

2025

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A BIG hearty 2025 welcome to you all. I'm absolutely thrilled to share another 12 months of exciting STAR adventures which offers many fantastic opportunities for you to get out and about, be it for a day out or a week away! If you're single, a couple or a family, a group of friends, special interest groups, everyone is welcome to enjoy a great value Star Experience.

Our 2025 Day Trip & Holiday Brochure is crammed full of tried, tested, new and recommended destinations which are just waiting for you to unpack, book and love!

Discover and explore Great Britain's timeless charm and rich heritage - choose from market towns and halls, bustling cities, cosy villages, traditional pubs, shopping havens, beautiful gardens, train and boat trips and traditional seascides.

Offering and delivering great value trips is important to us at STAR so we've introduced the following money saving options:

Book, Pay & Save - Visit www.travelwithstar.co.uk to book, pay and save an extra £1pp on every STAR excursion that you book.

Save £'s every time you book a STAR break - Receive a scaled discount for every STAR holiday that you book and let's not forget our FREE Door to Door Service and supplement **FREE** Singles. *Terms & Conditions apply.

With savings to be made on every excursion and break, now's the time to get browsing and start planning - when we have something to look forward to, we have every reason to smile.

Being part of the Star Team is personal... as we strive to ensure that we deliver our very best to our valued customers. Call us on 012 135 0555 Monday - Friday 09:30am to 3:30pm or visit www.travelwithstar.co.uk 24 hours a day or feel free to pop into our beautiful new office, it would be lovely to see you.



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Your STAR holidays all include:

- *FREE Door to Door Service
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- En-suite Facilities
- Entertainment*
- 2/3 Excursions

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2025 VALUE SAVERS... Yes there's more!

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GROUP BENEFITS - DAYS OUT	
Book a group of 14+	Receive a FREE local pick-up/drop-off (Subject to vehicular access).
Book a group of 20+	Receive a FREE Local pick-up/drop-off plus 1 FREE Seat. Alternatively, opt for 2 FREE Seats - no pickup. (Entry/meal charge still applies).
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Call us:	Monday -Friday 9:30am-3:30pm
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Provisional Bookings	Are held for 7-days without obligation.
Deposits	£60pp will secure each Holiday booking. Balance is due 6-weeks prior to your departure date. £10pp will secure each Day Trip booking. Balance is due 2-weeks prior to your departure date.
Payment Methods:	We accept payment by Debit/Credit Cards or Cheque.
Travel Pack	Your final Holiday Pack is sent to you 10-14 days prior to your departure date.

Spread the Cost - choose how you pay

We know that everyone's circumstances are different so to help to manage your money in a way that suits you - you can choose to pay affordable weekly or monthly amounts leading up to your balance due date/s.

Book a Star Holiday or Day Trip and you'll find many reasons to be cheerful, to make new friends, share time, swap stories, have fun and save money!

TRAVELLING WITH STAR TOURS

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Our coach holidays and excursions offer wonderful opportunities to meet new people and make friends.

Travel

Our coach providers ensure that our valued customers are delivered a superb passenger experience. The drivers are friendly, knowledgeable and helpful professionals, driving vehicles specifically designed for touring which will add to your ultimate comfort when travelling. Vehicles are air-conditioned, have reclining belted seats, WC and onboard facilities such as TV/DVD player. Combined with their light and airy interiors, you'll arrive at your destination as fresh and relaxed as you were at the start.

Luggage/Wheelchair/Scooters

Please be mindful of how much you pack into your suitcase as the drivers and porters must be able to safely lift them.

Luggage Allowance: 1(one) medium suitcase per person.
Weight: 15kilos or 34lbs

Wheelchairs: Folding wheelchairs are stored in the luggage compartment, however due to space restrictions, there is a limit of 2 wheelchairs per tour.

Electric Scooters: Scooters are very heavy and can only be taken if the passenger is able To handle, fold and lift it on/off the vehicle – there is a limit of 1 (one) Scooter per tour. Alternatively, please consider hiring mobility aids at your given resort.

'Seat Only' Bookings

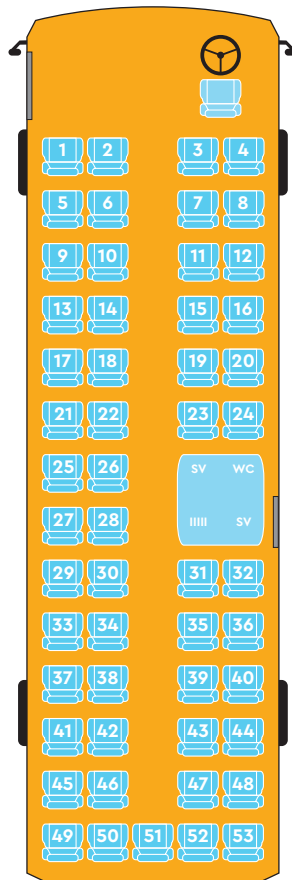
Take advantage of our holiday destinations to visit family and friends use our 'Seat Only' options on any of our holiday destinations to travel from and to a resort. These can be booked from 8 weeks in advance of the departure date. Please call to check charge per person.

