

## WELCOME!

Welcome to Beeston Festival 2026!

We hope you've come prepared, as there is lots to do right across Cross Flatts Park today.

If you've been to Beeston Festival before you'll be expecting entertainment, good food, children's activities and a fun fair. We've got all that, and more!

Thank you to the dozens of local volunteers who help run Beeston Festival! It's not too late to get involved: head to the Information desk if you want to pitch in - help clearing down after the event is especially useful. Beeston Festival is organised by a committee of local volunteers: get in touch if you'd like to join us.

Finally, thanks to all our sponsors and funders, and thanks to you for coming: we hope you enjoy yourselves!

We are always interested in what you think about the festival. Please complete our short feedback form, so that we can make next year's festival even better. Just scan the QR code to start:



## ON THE MAIN STAGE

- 12:00 Official opening
- 12:05 Drop Leg Steppas
- 1:00 Woman of Soul Show – Rachel Modest & Denatta Copeland
- 2:00 Goldfinger & Band with SilverFinger Singh
- 3:20 Brave Words Takeover
- 4:00 Kibbitz



Denatta Copeland



Inder Goldfinger

## ON THE EMERGE STAGE

You'll find an abundance of Hip Hop talent from Zimbabwe, Malaysia and beyond on the Emerge Stage, located in the Food Court at the heart of the Bazaar.

- 12:00 Tamara Sharp
- 12:45 Jay Rhule
- 1:40 Sanctuary Got Talent
- 3:00 Supreme Brass Band



Tamara Sharp



Sanctuary Got Talent

## IN THE ARENA

The Arena is located in the multi use games area and it's bigger and better than ever with dance, movement and music.

The following acts will be performing in the Arena:

- AJ Collins Dance Academy
- DAZL
- Finesse Dance Academy
- Leeds Baton Rouge Majorettes
- Reetwirlers

Plus more to be announced  
Check the website for running order



AJ Collins Dance Academy

## BEESTON FESTIVAL PRESENTS A PARK FULL OF EXTRAORDINARY DELIGHTS

If the Main Stage is the heart of Beeston Festival, please remember that we have activities stretching up to Beeston Road and down to the fun fair in the bottom half of Cross Flatts Park. Please do go and explore!

As well as the the Main Stage be sure to check out the cycle-powered Emerge Stage presented by



Creature Encounters

Roadblock, in the Food Court, .

The Arena is in the sports courts again this year and features a range of dance and movement performances.

If you can't get to the entertainment, let it come to you! Creature Encounters will be bringing some fun and a little chaos with Mr Business the Orangutan. Catch their performers wandering around the festival hot foot from the jungles of Sumatra.

Don't miss the chance to get up close with some live animals. We have farmyard animals brought by Bowland Farm; beautiful birds of prey from SMJ Falconry who have also brought their racing ferrets; plus the ever popular Blackpool Donkeys offer rides for the little ones.

The Big Bike Fix project will be on site, near the middle



Brave Words Youth Theatre

playground, so if your bike needs some attention bring it along and they'll get you cycling again.

With over a hundred stalls, the Bazaar has something for everyone, so make sure you leave enough time to explore it. Right at its heart is the Food Court selling delicious food from around the world.

We also have our own budget-friendly Beeston Festival Barbecue and Cafe in the Watsonian Pavilion.

# BEESTON FESTIVAL 2026



**SATURDAY 27 JUNE**  
**12:00 - 5:00 PM**  
**CROSS FLATTS PARK**

**FREE**

# BEESTON FESTIVAL IS SUPPORTED BY:



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## CHILDREN'S YOUNG PEOPLE'S ACTIVITIES

In the Children's & Young People's Area you'll find a climbing wall, a bouncy castle and two Breeze inflatables. In the marquee you can get crafting with Kidz Klub Leeds and Yorkshire Contemporary. The Story Bus will be here too - perfect for the under 5s. We also have a sensory tent in case it all gets a bit much and you need to chill out.

## BAZAAR

The bazaar at Beeston Festival is bursting with over a hundred stalls offering food from around the world (in the central Food Court) plus local produce, clothing, jewellery, crafts, plants, tombolas and games and lots of

information about local community groups. Watch out for Beeston Festival stalls - the proceeds from these go towards making next year's festival even better : Barbecue; Cafe; Cakes; Jams & Preserves.

Extra stalls are in the Children's area and down towards the Arena.

## LIVE ANIMALS IN THE PARK

A chance to see farmyard animals and birds of prey up close and personal, have a flutter on the ferret

racers, or enjoy a donkey ride. Please remember to wash your hands at one of the handwashing stations around the park after touching any of the animals as they may carry germs or diseases.

