



# Coldstream Museum & Courtyard Gallery

what to know before I visit

## Soon, I am going to visit the **Coldstream Museum & Courtyard Gallery**.

Coldstream Museum & Courtyard Gallery is in Coldstream, Berwickshire.

Coldstream sits on the Border between Scotland and England on the River Tweed. It is most famous for being the home of the Coldstream Guards, a regiment in the British Army. The Museum tells the story of the Guards and the history of the people of the Coldstream area.



The Courtyard Gallery features three exhibitions during the season, promoting local artists and contemporary art exhibitions.

# How am I getting to the museum?

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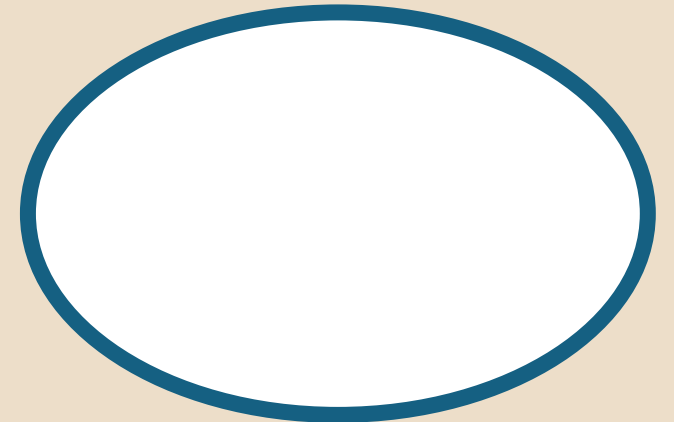
Walking



Car



Other





# Parking

On street, free parking is available directly in front of Coldstream Museum where there is a dropped kerb.



There are other free car parking spaces in the Market Square a short distance away.



# Entrance

When I come to the museum I need to walk through a short, cobbled passageway to enter the museum courtyard.



There is a bench in the courtyard if I'd like to sit down for a while.



When I sit down I will be able to hear the running water in the fountain.





The Entrance to the museum is on the left as I come into the courtyard.