Travel Insurance

Whilst it isn't compulsory to have travel insurance in the UK, we strongly recommend that you consider taking it. This cover can offer you extra protection and peace of mind if your holiday doesn't go as planned in the event of:

- * Cancelling or cutting short your trip for reasons beyond your control.
- * Medical and other emergencies
- * Lost, stolen or damaged items.

NB All deposits paid for STAR Tours are non-transferrable or refundable.



2025 DIARY DATES

at a Glance

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Depart	Days	Resort	Hotel	Theme	Star	£pp
Mon 3 rd Mar	5	TORQUAY	Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa	Cosy	4*	£449.00
Mon 10 th Mar	5	PAIGNTON	The Palace Hotel	Cosy	3*	£419.00
Mon 24 th Mar	5	LLANDUDNO	The Marlborough Hotel	W Warner	3*	£419.00
Fri 25 th April	7	EASTBOURNE	Haddon Hall Hotel	Great Value	2*	£519.00
Sat 03 rd May	6	SIDMOUTH	The Kingswood Hotel	Star Favourite	3*	£569.00
Wed 21 st May	7	IOW SANDOWN	Trouville Hotel	Osborne House	3*	£589.00
Mon 16 th Jun	5	PAIGNTON	The Queens Hotel	Summer Treat	3*	£499.00
Mon 30 th Jun	5	IOW RYDE	Royal Esplanade Hotel	NEW	3*	£549.00
Mon 7 th July	5	BIDEFORD	Durrant House Hotel	NEW	3*	£499.00
Mon 14 th July	5	WHITBY	The Royal Hotel	NEW	3*	£549.00
Tue 22 nd July	6	TORQUAY	The Livermead Hotel	NEW	3*	£549.00
Sun 27 th July	7	WEYMOUTH	The Crown	Star Favourite	3*	£610.00
Mon 4 th Aug	7	EASTBOURNE	The Burlington Hotel	NEW	3*	£619.00
Mon 18 th Aug	7	LLANDUDNO	The Marlborough Hotel	Star Favourite	3*	£599.00
Mon 25 th Aug	5	LYTHAM	Inn on Prom	Overlooks Irish Sea	3*	£529.00
Sun 31 st Aug	6	IOW SANDOWN	Trouville Hotel	Osborne House	3*	£599.00
Sun 7 th Sep	6	BOURNEMOUTH	The Suncliffe Hotel	Summer Treat	3*	£539.00
Mon 15 th Sep	5	WESTON	Smiths Hotel	NEW	3*	£489.00
Thu 25 th Sep	5	TORQUAY	Livermead House Hotel	NEW	3*	£489.00
Mon 6 th Oct	5	EASTBOURNE	The Landsdowne Hotel	Sea Front	3*	£469.00
Tue 14 th Oct	5	SIDMOUTH	The Kingswood Hotel	Star Favourite	3*	£479.00
Thu 23 rd Oct	5	GRANGE OVER	The Cumbria Grand Hotel	Stunning!	3*	£479.00
Mon 10 th Nov	5	PAIGNTON	The Palace Hotel	T & T	3*	£449.00
Mon 24 th Nov	5	LLANDUDNO	The Marlborough Hotel	T & T	3*	£449.00
Mon 1 st Dec	5	TORQUAY	Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa	T & T	4*	£459.00
Tue 23 rd Dec	5	BABBACOMBE	The Anchorage Hotel	Xmas Special	3*	£599.00

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Sea view rooms are subject to availability and would incur a supplement – please ask at the time of booking.

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LLANDUDNO

The Queen of Welsh resorts

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A resort perfectly framed by two headlands, the Great Orme and Little Orme and linked by a spectacular Marine Drive. Who could possibly argue with that while strolling along Llandudno's elegant promenade past pastel-coloured hotels and impeccably authentic seafront architecture just like Victorians did?

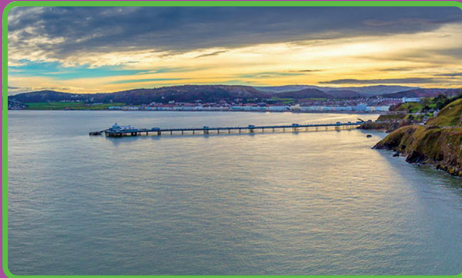
summit of the Great Orme Country Park, soak up the dizzy views then disappear underground at the prehistoric copper mines.

Llandudno is one of the finest traditional seaside resorts in the world!

Llandudno is bursting at the seams with things to see and do - take the San Franciscan - style tramway or alpine cable car to the

Your Hotel:

The Marlborough 3*
A Tastefully modernised hotel throughout serving fresh, home-cooked food. The lounge bar offers a range of wines, beers and spirits. Relax in the wonderful sun lounge taking in the glorious views.



