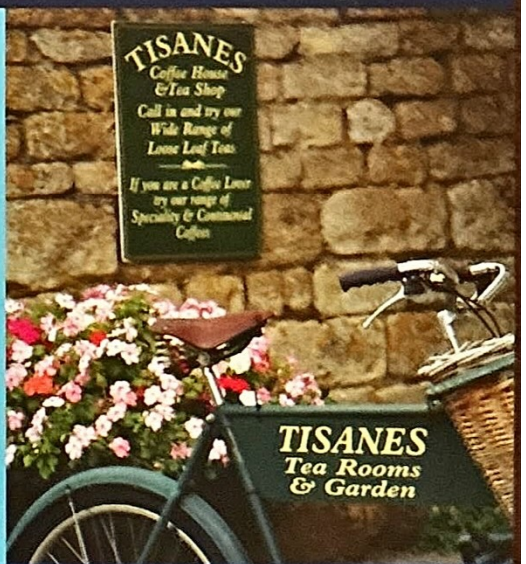


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UK & EUROPEAN COACH HOLIDAYS

2008



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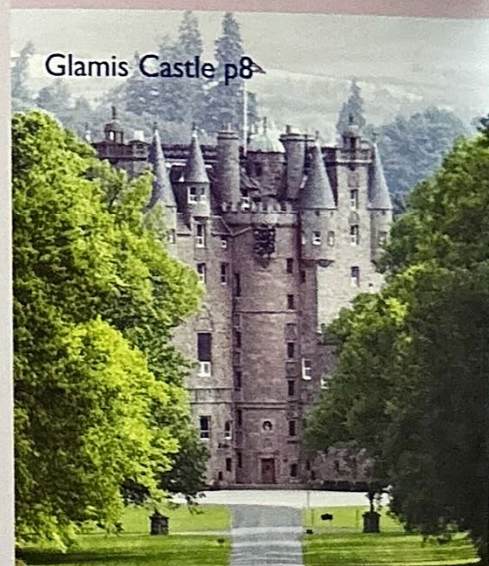
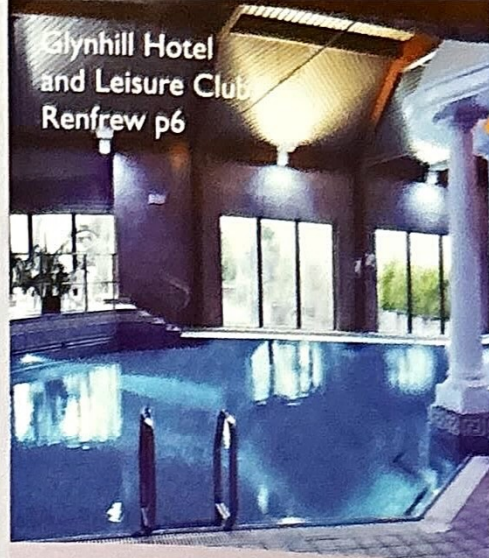
Epsom Coaches pioneered coach tours in the 1920's. The first departure took a party from Clapham on a three day tour to Henley on Thames. We have come a long way since those days and now lead the field in terms of quality and value for money.

At Epsom Coaches we listen to what our customers have to say. As a result, we now include tour guides on most of our departures, home pick-ups on all our tours, the very best coaches available, and the use of higher grade hotels.

Our 2008 programme includes all the usual UK favourites as well as an appealing selection of new destinations on the continent. We believe we have a range of holidays to suit most tastes.

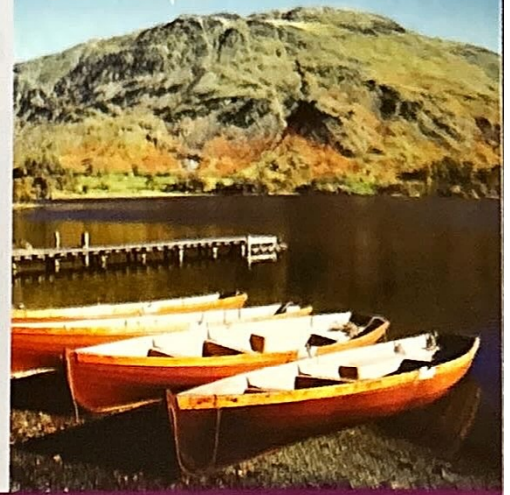
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Andrew Richmond
Managing Director



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With you every step
of the way

The finest coaching holidays

It is our aim to operate the finest possible coach holidays. We stay at superb hotels, including Marriott, De Vere and Best Western properties. Many hotels have extra facilities, such as swimming pools and leisure facilities. Some have been awarded AA rosettes for fine food.

Our coaches are superb modern Setra vehicles. Most are tri-axle, giving exceptional legroom and a very comfortable ride. We offer a complimentary door-to-door service on every holiday (see page 5); no longer do you have to wait in the elements for the coach to arrive, there are no tortuous pick up routes and definitely no feeder services!

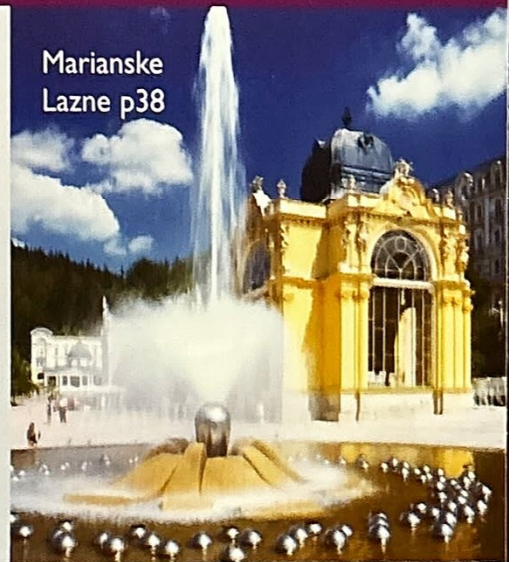


Great new destinations

We have introduced several new continental holidays including five star luxury in Interlaken and a wonderful holiday staying at the spa town of Marianske Lazne in the Czech Republic. We think it's our best ever selection of European holidays and there is no better or more relaxing way of touring Europe than on an Epsom Coach.

We are renowned for the high quality of our UK holidays. This year we have added Northern Ireland to our programme, as well as an excellent eight day holiday to the Edinburgh Military Tattoo. Another exciting development is the addition of two excellent Warner Breaks Hotels, where there are an array of activities to enjoy.

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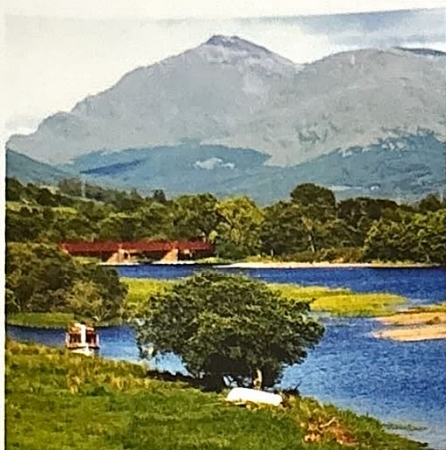
Door to door service on every holiday

Our holidays begin at your door; when you are picked up by taxi and brought to our departure lounge in Epsom. From then onwards, you are looked after every step of the way. We have friendly and informative tour guides on all departures, leaving the driver to get on with what he does best, navigating his way through the beautiful countryside and cities of the UK and Europe.

We carefully create our itineraries, enjoying the best of the area visited. All excursions in this brochure are included in the holiday cost. At the end of the holiday you are taken back to your door; with happy memories of the places you have visited and the people you have met.



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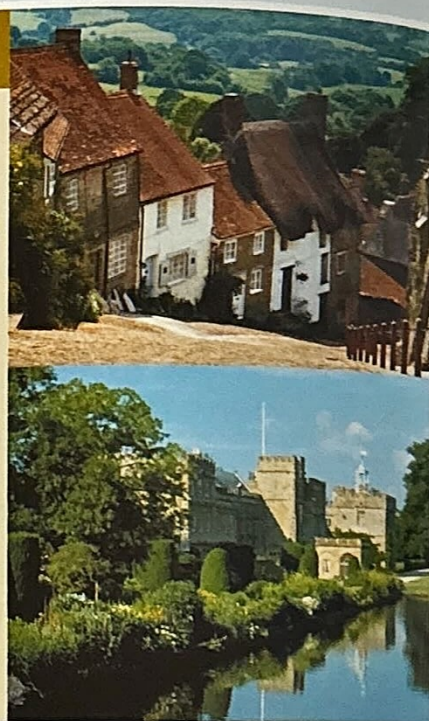


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Book with confidence

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We have a **No Surcharge Guarantee**, which means the price you see is the price you pay. The air holidays in the brochure are ATOL Protected by the Civil Aviation Authority. Our ATOL number is 4035.



Coach plan

Seating plans vary and this is a general guide only. All coaches are fitted with seat belts. All coaches are non smoking. W/C and servery is usually situated in the middle of the coach.

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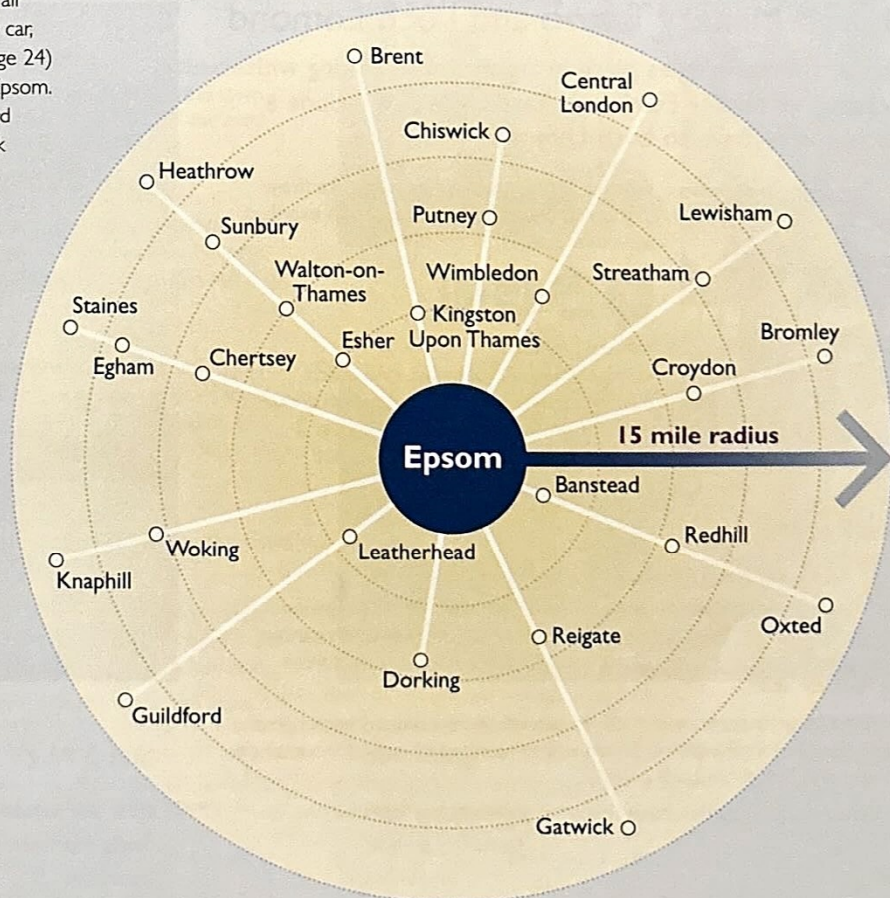
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- Star rating from the AA, Scottish Tourist Board (STB), Irish Tourist Board (ITB) and European Tourist Boards
- Air conditioned rooms
- Mini bar
- Outdoor swimming pool
- Indoor swimming pool
- Leisure facilities
- Lift
- No lift
- Rosette award for food

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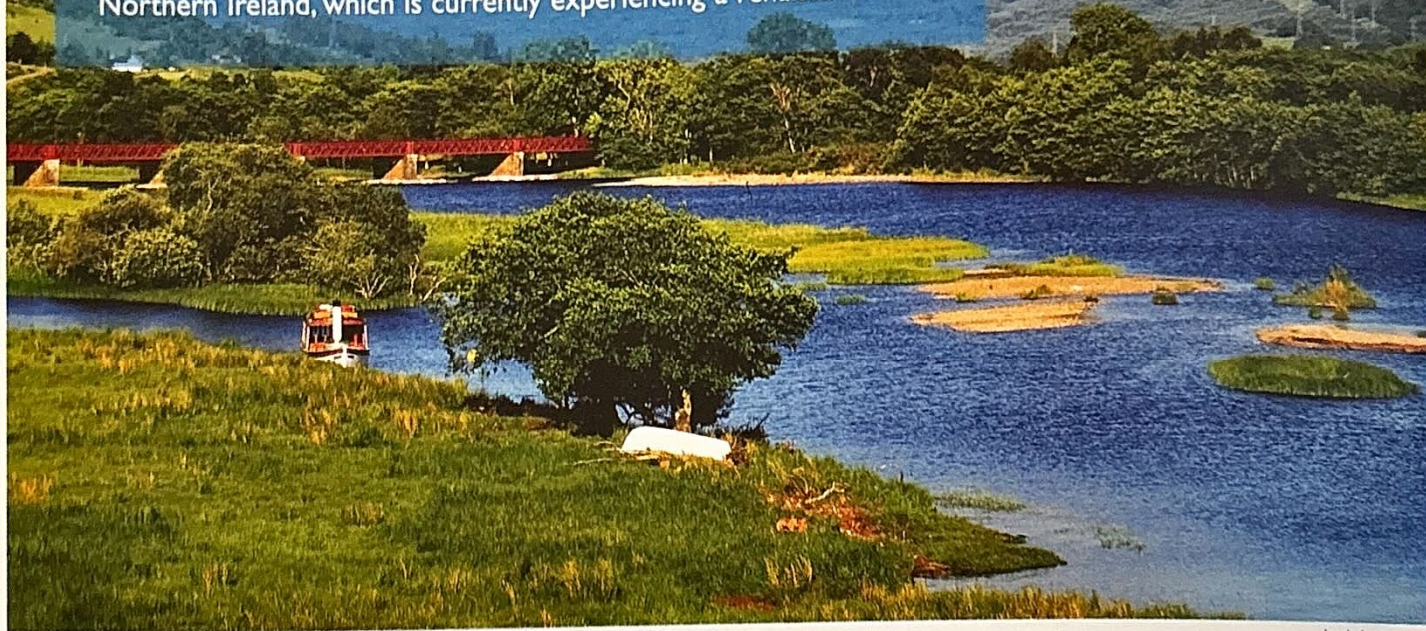
Door to door service

Door to door service is included in the price of all our holidays. We pick you up from your door by car, MPV or minibus (see our Trading Charter on page 24) and bring you to our new departure lounge in Epsom. When everyone is present and correct, we board the tour vehicle and your holiday begins. We pick up within a 15 mile radius of Epsom (please see the map to the right). If you are unsure whether you fall within our catchment area, please call 01372 731705.



Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland

Enjoy the splendour of Scotland and Wales from comfort of an Epsom Coach. Explore rugged mountains, deep blue lakes, gurgling rivers and shimmering waterfalls. Add to this, stunning coastlines with enchanting islands and ancient towns and cities, full of picturesque castles and churches. New for 2008, we cross the Irish Sea to Northern Ireland, which is currently experiencing a renaissance.



Loch Awe

Edinburgh Military Tattoo and Loch Lomond

This annual spectacle takes place in an unrivalled setting with the backdrop of mighty Edinburgh Castle. We also include a wonderful scenic drive to Loch Lomond



Glynhill Hotel and Leisure Club, Renfrew
Highly-rated purpose-built hotel, with excellent leisure facilities.



What's Included

- 3 nights bed and breakfast
- All coach travel
- Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Dinner on two nights
- Lunch on day 2
- Tattoo Ticket
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am and arrive early evening in Renfrew.

Day 2 Travel to Edinburgh and enjoy free time before the Tattoo. The unique display of massed military bands, pipes and drums and colourful Scottish dancers is unforgettable and we enjoy magnificent views of this enthralling event from excellent reserved seats.

Day 3 After a leisurely start, travel north to beautiful Loch Lomond. Loch Lomond is the largest body of fresh water in Britain and surrounded by rugged mountains at the northern end. Return via Loch Long.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.



Loch Lomond

Sun 3 Aug

4 Days

Price per person

£409

Single supplement

£46

Insurance

£15.50

Edinburgh Military Tattoo, Lochs and Mountains

A superb break combining the wonderful Scottish scenery with the excitement of the Tattoo

Glynhill Hotel and Leisure Club, Renfrew
(See *Edinburgh Military Tattoo and Loch Lomond* left)

What's Included

- 4 nights bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Dinner on 3 nights • Lunch on day 3 • Boat trip on Lake Katrine
- Admission to Blair Castle • Tattoo ticket • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am and arrive early evening in Renfrew.
- Day 2 We journey to the Trossachs and 'Rob Roy Country', enjoying a memorable boat trip on Lake Katrine.
- Day 3 Travel to Edinburgh and enjoy free time before the Tattoo. The unique display of massed military bands, pipes and drums and colourful Scottish dancers is unforgettable and we enjoy magnificent views of this enthralling event from excellent reserved seats.
- Day 4 Visit the resort of Pitlochry and Blair Castle, one of the great houses of Scotland, beautifully set in the Perthshire Highlands.
- Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.



Edinburgh Military Tattoo

Sun 17 Aug

5 Days

Price per person	£519
Single supplement	£60
Insurance	£18

Edinburgh Military Tattoo and Highland Supreme

A new holiday staying at an excellent hotel, visiting the scenic splendours of Scotland, coupled with the excitement of the Tattoo



The Green Hotel, Kinross

This long-established hotel, set in landscaped grounds about 5 minutes walk from the town centre, has high standards of service and food.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotels:- Holiday Inn, Newcastle-upon-Tyne AA 3 star; Newcastle Marriott Gosforth Park AA 4 star

What's Included

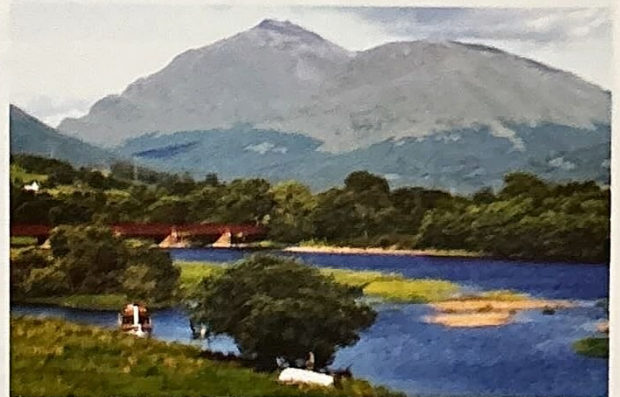
- 7 nights bed and breakfast • All coach travel
- Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Dinner on 6 nights • Lunch on day 4 • Admission to Blair Castle • Tattoo ticket • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening near Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
- Day 2 Arrive early evening in Kinross.
- Day 3 A day exploring lochs and mountains. Travel via Crieff and Aberfeldy to scenic Loch Tay, where we break for coffee. Onwards through the northern Trossachs and Loch Awe, we break for lunch in Inveraray. We return via beautiful Loch Lomond.
- Day 4 Travel to Edinburgh for some free time before enjoying the Tattoo from excellent reserved seats.
- Day 5 Free to relax at the hotel.
- Day 6 Visit the resort of Pitlochry and Blair Castle, one of the great houses of Scotland, beautifully set in the Perthshire Highlands.
- Day 7 Arrive early evening near Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
- Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.



