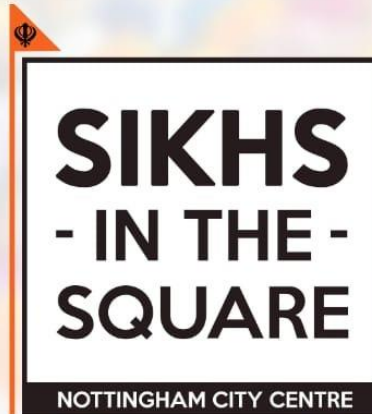


Nottingham Nagar Kirtan – 2019

IN CELEBRATION OF VAISAKHI &
SRI GURU NANAK DEV JI'S 550TH GURPURAB



SUNDAY

14TH APRIL 2019

STARTING AT FOREST RECREATION GROUND (GOOSE FAIR SITE)

- 9AM GATHER AT FOREST RECREATION GROUND
- 9:50AM ARDAAS & START OF NAGAR KIRTAN
- 11AM - 4PM CITY CENTRE MARKET SQUARE EVENT

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for more info, visit www.NottinghamSikhs.org



Gatka



Turban Tying



Simran/Kirtan



Exhibitions

and lots more...

#SikhsInTheSquare - Programme:

- 9:00 Assemble at Forest Recreation Ground
- 9:50 Ardaas (Prayers) to begin Nagar Kirtan
- 10:00 Depart for Market Square via Mansfield Road, (short pause at Raja Sahib Gurdwara – Corner of Villa Road), Milton Street, Upper Parliament Street, Queen Street to Market Square
- 11:00 Ardaas and beginning of Market Square Programmes
- Stream 1 – Darbar Sahib Marquee – Welcome and Introductions by dignitaries, followed by Kirtan (Religious Musical Renditions)
- Stream 2 – Langar Hall – Free food for all visitors
- Stream 3 – Dastar / Turban Tying
- Stream 4 – Basics of Sikhi – Awareness & Learning / Sikh History
- Stream 5 – Kids Corner – Children’s awareness & learning
- Stream 6 – Gatka – Sikh Martial Arts
- Other Activities:
- Armed & Emergency Services
- Health Services & Screening
- 16:00 Close

