

## **DIRECTIONS TO GVS PONTERACT MEETING 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2022**

For those who rely on satnav, the meeting is at Pontefract racecourse. postcode WF8 4QD.

The Headquarters hotel will be the Premier Inn Castleford Xscape, postcode WF10 4TA.

For everyone else the easiest way to approach both locations is by taking the M62 to junction 32, about a mile west from junction 41 of the A1(M).

To reach the racecourse take the A639 signposted Pontefract which is on the south side of the M62 and it is about 2/3 of a mile from the motorway to the racecourse, which is on the right before you get into the town. It is a broad entrance signposted Pontefract Park and racecourse. There is ample car parking, just go up towards the racecourse gate and park in the nearest space! We are provisionally booked in the Park Suite, but that could change if numbers are considerably more or less than we anticipate, in which case the meeting will be signposted.

For the Premier Inn Castleford, you will also need to leave from junction 32 off the M62, this taking the A639 signposted Castleford to the north of the M62. That will take you after a few hundred yards to the Xscape complex and the premier Inn, on the other side of the road, but in full and easy view.

By rail Glasshoughton station is adjacent to the Premier Inn and has a service from Doncaster to Leeds. Pontefract Baghill station is on the same line, about equidistant from the racecourse on the same line. There is another a station nearby, Pontefract Monkhill, but that is on a branch line from Sheffield to York and has an infrequent service.

The nearest airports are Leeds / Bradford at Yeadon, Doncaster Robin Hood, Manchester, and a little further away