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Mon 24 th Mar	Mon 18 th Aug	Mon 24 th Nov
5 days	7 days	5 days
4 nights	6 nights	4 nights
HBB	HBB	HBB
Winter Warmer	Summer Break	Festive Break
£419.00pp	£599.00pp	£449.00pp

We highly recommend travel insurance to protect your holiday.

Excursions:

Anglesey & Beaumaris - Over the Menai Straits to the Isle of Anglesey and the beautiful resort of Beaumaris.

Portmadog and Llanberis - First stop at the busy Harbour town and then onto Llanberis - where there's many attractions for you to enjoy.

PAIGNTON

Devon Delights

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One of the brightest jewels in the English Riviera's crown, as you arrive in the seaside resort of Paignton, you are met with the welcoming sight of its long stretch of beautiful and easily accessible beachfront, promenade, traditional pier, colourful beach huts and green. A great compact resort with the seafront and town centre shops all close by.

Known for its beautiful award-winning sandy beaches and first-class attractions!

Your Hotels:

The Palace Hotel 3* (Mar Nov)
Set in beautiful grounds, opposite the seafront with the town centre just a stroll away.

The Queens Hotel 3* (Jun)
Hotel is on a Level location and is just 200 yards from Paignton town centre shops and seafront.



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Mon 10 th Mar	Mon 16 th Jun	Mon 10 th Nov
5 days	5 days	5 days
4 nights	4 nights	4 nights
HBB	HBB	HBB
Cosy		T & T
£419.00pp	£499.00pp	£449.00pp

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Excursions:

Torquay & Teignmouth - First stop, Teignmouth, glorious beach, pier & beautiful architecture. Then onto Torquay Riviera.

Dartmouth & Totnes - First to enchanting Dartmouth, then onto the fascinating town of Totnes.

EASTBOURNE

Elegance of the South Downs

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A traditional seaside town famous for its lush rolling landscape- enjoy the Victorian seafront, three tier promenade, parks, gardens and shops. Breathe in that fresh sea air as you approach the beautiful coastal town of Eastbourne where many hidden gems are waiting to be explored!

Discover endless blue skies and pristine beaches in the UK's sunniest place!

Your Hotels:

Haddon Hall Hotel 2* (Apr)
Enviably situated at the seafront end of Devonshire Place, a tree lined avenue linking the main promenade with the town centre.

Your Hotel: Burlington Hotel 3* (Aug)
Seafront location overlooking the spectacular Carpet Gardens and Victorian pier.

Lansdowne Hotel 3* (Oct)
Seafront location overlooking the Western Lawns and Beachy Head.



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Fri 25 th Apr	Mon 4 th Aug	Mon 6 th Oct
7 days	7 days	5 days
6 nights	6 nights	4 nights
HBB	HBB	HBB
		T & T
£519.00pp	£619.00pp	£469.00pp

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Excursions:

Enjoy a fabulous day out in Battle followed by a visit to the intriguing **Lewes** – Its medieval streets, old church and tiny twittens. Excellent shopping.

Brighton - Bursting with attractions: Seaside, Royal Pavilion, Brighton Pier, and more.

TORQUAY

The English Riviera

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Set at the very heart of the English Riviera on the South Devon Coast Torquay is famous for its sandy beaches, family attractions and genteel Victorian appearance.

With its iconic palm trees, busy harbour, international marina, sandy beach and wonderful array of continental style cafes, restaurants and cocktail bars all essential ingredients for a great break.

Escape the Everyday on the English Riviera – Explore 22 miles of stunning coastline of the vibrant and cheerful town of Torquay – a stylish resort with a real continental atmosphere.

Your Hotel:

Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa 4* (Mar Dec)
A stone's throw from Torquay's seafront, enjoy elegant and comfortable en-suite rooms, fine dining experience and nightly entertainment.

Livermead House Hotel 3* (Jul & Sep)
Located on Torquay's water's edge with stunning sea views over Torbay. The Epitome of classic charm of The English Riviera, enjoying a picturesque seafront location, private access to the beach - Silver Service for meals, you'll love the attention to detail.



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Mon 3 rd Mar	Tue 22 nd Jul	Thu 25 th Sep	Mon 1 st Dec
5 days	6 days	5 days	5 days
4 nights	5 nights	4 nights	4 nights
HBB	HBB	HBB	HBB
Cosy	NEW	NEW	T & T
£449.00pp	£549.00pp	£489.00pp	£459.00pp

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Excursions:

Visit the maritime **Plymouth** – One of the most dynamic and fascinating places to Explore its rich maritime heritage and regional capital of culture.

Exeter - A small city that packs a big punch, one of the most vibrant, attractive and historically interesting cities in England.