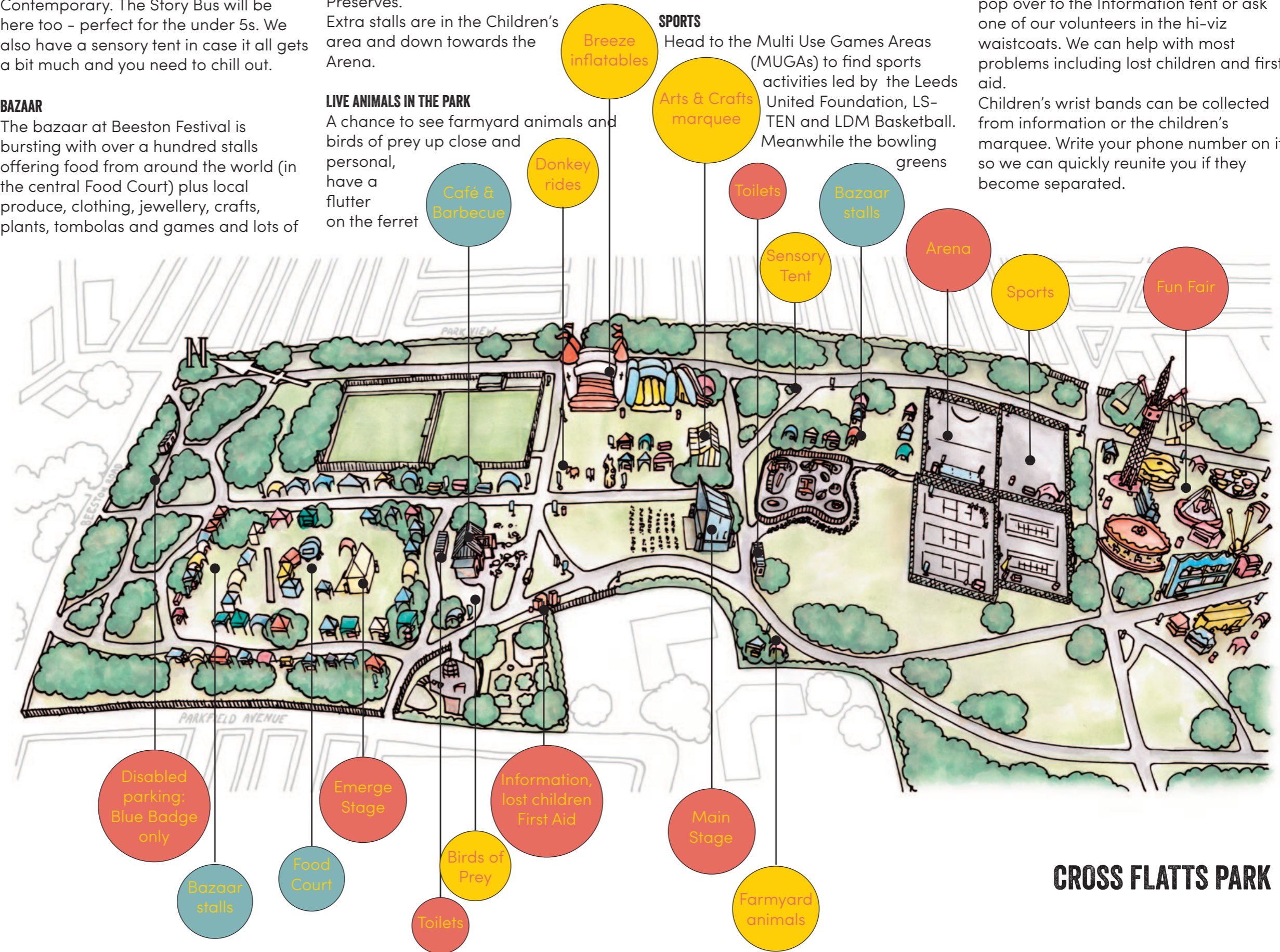
## SPORTS

Head to the Multi Use Games Areas (MUGAs) to find sports activities led by the Leeds United Foundation, LS-TEN and LDM Basketball. Meanwhile the bowling greens

at the top of the park will be open all afternoon for anyone wanting to try the sport. All activities are free.

## INFORMATION, LOST CHILDREN, FIRST AID

If you need any help during the day, just pop over to the Information tent or ask one of our volunteers in the hi-viz waistcoats. We can help with most problems including lost children and first aid. Children's wrist bands can be collected from information or the children's marquee. Write your phone number on it so we can quickly reunite you if they become separated.



CROSS FLATTS PARK