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**Capacity: 16,684** 

**Ground Built: 1909** 

**Record Attendance:** 27,500 v Birmingham City, FA Cup 3rd Round, 5th January 1957 and v Middlesbrough FA Cup 5th Round, 7th February 1970

**Record Receipts:** £146,000 v Tottenham Hotspur, Coca-Cola Cup, 2nd Round, 30th September 1997

**Pitch Measurements:** 112yds x 74yds

Ownership: CUFC Holdings Ltd owns 94% of Carlisle United AFC (1921) Ltd - Mr HA Jenkins 37.32%; CCUIST 25.37%; Mr JL Nixon 18.66%; Mr S Pattison 18.66%

### **STADIUM PLAN**



## 1 – Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS)

- 2 Warwick Road End
- 3 Main Stand and Paddock
  - 4 Waterworks End

#### **Home Fans**

Home fans can choose between seating areas and traditional terracing areas (details below) - all areas provide an unrestricted view of the action.



**The Carlsberg Stand** (Formally SHS) is on the East side of the ground. It is a large, relatively new all-seated area with a concourse underneath that houses bars, a betting shop and food outlets. The North End of the stand (blocks 2 and 3) usually houses away fans and an area of seats is cordoned off to provide segregation.



**The Warwick Road End** is a traditional terraced stand with a distinctive arched roof. This also houses a bar (open for selected matches only) and a food outlet. This area, behind the goal, often generates more noise than any other part of the ground. A place for vocal supporters to get behind their team.



The West side of the ground has a two tiered stand. The bottom tier is known as **The Paddock** and is a standing terrace. This houses bars on the North and South ends and also food outlets.

The main stand (upper tier) is divided into smaller all-seated areas. From the Warwick Road End of the ground the nearest stand is **A Stand (Reays Community Stand)** where children from local schools attending the game on our Community Ticket Scheme are situated. There is a small shop at the top of the stand and a toilet block at the entrance to the stairs.

The middle part of the upper tier is divided into **B** (**Freebetting.co.uk**), **C** (**Freebetting.co.uk**), and **D** (**Pirelli Family Stand**) stands. The Press are housed at the top of these stands and the directors boxes run along the front.

The area of the upper tier nearest the Petteril End is known as **E stand**, or more usually the **Edinburgh Woollen Mill Stand**. This stand is directly above Foxy's Restaurant and the viewing gallery. There are bars available throughout the main stand and food outlets outside the stand.

#### **Away Fans**

The North End (Blocks 2 and 3) of the Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS) on the east side of the ground houses the away fans. The concourse underneath houses a bar and food outlet. Should additional space be required for away fans then the open terracing at the Petteril End of the ground is opened which includes a food outlet. This also includes very limited seating.



Please note – all areas of the ground are family friendly. If any supporters experience any bad language in any area of the ground this can be reported to the club by texting the match day safety number which is 07837 097977 with the stand, row and seat number (if applicable) with full details of the incident.

For prices and how to book your tickets go to <a href="http://www.carlisleunited.co.uk/tickets/ticket-prices/">http://www.carlisleunited.co.uk/tickets/ticket-prices/</a>.

#### **How To Get Here**

By Road - Brunton Park is within easy reach of the M6.

Leave the motorway at Junction 43 and take the first exit off the roundabout. The blue roof of the Carlsberg Stand (formally SHS) can be seen on the right hand side, almost as soon as you leave the roundabout.

Keep going straight ahead along Warwick Road (A69).

After passing through the third set of traffic lights the club shop (Blues Store) and Hughie McIlmoyle statue marks the main entrance to the ground.

Car parking in this area is strictly limited to pass holders, visiting directors (by prior arrangement) and the away team bus. Please note – the car park on the West side of the ground is closed approximately fifteen minutes before kick-off when crowd congestion is at its worst.

#### **Car Parking**

Cars: Main Car Park (home and away supporters) - From the M6 turn right at the 3rd set of traffic lights and drive through the gates and behind the Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS) stand to enter the car park. Supporters travelling from the West can enter the car park from St Aidans Road via Victoria Place. Due to the location of our car park, we advise fans to check the availability of car parking facilities when the weather is bad. Cars are charged £2.50 to use the car park. Alternative parking is available in Rosehill Industrial Estate opposite Tesco when you first leave the M6 or in the town centre which is around a twenty minute walk from the ground.

**Disabled car parking:** There is limited disabled car parking available at the North end of the Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS) – this is only available to blue badge holders and is free.

Coaches other than the Official team coach: From Junction 43 take the first exit off the roundabout. At the third set of traffic lights turn right. Stewards will allow the bus through behind the Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS) for passengers to disembark at the away turnstiles; the bus will then be directed to the car park and allowed back after the game to pick up passengers from the away end. All coaches, other than the official team coach, are charged £15 with minibuses being charged £10.

**By Rail -** Carlisle Citadel Station is served by the West Coast Main line, with the station situated in the middle of Carlisle. From the station, walk straight ahead across Botchergate and walk along the Crescent until you see the entrance to Warwick Road on the right, next to Nandos. Brunton Park is about a twenty minute walk from the entrance to Warwick Road.

#### **Disabled Facilities**

Home fans who are wheel chair users are allocated places at the North end of the Paddock or in front of the Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS). Away wheelchair supporters are situated in the Waterworks end however if the weather is poor they are placed in an area below the away fans to provide some shelter from the elements. Tickets for wheelchair users are priced £4 with the maximum of one carer free. Tickets can be bought in advance from main reception or, on match days, from either the Paddock ticket office or the Carlsberg Stand (formerly SHS) ticket office.

Supporters with visual difficulties may wish to bring a portable radio as full match commentary is available from BBC Radio Cumbria on 95.6 FM and 756 AM frequencies.

Visitors requiring further information should ring main reception on (01228) 526 237.

# **Emergency Procedures**

In the event of an emergency occurring at the stadium, the Public Address System will be used to broadcast information and directions to spectators. Such broadcasts will be preceded by a three-tone chime. When the chimes are heard, please be silent, pay attention to what is said and obey any instructions. An example of this alert will be carried out just before kick-off and at half-time, and will be clearly stated that the announcement is for instructive purpose only.