ISLE OF WIGHT SANDOWN

The Diamond Isle

The Isle of Wight has a peaceful beauty and an indefinable charm, along with a particularly mild sunny climate. Where you'll find it's littered with picturesque villages and bustling small towns waiting to be explored. The Island has been a popular holiday destination since Victorian times for its naturally mild climate, more sunshine hours than almost anywhere else in the UK, and the feeling of escapism the short ferry trip across the Solent evokes.

Described as the UK's Island paradise offering a stunning array of contrasting landscapes!

Your Hotel:

Trouville Hotel 3*

A modern seaside hotel on the Esplanade across the street from the beach a short walk from the Sandown Pier. The ensuite rooms are cosy – most enjoying stunning sea views across the English Channel.



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Wed 21st May

Sun 31st Aug

7 days

6 days

6 nights

5 nights

HBB

HBB

£589.00pp

£599.00pp

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Excursions:

Osborne House - a visit to Queen Victoria's seaside retreat.

Alum Bay to view the famous 'Needles' then onto Yarmouth - pier, cobbled streets, shops and quaint cafes and more.

Ryde & Cowes (7 Day holidays only).

SIDMOUTH

Dreamy Devon

Sitting along an impressive coastline and surrounded by spectacular countryside and Blue Flag award winning beaches, Sidmouth allows you to enjoy the best of both worlds, with everything you can expect from a beach holiday.

beneath majestic red cliffs, which, along with the green hills of the Sid Valley, will captivate you too.

'A town caught still in a timeless charm' Poet Laureate, John Betjeman, chose those words to describe Sidmouth after being captivated by its beautiful gardens, leisurely walks, clean beaches and Regency history. This lovely seaside town is nestle

Hidden in plain view along the beautiful Jurassic Coast, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, Sidmouth is a seaside town like no other.

Your Hotel:

The Kingswood Hotel 3*

Set on the esplanade overlooking the beach, a hotel with bags of Victorian character modern comforts and stunning sea views over Lyme Bay. Ensuite facilities, sea facing dining room with bar overlooking the sea completes this stunning location.



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Sat 3rd May

Tue 14th Oct

6 days

5 days

5 nights

4 nights

HBB

HBB

£569.00pp

£479.00pp

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Excursions:

Lyme Regis & Seaton - Explore the beauty of Lyme Regis then onto Seaton.

Honiton (Tues/Thu) & Donkey Sanctuary - First to the lively market town of Honiton on market day - afterwards onto the Donkey Sanctuary.

RYDE

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The Gateway to the Isle of Wight

Ryde has so much to see and do but the seafront is perhaps its crowning glory with miles of gorgeous sand, loads to see and do, and a seawall footpath that takes you past lovely cafes and restaurants.

Ryde is a welcoming seaside town on the northeast coast of the Isle of Wight – Blessed with long stretches of golden sands, a thriving independent shopping scene. Ryde is just the place for an enjoyable, relaxing coastal break.

Your Hotel:

The Royal Esplanade 3*

A characterful Victorian Grade II Listed building that has been lovingly and sympathetically restored - The hotel takes a prime position along the Esplanade at the foot of the Victorian, Ryde Pier, known to locals as the dry end of the pier.



*Sea view rooms

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Mon 30th June

5 days

4 nights

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£549.00pp

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Excursions:

Osborne House - a visit to Queens Victoria's seaside retreat.

Newport & Godshill - First stop to Newport, the capital of the Diamond Isle, then onto the classic English village of Godshill.

WEYMOUTH

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The Jurassic Coast

As one of the UK's most beautiful seaside resorts and blessed with one of its sunniest and warmest climates, Weymouth offers a huge number of activities and attractions to people of all ages. With golden sands, safe shallow waters, a pretty harbourside you certainly won't be disappointed!

Looking for a traditional family holiday by the sea? Then pack up your bucket and spade and head to Weymouth!

Your Hotel:

The Crown Hotel 3*

The charm and character of this hotel lies in the warm and friendly atmosphere which always prevails. Located at the top of Weymouth's town centre, next to the Town Bridge overlooking the historic fishing harbour just a short walk from the picturesque Brewer's Quay.



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Sun 27th July

7 days

6 nights

HBB

£610.00pp

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Excursions:

Dorchester - A Roman jewel in the heart of Dorset. A vibrant town for sightseeing, shopping museums, walks, coffee shops.

Bournemouth - The largest resort in Dorset along with seven miles of sandy beaches, beautiful parks and gardens.

BIDEFORD

Devon Tranquillity

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Famously known as the “Little White Town” derived from the 1855 novel of Charles Kingsley, Bideford is a thriving bustling port town with an extraordinary history just waiting to be explored.

Bideford is one of the prettiest and most distinct looking towns in North Devon with a fascinating history to match its disarming beauty.

Your Hotel:

Durrant House Hotel 3*

A location which enjoys views over the Torridge estuary. The hotel boasts comfortable ensuite bedrooms, a fine dining restaurant & a Beauty Salon on-site. It has free Wi-Fi, a sauna and an outdoor pool.



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Excursions:

Ilfracombe - Explore the seafront, gardens, the many shops, galleries, cafes and maritime pubs.