Blair Castle



Loch Awe

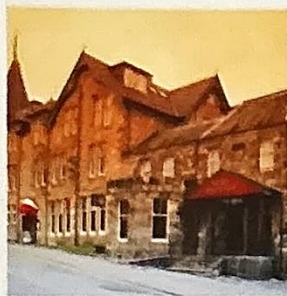
Sat 9 Aug

8 Days

Price per person	£899
Single supplement	£160
Insurance	£21.50

Grand Tour of Scotland by Train

A very popular holiday, combining the convenience of travelling by rail with an outstanding varied itinerary, seeing Scotland at its best!



Scotlands Hotel, Pitlochry
Traditional hotel located in the town centre.



What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Train ticket • Admission to Glamis • Admission to Dewars • Admission to the Royal Yacht Britannia • Loch Katrine Cruise • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Epsom Coach to Kings Cross for the train service to Perth. Transfer to Pitlochry. *Please note that portorage is available at the hotel only.*

Day 2 Afternoon visit to splendid Glamis Castle, childhood home of the late Queen Mother.

Day 3 Via Crieff to pretty Loch Earn. Continue via Killin and past Loch Tay to Aberfeldy, where we visit Dewars World of Whisky.

Day 4 Free to explore Pitlochry.

Day 5 We travel to Edinburgh, Scotland's capital, with a wealth of old buildings including the castle, perched high above the city. We visit the fascinating Royal Yacht Britannia at its dock in Leith.

Day 6 Travel through The Trossachs to beautiful Loch Katrine, for a Victorian steamer cruise, where Scott set his 'Lady of the Lake'.



Glamis Castle

Day 7 Travel to St Andrews, home of the 'Royal and Ancient'. Later cross the Tay Bridge to Dundee, where you can step on board HMS Discovery, Captain Scott's Antarctic vessel.

Day 8 Board the train at Perth for our return journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 7pm.

Wed 25 June	8 Days
Price per person	£859
Single supplement	£106
Insurance	£21.50

Great Railway Journeys of Scotland

A wonderful holiday discovering great train rides through the splendid scenery of Scotland



Hilton Coylumbridge, Aviemore
Modern hotel set in a 65 acre estate in the heart of the Cairngorm National Park.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotels:-
Marriott Hotel, Preston AA 4 star (both ways)

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Train rides • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am and arrive late afternoon near Preston.

Day 2 Arrive late afternoon in Aviemore.

Day 3 Travel to Inverness for a ride on the outstanding Kyle line (diesel train) to the Kyle of Lochalsh. Enjoy the beautiful scenery as the train passes through Glen Carron and later runs alongside Loch Carron.

Day 4 Enjoy a magical steam train ride on the Strathspey Railway, from Aviemore to Broomhill via Boat of Garten.

Day 5 Free in Aviemore.

Day 6 Take an unforgettable ride on the West Highland Line aboard the 'Jacobite'. Described as one of the great railway journeys of the world this 42 mile trip takes you through some of the most spectacular scenery in Scotland. The train stops en route to Mallaig at Glenfinnan, where Bonnie Prince Charlie raised his standard in 1745.



Glenfinnan Viaduct

Day 7 Stop for an early lunch at the Falkirk Wheel, arriving early evening in Preston.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.

Sat 31 May	8 Days
Price per person	£819
Single supplement	£106
Insurance	£21.50

Oban, Argyll and the 'Jacobite'

A superb holiday exploring this spectacular corner of Scotland, based in the popular resort of Oban with an unforgettable ride on the 'Jacobite' steam railway



Caledonian Hotel
Landmark hotel on the waters edge in the centre of the promenade in Oban.



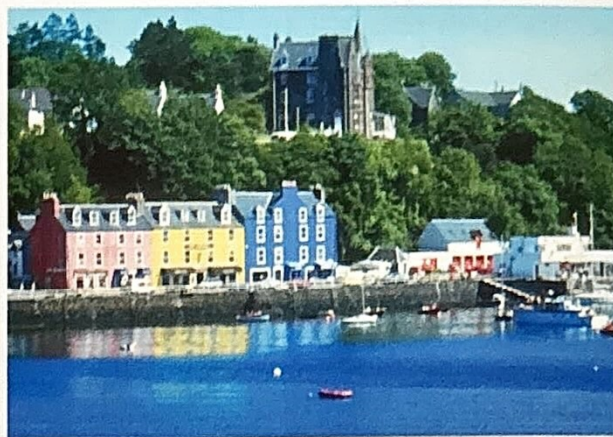
Also includes overnight stays at the following hotels:- Marriott Hotel, Preston AA 4 star; George Washington Hotel, Washington AA 3 star

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- 'Jacobite' railway ride • Admission to Torosay Castle • Ferry fare • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 9am and arrive early evening near Preston.
- Day 2** Break for lunch at Loch Lomond with plenty of time for a boat ride. Arrive early evening in Oban.
- Day 3** Free to explore Oban. Local attractions include the Waterfront Centre, the Cathedral of St Columba, Oban Distillery, Dunollie Castle, Dunstaffnage Castle and McCaig's Tower, which dominates the town's skyline.
- Day 4** Tour Argyll, following the scenic coast road to Inveraray for lunch. Inveraray is ancestral home to the Duke of Argyll, who founded the town in 1745, alongside his 'new' dwelling, Inveraray Castle.



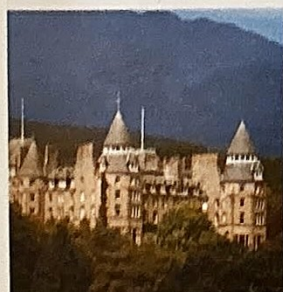
Tobermory

- Day 5** Travel to Fort William and ride on the 'Jacobite'. (see page 8).
- Day 6** Ferry to Craignure on Mull. We visit Torosay Castle and later travel to Tobermory, where many buildings are painted in assorted bright colours.
- Day 7** Arrive early evening in Washington.
- Day 8** Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.

Sun 22 Jun	8 Days
Price per person	£829
Single supplement	£130
Insurance	£21.50

Grand Tour of Scotland by Air

Combining the convenience of travelling by air, with excursions through wonderful scenery, fascinating visits and staying at an excellent hotel



Atholl Palace Hotel, Pitlochry
Splendid Scottish baronial building in its own grounds, about 10 minutes walk from Pitlochry. This unique hotel blends traditional charm with modern comforts and is highly recommended.

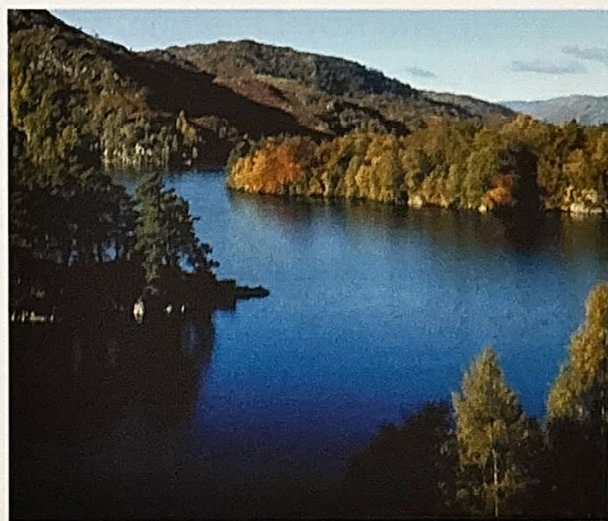


What's Included

- 6 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Air Fare • Admission to Glamis • Admission to Dewars • Admission to the Royal Yacht Britannia
- Loch Katrine Cruise • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 10.30am to Heathrow for the BA flight in standard class to Glasgow (80 minutes). Transfer to Pitlochry.
- Day 2** Morning visit to Glamis Castle, best known as the childhood home of the Queen Mother.
- Day 3** Travel through The Trossachs to beautiful Loch Katrine, where Scott set his 'Lady of the Lake', for a Victorian steamer cruise.
- Day 4** Free to explore Pitlochry.
- Day 5** We travel to Edinburgh, Scotland's capital, with a wealth of old buildings including the castle, perched high above the city. We visit the fascinating Royal Yacht Britannia at its dock in Leith.



Loch Katrine

- Day 6** Via Crieff to pretty Loch Earn. Continue via Killin and past Loch Tay to Aberfeldy, where we visit Dewars World of Whisky.
- Day 7** Travel to Glasgow Airport for our return journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.

Sun 28 Sep	7 Days
Price per person	£799
Single supplement	£110
Insurance	£21.50

Scotland in the Spring

Based in a superb hotel, we tour this beautiful area in the Spring, when nature comes to life and the days grow longer



Isles of Glencoe Hotel
Superb purpose built hotel in a stunning lochside location near Ballachulish, surrounded by mighty mountains.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotels:- Marriott Gosforth Park, Newcastle AA 4 star; Marriott Preston, Preston AA 4 star

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to Ben Nevis Distillery • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8am and arrive early evening in Newcastle.
- Day 2 Break for lunch by the 'Bonnie Banks' of Loch Lomond and arrive late afternoon in Glencoe.
- Day 3 Morning visit to Oban. See the Waterfront Centre, the Cathedral of St Columba, the Oban Distillery and McCaig's Tower, which dominates the town's skyline.
- Day 4 Travel to Fort William nestling at the foot of Ben Nevis and later visit the Ben Nevis Distillery for a 'wee dram'.
- Day 5 Free.



Glencoe

Day 6 Exploring the spectacular scenery of the Highlands from the comfort of an Epsom Coach.

Day 7 Arrive early evening in Preston.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Arrive back in Epsom at 6pm.

Sat 5 Apr

8 Days

Price per person	£679
Single supplement	£153
Insurance	£21.50

Aberdeen and Royal Deeside

Staying close to the 'Granite City' of Aberdeen, we explore Deeside, famous for its Royal connections and Speyside, centre of the Scotch Whisky industry



Hilton Aberdeen Treetops Hotel
Quiet country hotel located 10 minutes drive from Aberdeen centre.



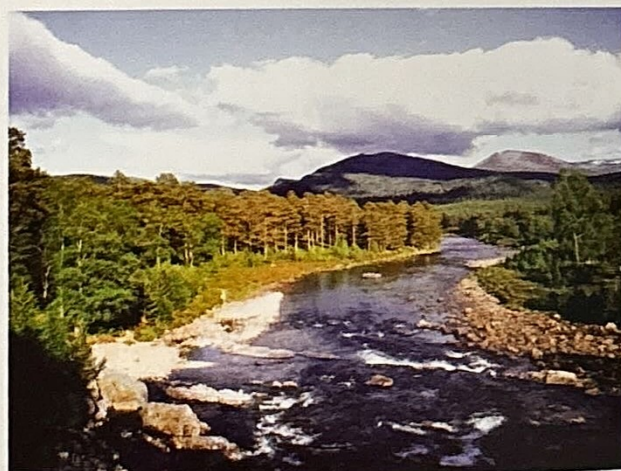
Also includes overnight stays at the following hotels:- Marriott Royal County, Durham AA 4 star; Holiday Inn, Newcastle-upon-Tyne AA 3 star

What's Included

- 6 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to Crathes Castle • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening in Durham.
- Day 2 Break for lunch in Edinburgh and arrive early evening near Aberdeen.
- Day 3 Free. We have arranged for a local coach to take you into the city centre to admire the grand buildings of the 'Granite City'.
- Day 4 We follow the valley of the River Dee upstream, breaking for lunch in Braemar, home of the Highland Gathering. In the afternoon, we visit splendid Crathes Castle which was completed in 1596 and is reputedly haunted by the ghost of Lady Agnes.



River Dee

Day 5 A day exploring Speyside. In the morning we visit the Glenfiddich Distillery in Dufftown, still owned and run by the Grant Family. Break for lunch in Grantown on Spey. In the afternoon, we travel through the fringes of the picturesque Cairngorm National Park.

Day 6 Arrive late afternoon near Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Day 7 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.

Wed 3 Sep

7 Days

Price per person	£639
Single supplement	£100
Insurance	£21.50

Welsh Borders and the Forest of Dean

Exploring the borders with south Wales, we travel to the Forest of Dean, Wye Valley, Cardiff and beautiful Dyffryn Gardens



Hilton Newport Hotel, Newport
Modern hotel in a quiet location about 5 miles outside Newport.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to the Dean Heritage Centre
- Admission to Dyffryn Gardens • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at approximately 8am and arrive late afternoon on the outskirts of Newport.

Day 2 Enjoy a full day exploring the Forest of Dean, once a royal hunting forest, which later played a part in the Industrial Revolution and is now a peaceful haven for flora and fauna. We stop at the Dean Heritage Centre, which tells the story of this fascinating area. We break for lunch in Ross-on-Wye and later return along the beautiful Wye Valley, passing Symonds Yat and the ruins of Tintern Abbey.

Day 3 Visit Cardiff, the capital of Wales, which has been rejuvenated in recent years. Buildings such as the Millennium Centre and National Assembly have transformed the skyline, once dominated by the Norman castle. In the afternoon visit Dyffryn Gardens, a series of 'outdoor rooms' that are being restored to their former glory.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Arrive back in Epsom at 4pm.



Wye Valley

Fri 21 Mar (Easter) & Fri 12 Sep 4 Days

Price per person	£325
Single supplement	£60
Insurance	£15.50

Swansea Bay, Gower and the Brecon Beacons

We enjoy the scenery of the Brecon Beacons and Gower Peninsula and a visit to the excellent National Botanic Garden of Wales



Aberavon Beach Hotel, Swansea Bay
Modern hotel on the seafront in Aberavon with panoramic views across Swansea Bay and leisure facilities. Entertainment on two nights.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to the National Botanic Garden of Wales • Brecon Railway ride • Welsh Cream Tea
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Arrive early evening in Aberavon.

Day 2 Morning visit to the maritime city of Swansea. See the Maritime Quarter, Waterfront Museum, Dylan Thomas Centre and Castle. In the afternoon, travel to the Gower Peninsula, a picturesque area with rugged limestone cliffs and golden sands. We stop at the Gower Heritage Centre, where we enjoy a Welsh Cream Tea.

Day 3 We travel to the Brecon Beacons and ride on the Brecon Mountain Railway, with superb views along the length of the Tal Fechan Reservoir. Break for lunch in Brecon and return via the imposing Black Mountain.

Day 4 Visit the National Botanic Garden of Wales. The centre piece of this Millennium project is the Norman Foster designed Great Glasshouse, partially built below ground level, housing plants from Chile, Australia, South Africa and the Mediterranean.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Arrive back in Epsom at 5pm.



Gower Coastline

Sun 8 Jun 5 Days

Price per person	£495
Single supplement	£47
Insurance	£18

Tenby and Splendid Pembrokeshire

Staying in a friendly, traditional hotel in a prime location in this picturesque resort, enjoying this picturesque area



Fourcroft Hotel

Excellent traditional hotel on the cliffs above Tenby's sheltered North Beach and overlooking the fishing harbour.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Door to door service – see page 5



Tenby Harbour

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening in Tenby.
- Day 2** Free to explore Tenby. This popular resort has a picturesque harbour, sandy beaches and 13th century walls. Boats cross to nearby Caldey Island, where there is a Cistercian monastery which dates from the 12th century.
- Day 3** We travel to Pembroke, which is dominated by its imposing Norman castle, birthplace of Henry VII. We continue to St Davids, the smallest city in the UK, birthplace of the patron saint of Wales.
- Day 4** Visit the nearby resort of Saundersfoot. In the afternoon, visit Colby Woodland Garden (National Trust, admission extra), which has lovely walks in a tranquil valley.
- Day 5** Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.

Sun 31 Aug

5 Days

Price per person	£525
Single supplement	£40
Insurance	£18

Snowdonia and North Wales Highlights

Enjoy the magnificent scenery of Snowdonia with steep-sided valleys, fast-flowing streams, waterfalls and crystal-clear lakes



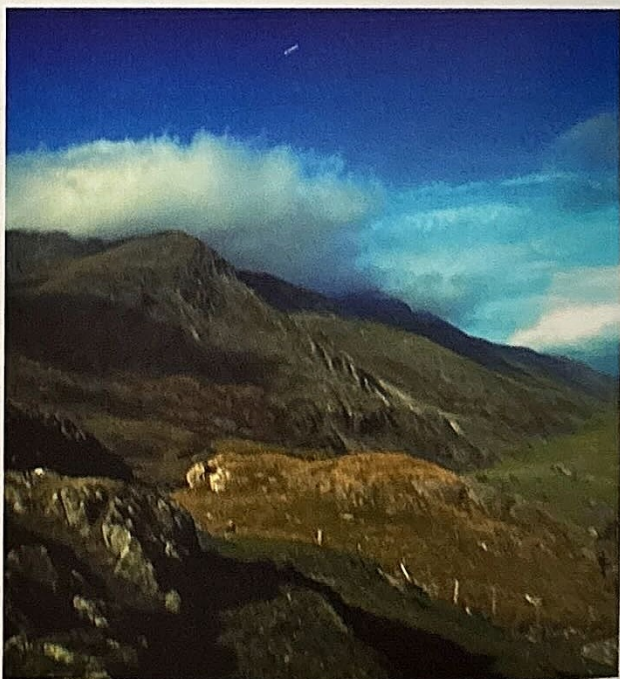
Royal Goat Hotel, Beddgelert

Recently refurbished traditional hotel located in the picturesque village of Beddgelert, with stunning mountain views.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Door to door service – see page 5



Nant Ffrancon

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 8am and arrive early evening in Beddgelert.
- Day 2** Travel via impressive Nant Ffrancon to historic Conwy and on to the nearby resort of Llandudno for a lunch break. In the afternoon, travel to the attractive town of Betws-y-Coed.
- Day 3** Visit the village of Llanberis, in a spectacular setting at the foot of Snowdon. We have allowed plenty of time to explore the attractions in the village or take the Snowdon Railway to the new Snowdon Summit Visitor Centre.
- Day 4** Cross the Menai Straits to Anglesey, breaking for lunch in Beaumaris, which has a mighty castle.
- Day 5** Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.

Mon 16 Jun

5 Days

Price per person	£429
Single supplement	£40
Insurance	£18

Great Little Trains of Wales

A real treat for train enthusiasts and a wonderful way to view the beautiful scenery of North Wales

Royal Goat Hotel, Beddgelert
(See Snowdonia and North Wales Highlights left)

What's Included

• 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Train rides • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Afternoon ride on the Bala Lake Railway. This narrow gauge railway runs along the lakeside with views of the beautiful Snowdonia National Park. Arrive early evening in Beddgelert.

Day 2 Join the scheduled Arriva Trains scheduled rail service along the spectacular Cambrian Line from Porthmadog to Machynlleth. The line passes Harlech Castle and crosses the River Mawddach near Barmouth over a spectacular bridge. The train then continues via the resort of Aberdovey to the historic town of Machynlleth.

Day 3 Morning ride on the Ffestiniog Railway, one of the best known heritage railways in the UK, which winds its way through from the slate mines of Blaenau Ffestiniog to the coast at Porthmadog. In the afternoon, travel on the West Highland Railway, which is being restored and runs into the heart of the Snowdonian mountains.

Day 4 Homeward journey with a morning ride on the Llangollen Railway from Carrog to Llangollen, through beautiful scenery. Return to Epsom at approximately 7pm.



Bala Lake Railway

Fri 29 Aug

4 Days

Price per person

£375

Single supplement

£30

Insurance

£15.50

Carrickfergus, Belfast and the Giants Causeway

We discover the spectacular scenery and fascinating history of Northern Ireland, which is currently experiencing a renaissance



Clarion Hotel, Carrickfergus
Modern Hotel located about 15 minutes walk from the town.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotels:-
Marriott Hotel, Preston AA 4 star (both ways)

What's Included

• 5 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
• Admission to Bushmills Distillery • Guided tour
• Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am and arrive late afternoon near Preston.

Day 2 Cross the Irish Sea from Stranraer to Belfast (105 minutes) and arrive late afternoon in Carrickfergus.

