

Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Regulations) 2006

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| A -Berrylands Hotel Chiltern Drive, Surbiton | Berrylands | Whilst this PS has no disabled access, it is in a convenient location for commuters being next to the Berrylands railway station. Highly dense residential PD with no other suitable venue to move to. | One response stating that the PS was basically OK, but lighting after dark was not good. | No change. Arrange for extra temporary lighting on polling day. To note on poll card stating there is no disabled access. |
| AA-Christ Church C of E Primary School, Pine Gardens, Surbiton | | There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| AB-Surbiton Hill Methodist CH, Ewell Road, Surbiton | | There is a permanent ramp in place at this PS. | | No change |
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| BA-St James CH, Green Lane, New Malden | Beverley | There is a permanent ramp in place at this PS. | | No change |
| BB-Methodist CH, Cambridge Road, New Malden | | A portable medium ramp is supplied to this PS. | | No change |
| BC-St John's CH, Kingston Road, New Malden | | There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| BR-Christ Church Hall, Cambridge Avenue, New Malden | | There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
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| C-St Pauls Hook Parish Hall, Hook Road, Hook | Chessington North and Hook | Used on temporary basis at last election | A request to revert back to previous PS (Devon Way Centre) now renovation work has been completed. There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | To change back to: Devon Way Centre, Devon Way, Chessington |
| CA – Rhodrons Club, Rhodrons Avenue, Chessington | | Used on a temporary basis at last election. Viewed the new Hook Centre, Hook Road with a view to use as PS. There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | A request to use the new Hook Centre, Hook Road | To change to the Hook Centre, Hook Road |
| CB – Station A Chessington Methodist CH, Church Lane, Chessington | | A double station that works well with PD DA. Both are in separate halls with separate entrances. There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | Comment from a blind voter who felt it was much improved from the previous location (Moor Lane School). Also very positive comments re the staff's attention and the ballot paper templates for the blind. | No change |
| D - R.C. Church Hall, Adj. 98 Leatherhead Road, Chessington | Chessington South | There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | | No change |
| DA see CB | | | | |

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| DB – Portakabin at Garden Centre | | A difficult area to find an alternative venue. Works well for a comparatively small number of electors. Portakabin is delivered with a ramp supplied and fitted by Portakabin. | | No Change |
| E – The Market House, Market Place, KOT | Grove | Issues have been raised in the past over ‘tellers’ particularly as the Market House has two points of access. The Richard Mayo Hall viewed as an alternative venue. The hall has a permanent ramp and one disabled parking place. | A request received to have a more centrally positioned building, like the pavilion on the Fairfield. <i>(Pavilion has been used previously. But was changed due to concerns over the safety of the polling staff after dark in such an isolated location)</i> | To change the PS to the Richard Mayo Hall. To note on the poll card the availability of a disabled parking place outside the building. |
| EA – St John’s C of E Primary School, Portland Road, KOT | | This station works better now PS has been located in the school hall (previously in nursery unit). A portable ramp is delivered for use at the small step at entrance. | 1. Comment from a blind voter that he always looks forward to visiting the PS. He did have some issues about how he should be physically handled and given time to reflect alone in the booth. This will be | No change |

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| | | | mentioned at staff training sessions. 2. Comment from an elector who wished to vote at Maple Infants School which is in another ward. | |
| EB – Surrey CC Staff Club, Penrhyn Road, KOT | | Access to station from Penrhyn Road and Milner Road to the rear. There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | Comment from an elector who wished to vote at Maple Infants School which is in another ward. | No change |
| F – Emmanuel Church Hall, Grand Avenue, Surbiton | Alexandra | There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | Comment from a voter as to why he has to pass The United Reformed CH, Elgar Avenue (FA) on his way to the Emmanuel Church to vote. | No change |
| FA – United Reformed CH, Elgar Avenue, Surbiton | | A small ramp is delivered for use at this PS. | | No change |
| FB – Sunray Community Centre, Knollmead, Surbiton | | There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| G - Portakabin adj to Furzeland House, Sheephouse Way, New | Old Malden | Temporary solution while Malden Manor School was having building | | To change to Malden Manor Children’s Centre, (Annex to |

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| Malden | | works. Viewed the new Malden Manor Children's Centre, (annex to Malden Manor School). A good PS venue with a permanent ramp. | | Malden Manor Primary School), Lawrence Road, New Malden |
| GA – St John's CH, 411 Malden Road, WP | | There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | | No change |
| GB – Green Lane Primary School, Green Lane, WP | | A wooden ramp available on site. However a ramp is usually delivered as the PO is not happy with the wooden ramp. View PS with a view to having a new ramp custom built. | | No change |
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| H – Community Hall Piper Road, KOT | Norbiton | Situated centrally with good access and parking. There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. There are current proposals to demolish the existing Community Hall but, subject to planning permission being granted, a replacement facility would be provided | | No change |