Exeter - A small city that packs a big punch, Exeter is one of the most vibrant, attractive and historically interesting cities in England.

Mon 7th July

5 days

4 nights

HBB

£499.00pp

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WHITBY

Welcome to Wonderful

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Tenby Town offers plenty of shops specialising in locally produced items – discover a maze of narrow little streets with quirky shops. There's plenty of attractions such as boat trips, wildlife parks and plenty of walks, beautiful beach and the famous Pembrokeshire Coastal Path.

Whitby is the hidden treasure of the North Yorkshire Coast – With its rich history, breathtaking scenery, and captivating atmosphere, Whitby is a must-visit destination for travellers seeking a perfect blend of heritage, natural beauty, and maritime allure.

Your Hotel:

Royal Hotel 3*

This period property over looks Whitby Harbour and is opposite the famous Whalebone Arch in the West Cliff area of Whitby. There're breath-taking views of the ruined Gothic Whitby Abbey, free wi-fi, ensuite rooms, TV, and beverage tray.



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Excursions:

Scarborough - enjoy all the attractions of a traditional seaside resort, known as the St Tropez' of the North.

York - Its winding streets, beautiful shops and deep history give York a quintessential appeal making it perfect for a great day out!

Mon 14th July

5 days

4 nights

HBB

£549.00pp

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LYTHAM ST ANNES ¹⁶

Lancashire Coastal Haven

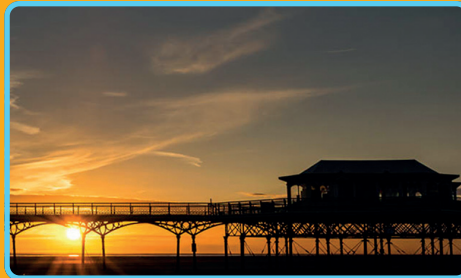
Lytham St Annes is a great holiday destination for those looking to escape the buzz of city centre life. Tucked away in Lancashire, it's renowned for its idyllic countryside, an expansive sandy beach with a Victorian pier, and its historic windmill; all the things that remind us why we all love the British seaside so much.

Lytham St Annes on sea – Overlooking the Irish Sea. Unspoilt, elegant, tranquil and stunning! Close your eyes and picture the perfect beach with 5 miles of glimmering sands.

Your Hotel:

Inn on the Prom 3*

Wonderfully situated on the seafront overlooking the Irish Sea. Stylish decor, quality furnishings with ensuite facilities. Enjoy the leisure facilities available- There are 3 gyms plus a poolside bar that serves a selection of refreshments throughout the day.



*Sea view rooms

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Mon 25th Aug

5 days

4 nights

HBB

£529.00pp

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Excursions:

Morecambe - Marvel at spellbinding views and stunning skies of Morecambe Bay or just sit back and enjoy some freshly caught fish and chips.

Oswald Twistle Mill - has something to amaze, charm and intrigue its visitors with over 100 retailers all under one roof.

BOURNEMOUTH

Explore the 7-mile swathe of Blue Flag beaches dotted with quintessentially English beach huts, a traditional pier and plenty of ice-cream kiosks. Rattle up the funicular lift for views of the Isle of Wight.

Bournemouth boasts a year round programme of events so whatever time of year you visit and whatever your interests, there's always something to enjoy.

Sand, sea and one of the sunniest spots in England – Bournemouth is home to all things nautical!

Your Hotel:

Suncliffe Hotel 3*

Located on the seafront overlooking Bournemouth Bay in the prestigious East Cliff neighbourhood and only a five-minute stroll to the beach. Comfortable and versatile bedrooms as well as indoor leisure facilities.



*Sea view rooms

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Sun 7th Sep

6 days

5 nights

HBB

£539.00pp

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Excursions:

Salisbury - A Cathedral city of ageless beauty and captivating history, waiting for you to explore.

Portsmouth - The Great Waterfront City - packed with world-class attractions, fantastic things to do and year-round.

WESTON SUPER MARE ¹⁸

Cream of Somerset

Enjoy a host of fabulous attractions including the magnificent Grand Pier, the Sea Quarium, the North Somerset Museum. For a slightly slower pace why not hire a deck chair on the award-winning beach, treat yourself to a delicious ice cream and relax with the famous Weston donkeys or simply enjoy the beautiful natural parklands, cafes, bars and lovely tea rooms?

Enjoy a visit to the wonderful seaside resort of Weston-Super-Mare, with its long stretch of beach and traditional seaside attractions. Whatever your age, it has something for everyone!

Your Hotel:

Smith Hotel 3*

Located on the seafront at Weston Super Mare, overlooking the sandy beach. It offers spacious rooms and a Victorian terrace with views across Weston Bay. Ensuite rooms feature TVs, hairdryers seating areas and some have sea views. Some feature free Wi-Fi access.



