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# Women's Basketball

## 2010-2011



### About This Page

This page contains spectator parking and shuttles information for the 2010-2011 Women's Basketball games at the newly renovated Carmichael Arena.

**Special parking and shuttle arrangements have been made for select games:**  
(1) NC State, (2) Connecticut, (3) Virginia and (4) Duke.

To obtain information pertaining to the UNC Department of Athletics, visit the official UNC Department of Athletics website at [www.tarheelblue.com](http://www.tarheelblue.com).

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# Reserved Parking Information

Construction on campus and an increase in season ticket subscriptions, coupled with other campus missions continue to make it impossible to provide close proximity parking for all season ticket holders. Therefore, reserved game parking is now assigned by points to Rams Club members.

**Cobb Deck-** Qualifying Rams Club members have been assigned to park in the Cobb Deck. Assigned permit holders may present a valid game permit to the parking attendant and access the Cobb Deck via Country Club Road and Paul Green Theatre 1.5 hours prior for all games.

**School of Government Deck-** This lot is reserved for various groups, including designated press personnel, sponsors meeting certain criteria, and VIP guests. Parking in the School of Government Deck requires a valid women's basketball parking permit for the School of Government Deck.

**Navy Field Lot-** Designated press personnel, operations personnel and VIP guests will share parking in the Navy Field Lot. Parking in the Navy Field Lot will require a valid women's basketball parking permit for the Navy Field Lot.

# General Public Parking Information

Although some of the lots near Carmichael Arena are reserved for valid game permit holders, other parking is generally available in other lots surrounding Carmichael Arena on a first-come-first serve basis after 5 p.m. on weeknights and weekends. The following are suggested parking locations:

- **Highway 54 Lot**-Easy walking distance up South Road
- **Stadium Drive**-Easy walking access via South Road
- **Bell Tower Deck**- Short walk up Bell Tower Drive to South Road and then along South Road Sidewalk
- **Boshamer Lot**- Fairly short walk thru the Navy Field Lot and track area to Carmichael Arena.

Additionally, the [Rams Head Parking Deck](#) on Ridge Road almost always has excess parking space at a rate of \$1.50 per hour. For the NC State, Connecticut, Virginia and Duke games, there will be a flat rate of \$5 per vehicle and a shuttle will be provided beginning 1 hour prior to tip-off.

## Directions

Of all the locations, the **Highway 54 Lot** is the easiest and quickest to locate, but also often the first to reach capacity. It can be found by entering campus via Highway 54 or US 15/501 and entering campus on Raleigh Road. Once you're off the by-pass or under the by-pass, follow Raleigh Road up the hill toward campus. The Highway 54 Lot is on the right just prior to the 1st stoplight.

**Stadium Drive** is situated between South Road and Ridge Road and can be accessed from both South Road and Ridge Road. Although it opens to public parking after 5 p.m. on weeknights and most weekends, it is usually in high demand by campus students and parking can be difficult to find in that area. If you can locate parking along Stadium Drive, the walk is easy. [Follow Stadium Drive to South Road and turn right, following the relatively flat sidewalk to Carmichael Arena.](#)

The **Rams Head Deck** [is located on Ridge Road. The walk is now easier than ever.](#) Park in the deck on any level and take one of the elevators to the Plaza Level (top level). The Plaza Level is landscaped and nestled on grade with the Alumni Center, so the walkway levels the land and puts you even with Stadium Drive. Follow the walk by the Alumni Center and Kenan Stadium to Stadium Drive and then cross Stadium Drive to the back of Fetzer and Woolen Gym and then Carmichael. Although the Rams Head Deck operates daily as a pay parking lot, it is close to Carmichael Auditorium (a little over .3 miles or within 4-7 minutes walking

distance, depending on your foot pace), easy to find, easy to enter/exit and houses very good dining facility on the top of the deck.

