



ARRIVAL INFO

SATURDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER

*Boat Party on the Thames at Reading.
Everything you need to find us, get on
the boat, get to the after party and get
home again.*



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WHERE WE'RE MEETING

The Village Hotel, Reading. In the bar from 12pm



The Village Hotel, Richfield Avenue



Above: the bar. Below: the beer garden, with the boat alongside

The day starts at the **Village Hotel Reading**, on the river by Caversham Bridge. Come and find everyone in the **Village Hotel bar** from 12pm.

Finding the bar: come in through the front entrance and walk straight on towards the back of the building. The bar is there, with a beer garden out the back.

Eat before you get on the boat. There's a bar on board, but you can't bring your own food or drink, and we're on the water for four hours. So have lunch before you come, or arrive early enough to eat nearby before 1pm.

BOAT DEPARTS AT 1PM

*The boat is moored right behind the Village Hotel.
Head round in good time: it leaves at 1pm sharp.*

 **MEETING POINT**

VILLAGE HOTEL READING

Caversham Bridge,
Richfield Ave
Reading, **RG1 8BD**

Bar on board. No food or drink
can be taken on the boat.



ARRIVING BY TRAIN

Reading Station is the closest station to the Village Hotel

Leave by the north entrance, the Caversham side, and follow signs towards Caversham. The Village Hotel is a short walk from there, or a few minutes in an Uber.



12 min

from the Caversham exit to the Village Hotel



3 min

in an Uber



START HERE

READING STATION

Station Approach

Reading, **RG1 1LX**



DRIVING & PARKING

Near the boat for the day, in town for the night

Parking near the boat is fine. Thameside Promenade Car Park is right by the Village Hotel, so park there for the day and walk round to the bar.

After the boat you might want to move the car up into town, since the after party and Reading Station are both in the town centre.

CLOSEST TO THE BOAT

THAMESIDE PROMENADE CAR PARK

Right by the Village Hotel and the boat. Reading, **RG1 8BD**

NEAREST THE TRAIN STATION

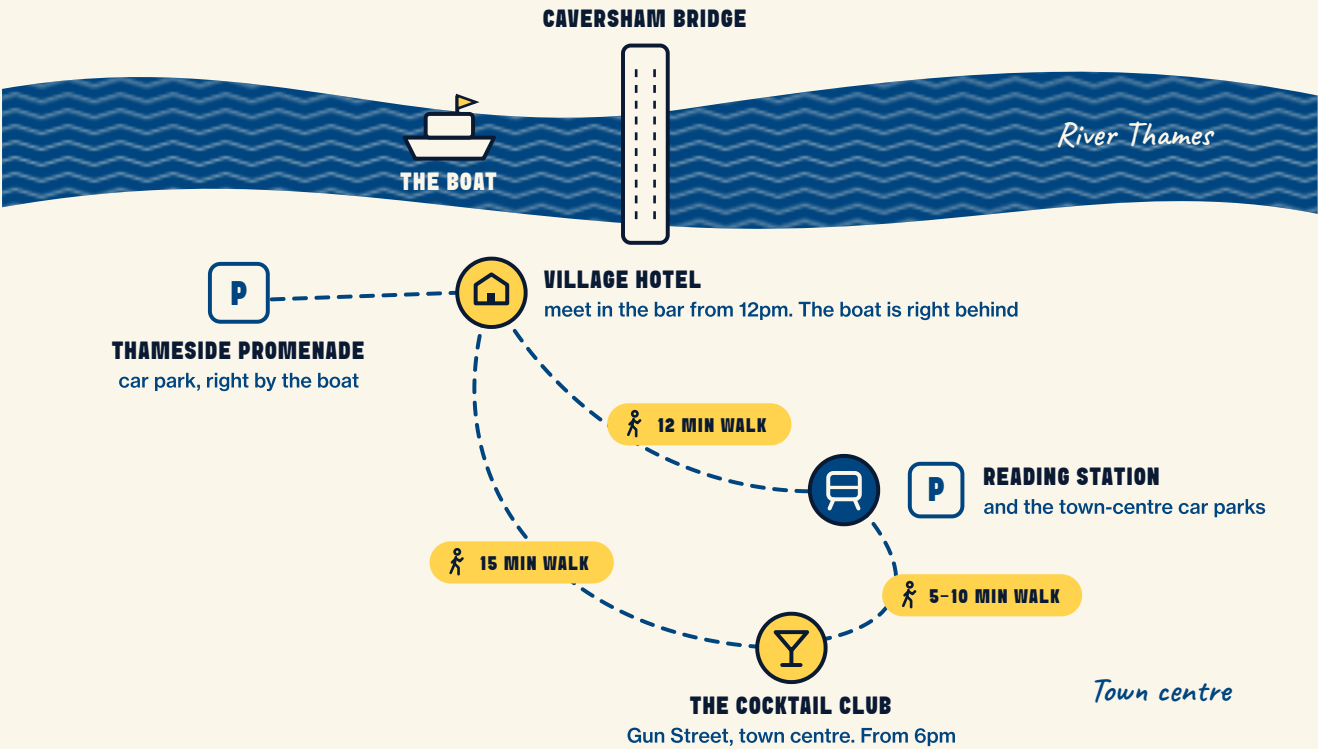
TOWN-CENTRE CAR PARK

Reading Station or any car park in town.