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Mon 15th Sep

5 days

4 nights

HBB

£489.00pp

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Excursions:

Bath - Historic, beautiful and vibrant, a city that combines three periods of history, Roman, Georgian and the modern. Enjoy!

Wells - This magnificent Somerset city may, perhaps, be best known for its famous Cathedral but also many more beautiful landmarks.

GRANGE OVER SANDS ¹⁹

Steam & Cruise the Lakes

Loved by artists and tourist alike, as the leaves in the valleys turn from green to gold, the autumnal colours make it a breath-taking place to visit – taking a boat trip on a crisp autumn day will mean that the water acts as a mirror, reflecting the bright colours of the season all round – an inspirational experience!

The Lake District is one of the most beautiful and celebrates places in Britain – World famous for its beautiful lakes and mountainous fells, carved out long ago by glaciers – a sight and a joy to behold!

Your Hotel:

The Cumbria Grand 3*

Stay in a charming AA rated Victorian hotel set in 20 acres of gardens and woodlands overlooking Morecambe Bay. Some rooms enjoy commanding views over the bay. An open fire welcome you to the comfortable lounge from where to enjoy your entertainment.



*Plenty of grand floor rooms

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Thu 23rd Oct

5 days

4 nights

HBB

£479.00pp

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Excursions:

Boat Trip - enjoy a delightful cruise along **Lake Windermere** and some free time in the Victorian town of **Bowness**.

Enjoy a *steam train journey through history and the beautiful **Western Lake District**.

2025 HOLIDAY Highlights

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There's always a season and a reason to enjoy a fabulous STAR getaway... 5 days or more, 2025 is your time to choose from one of the many timeless, classic destinations 'nestled' between the pages of your essential holiday guide.

Spring – Think crisp, fresh & new! We welcome longer days and milder weather – spring is the ideal time to kick start season with a STAR holiday. Try:

Torquay (5)	Paignton (5)	Llandudno (5)
Eastbourne (7)	Sidmouth (6)	Isle of Wight SANDOWN (7)

Summer – Think long sandy beaches, the warm summer breeze and the chance to spend time with family and friends; these are just a few reasons to take a STAR summer break and to fall in love with this season.

Paignton (5)	Isle of Wight RYDE (5)	Bideford (5)
Whitby (5) Torquay (6)	Weymouth (7)	Eastbourne (7)
Llandudno (7)	Lytham (5)	Isle of Wight SANDOWN (6)

Autumn – Misty mornings and kicking up the leaves surrounded by a glorious explosion of colour means its autumn, the perfect time for a STAR autumnal break

Bournemouth (6)	Weston (5)	Torquay (5)
Eastbourne (5)	Sidmouth (5)	Grange Over Sands (5)

Winter – It may be cold outside, but a STAR winter getaway is just the job to warm you up and recharge your batteries! Celebrate one of the best times of the year with a magical themed festive break.

Paignton (5)	Llandudno (5)	Torquay (5)	Babbacombe Xmas (5)
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You can enjoy a STAR holiday whatever the season – Your Dinner Bed & Breakfast *FREE Door to Door, Excursions, return coach travel are all included, so treat yourself to a well-deserved 2025 break.

Where will you go?

INSTANT RECEIPTS

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2025

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The festive season offers us a welcome break from daily routines - It's a special time of celebration and reflections as we surrounded ourselves with our loved ones and friends, to exchange gifts, share good food, drink and lots of laughter.

Each hotels offer a wide and varied range of festive entertainment that'll be sure to have you dancing the nights away. The weather might be cold outside, but you can count on the warmest of welcomes on a STAR Christmas themed Break.

Mon 10 th Nov	PAIGNTON	The Palace Hotel 3* Enjoy a full festive programme to capture all the fun and excitement of Christmas.	Turkey & Tinsel	5-Days	£44900
Mon 24 th Nov	LLANDUDNO	The Marlborough Hotel 3* A hotel that really knows how to blend fun and festive cheer - even a small gift!	Taste of Christmas	5-Days	£44900
Mon 1 st Dec	TORQUAY	Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa 4* Enjoy a cracking pre- Christmas celebration with all the trimmings and festive extras!	Turkey & Tinsel	5-Days	£459.00
Tue 23 rd Dec	BABBACOME	Anchorage Hotel 3* Enjoy a fabulous seasonal atmosphere over the Christmas period. Inc a theatre trip.	Xmas Break (see full details opposite)	5-Days	£599.00

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Merry Christmas

Tues 23rd Dec

5.45pm Welcome Drink in the lounge
6.00pm - 8.00pm Hot Buffet Dinner
8.15pm Entertainment

Wed 24th Dec Christmas Eve

8.00am - 10:30am Breakfast is served
4.30pm - 5.00pm Tea and Mince Pie in the lounge
6.00pm - 8.00pm Traditional Christmas Buffet Dinner
8.15pm Entertainment

Thu 25th Dec Christmas Day

8.00am - 10:00am Breakfast is served
12.30pm - 1.30pm Traditional Christmas Lunch
4.00pm - 4.30pm Tea and Cake in the lounge
6.00pm - 8.00pm Buffet Dinner
8.15pm Entertainment

Fri 26th Dec Boxing Day

8.00am - 10:30am Breakfast is served
4.00pm - 4.30pm Tea and Mince Pies in the lounge
6.00pm - 8.00pm Buffet Dinner
8.15pm Entertainment

Sat 27th Dec Home

8.00am - 10:00am Breakfast is served

After breakfast we bid farewell to the Anchorage and make our way home.