Day 3 Morning guided tour of Belfast. This great capital city is thriving, following recent political events, with a wave of new building and a vibrant cultural life. Belfast has a splendid natural setting at the mouth of the River Lagan, surrounded by hills. In the afternoon we travel to Mount Stewart (National Trust, admission extra), one of the great houses of Ireland, with a fascinating history, superb views and a huge George Stubbs painting.

Day 4 Exploring the Antrim Coast. We visit the Giants Causeway, one of the great natural wonders of the world. The 40,000 basalt columns have inspired legend, scientific debate and endless wonder and curiosity. We travel via Portrush to the Bushmills Distillery, where we enjoy a guided tour.

Day 5 Arrive early evening in Preston.

Day 6 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.



Mount Stewart



Giants Causeway

Thu 26 Jun

6 Days

Price per person

£585

Single supplement

£65

Insurance

£18

England

Explore the abundant and seemingly limitless delights of England from the comfort of your Epsom Coach. Our holidays are a mix of spectacular seascapes, rolling rural landscapes dotted with vibrant cities, 'chocolate box' villages and a heritage that is the envy of the world. Now is the time to discover, or indeed re-discover, just what makes England the perfect holiday destination.



The Eden Project and Historic Plymouth

Staying in the historic maritime city of Plymouth we visit the Eden Project, hailed as the Eighth Wonder of the World!



Holiday Inn, Plymouth

Large modern hotel overlooking Plymouth Hoe and a short walk from the historic Barbican.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to the Eden Project • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening in Plymouth.

Day 2 Free to explore Plymouth. Take time to explore the Barbican, Plymouth's old harbour or the Hoe, where Sir Francis Drake completed his game of bowls before setting sail to defeat the Spanish Armada. Optional morning excursion to the beautiful fishing village of Polperro, full of colour-washed houses in narrow winding streets.

Day 3 Visit The Eden Project. This exciting project has established itself as one of the top attractions in the country. In the humid tropical 'biome' there is a vast array of exotic, colourful and rare plants. Continue your journey through the warm temperate 'biome', which houses a selection of plants from the Mediterranean, America and Africa. The 'biomes' are spectacularly set in a hillside surrounded by huge landscaped gardens.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.



Eden Project

Fri 28 Mar & Fri 17 Oct

4 Days

Price per person	£359
Single supplement	£60
Insurance	£15.50

Enchanting Cornwall

Enjoy a wonderful holiday in England's Golden West, staying in the charming resort of St Ives, with an optional day excursion to the Isles of Scilly



Chy-an-Albany Hotel, St Ives

Privately-owned Edwardian hotel with lovely views of the bay and gardens.



What's Included

- 5 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Cruise on River Fal • Admission to Trevanno Gardens • Admission to Seal Sanctuary • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening in St Ives.

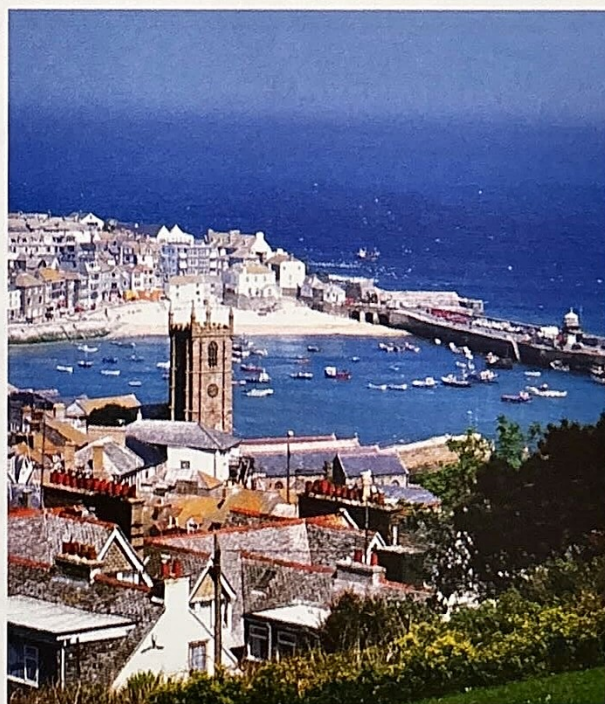
Day 2 Free to explore the charming seaside resort of St Ives. Best known for its artistic connections, the Tate Gallery opened a branch in 1993 here and looks after the Barbara Hepworth Museum and sculpture garden.

Day 3 Visit Truro to board a boat for a splendid scenic cruise along the River Fal from the cathedral city of Truro to the historic maritime town of Falmouth.

Day 4 Visit the National Seal Sanctuary in Gweek, which cares for sick and injured seals. Later travel to beautiful Trevanno which has a series of different gardens and is home to the National Museum of Gardening.

Day 5 An early start for those wishing to take an optional trip from Penzance to the beautiful Isles of Scilly by sea (extra charge – the fare in 2007 was £36). For those not wishing to visit the Scillies, we travel to Lands End (admission extra) to discover the dramatic scenery. *Please note The Scillies excursion is not escorted.*

Day 6 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.



St Ives

Mon 30 Jun & Sun 21 Sep

6 Days

Price per person (Jun)	£615
Price per person (Sep)	£599
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£18

Sidmouth and Devon Delights

Discovering the coast and countryside of south Devon, staying in the delightful resort of Sidmouth



Royal York and Faulkner Hotel, Sidmouth
Splendid highly-rated family-run hotel, with Regency charm and grandeur in a wonderful position at the centre of Sidmouth's elegant Esplanade.

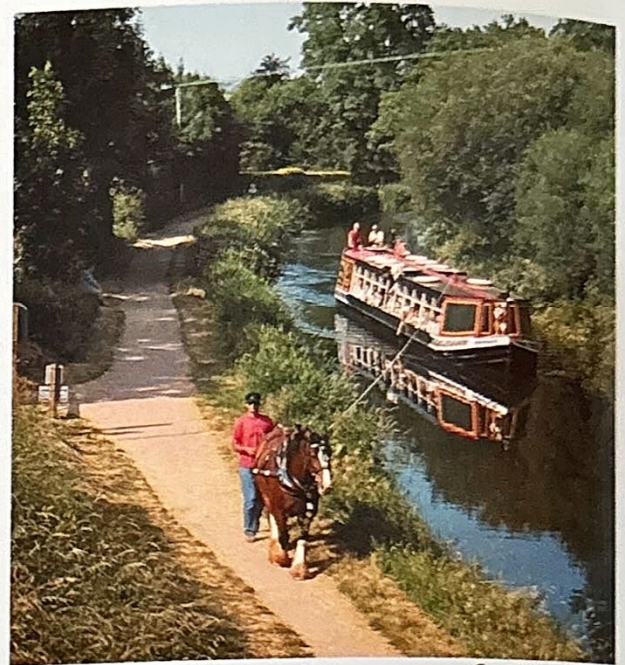


What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Horse-drawn canal cruise with cream tea
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive late afternoon in Sidmouth.
- Day 2 Optional morning visit to the nearby Donkey Sanctuary, which has cared for over 9000 neglected animals.
- Day 3 Visit Tiverton and later enjoy a wonderful horse-drawn canal trip on the Great Western Canal, with a delicious Devon cream tea.
- Day 4 Free to explore Sidmouth. This pleasant traditional seaside resort nestles below giant sandstone cliffs and has a wide esplanade and has been popular since Regency times.
- Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Great Western Canal

Fri 9 May & Wed 17 Sep

5 Days

Price per person (May)	£485
Price per person (Sep)	£489
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£18

Sidmouth in Summer

One of our most popular holidays staying in the genteel resort of Sidmouth at an excellent family-run hotel

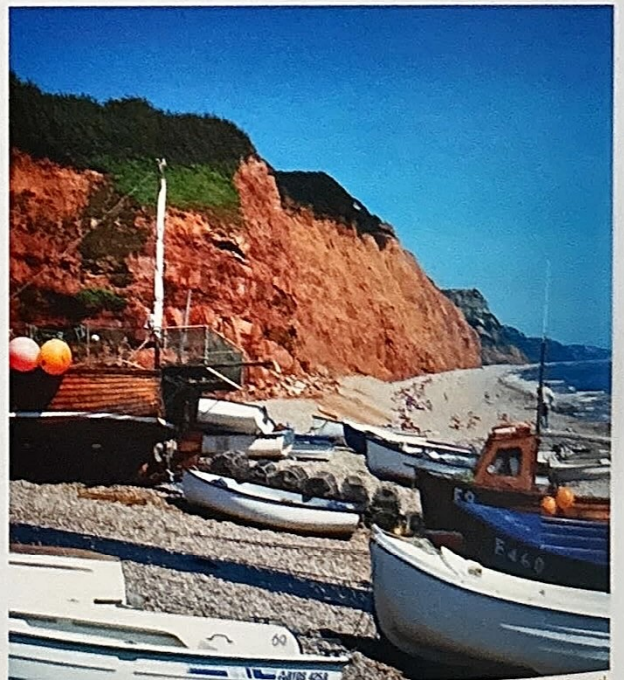
Royal York and Faulkner Hotel
(See Sidmouth and Devon delights above)

What's Included

- 5 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Admission to Powderham Castle • Horse-drawn canal cruise with cream tea • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive late afternoon in Sidmouth.
- Day 2 Optional morning visit to the nearby Donkey Sanctuary, which has cared for over 9000 neglected animals.
- Day 3 Break for lunch in the attractive resort of Teignmouth. In the afternoon, visit Powderham Castle, the historic family home of the Duke of Devon dating from 1390, set in a beautiful deer park on the banks of the River Exe.
- Day 4 Visit Tiverton and later enjoy a wonderful horse-drawn canal trip on the Great Western Canal, with a delicious Devon cream tea.
- Day 5 Free to explore Sidmouth. This pleasant traditional seaside resort nestles below giant sandstone cliffs and has a wide esplanade and has been popular since Regency times.
- Day 6 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Sidmouth

Wed 13 Aug

6 Days

Price per person	£599
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£18

Barnstaple, Ilfracombe and the North Devon Coast

The north Devon coast is stunning, with dramatic cliffs which plunge down to the wild Atlantic. We enjoy visits to the picturesque resorts of Ilfracombe, Lynmouth and Bude



Barnstaple Hotel

Highly-rated modern low-rise hotel with excellent facilities, on the outskirts of the town.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

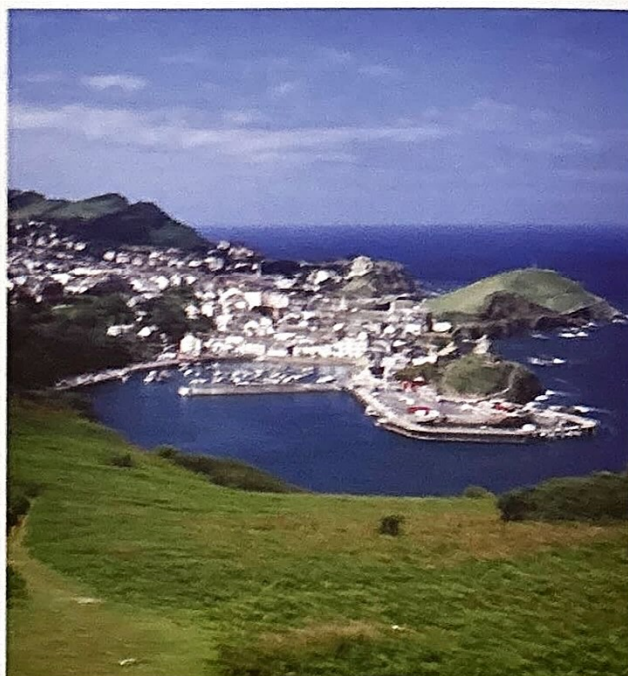
Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening in Barnstaple.

Day 2 Visit the attractive seaside resort of Ilfracombe, with white washed houses and grand Victorian villas surrounded by cliffs.

Day 3 Visit Lynmouth a picturesque village with a small harbour linked to Lynton by a Victorian funicular railway. Later travel along the dramatic north Devon coast, where the steep cliffs plunge down to the wild Atlantic. We return via Exmoor, where attractive moorland is dotted with picturesque villages.

Day 4 Morning visit to Rosemoor (RHS, admission extra), created in 1959 and renowned for its superb rose garden. Later travel to the small resort of Bude.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Ilfracombe

Mon 15 Sep

5 Days

Price per person

£499

Single supplement

£60

Insurance

£18

Torquay, Dartmoor and the Devon Coast

Staying at a landmark hotel in the resort of Torquay and enjoying a leisurely itinerary discovering Dartmoor and the Devon coast



Paramount Imperial Hotel

Traditional elegant hotel in an enviable position overlooking Torbay.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Boat trip • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive late afternoon in Torquay.

Day 2 Morning visit to Buckfast Abbey, where the shop sells its famous tonic wine and honey. Travel to the attractive town of Totnes for a lunch break. Later enjoy a leisurely scenic boat trip along the River Dart.

Day 3 A full day exploring Dartmoor, an atmospheric area full of tors and peat bogs. We visit the attractive towns of Chagford and Widecombe-in-the-Moor, of 'Unde Tom Copley' fame. We also make an unusual visit to the fascinating Dartmoor Prison Museum.

Day 4 Morning visit to the attractive nearby resort of Teignmouth.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Totnes

Thu 12 Jun & Mon 29 Sep

5 Days

Price per person

£499

Single supplement

£100

Insurance

£18

Bournemouth, Poole and the New Forest

Staying in the popular resort of Bournemouth, we explore the beautiful areas of Purbeck and the New Forest



Anglo Swiss Hotel

Comfortable contemporary hotel located a short walk from the East Cliff.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to Athelhampton • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

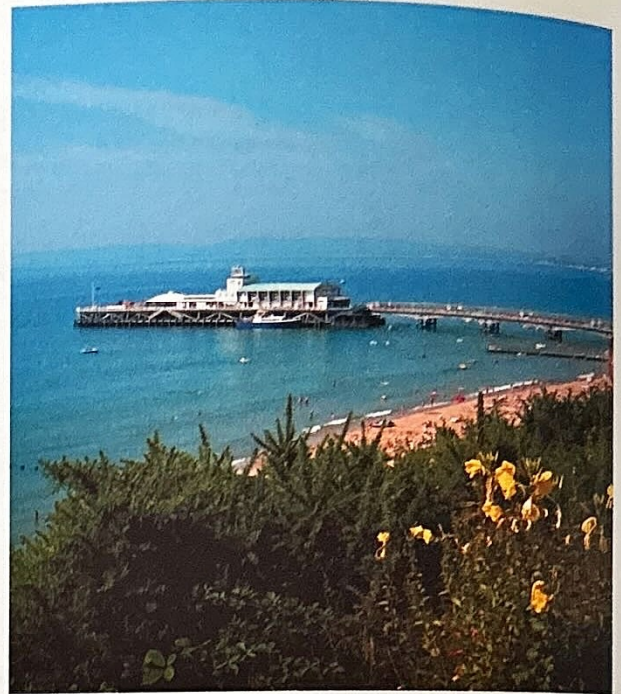
Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am and arrive mid afternoon in Bournemouth.

Day 2 Free to explore the popular resort of Bournemouth. Enjoy six miles of sandy beaches, two piers and tranquil parks and gardens. Optional morning drive to the New Forest.

Day 3 We travel to the resort of Weymouth, which has a wonderful Georgian and Regency Esplanade with a clock erected to celebrate 50 years of the reign of Queen Victoria. In the afternoon we travel to Athelhampton House and Gardens. This magnificent 15th century manor house has superb gardens with huge distinctive pyramid shaped yew trees.

Day 4 Via Corfe Castle to the traditional seaside resort of Swanage. Later travel via the Sandbanks Ferry to Poole, which is famous for its unique pottery.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 3pm.



Bournemouth

Mon 26 May & Mon 22 Sep

5 Days

Price per person	£425
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£18

Magical Dorset

We explore this magical county, enjoying the best of the rural countryside and dramatic coastline



Best Western Royal Chase Hotel, Shaftesbury

Friendly highly-rated Georgian hotel located about half a mile from Gold Hill.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Train ride and cream tea • Admission to Forde Abbey • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

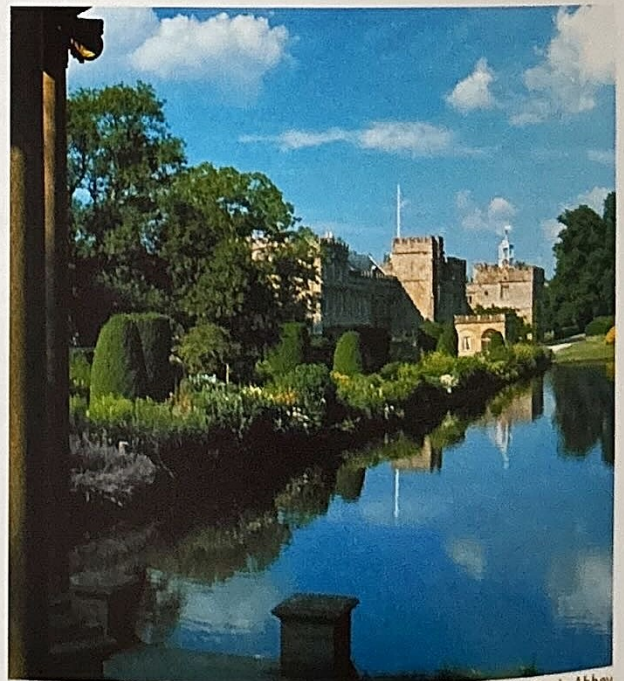
Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am and arrive mid afternoon in Shaftesbury, home of cobbled 'Gold Hill' which became famous in a Hovis advert.

Day 2 Break for lunch in Bridport. Later visit Forde Abbey and Gardens, considered one of rural England's best kept secrets with more than 900 years of history, set in award-winning gardens.

Day 3 Visit Thomas Hardy's Dorchester and later travel to the beauty spot of Lulworth Cove, where the sea has carved a unique feature in the Dorset coastline.

Day 4 Break for lunch in the attractive village of Corfe, which is dominated by a huge ruined castle. Later travel on the scenic Swanage Railway, followed by a delicious cream tea.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 3pm.



Forde Abbey

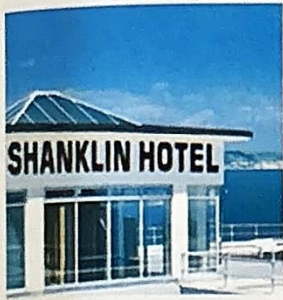
Mon 1 Sep

5 Days

Price per person	£519
Single supplement	£50
Insurance	£18

Isle of Wight

A relaxing break to this delightful island of contrasts, staying at a friendly hotel in the pleasant resort of Shanklin



Shanklin Hotel, Shanklin

Friendly traditional hotel located on the cliff top in Shanklin with panoramic views over Sandown Bay from the public areas. 100 yards from the lift to the Esplanade. Entertainment.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Ferry fare • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

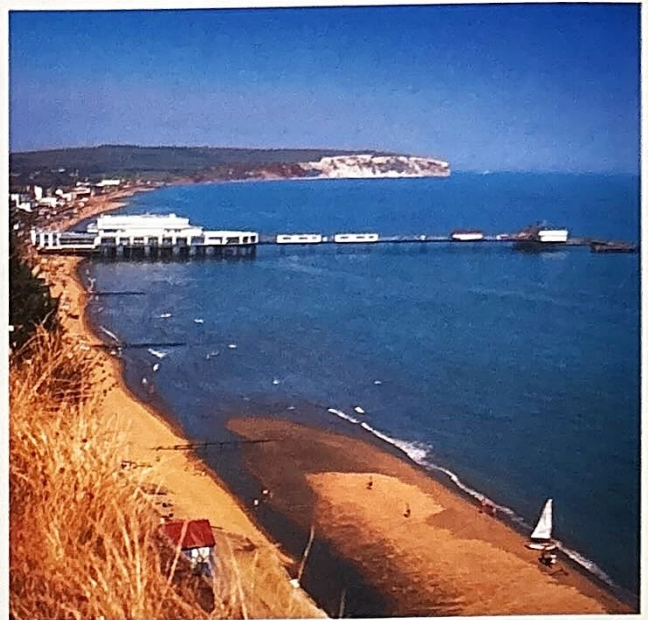
Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Travel to Portsmouth for the Wightlink crossing to Fishbourne (35 mins). Arrive mid afternoon in Shanklin.

