

Virtual event video 1 – Production car park

This is the festival site. We are standing currently in the main production car park. The main stage is to my left and in front of me is the main trading area.

Along here you will notice is a road that actually acts as a natural separation for this car park. This site here linking to the main stage is actually sectioned off for the main artists and their tour buses and so on. Over there is where all the traders might park.

There are a number of production car parks around the festival site. The reason we are focusing on this one is because this one is accessible 24 hours a day. You can get in and out all day long. That is because traders and artists have to be able to come and go depending on what they are doing. Traders need to resupply; musicians and performing artists often need to be able to leave when they are finished because they are on tour and they need to go somewhere else. Performing artists might also be arriving late because they are on tour somewhere else so they have been at another gig somewhere.

This car park operates 24 hours a day and is fenced off so that the general public can't come and go so there is a lot of security around here. Access is only granted to those who have applied for special permits to park here.

It is quite big, but it fills up very quickly with large vehicles.