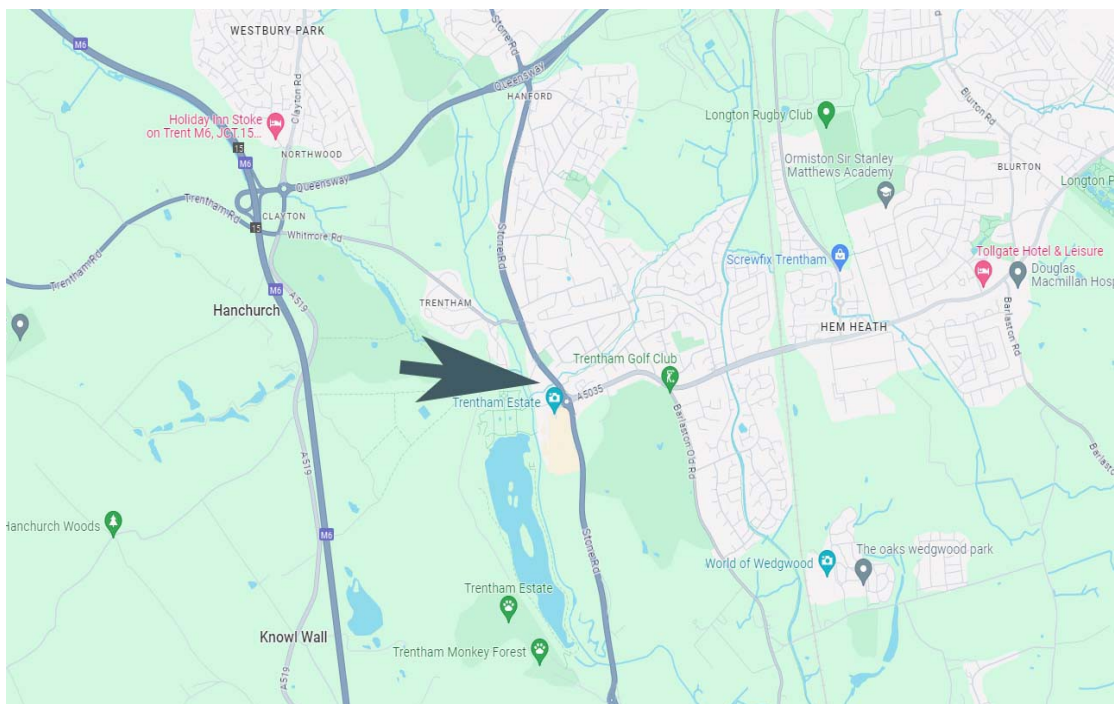
Train

### Stoke-on-Trent station

The closest major train station to Trentham is Stoke-on-Trent and buses from Hanley (City Centre) directly to Trentham. 'Trentham Gardens' is the bus stop name and is only a short walk away from the site. See the 'By bus' section above for further details.

### Stafford station

It is possible to take the train to Stafford and then take the bus to the 'Trentham Gardens' bus stop. See the 'By bus' section above for further details.



## PLEASE NOTE

It may be advisable to take your own food and drink. Prices are not cheap. Main meal prices at the cafe/restaurant are comparable with current pub prices but we found the prices for pre-packed sandwiches and cold drinks to be high.

Monkey World is at the southern entrance but admission is not included in the ticket price for Trentham Gardens.

Current prices are to be found at <https://trentham.co.uk/plan-your-visit/>

# Trentham Gardens



## KEY

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|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|
| 1 Adventure Playground | 8 Floral Labyrinth         | 15 Lakeside Café     | 23 Show Gardens                            | 29 Wildings & Forest School    | — — — — — Trentham Gardens perimeter fence/paid-for area |
| 2 Amphitheatre*        | 9 Garden Centre            | 16 Lambing Enclosure | 24 South Gardens Car Park                  | 30 Woodland Walks              | — — — — — Monkey Forest/paid-for area                    |
| 3 Barefoot Walk        | 10 Gardens Entrance        | 17 Maze              | 25 South Gardens Entrance                  | 31 Trentham Monkey Forest      | — — — — — Parkland Fence                                 |
| 4 Boardwalk Area       | 11 Heronry                 | 18 Miniature Train*  | 26 Trellis Walk & David Austin Rose Border | 32 Trentham Treetop Adventures | — — — — — Trentham Boundary                              |
| 5N Boat* North Jetty   | 12 Italian Garden          | 19 Monument Walk     | 27 Trentham Hall Remains                   | Ⓜ Toilets & Baby Changing      | Ⓜ Changing Places  |
| 5S Boat* South Jetty   | 13 Italian Garden Tearoom  | 20 Parkland          | 28 Upper Flower Garden                     | Ⓜ Dining Places                |  |
| 6 Cascade              | 14 Kingfisher & Otter Hide |                      |  |                                |  |
| 7 Disc Golf*           |                            |                      |  |                                |  |
- ★ Dogs off Lead Area  
Accessed from Park Drive not via garden
- \* Extra charge applies, operates seasonally, check [trentham.co.uk](http://trentham.co.uk) for details.