

Dear all,

Many thanks for registering for the 9:38 Apprentice Conference 2010. Here is all the information you should need for the conference.

Attached are the directions to the conference centre in Derbyshire and a provisional programme for the conference.

At the conference each delegate will be expected to give a short talk to a small group for feedback and discussion from a leader and the rest of the group. This may seem like a scary prospect, but most come away having found it the most useful part of the weekend.

The aim of the workshop is to give you practice and help in Bible handling and preparing a short talk. Your talk should be 10 minutes in length and aimed at either a student or adult audience of your choice (or to children if requested on registration form). The passage that you should speak on will be sent out to you soon. You should attempt to explain and apply the passage within a clear structure, taking into consideration the context of the book and the surrounding verses. Do include headings and use any illustrations you feel are appropriate to whom you are speaking. To make the most of the conference, give the talk some thought, prayer and hard work, but it is a learning process, so we are not expecting masterpieces!

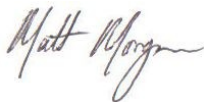
Those doing children's talks may choose a single verse from the passage to speak on if they wish. There is an evaluation form attached to give you a bit of a feel for the things to concentrate on (some leaders use this in the groups).

What to bring

- Towel
- Bible and notebook
- Clothes/shoes for (optional) sport
- Money/cheque book for balance of fees(if appropriate).
- We will have a bookstall with some great discounts so bring some money for that.

Please arrive any time after 12 in time for lunch at 1pm and then the first meeting at 2pm. We will finish after lunch on Friday at about 2pm.

Thanks again and I look forward to meeting you. If you have any questions or concerns, just let me know.



Matt Morgan
9:38 Administrator

The Christian Leader

The Leaders God wants for Mission

Wednesday 6th January

12:00	Arrive
1:00pm	Lunch
2:00pm	Bible Reading 1 <i>Richard Coekin</i>
3:00pm	Prayer groups
4:00pm	Tea
4:30pm	Teaching Skills Groups
6:30pm	Supper
8:00pm	Topical Talk 1
9:00pm	Drinks

Thursday 7th January

8:00am	Leaders' meeting (main meeting room)
8:30am	Breakfast
9:30am	Bible Reading 2 <i>Richard Coekin</i>
10:30am	Prayer groups
11:15am	Coffee
11:45am	Topical Talk 2
12:45pm	Lunch
	Free Time
4:00pm	Tea
4:30pm	Teaching Skills Groups
6:30pm	Supper
8:00pm	Question Panel
9:00pm	Drinks

Friday 8th January

8:00am	Leaders' meeting (main meeting room)
8:30am	Breakfast
9:30am	Topical Talk 3
10:30am	Coffee
11:00am	Bible Reading 3 <i>Richard Coekin</i>
12:15pm	Prayer groups
1:00pm	Lunch
2:00pm	Depart



