

How to find us

The entrance to the Royal Mews is on Buckingham Palace Road.

By Underground: Victoria, St James's Park or Green Park.

By bus: Number 11, and 211, C1 or C10.



THE ROYAL MEWS

BUCKINGHAM PALACE

Open March –
December 2010

PLANNING YOUR VISIT

Opening times 2010

20 March – 26 July*

30 September – 31 October

Open daily, except Fridays

11:00–16:00 (last admission 15:15)

*Closed 2 April, 29 May, 5, 12 June and during State Visits.

27 July – 29 September

Open daily 10:00–17:00
(last admission 16:15)

1 November – 23 December

Open Monday – Friday

11:00–16:00 (last admission 15:15)

As the Royal Mews is part of a working palace, opening arrangements and the visitor route are subject to change at short notice.



Access



Admission prices 2010

(including audio tour)

Adult	£7.75
Over 60/Student	£7.00
Under 17	£5.00
Under 5	Free
Family (2 adults, 3 under 17s)	£20.50

Advance tickets from
020 7766 7302 or
www.royalcollection.org.uk



Enjoy free re-admission for a year if you buy your ticket directly from us. Simply ask us to stamp your ticket on your first visit.

Keep in touch

Sign up for our e-Newsletter at www.royalcollection.org.uk and keep up to date with new exhibitions, podcasts, events, publications and the latest news.

Ticket Sales and Information Office

Tel: 020 7766 7302

Groups (15+): 020 7766 7321

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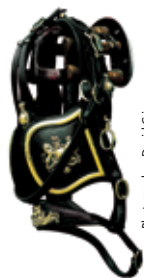
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THE ROYAL MEWS

HOME TO THE ROYAL COLLECTION OF HISTORIC COACHES AND CARRIAGES

One of the finest working stables in existence and a living part of Britain's heritage, the Royal Mews is responsible for all road travel arrangements for The Queen and members of the Royal Family. The Mews staff and their families live on site.

The most dazzling of all coaches on display is the Gold State Coach, which has been used at every coronation since that of George IV in 1821 and in 2002 played a central role in Her Majesty The Queen's Golden Jubilee celebrations.



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Other coaches and carriages on display include the Glass Coach, used by royal brides, the luxurious Australian State Coach, with central heating and electric windows, and the Irish State Coach, often used by The Queen to travel to the State Opening of Parliament.

The horses stabled at the Mews are Windsor Greys and Cleveland Bays, breeds chosen for their steady temperament and stamina. As they may be on duty, undergoing training or having a well-deserved rest away from London, the horses are not always on view.

Top left: The Glass Coach leaves the Royal Mews for the State Opening of Parliament

Top right: The Irish State Coach and a coachman in full State livery

Above left: State Postillion liveries

Above right: A Rolls-Royce Phantom leaves the Royal Mews

Left: The Round Buckle Harness

Below left: The Gold State Coach

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Take part in fun activities in the Education Room at weekends, with drawing materials provided. Look out for a new audio guide especially for families, coming soon in 2010.

Don't forget to convert your ticket into a 1-Year Pass to enjoy 12 months free re-admission. Simply ask us to stamp your ticket on your first visit.

Please contact us for information about our changing programme of family activities during school holidays.

