

Lighting of The Christmas Tree

Access Guide

Saturday 15 November | 6-9pm

ABOUT

Join in the magic and tradition of the official first lighting Adelaide's Giant Christmas Tree for the season.

Come along for a free community celebration featuring our delightful MC Shanelle Franklin, enjoy live music and performances from Sun of Africa, The Baker Boys, World Music SA and the talented Primary Schools Festival of Music Choir.

Food trucks and live entertainment will make it a fun night out for the whole family! Bring a picnic blanket and enjoy the festivities. The tree lighting ceremony will commence at 8:30 pm

FACILITIES

Accessible Areas

- There are 2 accessible areas at this event, located on both the Eastern and Western sides of the stage.
- Bookings can be made via this link [Giant Christmas Tree | City of Adelaide](#)

Surfaces

- The perimeter of the site is concrete, providing an even path to the tree, food trucks, toilets and accessible areas.
- The centre of the Square is grassed, this area gradually slopes downwards as it approaches the stage, positioned in the Northern end of the square.

Accessible Toilets

- There are 2 accessible toilets located in the South-East corner of the site.

Sensory Bus

- Autism SA's Sensory Bus is located on Reconciliation Plaza, near the food trucks.

First Aid

- There is a first aid tent located on the Eastern side of the square.

Food Trucks

- There are multiple food trucks at the southern end of the site.

GETTING TO THE EVENT

Parking Stations

UPark Central Market (3-minute walk to event)

- [UPark Central Market Car Park | UPark](#)

UPark Topham Mall (7-minute walk to event)

- [UPark Topham Mall Car Park | UPark](#)

UPark Wyatt Street (12-minute walk to event)

- [UPark Wyatt Street Car Park | UPark](#)

Thanks to [UPark](#), disability permit holders can apply for an Accessibility Pass, which provides two hours of free parking for up to 52 times per year. This is valid in accessible parking spaces at any [UPark](#).

To find out more about the Accessibility Pass, go to cityofadelaide.com.au or contact the Customer Care Centre on [08 8203 7203](tel:0882037203).

Alternatively, a person displaying a disabled permit in their car is eligible to park in any CoA on street car park (except specific Permit Only parks) *without any charge of fee*.

On-Street Parking

- [Accessible parking | City of Adelaide](#)
- Our [Interactive parking map | City of Adelaide](#) can help guide you on where to park on-street for the duration required.
- Street parking is free after 12pm across the city on Saturday's.

Accessible Drop-off and Pick-up Zone

- The right-hand turning lane from King William Street onto Reconciliation Plaza will be closed to create a dedicated accessible drop-off and pick-up area. See site map for location.

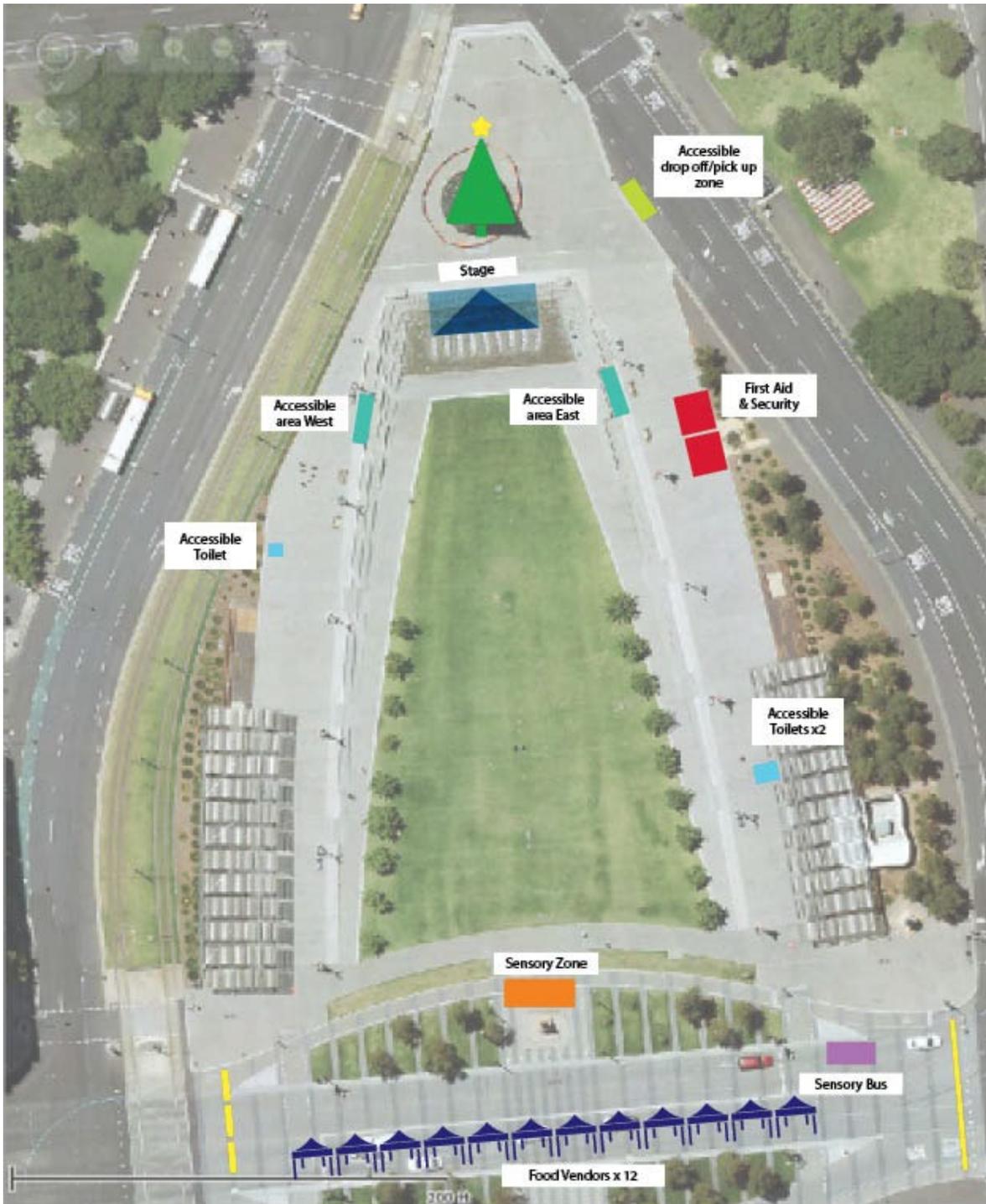
Public Transport

- The free tram travel zone is between the South Terrace, Adelaide Entertainment Centre, Festival Plaza and Botanic Gardens tram stops.
- [Plan a trip - Adelaide Metro](#)

AUDIO AND VISUAL

- There will be an Auslan interpreter on stage while the MC is speaking.
- At 8.30pm, the Lord Mayor will begin a countdown from 10 before lighting the Christmas tree. Please note that sudden bright lights will be projected from the tree at this time.
- There will be continuous audio throughout the event as different bands perform.

SITE MAP



Lighting of the Christmas Tree Site Plan



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