

Guide to Woodminster Amphitheater for Patrons with Special Needs

Part of the charm of Woodminster Amphitheater is its rustic, outdoorsy ambiance. The amphitheater itself is over 70 years old, and the setting is the beautiful hillside Joaquin Miller Park. We want everyone to be able to enjoy this idyllic, woody environment, and we are always eager to work with our patrons to make sure each theatre-goer has comfortable access to our shows.

If you or someone in your party has special needs or limited mobility, we hope you will purchase tickets in advance, and talk to the box office staff about your specific situation. That way, we can make the best recommendation for you and avoid any potential inconvenience and delay when you arrive for the performance.

There are two entrances to the amphitheater, the Lower Gate that is adjacent to parking lot #1, and the Upper Gate that is adjacent to parking lot #5. The performance-night box office is at the Upper Gate, but patrons with tickets may use either entrance.

Lower Gate Entrance

You'll find this entrance next to the stage door, at the bottom of the amphitheater off parking lot #1. This entrance provides easy access to the seats at the front of the house, but requires the patrons to climb at least 5 steps to enter the amphitheater. Passengers may be dropped off just a few feet from this amphitheater entrance. There is limited disabled permit parking in this lot.

Upper Gate Entrance

This is the entrance we recommend for our patrons in wheelchairs. The parking lots adjacent to this entrance are #5 and #6, and the closest section of parking lot #5 is held on performance nights for cars with disabled parking permits. From the paved road, a wheelchair may be powered or pushed up the path to the upper gate, where there is a paved platform encompassing the concessions area and accessible rest rooms, as well as the wheelchair platforms.

Behind each of four seating sections, there is a platform that will accommodate 3 wheelchairs, each with a companion seat. If your party is larger, inquire about purchasing the seats directly in front of the wheelchair platforms. Pricing for these seats, including the wheelchair platforms, is according to section; Sections 1 and 5 are \$26, and sections 2 and 4 are \$37. (Discounts may apply.)

Welcome to Woodminster Summer Musicals!

We hope you will enjoy our shows, performed in Oakland's historic and beautiful Woodminster Amphitheater. Please contact us so we can help make your experience comfortable and fun.

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WOODMINSTER SUMMER MUSICALS
2011 SEASON

Oliver! July 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17

My Fair Lady August 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14

Finian's Rainbow September 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11

Woodminster Summer Musicals are performed in Joaquin Miller Park, 3300 Joaquin Miller Road, Oakland, CA