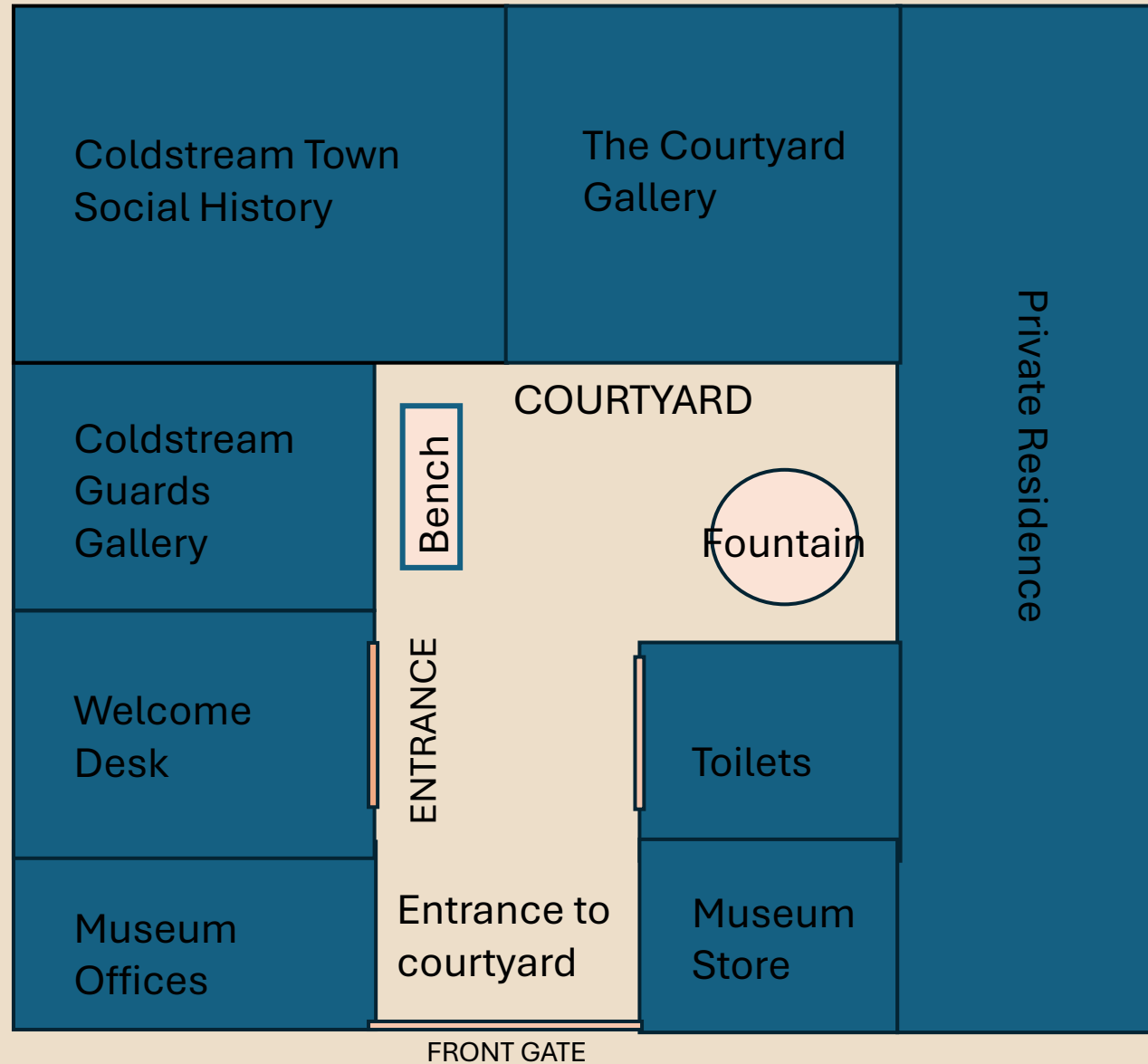


The door to the toilets is on the right as I enter the courtyard. There is a staff toilet and one accessible public toilet inside.



# Floorplan

The Museum is all on the ground floor.



# Arrival

As I enter the museum a member of staff at the desk will welcome me. There is no charge to enter the museum. I can leave a voluntary donation if I want to.



Staff are here to help me explore the museum and make sure I have a great time. Staff wear uniforms and a name badge.

There are a selection of things to buy in the gift shop beside the entrance.





Most visitors begin their tour by turning right from the Welcome desk, into the **Coldstream Guards Gallery**.



Moving through this room I then enter the gallery which explores the history of **Coldstream Town**.



From the Town Gallery I can enter the **Courtyard Gallery.**



The exhibitions in this room change three times a year. They show exhibitions of work by local artists and on subjects of local interest.

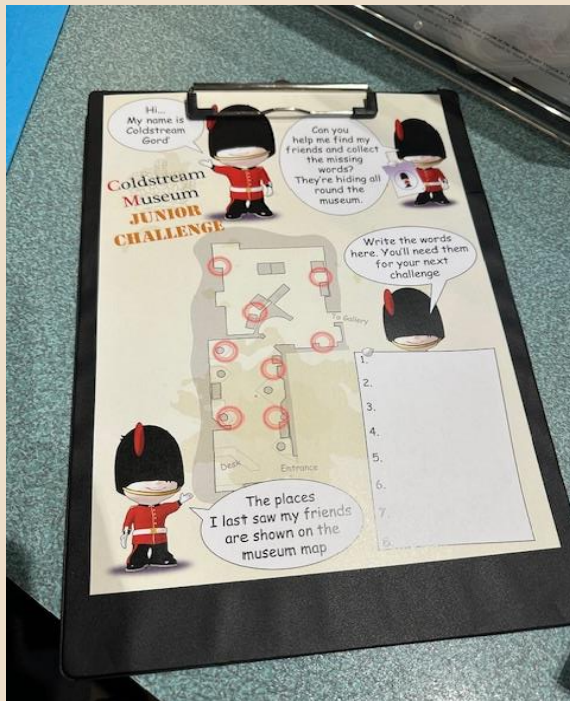
In this room I will also find a selection of cards and crafts for sale.





# There are some fun activities I can enjoy

I can tour the museum to help 'Coldstream Gord' find his friends hidden amongst the displays... I just need to ask for a worksheet at the Welcome desk.



I can dress up in uniform like a Coldstream Guard.



I can also have some quiet time and read a book or do some colouring-in.



# If I need to go to the toilet...

There is an accessible public toilet on the ground floor.

I can get there by going out the front entrance door and crossing the courtyard.



# We hope you have lots of fun!

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