**Bell Tower Deck is located just off South Road.** To access Bell Tower Deck on game days, we recommend entering South Road from Raleigh Street or from Columbia or McCauley Street. **Once on South Road from the Columbia Street and South Road intersection,** TURN Right at the first active stoplight on South Road and just prior to the actual Bell Tower monument. Follow the drive down into the lot and head toward the right in front of the football center. The deck looks like a brick building sitting up the hill to the right of the football center. **From the Raleigh Street and South Road intersection,** once on South Road, follow South Road past the actual Bell Tower monument on the left and TURN left at the first active stoplight. [Follow Bell Tower Drive to South Road and turn right, following the relatively flat sidewalk to Carmichael Arena.](#)

For the NC State, Connecticut, Virginia, and Duke Games, the Bowles Lot [will be utilized as free parking with free shuttles provided.](#) **Bowles Lot is located off Manning Drive next to the Dean E. Smith Center.** Fans choosing to use this park and ride location, should access it from 15/501 to Manning Drive, then turn left onto Bowles Drive at the 1st stoplight on Manning Drive. Bowles Lot is on the right. By following these directions, fans will avoid traffic congestion on Raleigh Road, South Road and Ridge Road.

# General Public Shuttle Information

**FREE** shuttles and parking will operate to/from the Bowles Parking Lot for FOUR OF THE REGULAR SEASON GAMES: (1) NC State, (2) Connecticut, (3) Virginia and (4) Duke. With the opening of the new 700 space Bell Tower Parking Deck, there is more parking available close to the arena and shuttles are not as necessary as they were the previous few seasons.

In addition to free shuttles operating from the Bowles Lot, they will also operate from the Rams Head Parking Deck for FOUR OF THE REGULAR SEASON GAMES: (1) NC State, (2) Connecticut, (3) Virginia and (4) Duke. There will be a \$5 fee for parking at this location, but the parking fee will include the free shuttle service.

The shuttles will run beginning 1 hour prior to each game and will make return trips to the Rams Head Deck and Bowles Lot immediately following the games. Post game, they will run for approximately 30-45 minutes depending on the crowd size.

Shuttle service will be provided by the UNC Athletic Department through *Carolina Livery* and managed by the Department of Public Safety.

[To view a printable map of the parking locations and pedestrian routes, click here.](#)

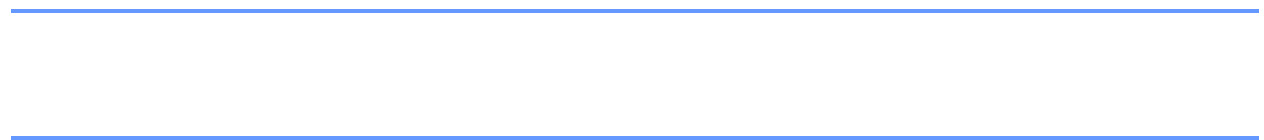


# Disability Parking Information



Free Disability Parking and disability shuttles will be available for each home game from the [Cobb Parking Deck](#) off of Country Club Drive. There will be **NO DISABILITY PARKING** along South Road or on Carmichael Drive.

ADA compliant buses and vans provided by the UNC Department of Athletics and operated by *Carolina Livery* Services, will operate to/from the main entrance of the Cobb Deck to/from Carmichael Arena one hour prior to game time for all regular home women's basketball games.



# Charter Bus Parking

Due to the increase in ticket sales, construction on campus and conflicting events, bus parking on campus cannot be guaranteed for this season. Groups planning on arriving in buses should make prior arrangements for parking at least 72-hours prior to game date. Arrangements can be made by contacting the Department of Public Safety at 962-3951 or via the special event request forms on-line at <http://www.dps.unc.edu/Forms/specialevents/allspecialevents.cfm>

The Department of Public Safety will do their best to provide buses with parking. In most cases, buses will be asked to park at the Dean E. Smith Center. However, there may be occasions when there are conflicting events on campus and extra buses cannot be accommodated. It is best to contact the Department of Public Safety at least 72-hours in advance of a game date, to be sure bus parking is available.

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# Media Parking

Reserved media parking is available by contacting UNC Sports Information in advance or on an "as available" basis on game day by contacting the monitor at the entrance to Carmichael Drive. Generally speaking, media parking will likely be available in the School of Government Parking Deck off South Road.