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Celebrate Christmas in style at the Anchorage Hotel located just a few minutes' walk from the beach. All bedrooms enjoy ensuite facilities with TV, telephone and all the other little things you would expect from a 3* hotel.

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A Christmas Show at the Princess Theatre Torquay

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GARDEN HIGHLIGHTS

2025

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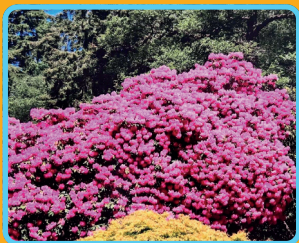
The following floral seasonal tributes are just a flavour of garden highlights for you to enjoy:

CROOME PARK & HOUSE WORCESTERSHIRE NT

Daffodils

Thu 20th Mar

Typically flowering from February until May, the trumpet-like blooms of the daffodil announce spring's arrival – want to walk the golden carpet and take in memorable views across the Worcestershire countryside? Croome Park is just the place! This stunning 18th century house in grounds designed by Capability Brown never fails to explode into a canvas of yellow in early Spring. Here you'll find rows of yellow trumpeted beauties to enjoy.



BODNANT GARDENS NORTH WALES NT

Azaleas & Magnolias

Thu 24th Apr

Perched above the River Conwy, Bodnant has views across the valley to the Snowdonia National Park and is one of Britain's finest Gardens. The garden is a kaleidoscope of colours; and everywhere the blooms of rhododendrons, magnolias, viburnums and other flowering shrubs and trees hang overhead and decorate the ground underfoot – but the scent is something else – An intoxicating atmosphere hangs in the air everywhere you wander, mingling as you pass from plant to plant.



WATERPERRY GARDENS OXFORDSHIRE

Wisteria Arch

Thu 22nd May

Visit a magical place where you are surrounded by beautiful trees, shrubs and flowers, classical borders, modern planting, secret corners and long vistas. Waterperry is home to many floral beauties particularly the spectacular white and lavender wisteria arch, water lily canal, alpine garden and riverside walk.

ARLEY HALL GARDENS, CHESHIRE

Roses

Thu 26th June

Amongst the finest in Europe the Gardens – there is always something for everyone to enjoy. The Pleached Lime Avenue is the entrance to Arley leading to the clock tower. The Flag Garden was named because of the stone flags which form its paths. The central beds are planted up with floribunda roses and dwarf lavender. The Furlong Walk is a terrace which forms the main axis of the garden and separates it from the park. The double Herbaceous Border, The Walled Garden, The Kitchen Garden, the Herb & scented Garden, the Vinery and of course The Rose Garden, and June is when the roses should be at their best!



BIDDULPH GRANGE GARDENS STAFFS NT

A Mass of Colour

Thu 14th Aug

A magical garden full of surprises with tunnels, dark passages and brightly coloured summer bedding plants. The Dahlia Walk is at its best in August with yew buttresses separating the flowers into different colour zones.

SPETCHLEY PARK GARDENS WORCESTERSHIRE

Autumnal Hints

Thu 25th Sep

The end of September will be the last chance for you to enjoy the beautiful gardens, stroll through the parkland and soak up the last rays of sunshine that glisten across the lake waters. Don't miss the stunning Autumn colours in all their glory.



THENFORD GARDENS & ARBORETUM OXON

70 acres of spectacular Autumn brilliance!

Oct date TBC

More than 3,000 different trees – in particular, the fine collections of oaks and maples are put on a striking autumn flare of colour at Thenford Arboretum at Thenford House, Northamptonshire, the home of Lord and Lady Hesletine.

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Highlights

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Here's just a flavour of the difference types of tours available to choose from:

Floral Features – A garden for all seasons

Not only are public gardens beautiful places to visit, for many of us they are a place where we pick up ideas and inspiration on how to be a better gardener. There are many beautiful gardens waiting for you to explore and enjoy, so whatever the season or your floral interest, there's sure to be a garden with a collection to encourage you to 'step out, take a deep breath and smell the flowers!'

Come Dine with STAR – it's a Lunch Date

There's something special about setting time aside to be with or make new friends by sharing a meal together - it's always so much more than just eating food. Meals bring people together, to share time, swap stories and have fun! The variation includes boats trips followed by lunch, Afternoon Tea dates, the tastiest carveries so check your diaries, book early and make it a date!

Market Towns waiting to be explored and discovered!