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| | | before that happened. | | |
| HA – Queen Mary’s Hall, Cambridge Gardens, KOT | | There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | | No change |
| HB – Searchlight Y&C Centre, Kingston Road, New Malden | | On the edge of the PD situated across the road from the residential area. There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | Comment received that turn-out had dropped since PS moved from the Mount School. Request that PS goes back to the school. <i>(When school used before the governors were very unhappy about the school being used)</i> | No change Continue to look for an alternative. Searchlight has improved with no graffiti on the building. |
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| J – 1 st Hook Scout HQ, Verona Drive/Kent Way, Surbiton | Tolworth and Hook Rise | There is suitable disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| JA – St George’s Hall, Hamilton Avenue, Tolworth | | There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | | No change |
| JB – Portakabin at The Maverick PH, Cox Lane, Chessington | | Another densely residential area with no other buildings that could be used as a PS. | Suggestion that there may be accommodation that could be used on the trading estate. | No change |

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| | | Site visit to trading estate adjacent to the Maverick PH. A ramp has been purchased that fits the portkabin. Ramp is fitted by contractor who delivers PS equipment. | <i>(This would take the PS right out of the residential area, and there is only private parking and no appropriate buildings)</i> | |
| K – St James CH, Bodley Road, New Malden | St James Ward | A permanent ramp with non slip surface and handrail | | No change |
| KA – Marion Hill House GH, Tadworth Avenue, New Malden | | A ramp is delivered for use at side entrance which enters directly into the hall. | | No change |
| KB – Manor Park Bowls Club, Malden Road, New Malden | | Concerns have been expressed in the past that the PS is some distance from the car park. There has been one disabled parking place created nearer the PS. There is no problem with disabled access into the building. | A request received for the PS to return to the Tennis Club, Somerset Road, as it was easier for the elderly to get to. <i>(Somerset Road is accessed from the slip road onto the A3. Also a druggett has to be used for protection on the gym floor which is a trip hazard.)</i> | No change |
| L – St Andrews’s Parish Hall, Balaclava Road, Surbiton | St Marks | Notified that building will be demolished by May 2008. YMCA viewed as an alternative. A good | Ward councillor suggested looking at YMCA as an alternative venue. | To change to:- YMCA, Victoria Road, Surbiton |

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| | | venue for a PS with suitable disabled access. | | |
| LA – Maple Infants School, Maple Road, Surbiton | | There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| LB – The Annex, Surbiton Library, Ewell Road, Surbiton | | PS lies a small way out of the PD. Has been a successful PS at two elections. There are no other suitable venues within the PD. Lift available for disabled access to first floor PS. | | No change |
| M – St Matthew’s C of E School, Langley Road, Surbiton | Surbiton Hill | Enquiries made about suspending parking meters within area of school. Not a feasible idea as others would just use the spaces as they cannot be reserved specifically for voters. There are no problems with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| MA – The Corner House, Douglas Road Entrance, Surbiton | | Disabled access via Douglas Road entrance. | | No change |
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| S – Play Centre Building, Dickerage Lane, New Malden | Coombe Vale | A wooden ramp available on site for use. | | No change |
| SA – Portakabin A, Portakabin B, Coombe Girls School, Darley Drive Entrance, New Malden | | A special ‘T’ ramp which links the two Portakabins is supplied and fitted by Portakabin. | | No change |
| SB – Christ Church C of E Junior School, Elm Road, New Malden | | An alternative entrance to that used by voters is accessible for the disabled. | | No change |
| T – St Agatha’s Church Hall, Kings Road, KOT | Canbury Ward | There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | Received positive comments from member of the public stating how convenient, well lit, well staffed and with easy access the station was. 10/10 | No change |
| TA – St Luke’s Church Hall, Gibbon Road, KOT | | Difficult parking in this area, but any venue within this PD would be the same. There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| TB – St Paul’s Church, Alexandra Road Entrance, KOT | | There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | | No change |
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| U – Kingsnympton Y & C Centre, Kingston Hill, Kingston upon Thames | Coombe Hill | Extra signage supplied/required to direct voters from Kingston Hill to PS building. There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| UA – St John’s Church Hall, Robin Hood Lane, London SW15 | | There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| UB – Portakabin B, Coombe Girls School, See SA | | | | |
| UC – Shiraz Mirza Community Hall, 76A Coombe Road, Kingston upon Thames | | There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
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| V – Richmond & Kingston Accessible Transport, North Kingston Centre, Richmond Road, KOT | Tudor Ward | Larger room has now been allocated. There is a permanent ramp at this PS. | | No change Special sign to be supplied directing cars with registered disabled stickers to disabled parking area. A note on poll card advising disabled parking available |

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| | | | | nearer the building. |
| VA – Tudor Hall, Tudor Drive, KOT | | There is no problem with disabled access at this PS. | | No change |
| VB – Scout Hut, Park Road, KOT | | There is a permanent ramp at the entrance to this PS. | | No change |
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NB All Presiding Officers are supplied with ‘Disabled Access’ notices for display at appropriate entrances.
 All stations to be supplied with ‘hazard tape’ for use on any small raised steps or obstacles.