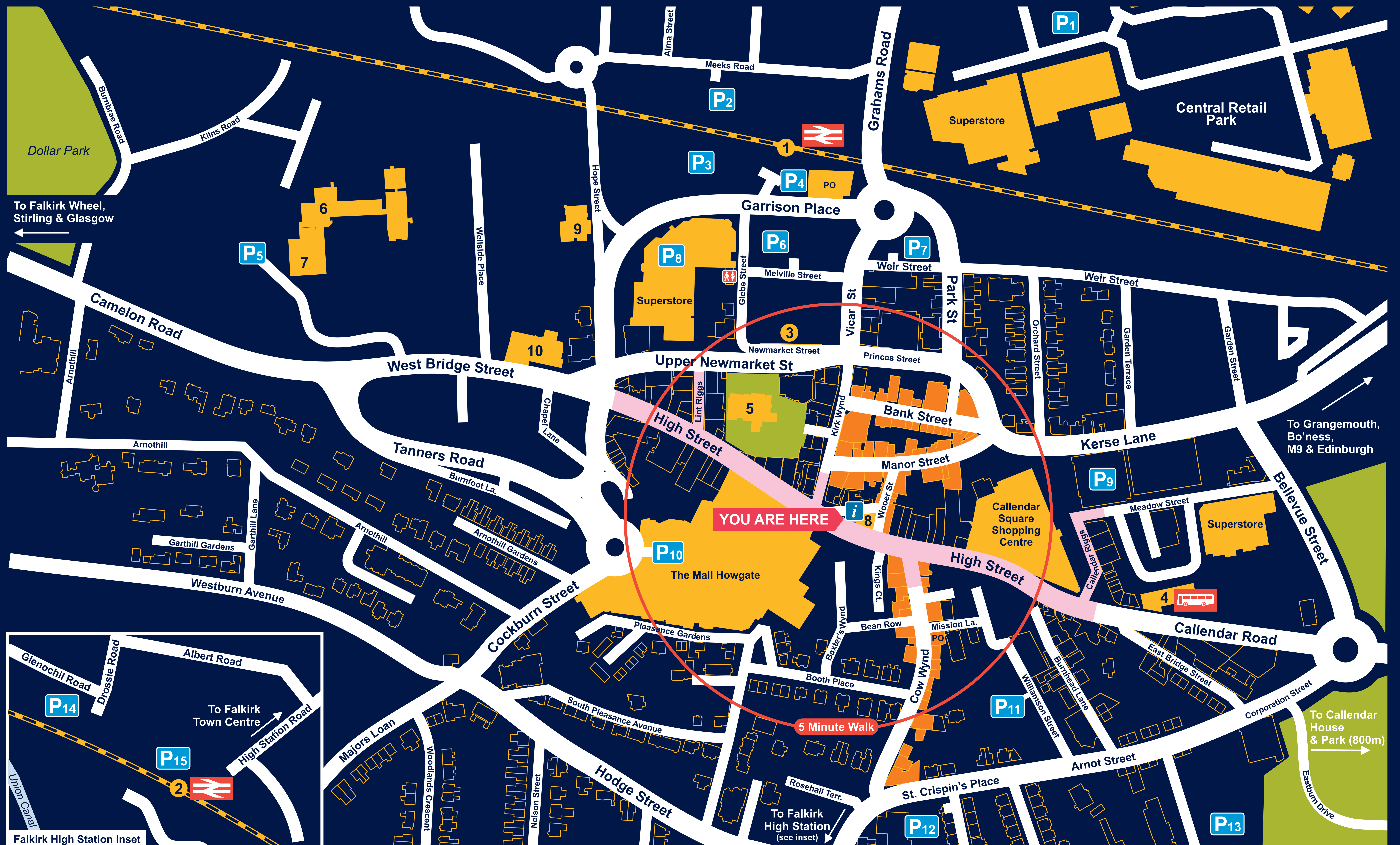


Falkirk Town Centre



Welcome to Falkirk...a town with a lot of history, excellent shopping and much to see and do.

The major stores in **The Mall** and **Callendar Square** shopping centres, the **High Street** and **Central Retail Park** are all within easy walking distance.

There are many **traditional** and **specialist shops** in the smaller streets and wynds just **off the High Street**. And plenty of bars, cafes and restaurants throughout. **Street markets** and other events often take place in the **High Street** and **Callendar Riggs**.







Falkirk is steeped in history. The **Antonine Wall** which traverses the area is now a **World Heritage Site**. From AD 142 to about AD 160 it was the northernmost frontier of the Roman empire. In 1298 William Wallace fought the **Battle of Falkirk** – memorials can be seen in the **Old Parish Church Graveyard**. And at the **second Battle of Falkirk** in 1746, the Jacobites under Bonnie Prince Charlie had a last, short lived, victory.

Falkirk's early **iron foundries** put it at the centre of the **industrial revolution** in Scotland. The industrial canals of 17th and 18th centuries have recently been restored for boating, walking and cycling and the **Falkirk Wheel** boat lift is now one of Scotland's top visitor attractions. The extension of the Forth and Clyde Canal at the Carron estuary is creating a second boatlift and landmark in the form of mythical horse sculptures, "**The Kelpies**", part of **The Helix** environmental park.

Scottish history is brought to life at **Callendar House**, a magnificent mansion incorporating a museum, galleries and a **Georgian working kitchen** with costumed interpreters. Just minutes from the town centre, it is set in the beautiful **Callendar Park** with facilities for children's play, boating, golf and woodland walks.

For further information, call at the **Steeple Information Point** in the High Street or at the **VisitScotland Information Centre** at **The Falkirk Wheel**, telephone 01324 620244.

Key

-  Pedestrianised Shopping Streets
-  Speciality Shopping Streets
-  Key Buildings
 1. Falkirk Grahamston Station
 2. Falkirk High Station
 3. Taxi Rank (Newmarket Street)
 4. Bus Station
 5. Old Parish Church & Graveyard
 6. Municipal Buildings
 7. Falkirk Town Hall
 8. The Steeple Information Point
 9. Library
 10. Police Station
-  Park
-  Railway Line
-  Public Toilets

P Car Park

1. Central Retail Park
2. Meeks Road
3. Garrison Place (East)
4. Garrison Place (West)
5. Municipal Buildings & Town Hall
6. Melville Street
7. Weir Street
8. Asda
9. Callendar Sq.
10. Howgate Shopping Mall
11. Williamson Street
12. Comely Place
13. Kemper Avenue
14. Drossie Road
15. Falkirk High



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