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Dear 2024 Australian Deaf Games competitors, family & friends.

We are excited to welcome you all to our area and of course our club.

Here is some info about the club plus some info on the area that will help those who will be visiting during the games.

Best starting place would be **our website** <http://www.cardiffrsl.com.au> .

Check out the what's on section for all of our weekly events. There may be some changes to some events due to the games being on.

Trading Hours:

Open Daily from 10am

Close

Mon - 9:30pm

Tues - 11:30pm

Wed - 11:30pm

Thurs - 11:30pm

Fri - 12:30am

Sat - 12:30am

Sun - 10:30pm

We Can stay open later for the Darts on Monday

Competitors/visitors coming into the club each day will need to either sign into the club using photo ID (Requirement for Clubs in NSW. Please bring ID), OR... my suggestion is to join the club. Seeing that you will be there most of the week it will give you discounts on food and beverage plus only need to show members card for entry. Other benefits are we have Happy Hour for members on Wednesday to Friday 4pm-6pm.

Membership is for 1 year and is \$6.60 plus you get a Members Bonus which will more than likely be a free drink that month.

Again check website for more info and membership forms.

Dining:

We have 3 options for food.



Eastern Tiger
Restaurant

- **Eastern Tiger Restaurant.** Open Lunch & Dinner daily. The restaurant is all you can eat and very busy as it is popular. Bookings are essential. They do however have a casual dining menu with Chinese meals and roasts that can be ordered and taken into the club or the darts area.

<https://cardiffrsl.com.au/dining/eastern-tiger-restaurant>



- **Bluey's Bistro & Smokehouse.** This is the clubs very own restaurant that will be open in a few weeks in the newly built dining room out past the main lounges in the club. Plenty of options from burgers, chips, Pizzas, steak plus our house smoked meats. We specifically cater to gluten free requirements too. Currently only open Wed-Sun at the moment but by the time the games start it should be open 7 days Lunch & Dinner.

<https://cardiffrsl.com.au/dining/blueys-bistro-smokehouse>



- **Cafe 45,** is our coffee shop. Great coffee and cakes available all day with light meals like toasties and sandwiches located at the end of the bar.

<https://cardiffrsl.com.au/dining/cafe-45>



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Courtesy Bus:

We have a courtesy bus running Wed-Sun in the afternoon through to bar closing times. This Potentially could get some competitors back to rooms but will need to organise it as it is usually booked with regular members. See what we can do.

Accommodation:

In walking distance...

Cardiff Motor Inn

<https://www.google.com/travel/hotels/s/iFe8ztDK1uTv6CK49>

Cardiff Executive Apartments

<https://www.google.com/travel/hotels/s/7En13WJXmGdKq2Ap6>

Little be out but not far...

Warners at the Bay Hotel

<https://www.google.com/travel/hotels/s/Zx6PmsYNyZ5Koizy8>

Ibis Budget Wallsend

<https://www.google.com/travel/hotels/s/P8GBBZBpZwsexasi8>

There are also some nice rooms if you look for Charlestown and is only a 10 min drive plus near a big shopping centre.

In the Cardiff Area:

Outside of the club Cardiff has plenty to offer and all in walking distance.

Woolworths, Newsagent, Bottlehops, Aldi, Take Aways, Sushi, Breadshop, Restaurants, Post Office, Cafes , Discount store, Doctor surgeries, Chemists and more.

Nearby suburbs that have more to offer. **Glendale has Stockland Super Centre**, Woolworths, Coles, Kmart and more. **Warners Bay** has a large amount of Cafes with water front views as well as Coles, take aways and other shops.

A little bit further out there are 2 massive shopping centres. **Westfield at Kotara and Charlestown Square in Charlestown.**



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Transport:

Bus - Route **#13** goes all the way into Newcastle and also goes to Glendale Stockland as mentioned above and goes every 30mins. Route **263 & 262** go to Charlestown every 30mins. Route **#44** goes to Kotara Westfield but does take a long time and is hourly.

Trains - Cardiff has it's own station at the top of the hill at Cardiff. It is about a 15-20min walk to the club but there is also a taxi rank at the station. The train will get you into Newcastle Exchange and there you can find more bus routes or jump onto the Light Rail and go all the way up to Newcastle Beach or stop in between at Civic and a short walk to NEX Club (Newcastle City Wests Club) where the main social hub will be for the games

Hope all this helps. Happy to answer any questions. Email me brennan@cardiffrsl.com.au.

Some of our staff are trained in basic Auslan, we are planning more training soon. We also have a great Deaf Social group who come in on 2nd Sunday of each Month for lunch and this will coincide with the games starting that weekend.

Thank you. See you all soon



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