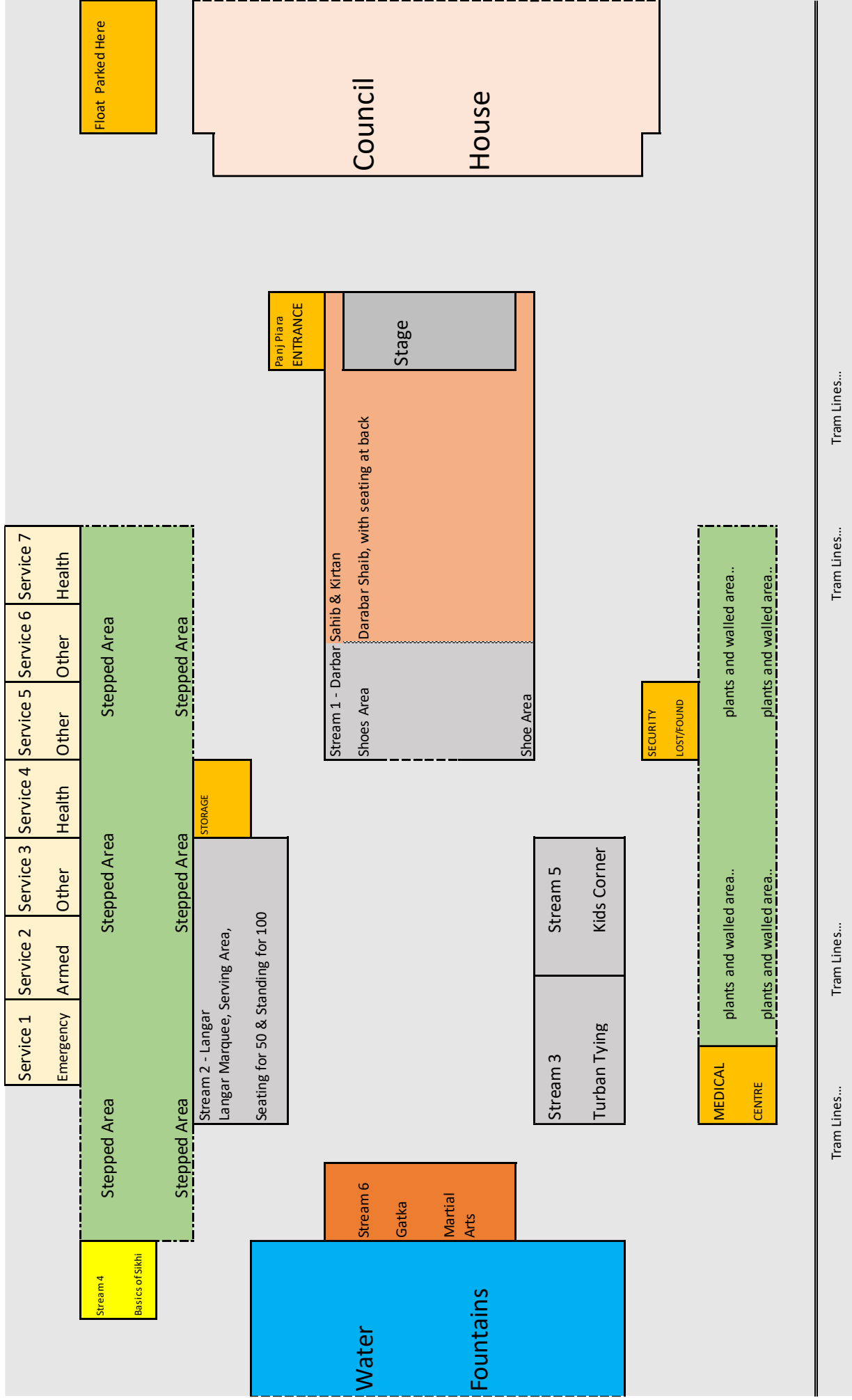
Please use public transport to get to Forest Park. There are 2 large Park and Ride car parks at Toton and Clifton with free secure parking and routes directly to Forest Park. At weekends NET offer a £5 group ticket, whereby up to 2 adults and 3 children can travel throughout the day for £5. See details at:

<https://www.thetram.net/park-and-ride.aspx#collapseToton>

<https://www.thetram.net/park-and-ride.aspx#collapseClifton>

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Programme Layout



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We invite you to join us on 14 April 2019 at the Nottingham Nagar Kirtan (Religious Procession) to celebrate Vaisakhi and the 550th Gurpurab (Birthday) of Guru Nanak Dev Ji, the founder of Sikhism.

Nagar Kirtans are a Sikh custom involving the processional singing of Holy Scriptures on auspicious religious occasions and are customary during Vaisakhi.

Vaisakhi celebrates the birth of the Khalsa Panth, a special group of Sikh Warriors initiated in 1699 by the last living Sikh Guru, Guru Gobind Singh Ji.

The Nottingham Nagar Kirtan has been running for 30 years and the procession usually passes by all Gurdwaras (Sikh places of worship) in Nottingham. This year the procession will start from Forest Park and will culminate with a fantastic programme at the Old Market Square.

The Nottingham Nagar Kirtan Committee represents; Gurdwara Baba Budha Ji, Gurdwara Ramgarhia Sabha Nottingham, Gurdwara Sri Nanak Dev Ji, Gurdwara Sri Guru Singh Sabha, Guru Nanak Satsang Gurdwara, Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Gurdwara, Sri Nabh Kanwal Raja Sahib Ji Gurdwara and Sikh Community & Youth Services.

We wish you a very happy Vaisakhi and Gurpurab and hope you can join us in celebrating this auspicious occasion.