LEEDS, UK. TRAVEL INFORMATION

AIRPORTS

Leeds Bradford Airport

Leeds Bradford Airport is located between Leeds, Bradford and Harrogate and is easily accessible by public transport. A whole range of bus services make it quick and convenient to get to the airport. The ‘Centrebus’ operate the ‘Airport Direct’ service; the 757 to Leeds, this runs every 30 minutes. No trains from the airport currently link directly to the city of Leeds. Taxi’s are available to purchase from the airport and will take approximately 25 minutes to get to the centre of Leeds.

Manchester International Airport

Manchester boasts one of the world’s leading international airports with seventy airlines flying directly to over 160 world-wide destinations. More than 20 million passengers passed through the airport last year and it is estimated that this number will double by 2015.

This airport is approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes by car from The John Charles Centre. A direct train travels from Manchester airport to Leeds City Centre and takes approximately 1 hour 30 minutes. The John Charles Centre is then another 15 minutes by car/taxi.

ENTRY VISA

Any team requiring official event invitations from British Swimming are requested to submit the below information for all members requiring visas to Natasha Cuthbert at natasha.cuthbert@swimming.org. This must be done as soon as possible in order for your visa to be processed in time.

**Visa Information:**
First name
Surname
Date of Birth
Passport Number
Position in team
HOTEL ACCOMODATION

The City of Leeds boasts a wide variety of hotels at different costs to suit all budgets. Here are a few examples of hotels and prices on offer (prices as of Jan 2013).

- Holiday Inn Express Leeds City Centre: [http://www.expressleeds.co.uk/](http://www.expressleeds.co.uk/)
- Q Hotel The Queens Hotel: [http://www.qhotels.co.uk/hotels/the-queens-leeds-yorkshire.aspx](http://www.qhotels.co.uk/hotels/the-queens-leeds-yorkshire.aspx)
- The Crown Plaza Leeds: [http://www.cpleedshotel.co.uk/](http://www.cpleedshotel.co.uk/)

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