

Mudford Lane

Mudford is attached to the east of Christchurch town, which is an ancient borough "where time is pleasant". The town is the estuary where two rivers, the Avon and the Stour meet. It has historic ruins of a castle, a Priory, restaurants, cafes and a weekly Monday market. Nearby to the east and north of Mudford is the New Forest. Mudford itself lies along the estuary with its nature reserve known as Standpit Marsh with its wide variety of wild life and fauna. It is easily accessible and hosts an information centre. This leads to the delightful Mudford quay which is the entrance to the harbour with its crabbing and water sports activities. It is next to sandy Avon Beach which extends along the south coast overlooking the Isle of Wight.



Amenities

Across the road from the Church is an Infant School. Approximately half a mile away is a Junior School. The Church is surrounded by private houses of various designs. Across from the main road is a council estate. Located here is another primary school and a secondary school.

About half a mile down the main road is the beginning of the development of industrial premises, various supermarkets and a variety of shops catering for the needs of the local people.

Transport

The nearest station is Christchurch. There is a regular service from here to Southampton and London as well as trains heading towards Bournemouth and Poole. There are also bus services for Lymington and Bournemouth which are also convenient for the nearby supermarkets.



The Methodist Church

The Church building is situated off the main road in Mudford and has a secure large grass area ideal for outside activities for sports and social occasions such as barbeques. The building is well maintained with a modern audio and video systems. It has a large modern and comfortable lounge suitable and used for refreshments and meetings. For many years during school term the large hall is used by a pre-school.