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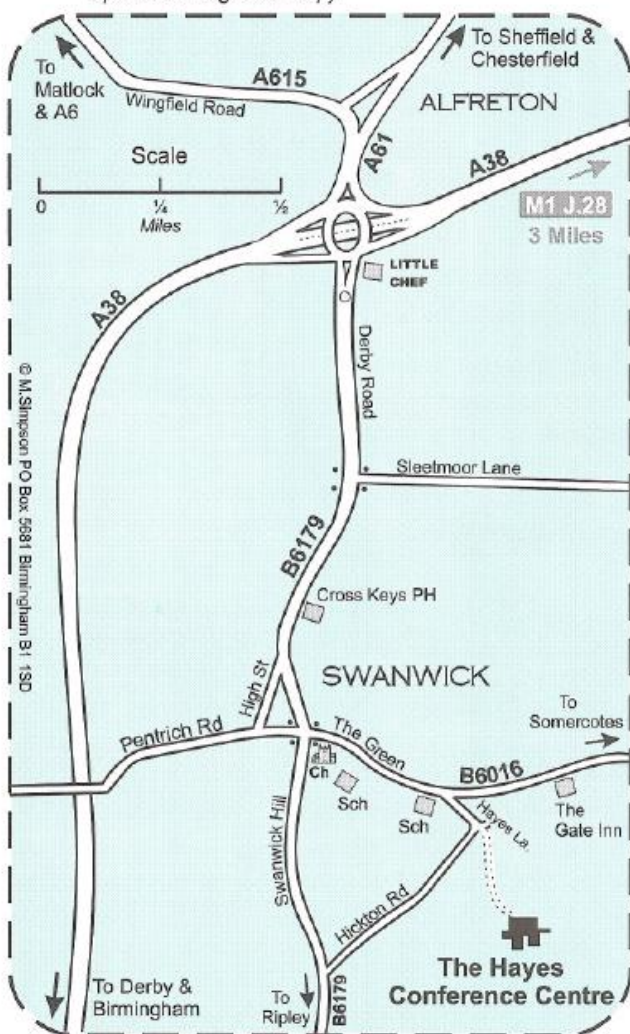
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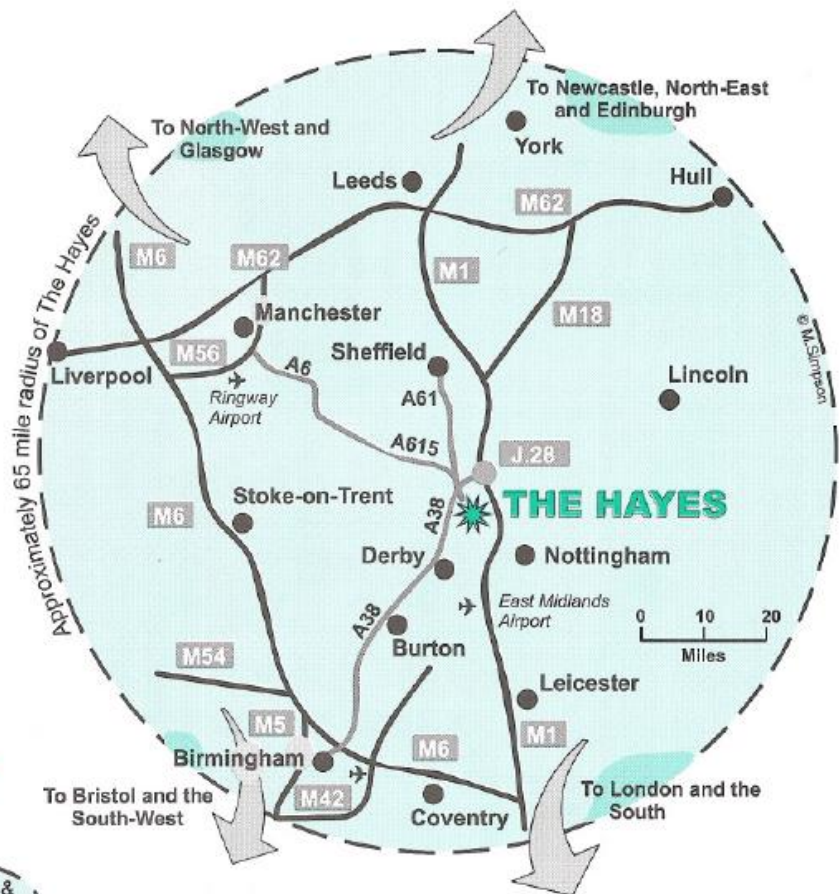
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MAP TO GET YOU TO OUR DOOR

(This map to be used in conjunction with the spherical Regional Map)



MAP TO SHOW THE HAYES CONFERENCE CENTRE IN THE HEART OF THE UNITED KINGDOM



TRAVEL DIRECTIONS

M1 By Road

We are only 5 miles from the M1. From Junction 28, take the A38 towards Derby. Leave the A38 at the marked exit for A615 Matlock/A61 Chesterfield and then take the B6179 towards Swanwick and Ripley at the island. At the traffic lights by the church in Swanwick, turn left towards Somercotes (B6016), then after 500yds, just past school buildings, turn right (sign posted 'Conference Centre') into Hayes Lane. The Conference Centre is straight ahead.

By Rail

Our local British Rail Station, which is 3 miles from the centre, is Alfreton Station on the Sheffield-Nottingham line. As trains are limited, it may be easier to travel to Derby Station and then journey on by bus or taxi from there. Enquire at the centre on how to pre-book taxis which is the recommended option.

By Bus

From Derby, take the 91 or 92 to Mansfield and ask to be let off opposite the 'Gate Inn', Swanwick. Then walk down Hayes Lane; the Conference Centre is straight ahead - a 5 minute walk!

By Air

Nottingham East Midlands International Airport - Tel: 01332 852852
Birmingham International Airport - Tel: 08707 335 511
Manchester International Airport - Tel: 0161 489 3000