Day 2 Free. Shanklin is most famed for its good weather and the pretty Old Village, which is located on the south side of the town. A lift provides easy access to the Esplanade and sandy beaches.

Day 3 Enjoy a circular tour of Wight. On the west of the island, there is spectacular scenery where the sheer cliffs plunge down to the English Channel. Stop for lunch in the picturesque yachting haven of Yarmouth. Break for tea in the resort of Sandown on the east of the island.

Day 4 Morning excursion to the 'chocolate-box' village of Godshill, full of thatched cottages.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Sandown Bay

Mon 16 Jun

5 Days

Price per person	£435
Single supplement	£0
Side seaview supplement (per person)	£20
Crescent (larger) room supplement (per person)	£20
Insurance	£18

Isle of Wight Holiday

A relaxing eight day holiday on this popular island. Plenty of free time to explore Shanklin, with some great excursions

Shanklin Hotel, Shanklin

(See *Isle of Wight* above)

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Ferry fare • Admission to Seaview Wildlife Encounter • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Travel to Portsmouth for the Wightlink crossing to Fishbourne (35 mins). Arrive mid afternoon in Shanklin.

Days 2, 4 & 6 Free. Shanklin is most famed for its good weather and the pretty Old Village, which is located on the south side of the town. A lift provides easy access to the Esplanade and sandy beaches.

Day 3 Enjoy a circular tour of Wight. On the west of the island, there is spectacular scenery where the sheer cliffs plunge down to the English Channel. Stop for lunch in the picturesque yachting haven of Yarmouth. Break for tea in the resort of Sandown on the east of the island.

Day 5 We visit the 'chocolate-box' village of Godshill, full of thatched cottages. Later travel to Osborne House (English Heritage, admission extra), favourite retreat of Queen Victoria and where she died in 1901.

Day 7 Visit Seaview Wildlife Encounter; best known for its collection of flamingos, this award-winning attraction is now home to a wonderful collection of exotic birds.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Yarmouth

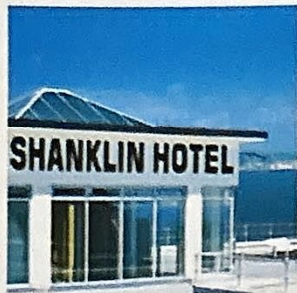
Sat 6 Sep

8 Days

Price per person	£675
Single supplement	£0
Side seaview supplement (per person)	£35
Crescent (larger) room supplement (per person)	£35
Insurance	£21.50

Isle of Wight Candlelite Week

Great value break with entertainment every night, staying in the popular resort of Shanklin



Shanklin Hotel, Shanklin
(See *Isle of Wight* on previous page)

What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Ferry fare • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Travel to Portsmouth for the Wightlink crossing to Fishbourne (35 mins). Arrive mid afternoon in Shanklin.

Day 2 Free to relax.

Day 3 Enjoy a circular tour of Wight. On the west of the island, there is spectacular scenery where the sheer cliffs plunge down to the English Channel. Stop for lunch in the picturesque yachting haven of Yarmouth. Break for tea in the resort of Sandown on the east of the island.

Day 4 Optional visit to Osborne House (English Heritage, admission extra), Queen Victoria's favourite retreat.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Arrive back in Epsom at 4pm.



Shanklin Old Village

Mon 4 Feb

5 Days

Price per person	£299
Single supplement	£0
Side seaview supplement (per person)	£20
Crescent (larger) room supplement (per person)	£20
Insurance	£18

Summer in Somerset

Staying in the elegant seaside town of Clevedon, we explore this delightful county, with a visit to the ongoing restoration of Tyntesfield stately home



Best Western Walton Park Hotel, Clevedon
Traditional hotel in its own cliffside grounds, about half a mile from the pier with wonderful views across the Bristol Channel.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Steam train ride • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

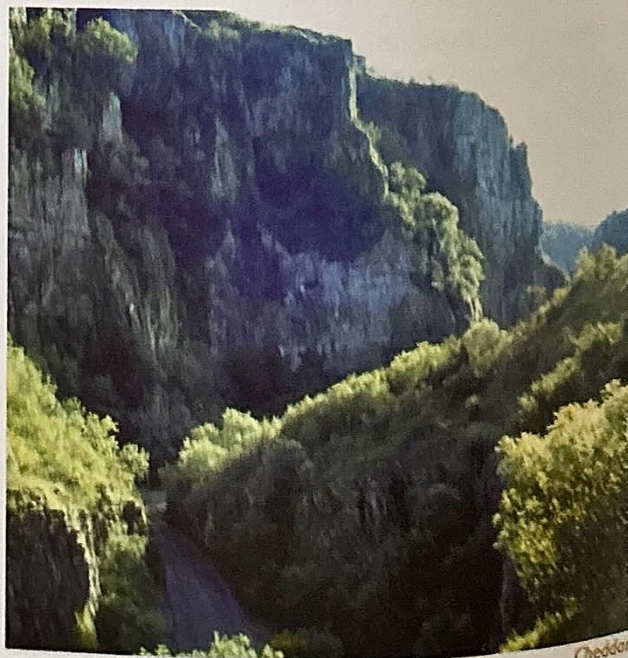
Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive late afternoon in Clevedon.

Day 2 Travel to Bishops Lydeard for a ride on the West Somerset Railway which runs beside the Quantock Hills for 23 miles. Break for lunch in Dunster, which has an imposing castle.

Day 3 Visit Tyntesfield (National Trust, admission extra), a magnificent stately home with superb gardens, recently saved for the nation and undergoing restoration.

Day 4 A leisurely tour of the Somerset lanes via the Mendips to the cathedral city of Wells, Glastonbury renowned for its festival and abbey and Cheddar famous for its cheese and its spectacular gorge.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Cheddar

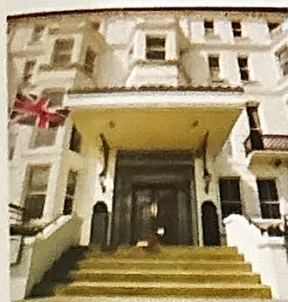
Mon 28 Jul

5 Days

Price per person	£459
Single supplement	£50
Insurance	£18

Eastbourne Break

A pleasant four day break in this popular resort. We visit the lovely Wealden town of Tenterden and the picturesque Cinque Port of Rye



Langham Hotel, Eastbourne
Traditional hotel located in Royal Parade about half a mile from the pier.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 11am. Break for lunch in beautiful Alfriston and arrive mid afternoon in Eastbourne.

Day 2 Free to explore Eastbourne. One of the foremost resorts on the south coast, Eastbourne has a wonderful seafront where the 'carpet gardens' are a blaze of colour in the summer. Enjoy excellent shopping.

Day 3 We travel to Tenterden, a lovely Wealden town with one of the most attractive high streets in the country. Later visit the beautiful Cinque Port of Rye, full of steep cobbled streets and old buildings.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 11am.



Eastbourne

Fri 13 Jun & Fri 5 Sep	4 Days
Price per person (Jun)	£339
Price per person (Sep)	£329
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£15.50

Eastbourne Holiday

A relaxing seven day holiday at this popular resort with some pleasant excursions to enjoy.

Langham Hotel, Eastbourne
(See *Eastbourne Break* above)

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Admission to Pashley Manor Gardens • Admission to Bentley
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

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Day 3 We travel to Tenterden, a lovely Wealden town with one of the most attractive high streets in the country. Later visit the beautiful Cinque Port of Rye, full of steep cobbled streets and old buildings.

Day 4 An afternoon visit to Bentley, a unique mixture of a vintage motor museum and a wildfowl reserve with over 1000 swans, geese and ducks at a Palladian-style mansion. Enjoy a wonderful collection of watercolours by Sussex artist, Philip Rickman.

Day 5 Morning visit to Pashley Manor Gardens. Considered one of the finest in England, Pashley offers a sumptuous blend of romantic landscaping, imaginative plantings and fine old trees, fountains, springs and large ponds.

Day 6 Free.

Day 7 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 11am.

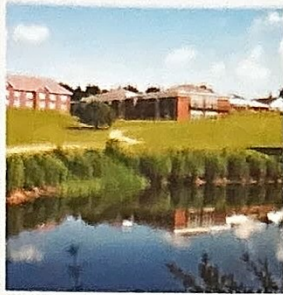


Rye

Sat 9 Aug	7 Days
Price per person	£599
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£21.50

Suffolk Coast and Countryside

A beautiful county of rolling rural countryside and a pleasant coastline, immortalised by Constable in his paintings



Best Western Stoke by Nayland Hotel, Golf and Spa, Leavenheath
Superb purpose built hotel on the edge of Dedham Vale in 300 acres of countryside, including two golf courses.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am. Break for lunch in the attractive town of Maldon. Travel via Constable Country, breaking for tea in Dedham and arriving late afternoon in Dedham Vale.

Day 2 A tour of the Suffolk countryside breaking for lunch in the cathedral city of Bury St Edmunds. Stop for tea in the picturesque town of Lavenham.

Day 3 A tour along the Suffolk coast. Travel via Snape Maltings, where the annual Aldeburgh Festival takes place. Break for lunch in the picturesque resort of Southwold.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Lavenham

Fri 21 Mar (Easter) & Mon 29 Sep 4 Days

Price per person	£345
Single supplement	£37
Insurance	£15.50

Colourful Norfolk

Staying at a very highly-rated hotel near Norwich, we visit Norfolk Lavender, take a ride on the 'Poppy Line' and cruise on the Norfolk Broads



Marriott Sprowston Manor, nr Norwich
Highly-rated manor house hotel, set in 170 acres of parkland located three and a half miles from the centre of Norwich. 18-hole golf course. Lift does not serve all rooms.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Norfolk Lavender field tour and cream tea • Broads cruise • Poppy Line ride • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am. Break for lunch in the attractive university city of Cambridge, arriving late afternoon near Norwich.

Day 2 Travel to Kings Lynn, an attractive town with many fine old buildings. In the afternoon travel to Norfolk Lavender, where we tour the fields and later enjoy a cream tea.

Day 3 Morning leisurely cruise on the Norfolk Broads from Wroxham. In the afternoon return to Norwich (coach will set down in the centre). Norwich has a magnificent cathedral, a Norman castle and excellent shopping.

Day 4 We travel along the beautiful north Norfolk coast via Wells-next-the-sea to Sheringham for a ride on the North Norfolk Railway, known as the 'Poppy Line'. We stay in this attractive old-fashioned resort for lunch. Later we travel to the resort Cromer, famous for its crab fishing.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Norfolk Lavender

Thu 26 Jun 5 Days

Price per person	£585
Single supplement	£120
Insurance	£18

Bonded Coach Holidays Group Trading Charter

H R Richmond Ltd t/a Epsom Coaches of Blenheim Road, Epsom, Surrey KT19 9AF.

Why should I read this page?

Because it is very important. Our Trading Charter forms a key part of our agreement with you and forms the basis of a legally binding contract between you as the lead name making the booking, anyone else in your party and us. When you make this booking as the lead name you undertake that you have the authority to accept, and do accept, on behalf of your party the terms of these booking conditions. This contract is made subject to the terms of these booking conditions, which are governed by English Law and the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English Courts. If your holiday involves any travel by air your contract will be with H R Richmond Ltd t/a Epsom Coaches.

How and when do I make this contract with you?

We welcome you making contact with us in a number of ways. You can write to us, phone us, use a nominated travel agent, email, visit our website. Whichever way you contact us the contract is made when your booking is entered on to our reservation system and we issue a confirmation of booking. We will send you or your agent the confirmation of your booking within 7 days. Please check this confirmation very carefully to ensure all the information is correct and tell us, or your agent, immediately of any errors.

How is my holiday money protected?

We subscribe to the Code of Conduct of the Bonded Coach Holidays Group ("BCHG") of the Confederation of Passenger Transport UK. BCHG requires a bond to be taken out to provide protection for your holiday money in the unlikely event that a Member cannot, for financial reasons, carry out their obligations to their passengers.

BCHG Consumer Guarantee

The Bonded Coach Holiday Group guarantees to bona fide customers that in the event of failure of a bona fide Member, it will:

- (1) wherever possible, arrange for a holiday or tour to be completed;
- (2) where failure occurs after a holiday has begun, arrange for customers to be returned by an appropriate means of transport to their UK area of departure;
- (3) if the holiday or tour cannot be completed as planned, the reimbursement of payments made by the customer to the BCHG Member.

The air holidays in this brochure are ATOL Protected, since we hold an Air Travel Organiser's Licence granted by the Civil Aviation Authority. Our ATOL number is 4035. In the unlikely event of insolvency, the CAA will ensure that you are not stranded abroad and will arrange to refund any money you have paid to us for an advance booking. For further information, visit the ATOL website at www.atol.org.uk

When do I need to pay for my holiday and how much?

At the time of booking you will need to pay a deposit for each person named on the booking. The balance must be paid before the dates listed below. Where you use an agent they may require you to pay them earlier than this date and will advise you separately of their balance due date. If you book within our balance due period you will need to pay the total holiday cost at the time of your booking. If you do not pay the outstanding balance for your holiday on or before the date when it is due we may cancel your booking and you will be required to pay the cancellation charges detailed below. The date of cancellation will normally be the date you confirm in writing that you intend to cancel or 15 days after the balance due date, whichever comes first.

Deposit £50 per person (£100 for air holidays) Your balance is due 6 weeks prior to departure. Where optional items are purchased as part of the tour package these are payable on the balance due date except where items, such as theatre tickets, have been specifically purchased for you. In this case the cost will be payable at a separate date notified to you and will not normally be refundable unless we obtain a refund from the supplier we use.

If I use an agent who does my money belong to?

Your agent will hold your deposit on your behalf until we issue a confirmation of your booking. The agent then holds this money on our behalf. The agent holds the balance you pay on our behalf until the date the balance is due. The agent will then forward to us.

Can you change the price of my holiday after you have issued the booking confirmation?

The price of your holiday is fully guaranteed and will not be subject to any surcharges.

Can I change my holiday arrangements?

After we have issued our booking confirmation we will do our best to accommodate any changes you may want to make but we cannot guarantee to do so. Any changes must be notified to us in writing and signed by the person who signed the booking form. If we are able to make the changes an amendment fee of £25 will be payable plus any additional charge for the facilities requested. Any significant alteration after the balance due date will be treated as a cancellation of the original booking and will be subject to the cancellation charges detailed below. A significant alteration would include a change of departure date, holiday or hotel, or number of people travelling.

Can I transfer my booking to someone else?

You can transfer your booking to someone else provided you give us reasonable notice. This person must be able to satisfy all the conditions for the holiday and a change cannot normally be made later than seven days prior to departure. We will make an administration charge of £25 per person for every transfer we make plus any reasonable additional costs caused by the transfer. You will remain responsible for ensuring that the holiday is paid for by the balance due date. Insurance is non-transferable.

How can I cancel my holiday?

You, or any member of your party, may cancel at any time provided that the cancellation is made by the person who signed the booking form and is communicated to us in writing via the office at which you made your original booking. You will have to pay cancellation charges set out in the scale below to cover our estimated loss resulting from the cancellation. If you are insured against cancellation you may be able to recover the charges from your insurers. Your cancellation will take effect from the date when either the travel agent or we receive your written confirmation of your cancellation. You must also return any tickets or vouchers that you have received. A reduction in room occupancy may increase the charges for the remaining passengers by the application of supplements for low occupancy of rooms.

Scale of Cancellation Charges

Period before departure within which written cancellation of holiday price is received	Amount of cancellation charge as a percentage
More than 42 days	Deposit
25-42 days	30% - or deposit, if greater
15-24 days	50%
8-14 days	70%
1-7 days	90%
Departure day or later including voluntary termination whilst on holiday	Total holiday cost

What happens if you change my holiday?

The arrangements for your holiday will usually have been made many months in advance. Sometimes changes are unavoidable and we reserve the right to make them. Most of these changes are likely to be minor and we will do our best to keep you informed.

If, after booking and before departure, we make a significant change to your holiday you will have the option of withdrawing from the holiday without penalty or alternatively you may transfer to another holiday without paying an administration fee. In either case we will pay you compensation according to the scale set out below. A significant change includes a change in departure time or return time of more than 12 hours, a change of departure point, location of resort or quality of hotel, (excluding single overnight hotels on touring holidays where the quality of the hotel is comparable), a change of mode when crossing the Channel or the specification of the coach. If you withdraw from the holiday because we have made a significant change or if we have to cancel your holiday for any reason other than non-payment by you we will offer you the choice of:

- a comparable replacement holiday if available; or
- a replacement holiday of lower quality together with a refund of the price difference; or
- a full refund of the money you have paid.

When we have notified you of the changes and options available, you must tell us your decision as soon as possible and within any timescale we may need to set bearing in mind the need to safeguard the holiday arrangements of other customers.

Scale of compensation

We will pay you compensation for significant changes on the following scale:

Period before departure in which significant change is notified to you or your agent	Amount per person
More than 42 days	Nil
25 to 42 days	£10
15 to 24 days	£15
8 to 14 days	£20
0 to 7 days	£25

Payment of compensation according to the scale set out above will not affect your statutory right to claim further compensation if, in all the circumstances, you remain dissatisfied.

If, prior to departure, we make a significant change to your holiday arrangements or cancel your holiday we will pay you compensation on the following scale unless-

the holiday is cancelled because the number of persons who agreed to take it is less than the minimum number required, and you were informed of the cancellation in writing within the period indicated in the description of the holiday;

or: the holiday is changed or cancelled by reason of unusual and unforeseeable circumstances beyond our control, the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all due care had been exercised. These circumstances include war or threat of war; riot, civil strife, terrorist activity, industrial disputes, fire, quarantine, epidemic or health risks, natural or nuclear disasters, port and terminal closures and adverse weather conditions.

Payment of compensation according to the scale set out above will not affect your statutory right to claim further compensation if, in all the circumstances, you remain dissatisfied. If, after departure, we need to make a change to a significant proportion of your holiday we will do our best to make suitable alternative arrangements at no extra cost to you. If it proves impossible to make suitable alternative arrangements, or if you have reasonable grounds for refusing the alternative offered, we will arrange transport back to your point of departure, or to an alternative location that we agree to. Unless the change is as a result of unusual and unforeseeable circumstances beyond our control (as described above), you will also be entitled to compensation.

What is the extent of your liability?