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Not to scale, but this is how everything sits



12 min Reading Station to the Village Hotel, on foot. Or 3 min in an Uber.	1 min Thameside Promenade car park to the Village Hotel bar.	15 min Village Hotel to The Cocktail Club, on foot. Or an Uber.	5-10 min The Cocktail Club back to Reading Station for the train home.
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THE DAY IN ONE LINE

Station, Village Hotel, boat, food, club, home





5PM TO 6PM: GRAB SOME FOOD

An hour in town to eat before the after party

The boat is back behind the Village Hotel at 5pm. From there it's a 15-minute walk into town: head down **Caversham Road**, past the station and into the centre. You stay on the same side of the river, no bridge to cross. Or jump in an Uber.

Use the hour to **get some food**. There are plenty of places to eat around the town centre, on and around Broad Street and The Oracle, and all of them are a few minutes' walk from The Cocktail Club.

Eat, then find us at the club from 6pm.

🕒 FOOD HOUR

5PM TO 6PM

Reading town centre. Plenty of options within a few minutes of Gun Street.



15 min walk from the Village Hotel



or a few minutes in an Uber



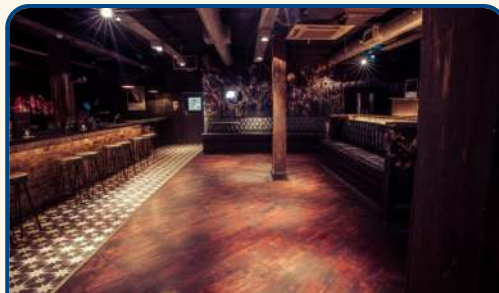
FROM 6PM: AFTER PARTY

The Cocktail Club, Gun Street

Meet us at The Cocktail Club from 6pm, ready and refuelled.

We've got the room and our **DJs until 10pm**. After that the venue opens up as normal and carries on until around **2am**, with locals joining us in the room.

It's on Gun Street, right in the middle of town and a **5 to 10 minute walk** from Reading Station.



AFTER PARTY

THE COCKTAIL CLUB

5-6 Gun Street
Reading, **RG1 2JR**

Meet us from 6pm
Our DJs until 10pm. Open until around 2am



GETTING HOME

Reading Station is 5 to 10 minutes' walk from The Cocktail Club

Heading home by train is easy: the station is a 5 to 10 minute walk from the club.

The last two trains on the local line through Wokingham, Crowthorne, Sandhurst and Blackwater to Farnborough North and North Camp, and the last two to London Paddington, are listed here.

Please check your own final train before travelling, in case of last-minute timetable changes. The yellow buttons open the live times on Trainline.



TAXI HOME

Staying later than the last train? An Uber back to the Sandhurst area is roughly £60, so it works out well split between a few of you.

Anything we've missed? The website has the FAQs.

BOAT PARTY FAQs

boat-party.pages.dev

🕒 LAST TRAINS. SATURDAY NIGHT

STATION	APPROX.
Second to last from Reading	10:35pm
Arrives Farnborough North	11:01pm
Last train from Reading	11:33pm
Wokingham	11:42pm
Crowthorne	11:47pm
Sandhurst	11:51pm
Blackwater	11:54pm
Farnborough North	11:59pm
North Camp	12:03am
Second to last to Paddington	11:48pm
Last train to Paddington	12:19am
Arrives London Paddington	1:14am

From the GWR Saturday timetable. Check before you travel. On paper? Search Trainline for Reading to Sandhurst, or to London Paddington.

SANDHURST LINE ON
TRAINLINE

LONDON TRAINS ON
TRAINLINE



YOUR TICKETS

One last thing, and it matters. No ticket, no boat.

Your tickets were emailed to you when you bought them. Add them to your **Apple Wallet** or **Google Wallet** now, so they're on your phone and ready on the day.

- 1** Find the email from when you booked. It went to the address you used at checkout, so check junk if it isn't in your inbox.
- 2** Add the tickets to **Apple Wallet** or **Google Wallet** from the email, so they're on your phone without needing a signal.
- 3** Have your ticket ready in your wallet app when you board. A screenshot of the email works too.

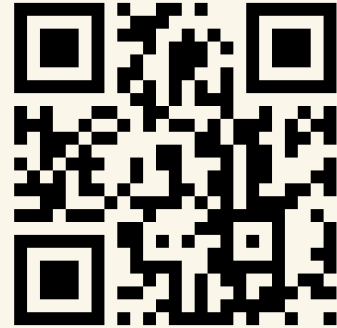
Do it at home. It's much easier than digging through emails on the pier at five to one.



THANK YOU. SEE YOU ON THE RIVER.

We can't wait to welcome you on board. It's going to be a good one. ♥

🕒 CAN'T FIND YOUR TICKETS?



FIND MY TICKETS

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