We accept responsibility if you or any member of your party is killed or injured as a result of an activity forming part of your holiday arrangements which you booked with us before your departure, or if any part of your holiday arrangements, booked with us in the UK, is not as described in the brochure or not of a reasonable standard; if the failure in your holiday arrangements or any death or personal injury is due to any fault on our part or that of our agents or suppliers whilst acting in the course of their employment. We do not accept responsibility if the failure, death or personal injury is not caused by any fault of ours or of our agents or suppliers or is caused by you or someone not connected with your holiday arrangements; or if the failure, death or personal injury is due to unusual or unforeseen circumstances which, even with all due care, we, or our agents or suppliers, could not have anticipated or avoided. For claims which do not involve personal injury, illness or death, the most we will have to pay if we are liable to you is twice the price the person affected paid for their holiday (not including insurance premiums and amendment charges). We will only have to pay this maximum amount if everything has gone wrong and you have received no benefit from your holiday. If you or any member of your party is killed, injured or becomes ill as a result of transport by ship, train or coach, any liability which we may have to pay compensation is limited in line with the Athens Convention (applies to transport by ship), the Berne Convention (applies to transport by rail), the Warsaw Convention (applies to travel by air) and the Geneva Convention (applies to transport by road). You can get copies of the relevant conventions from us if you ask. You should also note that these conventions may limit or remove the carrier's liability to you and the amount which the carrier has to pay you. If we make any payment to you or any member of your party for death, personal injury or illness, you will be asked to assign to us or our insurers the rights you may have to take action against the person or organisation responsible for causing the death, personal injury or illness. Our suppliers (such as accommodation or transport providers) have their own booking conditions or conditions of carriage, and these conditions are binding between you and the supplier. Some of these conditions may limit or remove the relevant transport provider's or other supplier's liability to you. You can get copies of such conditions from our offices, or the offices of the relevant supplier.

What do I need to do if I have to complain?

If you have a complaint during your holiday you should tell the tour guide or supplier at the earliest opportunity so that they can do their utmost to resolve the problem immediately. If they are unable to resolve the problem to your satisfaction you should complete a Holiday Report Form which is available from the tour guide. You will be given a copy of this report which you should keep. If, on your return from holiday, you remain dissatisfied you should write within 28 days to the Administration Manager. In your letter you will need to quote your booking reference number, holiday number, departure date and the number of the Holiday Report Form which you completed at the time. If you do not tell us at the earliest opportunity about a problem giving rise to your complaint we cannot take steps to investigate and rectify it. In deciding how to respond to your complaint we will take into account the date you first drew the problem to the attention of our tour guide or supplier.

If I do not agree with your decision can I request arbitration?

Yes you can. If we cannot resolve your complaint amicably you may request that the dispute is referred to an independent arbitration scheme established by the Confederation of Passenger Transport UK (CPT). Full details of this scheme will be provided on request or you can obtain a copy from CPT. This arbitration scheme provides a simple and inexpensive method of arbitration on documents alone with restricted liability on the customer in respect of costs. This scheme does not apply to claims for an amount greater than £1500 per person. There is also a limit of £7500 per booking. Normally there is a time limit of 9 months from the date of return from your holiday within which to request arbitration but in exceptional circumstances the scheme can be used beyond this date. This scheme does not apply to claims that arise mainly in respect of physical injury or illness or the consequences of any illness or injury.

Coach seating

There is a seating plan of the coach for each holiday, but it is possible that on occasions operational reasons will require a coach with a different configuration to be used. We therefore reserve the right to alter a coach-seating plan and allocate seats other than those you have booked. Requests for particular seats can be made on most holidays when booking, but because allocations are made on a first come, first served basis you are recommended to book early. When your booking is confirmed you will be offered the best seats that are available at that time. If you know someone who may want to book later but sit near you please discuss this with the booking clerk at the time you make your booking. **Please note that coach seating plans may change when we use coaches chartered from another operator (eg on holidays by air and train).**

Health & Safety on holiday

In some foreign countries, standards of infrastructure, safety and hygiene may be lower than those to which we are accustomed in the UK. You should therefore exercise greater care for your own protection. Further information can be obtained from your GP or from your travel agent who can provide you with the leaflet "Health Advice for Travellers" published by the Department of Health. Some people may be at risk from discomfort or deep vein thrombosis (DVT) if they remain immobile on a journey for a long period of time. If you are planning to undertake a bus or coach journey of more than 3 hours you should consult your doctor if you have ever had DVT or pulmonary embolism, a family history of clotting conditions, cancer or treatment for cancer, a stroke, heart or lung disease or if you have had major surgery in the past 3 months. We reserve the right to refuse any booking in the absence of a doctor's certificate confirming that you are fit to travel. During the journey we will provide comfort stops as frequently as possible. During these stops you are encouraged to get off the coach and walk around. Exercise reduces any discomfort which may be caused by periods of immobility. During any journey you should drink alcohol only in moderation as it leads to dehydration.

Passenger behaviour

We want all our customers to have a happy and carefree holiday. But you must remember that you are responsible for your behaviour and the effect it may have on others. If you or any member of your party is abusive or disruptive or behaves in a way which, in our reasonable opinion, could cause damage or injury to others or affect their enjoyment of their holiday, or which could damage property, we have the right, after reasonable consideration, to terminate your contract with us. If this happens we will have no further obligations or liability to you. The coach driver/tour guide, ship's captain, or authorised official of other means of transport is entitled to refuse you boarding if in their reasonable opinion you are unacceptably under the influence of drink or drugs or you are being violent or disruptive. If you are refused boarding on the outward journey we will regard it as a cancellation by you and we will apply cancellation charges according to the scale above. If the refusal is on the return journey we have the right to terminate the contract and will have no further obligations or liability to you.

No smoking policy

We operate a strict no smoking policy on all our coaches. We make frequent comfort stops. The no smoking policy of other carriers and suppliers will vary and will be supplied on request if you contact the Administration Manager.

Pets

We do not allow pets to be taken on our holidays. Registered Assistance Dogs will normally be accommodated on UK holidays, but not on overseas holidays.

Itineraries, travel documents and passport

You are responsible for ensuring that you have the correct documents and we cannot be held liable for any loss or expense suffered by you or your party because of an incorrect passport. If you are a British citizen travelling outside the United Kingdom you must have a full UK passport valid for a minimum of three months after your scheduled date of return. Non-UK citizens must seek passport and visa advice from the consulates of the countries you plan to visit prior to making a booking for one of our holidays. Photo ID (eg driving licence) is required for all journeys by air. The name on the passport must match the name on the ticket. If someone in your party changes name after the booking is made you must tell us immediately so that we can issue the ticket in the new name. When you have paid the balance we will send you or your booking agent all the necessary labels so that you receive them in good time for your holiday. Certain travel documents may have to be retained by us and your tour guide will then issue them to you at the relevant time. If you lose a travel document after it has been issued to you we will require you to meet the direct cost charged by the carrier/supplier for the issue of a duplicate or replacement. Epsom Coaches reserve the right to modify itineraries to conform to requests from the competent authorities in the United Kingdom and any other sovereign state through which the tour will operate. Included excursions are detailed on the relevant brochure page and refunds will not be made for any excursion not taken. Optional excursions may be booked and paid for in resort but these will not form part of the package booked with us. Admission fees to buildings, grounds etc. are not included in the price of the holiday unless otherwise stated on the relevant brochure page.

Picking up and setting down procedure

We will pick up each member of the party from their home address. You may be picked up by car, MPV (people carrier) or minibus from the address(es) given to us. The times given in the brochure are the times we expect to leave our headquarters and the time due back there, although they may be subject to change. We will write to you approximately 10 days prior to departure with your exact time of pick up from your home. Please note that if you wish to make your own way to our headquarters you are free to do so and we will reduce your holiday price by £10 per person; however if you choose this option we cannot be held liable for any expense incurred (please note there is no car parking available on site at our headquarters).

Due to operational reasons, the dropping off address(es) have to be the same as the picking up address(es). Please be aware that you may not be picked up (and dropped off) in the same vehicle as your travelling companion(s), if there are different addresses.

What happens if I am delayed?

Your travel insurance may cover you for some delays. In addition where you are delayed for more than six hours in any one day we will seek to minimise any discomfort and where possible, arrange for refreshments and meals.

Do I need to take out travel insurance?

We strongly advise all our customers to take out travel insurance to cover medical and repatriation costs, personal injury, loss of baggage and cancellation charges. You do not need to take out our travel insurance but you should have insurance, which is at least as good as or better than the insurance we offer. If you do not have adequate insurance and require our assistance whilst on holiday, we reserve the right to reclaim from you any medical repatriation or other expenses which we may incur on your behalf which would otherwise have been met by insurers.

What assistance will you give me if things go wrong when it is not your fault?

If you, or any member of your party, suffer death, illness or injury whilst overseas arising out of an activity which does not form part of your package travel arrangements or an excursion arranged through us in the UK, we shall at our discretion, offer advice, guidance and assistance. Where legal action is contemplated and you want our assistance, you must obtain our written consent prior to commencement of proceedings. Our consent will be given subject to you undertaking to assign any costs, benefits received under any relevant insurance policy to ourselves. We limit the cost of our assistance to you and any member of your party to £5000 per party.

Special needs

Unfortunately, many hotels overseas do not provide adequate facilities for guests with mobility problems or who suffer from other disabilities. But whether you are planning a holiday overseas or in the UK, please notify us before you book if you or any member of your party has special needs or suffers from any disability. We are keen to plan arrangements for your holiday so that special needs and requests can be accommodated as far as possible. If you will need assistance or special facilities in the hotel, or may have difficulties in taking part in excursions or boarding and travelling on the coach or other means of transport you must let us know in advance. Not all the holidays in this brochure may be suitable for you. We want you to enjoy your holiday and will try to help you select an appropriate trip. If you need advice or further information either you or your booking agent should contact the Administration Manager.

Special requests

If you have a special request, we will do our best to help but, save as set out below, we cannot guarantee that it will be fulfilled. Please inform your travel agent or us (if you are booking direct) of your request before you make your booking and ensure that you provide as much detail as possible. If fulfilment of your special request is vital to your holiday, it must be specifically agreed with us before or at the time when you make your booking. We will comply with any special request which has been specifically agreed. General confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to our supplier is not confirmation that your request will be met. All special requests are subject to availability unless and until they are specifically confirmed by us. If fulfilment of your special request incurs any additional costs, we will either invoice this prior to your departure or inform you that it will have to be paid locally. If your special request relates to a special diet, please tell us before booking or as soon as you are medically advised and send us a copy of the diet. We will contact the hotel or hotels on your holiday, but please note that some hotels may not have facilities to cope with special diets and we cannot be held liable for their failure to do so unless we have specifically confirmed to you that a special diet will be catered for. Where we think that a hotel is unlikely to be able to cope with a special diet we will tell you prior to issuing a booking confirmation so that you can exercise your right to cancel without charge.

Single Occupancy

Single occupancy of rooms when available may be subject to a supplementary charge and this will be shown on the brochure page.

Entertainment

Some of our hotels arrange additional entertainment. Where this is part of the holiday details are given on the respective brochure page. Where it is not specified it may still be available but is at the discretion of the hotel and is not guaranteed. It may be withdrawn if there is a lack of demand or for operational reasons.

Data Protection Act

In order to process your booking and to ensure that your travel arrangements run smoothly and meet your requirements we, and your travel agent, need to use the information you provide such as name, address, any special needs/dietary requirements etc.

We take full responsibility for ensuring that proper measures are in place to protect your information. We must pass the information on to the relevant suppliers of your travel arrangements such as hotels, transport companies etc. The information may also be supplied to security or credit checking companies, public authorities such as customs/immigration if required by them, or as required by law. Additionally, where your holiday is outside the European Economic Area (EEA), controls on data protection in your destination may not be as strong as the legal requirements in this country. We will not, however, pass information on to any person not responsible for part of your travel arrangements. This applies to any sensitive information that you give to us such as details of any disabilities or dietary/religious requirements. If we cannot pass this information to the relevant suppliers, whether in the EEA or not, we cannot provide your booking. In making this booking, you consent to this information being passed on to the relevant persons. Please note that where information is held by your travel agent, this is subject to your agent's own data protection policy. Your data controller is the Administration Manager. You are entitled to a copy of your information held by us. If you would like to see this, please contact us. We retain your full contact details and other information in secure files and electronic storage facilities. We may use this information to contact you by mail, telephone or electronic means. We will provide you with details of other goods and services including those of selected third parties. If you do not wish to receive the further information about products and services from either ourselves or third parties, please write to the data controller.

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How to book

Telephone **01372 731705** to take out an option and either book with us direct or through your local agent.
Direct bookings only: you may pay by Visa, Mastercard, Switch or cheque made payable to Epsom Coaches.
 You must complete this booking form and pay:



- (i) A deposit of £50 per person (£100 per person on holidays by air). Full payment is due six weeks before departure.
- (ii) The insurance premium(s) if you decide to take out our holiday insurance (see below).

Holiday insurance It is a condition of your contract with us that you take out holiday insurance. If you are not taking out our holiday insurance (see page 26), you must take out alternative cover and complete the details below.

Name of insurer

Policy number Insurance company telephone number

Holiday details

Holiday name

Departure date

Booking reference (office use only)

Mr/Mrs/Miss	Initials	Surname	Seat number	Room type	Holiday insurance
					YES / NO
					YES / NO
					YES / NO
					YES / NO

Address for all correspondence

Postcode Tel no

Other home pick-up address(es) (if applicable)

Who can we contact in case of an emergency? Tel no

Will you be bringing a walking aid? State details

Special requests (Please note that requests cannot be guaranteed - see our Trading Charter on pages 23 and 24)

Payment

Deposit or full payment (see 'How to Book' on this form) £ I wish to pay by (please tick)

Insurance premium £ Visa Switch

Total amount herewith £ MasterCard Cheque

Direct bookings only: you may pay by Visa, Mastercard, Switch/Maestro or cheque made payable to Epsom Coaches.

Card number

Issue number (Switch/Maestro only) or start date / Expiry date /



IMPORTANT

I accept on behalf of all my party the terms of the Trading Charter on page 23 and 24 of this brochure.

Signature Date

Please ensure the Booking Form is completed, signed and returned.
 To: Epsom Coaches Blenheim Road
 Epsom Surrey KT19 9AF
 Telephone 01372 731705 Fax 01372 731742

Your holiday insurance

We have arranged an inclusive Holiday Insurance scheme through travel insurance specialists P J Hayman & Company Limited, which is underwritten by ELVIA Travel Insurance International N.V. (Netherlands) and is administered in the United Kingdom by MONDIAL ASSISTANCE (UK) LIMITED.

Mondial Assistance (UK) Limited is authorised and regulated by the Financial Services Authority. Elvia is authorised by De Nederlandsche Bank (DNB) and regulated by the Financial Services Authority for the conduct of UK business.

We feel it is important that clients travelling with us are covered by adequate insurance. We will therefore assume that our specially arranged policy is required unless you indicate otherwise. The premium is stated by each holiday and should be added to your deposit.

Insurance Premium Tax is included at the current rate. We reserve the right to change the quoted premium if this tax is altered. The following is a summary of cover only and does not contain the full terms and conditions of the contract. Full terms, conditions and exclusions can be found in the insurance policy, which you should read carefully. A copy of the insurance policy is available on request.

Limits per Insured Person up to:

Section	UK Holidays	European Holidays
Cancellation & Curtailment	up to the cost of the holiday	up to the cost of the holiday
Medical & Incidental Expenses	not applicable	£5,000,000
Hospital Benefit	not applicable	£600 (£20 per 24 hours)
UK Helpline – Repatriation and Emergency Expenses	£10,000	not applicable
Personal Accident	£15,000	£15,000
Personal Possessions	£1,500	£1,500
Delayed Personal Possessions (over 12 hours)	£150	£150
Personal Money	£250	£250
Personal Liability	£2,000,000	£2,000,000
Travel Disruption	£500	£500
Travel Delay (over 12 hours)	not applicable	£60
Travel Delay – Holiday Abandonment	not applicable	up to the cost of the holiday
Legal Expenses	£10,000	£10,000

Policy Excess – you will be responsible for the first part of each claim as follows:
 £50 – cancellation & curtailment, medical, possessions, money and travel delay (abandonment only).
 £100 – personal liability (damage to holiday accommodation only).
 £15 – loss of initial deposit claims and 'short breaks' (under £100 holiday cost).

Note: HEALTH CONDITIONS – Whilst this insurance is not subject to a health warranty, all claims are excluded WHERE AT THE TIME OF TAKING OUT THIS INSURANCE:

The insured person:

- (i) is aware of any set of circumstances, which would reasonably be expected to give rise to a claim
- (ii) has suffered from a chronic or recurring illness during the previous twelve months UNLESS permission is obtained from the treating GP of fitness to travel at the time of booking.

The Person whose condition gives rise to a claim:

- (i) is receiving, or on a waiting list for treatment in a hospital or nursing home; or
- (ii) is awaiting the results of any tests or investigations; or
- (iii) is pregnant and the pregnancy was more than 28 weeks at the end of the journey; or
- (iv) is travelling against the advice of a Medical Practitioner or for the purpose of obtaining medical treatment abroad; or
- (v) has been given a terminal prognosis.

FOR CLAIMS – please contact
COACH PLUS Travel Insurance Claims Department, Mondial Assistance (UK) Limited, Mondial House,
 102 George Street, Croydon, CR9 1AJ. **Claims Dept.** Telephone 0208 666 9248.

FOR POLICY QUERIES – please contact
P J HAYMAN & Company Ltd, Stansted House, Rowlands Castle, Hants. PO9 6DX. **Broker Support.**
 Telephone 0845 230 3526.

Important Notice

Thank you for taking out the Epsom Holidays Coach Plus travel insurance with us. It is very important that you read the whole of the policy before you travel and make sure you understand exactly what is and is not covered and what to do if you need to claim.

- **Insurer** Your Epsom Holidays Coach Plus travel insurance is underwritten by ELVIA Travel Insurance International N.V. (Netherlands) and administered in the United Kingdom by Mondial Assistance (UK) Limited.
- **How Your Policy Works** Your Policy details the full cover, limits and exclusions applicable to the insurance, together with the booking confirmation, is a contract between you and us. We will pay for any claim you make which is covered by this Policy and happens during the Period of Insurance. Unless specifically mentioned the benefits and exclusions apply to each Insured Person. Your Policy does not cover all possible events and expenses.
- **Telling Us About Relevant Facts** Before you travel you must tell us about anything that may affect your cover. If you are not sure whether something is relevant, you must tell us anyway. You should keep a record of any extra information you give us. If you do not tell us about something that may be relevant, your cover may be refused and we may not cover any related claims.
- **Cancellation Rights** If your cover does not meet your requirements, please notify the issuing agent or P J Hayman & Company Limited on 0845 230 3526, within 14 days of receiving your policy and return all your documents for a refund of your premium. If during this 14 day period you have travelled, made a claim or intend to make a claim, then we can recover all costs that you have used for those services. Please note that your cancellation rights are no longer valid after this initial 14 day period and there is no provision for a refund.
- **Policy Excess** Under some sections of your policy you will have to pay an excess. This means that you will be responsible for paying the first part of the claim for each Insured Person, for each section, for each incident. The amount you have to pay is the excess.
- **Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS)** For your added protection, the Insurer is covered by the FSCS. You may be entitled to compensation from the scheme if we cannot meet our obligations. This depends on the type of business and the circumstances of the claim. Insurance cover is limited up to 100% of the first £2,000 and 90% of the remainder of the claim, without any upper limit. Further information about the compensation scheme arrangements is available from the FSCS, telephone number 020 7892 7300, or by visiting their website at www.fscs.org.uk
- **Governing law** Unless agreed otherwise, English law will apply and all communications and documentation in relation to this policy will be in English.
- **Making a Claim** Full details of how to make a claim, including what documentation is required, is to be found in your Insurance Policy.
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How to book in all cases a booking form must be completed

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A real treat for transport enthusiasts! We sample many different forms of transport, but of course, best of all you journey throughout your holiday on an Epsom Coach!



De Vere Daresbury Park Hotel, near Warrington
Impressive modern hotel with excellent facilities in an ideal location for exploring the area.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admissions and rides as described • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8am. Enjoy a ride on the standard gauge Churnet Valley Railway. Arrive early evening near Macclesfield.

Day 2 We ride on the unique restored Anderton Boat Lift – the 'Cathedral of the Canals', which provides a vertical 50 foot link between the River Weaver and Trent and Mersey Canal. Later travel to Llangollen to join a horse drawn canal boat to the spectacular Horseshoe Falls.

Day 3 We visit the Heights of Abraham Country Park, where we ride on a cable car from Matlock Bath with spectacular views of the Derwent Valley. Later visit the National Tramway Museum in Crich, where these lovingly restored vehicles glide through a period street.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Anderton Boat Lift

Sat 3 May

4 Days

Price per person

£399

Single supplement

£60

Insurance

£15.50

Trains and Boats and Planes

A new tour celebrating our fascinating transport heritage. Featuring a lunch cruise on the Grand Union Canal, 'magnificent flying machines' at Shuttleworth and the Nene Valley Railway



Best Western Banbury House Hotel
Attractive Georgian hotel within walking distance of Banbury Cross.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Canal cruise with buffet lunch • Train ride
- Admission to Shuttleworth Collection
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Travel to Stoke Bruerne for a canal trip through the impressive Blisworth Tunnel. Enjoy a buffet lunch as you glide along the Grand Union Canal. Arrive late afternoon in Banbury.

Day 2 We travel to Wansford for a ride on the Nene Valley Railway. Enjoy the impressive collection of steam engines, which haul vintage coaches through the Cambridgeshire countryside.

Day 3 Travel to Old Warden Aerodrome to see the Shuttleworth Collection on a 'flying day'. This unique flying collection showcases the first one hundred years of flight, including superb Edwardian machines.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 3pm.



Stoke Bruerne

Fri 1 Aug

4 Days

Price per person

£409

Single supplement

£30

Insurance

£15.50

Severn Valley and the Black and White Villages

Exploring this picturesque area, we travel through some of the most attractive villages and market towns in England



Menzies Stourport Manor Hotel, Stourport-on-Severn
Once the home of Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, this extended country house is set in attractive grounds about one and a half miles from the town centre.



What's Included
• 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
• Admission to Spetchley Park • Severn Valley Railway ride • Cream tea • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Break for lunch in the Cotswolds and arrive late afternoon on the outskirts of Stourport-on-Severn.
- Day 2** Visit the impressive cathedral city of Worcester. Afternoon visit to Spetchley Park and Gardens, a Victorian paradise with surprises at every corner.
- Day 3** Break for lunch in the attractive market town Leominster. Later follow the Black and White Village Trail, travelling through some of the most attractive villages in England including Weobley, Pembridge and Eardisland, where we stop for a cream tea.
- Day 4** Board the Severn Valley Railway, one of the country's finest heritage lines from Bewdley to Bridgnorth. Break for lunch in Shrewsbury, England's finest Tudor town with many historic buildings. Follow the Welsh Borders to the beautiful market town of Ludlow.
- Day 5** Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.



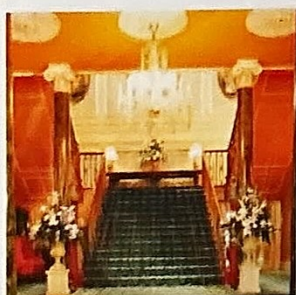
Pembridge

Thu 22 May & Thu 11 Sep **5 Days**

Price per person (May)	£482
Price per person (Sep)	£470
Single supplement	£60
Insurance	£18

Cheshire Highlights

Touring this delightful and fascinatingly diverse county, staying at a large country house hotel



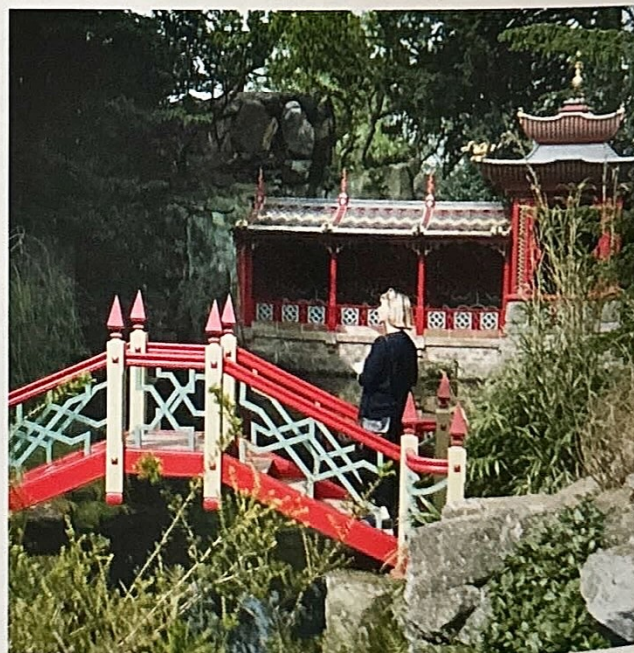
Paramount Shrigley Hall, nr Macclesfield
Large impressive hotel originally built in 1825, set in 260 acres of parkland including a championship golf course.



What's Included
• 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
• Boat trip • Admission to Jodrell Bank Visitor Centre • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 8.30am and arrive early evening near Macclesfield.
- Day 2** Travel to the attractive cathedral city of Chester. See the medieval walls and picturesque black and white timbered buildings or shop in the galleried 'Rows'.
- Day 3** In the morning we ride on the unique restored Anderton Boat Lift, which provides a vertical 50 foot link between the River Weaver and Trent and Mersey Canal. Later we travel to Jodrell Bank, home of the famous radio telescope, which also has a splendid arboretum.
- Day 4** Travel to Biddulph Grange Garden (National Trust, admission extra). This high Victorian garden is unique, with various themes from Italian terraces to an Egyptian court and even its own Wall of China!
- Day 5** Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.



Biddulph Grange

Mon 26 May **5 Days**

Price per person	£470
Single supplement	£69
Insurance	£18

Shrewsbury Flower Show and Welsh Borders

Our first visit to this very popular annual event, at a riverside park in England's finest Tudor town



Roman Way Hotel, Cannock
Modern low-rise hotel, with a 'Roman' theme in the public areas.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to Shrewsbury Flower Show
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am and arrive late afternoon near Telford.

Day 2 We visit the Shrewsbury Flower Show. This annual event attracts over 50,000 visitors each year and is the longest running flower show in the world. Held in the beautiful 29 acre Quarry Park, the centrepiece is a magnificent sunken garden. There is music and entertainment including three brass bands.

Day 3 A scenic tour of the Welsh borders, breaking for lunch in the attractive town of Ludlow, which has many fine old buildings including a ruined Norman castle.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.



Shrewsbury Flower Show

Fri 15 Aug	4 Days
Price per person	£369
Single supplement	£46
Insurance	£15.50

Chatsworth and Charming Derbyshire

We explore one of the most attractive counties of England, with a visit to Chatsworth House and a tour of the Peaks and Dales



Renaissance Hotel, South Normanton
Modern purpose-built low rise hotel with excellent facilities.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to Chatsworth • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am and arrive early evening near Derby.

Day 2 We travel to Chatsworth. Acclaimed by many as the finest stately home in England, Chatsworth is the home of the Duke of Devonshire. The house contains many treasures including one of the finest private art collections in Europe. The gardens are a joy, with a huge cascade and the tallest gravity fed fountain in the world.

Day 3 A scenic tour of beautiful Derbyshire. Travel via the Derbyshire Dales to the spa town of Buxton for lunch. Later follow Snake Pass to the pretty village of Castleton, surrounded by peaks at the head of Hope Valley.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.



Chatsworth

Fri 16 May	4 Days
Price per person	£345
Single supplement	£45
Insurance	£15.50

Anfield and Liverpool Break

Enjoy a guided tour of the home of Liverpool FC. With a new ground scheduled to open in 2010, there has never been a better time to visit this legendary stadium



De Vere Daresbury Park Hotel, near Warrington
Impressive modern hotel with excellent facilities in an ideal location for exploring the area.



What's Included

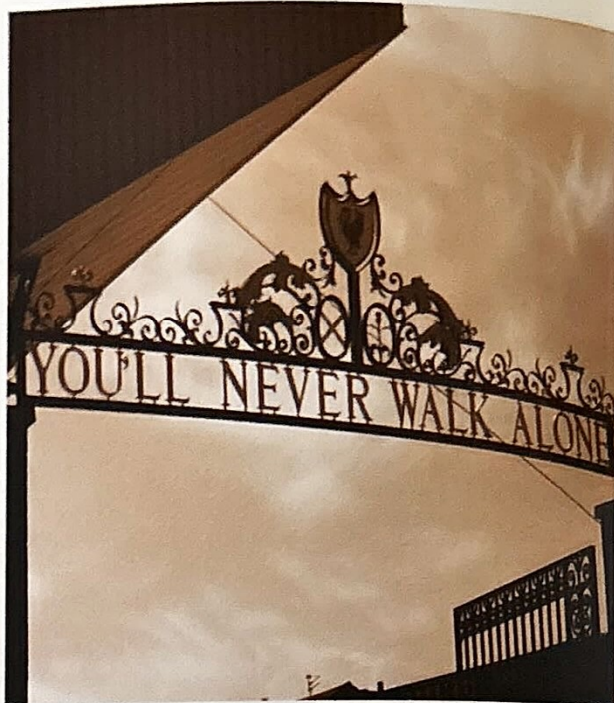
- 2 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Tour of Anfield • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am and arrive late afternoon near Warrington.

Day 2 Enjoy a guided tour of Anfield, home of Liverpool FC since the 1880's. The stadium is best known for the 'Kop', probably the most famous football terrace in the world, which was named after a hill in the Second Boer War. We also see the Shankly Gates, players tunnel, the changing rooms and team dug-out. Also, plenty of time to look round the museum of England's most successful club, having won 18 league titles, 14 league and FA Cups and 5 European Cups. Later enjoy plenty of time to explore Liverpool, home of the Beatles, which will be 'European Capital of Culture' in 2008.

Day 3 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Anfield Gates

Sat 24 May

3 Days

Price per person	£279
Single supplement	£36
Insurance	£15.50

Old Trafford Tour and Manchester

Enjoy a guided tour of the 'Theatre of Dreams', the impressive home of Manchester United, probably the most famous football club in the world

De Vere Daresbury Park Hotel, near Warrington
(See Anfield and Liverpool Break above)

What's Included

- 2 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Tour of Old Trafford • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am and arrive late afternoon near Warrington.

Day 2 Enjoy a guided tour of Old Trafford, permanent home of Manchester United since 1910. Behind Wembley Stadium, Old Trafford has the largest capacity of any ground in England and a crowd of 76,098 saw United beat Blackburn 4-1 in March 2007. On the tour we see the home dressing room, players tunnel and dugout, as well as getting a birds eye view from the North Stand. We enjoy plenty of time to look round the museum of England's most successful club since the formation of the Premiership. Under Sir Alex Ferguson the club has won 9 Premiership titles, 5 FA Cups and the European Champions League. Later enjoy plenty of time to explore Salford Quays.

Day 3 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Old Trafford

Fri 25 Jul

3 Days

Price per person	£279
Single supplement	£36
Insurance	£15.50

Southport and the Ribble Valley

Discovering this pleasant area of England, based in the traditional seaside resort of Southport



Best Western Royal Clifton, Southport
Grand traditional hotel with a Victorian façade in a prime location on the promenade.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Canal boat cruise with cream tea • Steam train ride • Admission to Leighton Hall • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am and arrive late afternoon in Southport.

Day 2 Free. Optional morning visit to Liverpool, home of the Beatles and 'European Capital of Culture' in 2008.

Day 3 We follow the attractive Ribble Valley as it winds its way through Lancashire to the small market town of Settle. In the afternoon travel to Leighton Hall, a superb stately home in a wonderful setting, with views to the Cumbrian Fells.

Day 4 In the morning we take a steam train ride on the East Lancashire Railway along the Irwell Valley from Bury to Rawtenstall. We break for lunch at the huge Oswaldtwistle Mills, where there is plenty of time to shop for a bargain. In the afternoon, we take a leisurely scenic cruise on the Leeds and Liverpool Canal, with a cream tea included.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Ribble Valley

Sun 6 Jul

5 Days

Price per person	£485
Single supplement	£50
Insurance	£18

Manchester Ship Canal Cruise

Enjoy a unique cruise along one of Britain's principal waterways, the Manchester Ship Canal. We also take a trip across the Pennines to picturesque Holmfirth

De Vere Daresbury Park Hotel, near Warrington
(See Anfield and Liverpool Break above left)

What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Manchester Ship Canal Cruise • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am and arrive late afternoon near Warrington.

Day 2 Enjoy the Manchester Ship Canal Cruise from Liverpool to Manchester. A commentary tells of how this major artery shaped the city of Manchester and the north west of England. Opened in 1894, The "Big Ditch" (as it is said to be known to locals) consists of the Rivers Irwell and Mersey made navigable to Manchester for seagoing ships leaving the Mersey Estuary at Eastham Locks. See the impressive Victorian Barton Swing Aqueduct, which carries the Bridgewater Canal over the Manchester Ship Canal.

Day 3 Optional morning visit to Holmfirth, backdrop for the BBC series 'Last of the Summer Wine'. See scenery and locations familiar from the series, including Sid's Café and Norah Batty's steps. We return to Manchester and Salford Quays for time to look round the Lowry or the Imperial War Museum North.

Day 4 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Manchester Ship Canal

Fri 15 Aug

4 Days

Price per person	£365
Single supplement	£54
Insurance	£15.50

Lake District Explorer

Staying in a superb hotel in Kendal, we explore this stunning area of lakes and mountains



Best Western The Castle Green Hotel, Kendal
A very highly-rated smart modern hotel in a peaceful location in Kendal.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Gondola cruise • Admission to Levens Hall
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

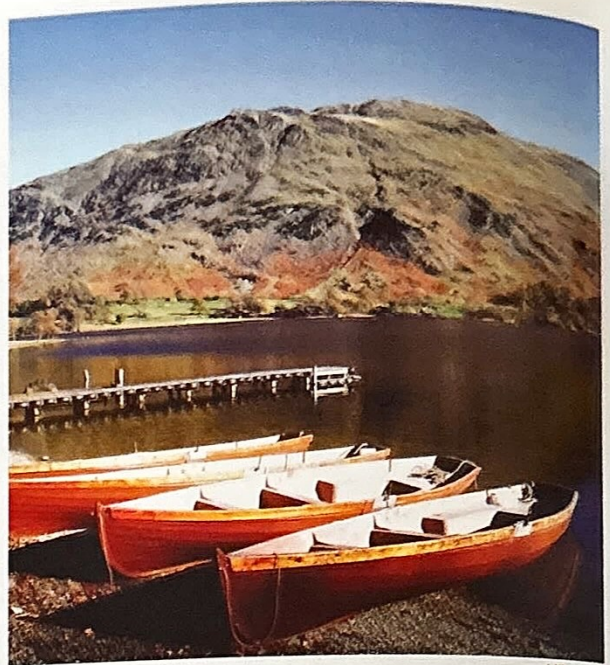
Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8am and arrive early evening in Kendal.

Day 2 Leisurely tour of the southern lakes, pausing for coffee in Bowness. Later travel to the picturesque Lakeland village of Hawkshead, for a lunch break. In the afternoon, travel to the attractive village of Coniston which is surrounded by mighty mountains. We board a wonderful Victorian steam-powered gondola for a leisurely cruise on Lake Coniston.

Day 3 Enjoy a visit to Levens Hall, a splendid mansion which dates from Elizabethan times. The gardens are a joy, with world-famous topiary.

Day 4 We break for coffee in Grasmere, famous for its connections with Wordsworth. Travel to Keswick, beautifully situated under mighty Skiddaw for a lunch break. Later travel via Ullswater to the spectacular Kirkstone Pass.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 6pm.



Ullswater

Mon 21 July

5 Days

Price per person

£527

Single supplement

£80

Insurance

£18

Isle of Man

Visiting this wonderful old-fashioned island, we stay in the capital Douglas at a traditional hotel on the promenade



Empress Hotel, Douglas
Large Victorian building on the central promenade overlooking Douglas Bay.



Also includes an overnight stay at the Preston Marriott hotel, AA 4 star

What's Included

- 5 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Ferry fare • Admission to Cregneash Village Folk Museum • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am and arrive early evening in Preston.

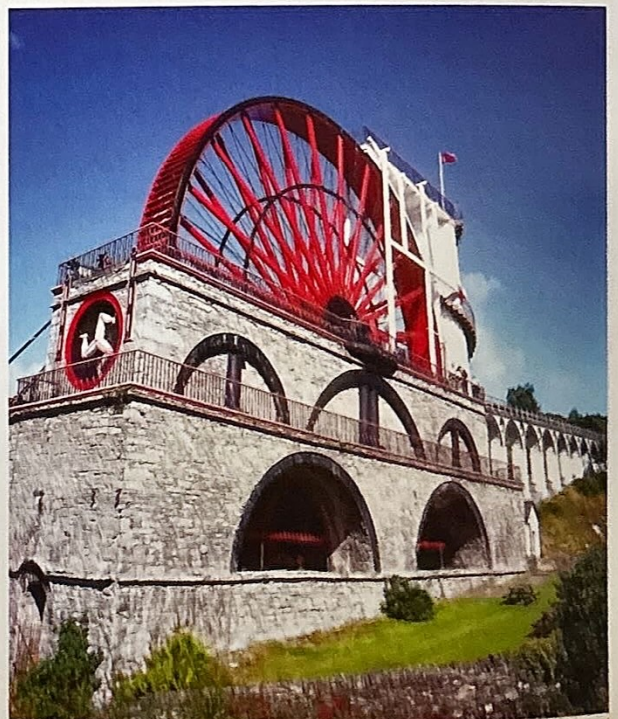
Day 2 Early afternoon ferry crossing from Heysham to Douglas (3 1/2 hours).

Day 3 Free to explore Douglas. The island's capital has a splendid promenade, with horse-drawn trams making stately progress along the front.

Day 4 Visit Laxey, which is famous for its wheel. There is time for a ride on the Snaefell Mountain Railway, to the highest point on the island with spectacular views. Continue to 'Royal' Ramsey, which has a pleasant promenade.

Day 5 Tour of the south of the island including Castletown, the old capital, with narrow lanes and attractive cottages. We visit Cregneash Village, a wonderful living museum, where Manx traditions have been preserved.

Day 6 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.



Laxey Wheel

Sun 17 Aug

6 Days

Price per person

£649

Single supplement

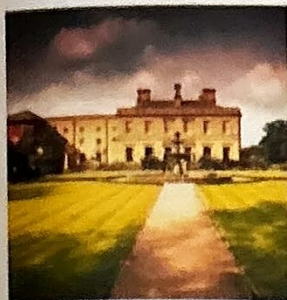
£66

Insurance

£20.50

Yorkshire Luxury Holiday

Staying at an AA 5-star hotel and touring this magnificent diverse area, including the Moors and the Dales National Parks



De Vere Oulton Hall, nr Leeds

In a country setting, this elegant 19th century deluxe hotel has excellent facilities, including an 18 hole golf course.

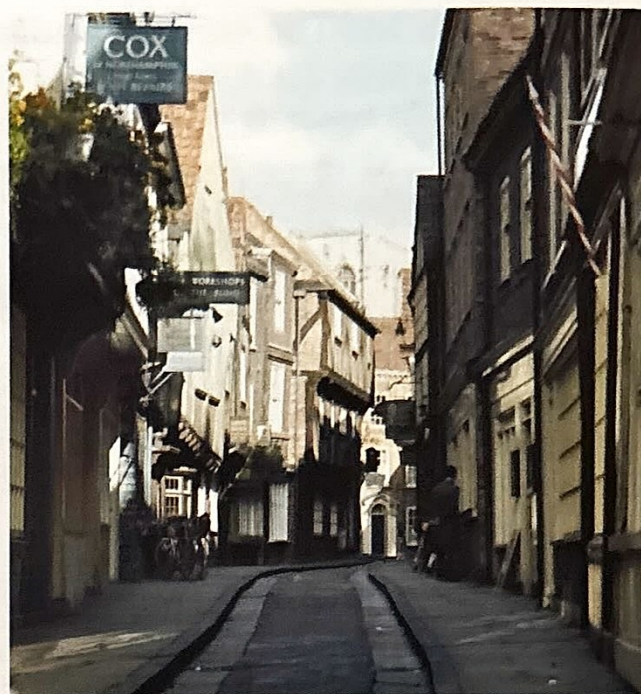


What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Train ride • Admission to Harewood House • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8am and arrive late afternoon at the hotel.
- Day 2 A full day excursion to magnificent York which has many attractions including the Jorvik Centre, National Railway Museum and of course, the impressive Minster.
- Day 3 Visit Haworth, the home of the Bronte Sisters. We take a ride on the Keighley and Worth Valley Railway, backdrop for the film 'The Railway Children'.
- Day 4 Tour the glorious Yorkshire Dales, where we enjoy a visit to the pretty market town of Hawes, set in splendid Wensleydale.
- Day 5 Free. A chartered coach will take us on an optional excursion to Leeds centre.
- Day 6 We travel to the fishing port of Whitby, which is dominated by a ruined abbey and there is a Dracula Museum, as much of Bram Stoker's book is set there.
- Day 7 We visit magnificent Harewood House, one of the most impressive treasure houses in England, set in spectacular landscaped gardens.
- Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.



York

Sat 23 Aug	8 Days
Price per person	£842
Single supplement	£137
Insurance	£21.50

Yorkshire Holiday and Scarborough

Staying at a popular hotel in the pleasant resort of Scarborough, discovering the best of eastern Yorkshire



Esplanade Hotel, Scarborough

Large traditional hotel in an elevated position, with fine views over South Bay and the harbour.



What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Train ride • Admission to Eden Camp • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8am and arrive early evening in Scarborough.
- Day 2 Free. This pleasant resort has two bays, separated by Castle Headland. Alan Ayckbourn has close links with the Stephen Joseph Theatre and premieres much of his work there.
- Day 3 A full day excursion to magnificent York, which has many attractions including the Jorvik Centre, National Railway Museum and of course, the impressive Minster.
- Day 4 We visit fascinating Eden Camp near Malton, an award-winning museum that pays tribute to the British people in the Second World War.
- Day 5 Free.
- Day 6 Enjoy a ride on the North Yorkshire Moors Railway from Pickering to Goathland ('Aidensfield' in 'Heartbeat'). Break for lunch in the port of Whitby.
- Day 7 Optional visit to the seaside resort of Bridlington.
- Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.

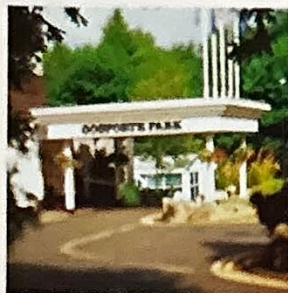


Whitby

Sat 14 Jun	8 Days
Price per person	£699
Single supplement	£0
Insurance	£21.50

Northumbria and The Alnwick Garden

Visiting this diverse region with visits to The Alnwick Garden, Hartlepool's Maritime Experience and Kielder Water



Marriott Gosforth Park Hotel, Newcastle
Excellent hotel in a quiet location, close to Newcastle Racecourse, about five miles from the centre of the city.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to The Alnwick Garden • Kielder Water boat trip • Admission to Hartlepool's Maritime Experience • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 8am and arrive early evening at the hotel.
- Day 2** We visit the fascinating Hartlepool's Maritime Experience, a life size reconstruction of an 18th century seaport at the time of Captain Cook.
- Day 3** Visit the attractive market town of Hexham for a lunch break. Later travel to beautiful Kielder Water and enjoy a cruise.
- Day 4** Visit The Alnwick Garden, acclaimed as 'the most magnificent new public garden in England for 100 years'. See the Grand Cascade, Ornamental Garden and the Rose Garden.
- Day 5** Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 7pm.



The Alnwick Garden

Thu 20 Mar & Thu 21 Aug	5 Days
Price per person	£465
Single supplement	£90
Insurance	£18

Great North Eastern Journeys

A new tour exploring the rich heritage of transport in the north east, where the age of steam railways was born



The Manor House Hotel and Country Club, West Auckland
Attractive manor house dating back to the 14th century and full of character.



What's Included

- 3 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Admission to Beamish • Boat trip • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 8am and early evening at the hotel.
- Day 2** Travel via the unique brick 'train sculpture' on the outskirts of Darlington to Middlesborough, where we view the remarkable Transporter Bridge, which opened in 1911. This structure carries a gondola across the River Tees in 90 seconds. Travel to Durham, where we take a boat trip on the River Wear to gain wonderful views of the castle and cathedral. Short afternoon visit to the award-winning Shildon National Rail Museum, which houses a unique restored collection of rolling stock.
- Day 3** Visit Beamish. The North of England Open Air Museum shows life as it was in the early 1800s and 1900s. There is a replica of the 1825 'Locomotion' and a station which dates from 1867. There is a fleet of trams to ride on and a bus owned by Gateshead Tramways in 1913.
- Day 4** Homeward journey, breaking for lunch in York, where you can visit the National Railway Museum, which houses Mallard and Flying Scotsman. Return to Epsom at approximately 7pm.



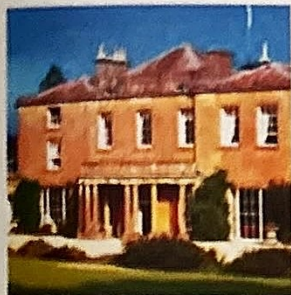
Beamish

Sun 29 Aug	4 Days
Price per person	£375
Single supplement	£30
Insurance	£15.50

Warner Breaks Adult Hotels New for 2008, we are pleased to feature two Warner Breaks hotels. These wonderful historic buildings have excellent accommodation and facilities. There is a full range of activities on offer, indoor and out, from bowling to archery. As well as swimming pools, all properties feature a range of health and beauty treatments. You can spend all day at the hotel or join us for included excursions. There is excellent dining and superb entertainment every night. Please note that due to the nature of these breaks the driver will act as Tour Guide.

Cricket St Thomas

A wonderful manor house in Somerset with excellent accommodation and facilities. Enjoy included excursions discovering the delights of Somerset and south Devon



Warners Cricket St Thomas, nr Chard
Impressive 18th century manor house, where the TV series 'To the Manor Born' was set. A wide range of activities and beauty treatments to try (extra charges apply).



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 10am. Break for lunch in the cathedral city of Salisbury and arrive late afternoon in Cricket St Thomas.

Day 2 Free to relax and enjoy the amenities. As well as swimming, there is a health and beauty salon. There is a range of indoor and outdoor sporting activities, from tennis and bowls to archery to try!

Day 3 Day excursion to the old-fashioned resort of Sidmouth, beautifully set between sandstone cliffs on the south Devon coast.

Day 4 Touring the lanes of Somerset, passing through enchanting Glastonbury, the cathedral city of Wells and scenic Cheddar.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 4pm.



Sidmouth

Mon 19 May

5 Days

Price per person

£517

Single supplement

£78

Insurance

£18

Thoresby Hall

Staying in a magnificent Grade I listed mansion with excellent accommodation and facilities. Enjoy included excursions to Lincoln and the Derbyshire Peaks.



Thoresby Hall, nr Ollerton
Magnificent Grade I listed building, now restored to its former glory with wonderful gardens. A wide range of activities and beauty treatments to try (extra charges apply). Purpose built cabaret venue.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am. Break for lunch in Stamford and arrive late afternoon at Thoresby Hall in Nottinghamshire.

Day 2 Free to relax and enjoy the amenities. As well as swimming, there is a health and beauty salon. There is a range of indoor and outdoor sporting activities, from tennis and bowls to archery to try!

Day 3 Day excursion to the cathedral city of Lincoln, where the castle has an original copy of Magna Carta.

Day 4 We travel to the wonderful scenery of the Derbyshire Peaks.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 5pm.



Derbyshire

Mon 15 Sep

5 Days

Price per person

£515

Single supplement

£80

Insurance

£18

Europe

Explore the wonderfully diverse scenery and culture of our European neighbours. For 2008 we have worked very hard to put together some excellent itineraries, enjoying the best of Europe. See the spectacular scenery of the Alps, mighty rivers and beautiful medieval towns in Germany and Tuscany. Meander through the Dutch bulbfields or enjoy inspirational gardens. What better way to discover the continent than on an Epsom Coach, with a friendly and knowledgeable tour guide. Some tours are by air, using scheduled flights and local coach operators.



Dublin, Killarney and the Ring of Kerry

A superb holiday visiting the stunning scenery of the west coast of Ireland, based in an excellent hotel, with two nights in lively Dublin



Killarney Avenue Hotel, Killarney
Excellent traditional hotel in a central location.



Also includes two nights at the Mount Herbert Hotel, Dublin ITB 3 star

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Air fare • Admission to Bantry House • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 6.30am. Epsom Coach to Heathrow for the Air Lingus flight in standard class to Dublin (1hr). Transfer to hotel.

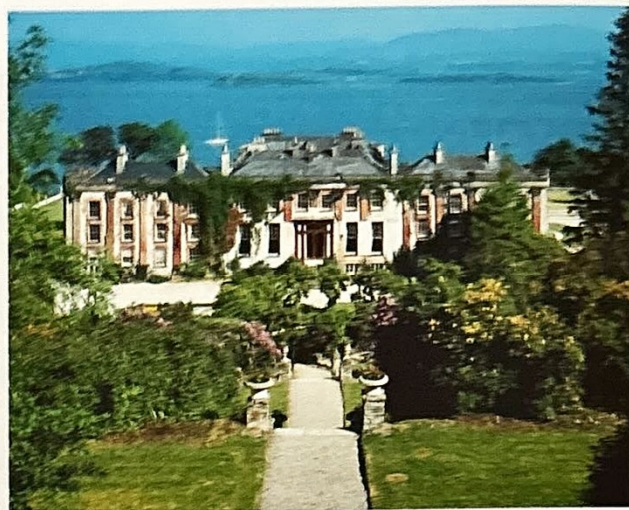
Day 2 Morning guided coach tour of lively city of Dublin, viewing St Patricks Cathedral, St Stephens Green, Ha'penny Bridge and Trinity College. Afternoon at leisure to explore.

Day 3 Travel through the heart of the 'Emerald Isle', arriving late afternoon in Killarney.

Day 4 Visit the Dingle Peninsula, a wild and picturesque area dotted with prehistoric remains.

Day 5 Free to relax. Killarney, beautifully situated surrounded by mountains and lakes, has been welcoming visitors for 250 years, including Queen Victoria in 1861.

Day 6 Full day tour of the spectacular 'Ring of Kerry', where towering mountains meet the wild Atlantic Ocean.



Bantry House

Day 7 Excursion to Bantry House, in a wonderful position overlooking the bay with superb Italianate gardens.

Day 8 Travel to Shannon Airport for the return flight (1 hr 20 min). Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm. Please note timings on holidays by air are subject to change.

Tue 4 Sep

8 Days

Price per person

£865

Single supplement

£135

Insurance

£25

Jersey Explorer

Staying in a seafront hotel on this jewel of the English Channel with plenty of free time to relax and an excellent programme of excursions



Golden Sands Hotel, St Brelades Bay
Highly rated hotel in a beautiful setting overlooking the wonderful sandy expanse of St Brelades Bay.



What's Included

- 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout
- Airfare • Admission to Samares Manor
- Admission to Jersey Zoo • Admission to German Underground Hospital • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8am. Epsom Coach to Gatwick where we board the British European Airways flight in standard class to Jersey (55 min). Transfer to Hotel.

Day 2, 4 & 6 At Leisure.

Day 3 Morning visit to St Helier, the Island's bustling capital. After lunch, travel to Samares Manor, which houses the fascinating Rural Life and Carriage Museum.

Day 5 Travel to picturesque Gorey, which is dominated by Mont Orgueil Castle. Later we travel to Jersey Zoo, founded by the late Gerald Durrell which is home to several endangered species.



St Brelades Bay

Day 7 Morning excursion to the German Underground Hospital, which tells the story of the occupation.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 3pm. Please note timings on holidays by air are subject to change.

Sat 17 May & Sat 20 Sep

8 Days

Price per person (May)

£759

Price per person (Sep)

£815

Single supplement

£0

Seaview supplement (per person)

£49

Insurance

£25

Monet's Garden

We visit the tranquil and beautiful gardens that inspired the painter Claude Monet to produce some of his great masterpieces



Hotel La Corniche, Rolleboise
19th century manor house hotel set in a delightful position high above the River Seine, with stunning views from the terrace.



What's Included

- 2 nights dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Admission to Monet's Garden • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Rolleboise.

Day 2 Morning visit to Monet's Garden. Monet first noticed the small village of Giverny out of a train window and was determined to live there. In 1890 he bought a house and created the gardens he wished to paint. Monet lived in Giverny until his death in 1926 and painted many masterpieces such as Water Lily Pond in 1899, which depicts a Japanese bridge, with a backdrop of Weeping Willows. The gardens opened to the public in 1980 and are full of colour, with wonderful vistas to enjoy.

Day 3 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.



Monet's Garden

Fri 16 May

3 Days

Price per person

£285

Single supplement

£15

Insurance

£20

Great Gardens of Paris and Normandy

Staying at an excellent hotel overlooking the Seine, we enjoy a wonderful tour of splendid French chateaux and gardens, full of magnificent vistas

Hotel La Corniche Rolleboise
(See Monet's Garden above)

What's Included

- 4 nights dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Admission to Thoiry • Admission to Monet's Garden • Admission to Breteuil • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Rolleboise.

Day 2 We visit the Chateau and Gardens of Thoiry. This masterpiece of Renaissance architecture has splendid interiors with fine furniture. Best of all are the grounds, which are a mixture of formal parterres and wooded glades, with rhododendrons and azaleas.

Day 3 Morning visit to Monet's Garden. In 1890 Monet moved into the unusual pink and green house and created the gardens he wished to paint. Monet lived in Giverny until his death in 1926 and produced many masterpieces in this tranquil and beautiful place.

Day 4 We visit the Chateau and Gardens of Breteuil. This attractive Chateau has a series of magnificently furnished rooms. Of particular note is a piece called the 'Table of Europe' in the Treasure Room. The gardens are superb including a unique mosaic of box hedges.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.



Breteuil

Mon 19 May

5 Days

Price per person

£499

Single supplement

£30

Insurance

£23

Medieval Citadels and Cathedrals of Wallonia

Staying at an excellent hotel, we tour this attractive area, full of wonderful historical medieval towns



Hotel Quartier Latin, Marche-en-Famenne
Superb hotel with modern facilities, based around a former 18th century church in the town centre.



What's Included

- 4 nights dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Admission to Annevoie Gardens • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Marche-en-Famenne.

Day 2 We travel to Dinant, in a magnificent setting on the River Meuse. The town is dominated by a fortified Citadel, which has stunning views over the Gothic Notre Dame. In the afternoon we visit Annevoie, a magical mixture of formal gardens, sculptures and fountains.

Day 3 We visit the attractive city of Liege, which has a rich history and a wealth of churches, museums and old buildings. We return via Namur, beautifully situated on the banks of the River Meuse, a tranquil place with little squares and narrow streets.

Day 4 We travel to Mons, capital of the Hainault province with many fine buildings. Mons has a unique place in history, being the site of the first battle fought by the British in the First World War and was liberated in the final days of the war.



Dinant

Day 5 Homeward journey, breaking for lunch at the battlefield of Waterloo. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.

Mon 7 Jul

5 Days

Price per person	£499
Single supplement	£86
Insurance	£23

Battlefields of the Western Front

Discovering the 'Great War' battlefields of The Somme and Ypres 'Salient', based in a hotel in Menin



Best Western Hotel Ambassador, Menin
Small comfortable hotel, located a short walk from the market place.



What's Included

- 3 nights (set) dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Admissions • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive late afternoon in Menin.

Day 2 We travel to Ypres, a thriving historic town that was devastated during some of the bloodiest battles of 1917 and 18. Visit 'In Flanders Fields', named after the poem by John McCrae, this superb museum tells the story of the First World War. We explore the surrounding countryside, viewing the preserved trenches at Sanctuary Wood, Hill 62 and Tyne Cot Cemetery. In the evening, we observe the Last Post Ceremony at the Menin Gate. Please note that there will be a late dinner, as a consequence.

Day 3 A full day to The Somme. We view Thiepval Memorial, dedicated to missing or unknown soldiers who have no known grave; with 72,000 names of those lost between 1916 and 1918. We see the Beaumont Hamel Newfoundland Memorial Park and 'danger tree', returning via the Canadian Memorial at Vimy Ridge.

Day 4 Homeward journey, breaking for lunch in Kortrijk. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.



Menin Gate

Tue 7 Oct

4 Days

Price per person	£379
Single supplement	£56
Insurance	£20

Dutch Bulbfields Cruise

A welcome repeat of this very successful tour, cruising aboard a 4 star vessel around the waterways of Holland, enjoying fine food and good company



MPS Esmeralda

A 4 star modern ship. Both main and upper decks have two berth cabins with colour TV, mini safe and en suite bathroom with shower. Lift between decks and chair lift. Restaurant on main deck. The ship is air-conditioned.

What's Included

- 4 nights dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast
- 3 lunches • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Cruise as stated • Admission to Keukenhof Gardens
- Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Amsterdam. Board MPS Esmeralda.

Day 2 Excursion to Zaanse Schans, where we view the collection of preserved windmills. Later cruise to Alkmaar, where a world-famous cheese market is held every Friday morning.

Day 3 Cruise to Hoom, once a prosperous port and now a sleepy fishing village. Later cruise across IJsselmeer to Volendam, a delightful fishing village, where traditional costume is still worn by some residents.

Day 4 Depart Volendam for Amsterdam. Later visit Keukenhof Gardens, the 'Greatest Flower Show on Earth', where millions of tulips, narcissi, hyacinths and daffodils form a blaze of colour.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 9pm.



Bulbfields

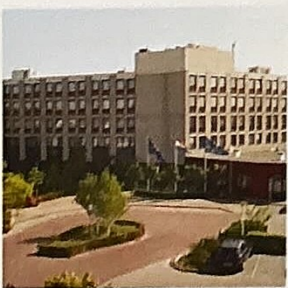
Thu 17 Apr

5 Days

Price per person	£545
Single supplement	£75
Upper deck supplement (per person)	£116
Insurance	£23

Dutch Bulbfields and Keukenhof

Tour Holland when the spring flowers are in full bloom, visiting Keukenhof Gardens, the 'Greatest Flower Show on Earth'



Highland Carlton Hotel, Naaldwijk

Modern hotel located near The Hague, ideally situated for visiting the bulbfields.



What's Included

- 3 nights (set) dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Admission to Keukenhof Gardens • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Naaldwijk.

Day 2 Visit Amsterdam, with plenty of time for a canal trip. Later travel to Volendam, a delightful fishing village, where traditional costume is still worn by some residents.

Day 3 Visit the Keukenhof Gardens, the 'Greatest Flower Show on Earth', where millions of tulips, narcissi, hyacinths and daffodils form a blaze of colour. Founded in 1949, Keukenhof is the largest flower garden in the world, with seven distinct themes, from a narrow city garden to an enclosed Mediterranean garden. There are water features, pavilions and plenty of seating to admire the views!

Day 4 Homeward journey. Arrive back in Epsom at 8pm.



Dutch Windmill

Mon 21 Apr & Mon 28 Apr

4 Days

Price per person	£375
Single supplement	£51
Insurance	£20

Rhine Valley and Boppard

One of our most popular European holidays, staying in a traditional hotel overlooking the Rhine and exploring this attractive area



Bellevue Rheinhotel, Boppard

Superb traditional hotel beautifully situated overlooking the Rhine.



What's Included

- 5 nights dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Rhine cruise
- Door to door service – see page 5

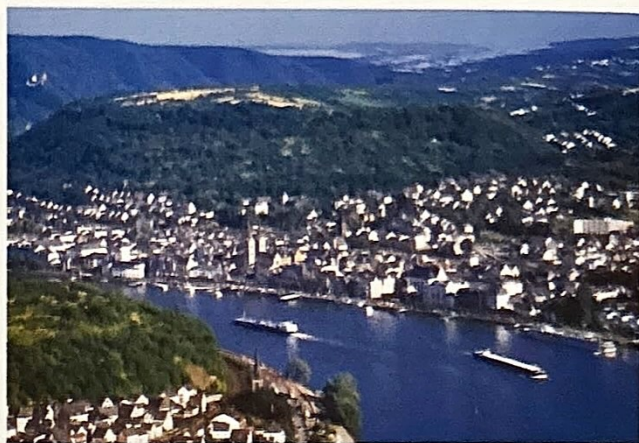
Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Boppard.

Day 2 Free to explore Boppard, which is beautifully set on the banks of the Rhine, with many old buildings and a pleasant riverside promenade to stroll along.

Day 3 Board a cruise boat through the Rhine Valley to Rudesheim, past myriad vineyards which cling to the steep sides and the towering Loreley Rock, where legend has it that a siren lured sailors to their doom.

Day 4 Full day excursion along the picturesque Moselle River, which winds its way through vineyards and castles. We break for lunch in the attractive town of Cochem.



Rhine Valley

Day 5 Visit Koblenz, an attractive city at the confluence of the Rhine and Moselle.

Day 6 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 9pm.

Wed 18 Jun

6 Days

Price per person

£609

Single supplement

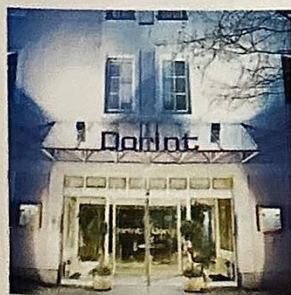
£83

Insurance

£23

Wurzburg, Rothenburg and the Romantic Road

A wonderful holiday exploring Germany's 'Romantic Road', with medieval walled towns and fairytale castles, based in the picturesque old town of Wurzburg



Dorint Novotel, Wurzburg

Excellent business-class hotel which was refurbished in 2006 and is located 600m from the Residenz.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotel:- Novotel Brussels Wavre, 3 star (both ways)

What's Included

- 6 nights dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 9am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening near Brussels.

Day 2 Break for lunch in the attractive town of Boppard, beautifully situated on the Rhine and arrive early evening in Wurzburg.

Day 3 A day at leisure in Wurzburg. This picturesque old town has a wealth of attractive buildings, including the Residenz, a huge palace with spectacular interiors, which was commissioned by two Prince Bishops. The impressive Marienburg Fortress overlooks the town.

Day 4 A full day along the Romantic Road. First to Dinkelsbühl and then north to picturesque Rothenburg ob der Tauber. This remarkable medieval walled town has beautiful fairytale houses in narrow cobbled streets and was used as the village backdrop in the film 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang'.



Rothenburg

Day 5 Day excursion to Bamberg, a relatively undiscovered 'gem'. The Old Town is a UNESCO World Heritage site, having retained its medieval layout. The Town Hall lies in the middle of the River Regnitz, only accessible by two bridges. The cathedral dates from the 13th century.

Day 6 Break for lunch in the historic town of Trier and arrive early evening near Brussels.

Day 7 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.

Sat 23 Aug

7 Days

Price per person

£625

Single supplement

£90

Insurance

£27

Trier and the Romantic Moselle Valley

Staying in the pleasant city of Trier, we meander along the picturesque Moselle Valley and visit the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

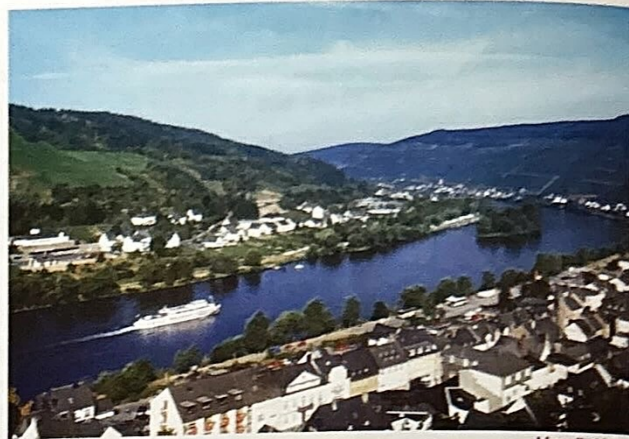


Mercure Hotel Trier Porta Negra, Trier
Modern well-appointed hotel located next to the ancient Porta Nigra.



What's Included

- 4 nights buffet dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Door to door service – see page 5



Moselle Valley

Day 4 Full day excursion along the picturesque Moselle River, which winds its way through vineyards and castles. We break for lunch in the attractive riverside town of Berncastel.

Day 5 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 9pm.

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Trier.

Day 2 Free to explore Trier. The oldest city in Germany is rich in Roman remains, including an amphitheatre and Roman baths. The pedestrianised town centre is wonderful to explore with cafes, restaurants and shops to enjoy. Our hotel is located next to the Porta Nigra, the best preserved Roman gate north of the Alps.

Day 3 We visit the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg. The city of Luxembourg is very attractive, full of wonderful old buildings, parks and gardens. Highlights include the Old Quarters and Fortifications, the Grand Ducal Palace and magnificent Cathedral of Notre Dame.

Sun 3 Aug

5 Days

Price per person	£425
Single supplement	£45
Insurance	£23

The Best of Bohemia and Prague

Exploring the beautifully preserved spa towns of the Czech Republic with a visit to the attractive city of Prague



Hotel Olympia, Marianske Lazne
Comfortable spa hotel which opened in 2005, located just 200m from the Singing Fountain.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotel- Panorama Hotel, Saarlouis 3 star (both ways)

What's Included

- 7 nights buffet dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Admission to Loket Castle • Door to door service – see page 5



Prague

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Saarlouis.

Day 2 Arrive early evening in Marianske Lazne.

Day 3 Free. Marianske Lazne is a charming spa town, once a favoured resort of the monarchs of Europe, surrounded by green mountains and is full of parks and gardens. The Singing Fountain in the heart of town plays classical music every other hour.

Day 4 Full day excursion to Prague. One of the most beautiful cities in Europe, with many fine buildings, especially in Old Town Square, where the Gothic Tyn Cathedral and Baroque St Nicholas Church stand alongside the Old Town Hall which has an Astronomical Clock. Take time to wander across Charles Bridge to get another perspective of the city.

Day 5 We visit Karlovy Vary, one of the largest spa towns in the Czech Republic, with many fine buildings.

Day 6 Morning visit to Loket Castle. This 12 century castle is stunningly situated, being surrounded on three sides by the River Eger. The castle was recently used in the Bond film 'Casino Royale'.

Day 7 Arrive early evening in Saarlouis.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.

Sun 6 Jul

8 Days

Price per person	£679
Single supplement	£110
Insurance	£27

Swiss Five Star Holiday

Staying at one of the finest hotels in the resort of Interlaken, we explore the beautiful Bernese Oberland



Grand Hotel Beau Rivage, Interlaken

One of Interlaken's finest and most traditional hotels, located a short walk from the town centre.



Also includes overnight stays at the following hotel:- Quality Hotel, Reims 3 star (both ways)

What's Included

- 6 nights dinner, bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening in Reims.

Day 2 Arrive early evening in Interlaken.

Day 3 A day at leisure in Interlaken, with time to enjoy the wonderful hotel. Interlaken is beautifully situated, surrounded by mountains, including the Jungfrau.

Day 4 A full day exploring the majestic scenery of the Swiss Alps. Travel via the Brunig Pass to the beautiful city of Lucerne, which has stylish shops and a long promenade. Return via Meiringen where Sherlock Holmes is reputed to have met his death!

Day 5 Excursion to Thun, travelling via Spiez. Thun is an attractive town with a fine hilltop castle and riverside cafes. In the afternoon, enjoy a scenic drive along the dramatic northern shore of Lake Thun.



Lake Thun

Day 6 Cross the Vosges Mountains and arrive early evening in Reims.

Day 7 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.

Wed 7 May

7 Days

Price per person	£775
Single supplement	£124
Insurance	£27

Austrian Tyrol

A popular holiday visiting this spectacular area with majestic mountain peaks and steep-sided valleys, full of colourful flowers



Hotel Mesnerwirt, Westendorf

Traditional Tyrolean hotel in the centre of Westendorf.



Also includes stays at the following hotel:- Best Western Queens Hotel, Karlsruhe 3 star (both ways)

What's Included

- 7 nights dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Eurotunnel fare • Boat trip • Admission to Swarovski Crystal World • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Travel by Eurotunnel (35 minutes) and arrive early evening near Karlsruhe.

Day 2 Arrive early evening in Westendorf.

Day 3 Free. Westendorf is considered to be one of the most attractive villages in the Tyrol, lying in the heart of the Kitzbuhler Alps.

Day 4 We travel along one of most dramatic mountain passes in Europe, the Grossglockner Road, with stunning alpine views of a huge glacier at the top.

Day 5 We travel to Innsbruck, capital of the Tyrol and winter sports centre, having held the Winter Olympics twice. The town is surrounded by huge mountains and is full of picturesque old buildings. We also visit Swarovski Crystal World.



Austrian Tyrol

Day 6 We travel to Pertisau for a cruise on beautiful Lake Achensee, at an altitude of 930m, surrounded by majestic mountains.

Day 7 Arrive early evening in Karlsruhe.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 8pm.

Sat 5 Jul

8 Days

Price per person	£625
Single supplement	£70
Insurance	£27

Madeira and the Great Flower Parade

A pleasant holiday on this beautiful island which has a mild climate and colourful flora. Highlight of the week is the Great Flower Parade in Funchal



Baia Azul Hotel

Modern hotel, beautifully located on a cliffside, two miles from the centre of Funchal. Courtesy bus service into the town centre.



What's Included

- Dinner (buffet), bed and buffet breakfast (7 nights) • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Two lunches • Air fare
- Madeira wine tasting • Special farewell dinner
- Door to door service – see page 5



Flower Parade

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Epsom Coach to Gatwick for the scheduled flight with British Airways in standard class to Funchal (3 hours 30 minutes). Transfer to hotel.
- Day 2** Morning tour of Funchal, the islands capital, including a Madeira wine tasting.
- Day 3** Free.
- Day 4** Highlight of the week undoubtedly, the Great Flower Parade, where dozens of colourful floats parade through the streets, filling the air with sweet fragrances.
- Day 5** Eastern island tour including lunch. A very scenic trip viewing the second highest peak on the island and the amazing Eagle Cliff.
- Day 6** Western island tour including lunch. We travel through pretty fishing villages, including Porto Moniz and viewing the second highest sea cliff in the world.

Day 7 Free. Farewell dinner at a local restaurant.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately midnight. Please note timings on holidays by air are subject to change.

Thu 3 Apr

8 Days

Price per person

£819

Single supplement

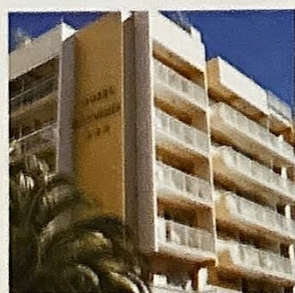
£142

Insurance

£27

Menton and the French Riviera

Staying in the heart of the beautiful resort of Menton, we explore the fashionable resorts of the French Riviera



Hotel Mediterranee

Comfortable modern hotel in a central location, with superb views across the town and harbour from the bar on the top floor.



What's Included

- Dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast (7 nights)
- All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Air fare • Door to door service – see page 5



Menton

Your Holiday Itinerary

- Day 1** Leave Epsom at 7.30am. Epsom Coach to Heathrow for the scheduled flight with British Airways in standard class to Nice (2 hours). Transfer to hotel.
- Day 2, 5 & 7** At leisure in Menton. Considered the most attractive resort on the French Riviera, the Provençal buildings of the old town contrast beautifully with the attractive marina.
- Day 3** We travel to nearby millionaire's haven of Monte Carlo, which has the most expensive real estate in Europe. The principality is most famous for its casino, setting for the first James Bond book.
- Day 4** We take a spectacular ride to the Gorges du Verdon, the second largest canyon in the world. We make a stop in the beautiful village of Moustiers Saint Marie, which clings to a limestone cliff.

Day 6 We travel to the fashionable resorts of Cannes and Nice. At Cannes you can stroll along La Croisette, the attractive wide promenade. In Nice you can explore picturesque old town or enjoy the Promenade des Anglais.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 2pm. Please note timings on holidays by air are subject to change.

Mon 22 Sep

8 Days

Price per person

£799

Single supplement

£120

Insurance

£27



Sirmione on Lake Garda



Parma Baptistery



Parma, Lake Garda and unspoilt Emilia-Romagna

Staying in a spa town, we explore this charming region, which is off the normal tourist trail, but has many unexpected treasures

Hotel Cristallo Salsomaggiore

Superb modern hotel located near the historical centre, with spa treatments and leisure facilities.



What's Included

• Dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast (7 nights) • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Air fare • Admission to Rocca Sanvitale • Admission to cheese dairy, vineyard and Parma ham curer • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Epsom Coach to Heathrow for the scheduled flight with Alitalia in standard class to Milan (2 hours). Transfer to hotel.

Day 2 Free to explore Salsomaggiore Terme. This genteel spa town is popular due to the therapeutic properties of the hot spring water. The central piazza has attractive shops and a selection of gelateria, where you can buy an ice cream and watch the world go by. Salsomaggiore is also the place where every September, the Miss Italy beauty pageant takes place!

Day 3 We visit Parma. The beautiful centre of the old town has a Romanesque cathedral flanked by a Gothic campanile and a splendid octagonal baptistry.

Day 4 We visit surprising Fontanellato, where right in the centre of the old town stands the Rocca Sanvitale, a stunning moat-encircled castle, which dates from the 15th century.

Day 5 We enjoy a day discovering some of the wonderful food from this area, with visits to a Parmesan Cheese dairy, a vineyard and a place where the famous Parma Ham is cured.

Day 6 Free.

Day 7 We travel north to Lake Garda, considered by many to be the most beautiful of the Italian Lakes. We travel to historic Sirmione, pleasantly situated on the lake with attractive old buildings.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 7pm. Please note timings on holidays by air are subject to change.

Sun 8 Jun

8 Days

Price per person

£845

Single supplement

£25

Insurance

£27



Florence



Siena



Florence and the Treasures of Tuscany

We stay in the beautiful city of Florence, birthplace of the Renaissance, exploring the beautiful countryside of Tuscany, full of vineyards and medieval towns

Vivahotel Capitol Santa Croce, Florence

Comfortable tourist-class hotel located near one of the town's oldest squares and about a mile from the Duomo.



What's Included

• Dinner (set), bed and buffet breakfast (7 nights) • All coach travel • Services of a Tour Guide throughout • Air fare • Funicular railway ride • Door to door service – see page 5

Your Holiday Itinerary

Day 1 Leave Epsom at 8.30am. Epsom Coach to Gatwick for the scheduled flight with British Airways in standard class to Pisa (2 hours 10 mins). Transfer to hotel.

Day 2 Free to explore Florence. Our Tour Guide will give a morning orientation walking tour: Florence is the jewel of Tuscany and birthplace of the Renaissance. There is a wealth of fine buildings including the magnificent Duomo, Pitti Palace and Medici Palace. There are superb museums including the Uffizi, one of the finest art galleries in the world. At the Accademia you can see Michelangelo's David.

Day 3 We travel to the medieval towns of Pisa and Lucca. In Pisa see the Campo del Miracoli, where we view the 'Leaning Tower' of Pisa. Lucca, less well known than Pisa, is a real gem, with a rich heritage of churches, palaces, squares and charming streets.

Day 4 We travel to Siena and San Gimignano. Siena is a wonderful medieval city, with narrow Gothic streets and a spectacular cathedral. In the Piazza del Campo every July and August a horse race called the 'Palio' is run. San Gimignano is a beautiful small walled hilltop town famous for its medieval towers.

Day 5 Free. Why not take a stroll across the Ponte Vecchio.

Day 6 We travel to the elegant spa town of Montecatini Terme and take a memorable ride up the funicular railway to Montecatini Alto, where we enjoy spectacular views of the town and Tuscan hills.

Day 7 Free.

Day 8 Homeward journey. Return to Epsom at approximately 3pm. Please note timings on holidays by air are subject to change.

Sun 12 Oct

8 Days

Price per person
Single supplement
Insurance

£789
£106
£27

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Sat 3	Transport of Delight (4)	27
Wed 7	Swiss Five Star Holiday (7)	43
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Fri 16	Chatsworth and Charming Derbyshire (4)	29
Sat 17	Jersey Explorer (8)	37
Mon 19	Great Gardens of Paris and Normandy (5)	38
Mon 19	Warners Cricket St Thomas (5)	35
Thu 22	Severn Valley and the Black and White Villages (5)	28
Sat 24	Anfield and Liverpool Break (3)	30
Mon 26	Bournemouth, Poole and the New Forest (5)	18
Mon 26	Cheshire Highlights (5)	28
Sat 31	Great Railway Journeys of Scotland (8)	8

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Sun 8	Parma, Lake Garda and unspoilt Emilia-Romagna (8)	45
Sun 8	Swansea Bay, Gower and the Brecon Beacons (5)	11
Thu 12	Torquay, Dartmoor and the Devon Coast (5)	17
Fri 13	Eastbourne Break (4)	21
Sat 14	Yorkshire Holiday and Scarborough (8)	33
Mon 16	Snowdonia and North Wales Highlights (5)	12
Mon 16	Isle of Wight (5)	19
Wed 18	Rhine Valley and Boppard (6)	41
Sun 22	Oban, Argyll and the 'Jacobite' (8)	9
Wed 25	Grand Tour of Scotland by Train (8)	8
Thu 26	Carrickfergus, Belfast and the Giants Causeway (6)	13
Thu 26	Colourful Norfolk (5)	22
Mon 30	Enchanting Cornwall (6)	15

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Fri 25	Old Trafford Tour and Manchester (3)	30
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Fri 1	Trains and Boats and Planes (4)	27
Sun 3	Trier and the Romantic Moselle Valley (5)	42
Sun 3	Edinburgh Military Tattoo and Loch Lomond (4)	6
Sat 9	Edinburgh Military Tattoo and Highland Supreme (8)	7
Sat 9	Eastbourne Holiday (7)	21
Wed 13	Sidmouth in Summer (6)	16
Fri 15	Shrewsbury Flower Show and Welsh Borders (4)	29
Fri 15	Manchester Ship Canal Cruise (4)	31
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Thu 21	Northumbria and The Alnwick Garden (5)	34
Sat 23	Yorkshire Luxury Holiday (8)	33
Sat 23	Wurzberg, Rothenburg and the Romantic Road (7)	41
Fri 29	Great Little Trains of Wales (4)	13
Fri 29	Great North Eastern Journeys (4)	34
Sun 31	Tenby and Splendid Pembrokeshire (5)	12

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Mon 1	Magical Dorset (5)	18
Wed 3	Aberdeen and Royal Deeside (7)	10
Thu 4	Dublin, Killarney and the Ring of Kerry (8)	37
Fri 5	Eastbourne Break (4)	21
Sat 6	Isle of Wight Holiday (8)	19
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Fri 12	Welsh Borders and the Forest of Dean (4)	11
Mon 15	Warners Thoresby Hall (5)	35
Mon 15	Barnstaple, Ilfracombe and the North Devon Coast (5)	17
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Mon 29	Suffolk Coast and Countryside (4)	22
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Tue 7	Battlefields of the Western Front (4)	39
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