English market towns come in many shapes and sizes. Each has a personality shaped by the goods and services produced and traded for centuries. Towns and villages near a harbour have 'just caught' seafood. In Herefordshire, beef is the market king. Shropshire is cider apple country and town surrounded by farms have it all.

Market days make an excellent time to visit our beautiful market towns, they bring a vibrancy, colour and bustle to their centres - you'll find dates for the favourites listed in the pages that follow, so here's your opportunity to sample at least a few of the country's many beautiful and historic market towns on offer - well worth a great day out!

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Book Early!

We always need to ensure excursions are viable to run within 2 weeks of it departure date, therefore we strongly recommend that you reserve and book your seats early to avoid disappointment. If the response to a trip is exceptional, this also helps us to decide where possible to put on another coach to ensure that no one misses out!

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JANUARY					
Thu 23 rd	SB AQ GB	McArthur Glen Outlet, Cannock The Sales are on! Discover over 55 brands at this unique shopping experience.	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP
FEBRUARY					
Mon 17 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare 1/2 Term Special Steeped with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£26.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£26.00 PP
Wed 19 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of the Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides!	£26.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£26.00 PP
Thu 27 th	SB AQ GB	Asbourne Derbyshire on Market Day Explore Ashbourne, with its winding cobbled streets, welcoming Market Place and handsome Tudor and Georgian heritage.	£26.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
MARCH					
Fri 14 th	SB AQ GB	Explore Shrewsbury - & it's Market Day! Encircled by a meandering loop of the River Severn, discover distinctive churches, Shrewsbury Castle, beautiful timber-framed houses and a sweeping riverside parkland, Quarry Park. Independent shops & an award wining market.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Tue 18 th	SB AQ GB	Wheelbarrow Castle & Valley Evesham Inc meal Enjoy a delicious fish & chips meal at this country pub followed by a visit to the ultimate countryside shopping/leisure destination of Valley Evesham.	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP
Thu 20 th	SB AQ GB	Croome Court Park Gardens Worcs & Worcester Inc Adm Daffodils' - They're the cheerful little trumpets that herald the arrival of spring. Head to the Shrubbery area of the estate where you'll find rows of the yellow tipped beauties to enjoy. See page 26 for more details.	£42.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£35.00 PP
Mon 24 th	SB	Bakewell on Market Day Pretty Peak District town that bustles with cafes, pubs, delis and shops and an award winning market.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tues 25 th	SB AQ GB	Ledbury Oozing culture, famous for its landmark black and white buildings, and brimming with creativity, Ledbury's stamp of individuality has made it a destination that keeps on giving.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 31 st	SB	The Black Boy Pub Knowle & Local Garden Centre Serving traditional fayre set within beautiful grounds alongside the Grand Union Canal. Serving amply portioned meals, plus real fire and garden. Afterwards on to the local garden centre.	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP
APRIL					
Tue 8 th	SB AQ GB	The Royal Oak Pub Broadwas, Worcs Inc meal Enjoy a delicious 2 course carvery in the beautiful country setting of Bromyard followed by a visit to Webbs of Wychbold.	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP

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APRIL					
Thu 10 th	SB	Plum Blossom Trail Tour & Valley Evesham Inc tour Explore the natural beauty the Vale in *full bloom on this wonderful guided blossom tour as the blossom explodes along the road sides of the Vale of Evesham.	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP
Sat 12 th	SB	Skegness A seaside resort that's small enough to offer a friendly atmosphere but large enough to provide hours of entertainment for all ages.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Mon 14 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of the Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Mon 14 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steepled with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Tues 15 th	SB	York or York Shopping Outlet & Kids play area Choose to explore the historic Cathedral City of York or save upto 60% at McArthur Glen Outlet - a must visit fashion and shopping destination. Home to 120 of your favourite designer brands. Kids can enjoy the soft play activities areas.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 16 th	SB AQ GB	Ludlow on Market Day Explore the medieval town to discover Stokesay & Ludlow Castle, St Laurence's Church, Clee Hills. Ludlow Market. Venture through the many lanes packed with antique, book & craft shops.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 21 st	SB AQ GB	Blackpool Britains favourite seaside resort is crammed with thrills and excitement, making every visit fun filled with adventure.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Tue 22 nd	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steepled with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 23 rd	SB AQ GB	Southport A traditional Victorian seaside town - but with a contemporary twist. It combines beautiful beaches, family attractions and the UK's oldest iron pier with fantastic shopping and a superb choice of restaurants.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Thu 24 th	SB AQ GB	Bodnant Gardens, Conwy (NT) Inc adm 'Azealas & Magnolias Visit one of the most beautiful gardens in the UK. With over 80 acres of gardens the magnolia & Azealia are stunning - A must for all garden lovers. See page 26 for more details.	£45.00 PP	£43.00 PP	£33.00 PP
Fri 25 th	SB AQ GB	Chester or Chester Zoo Coach only Choose the bewitching and unique atmosphere of Chester or Chester Zoo with over 20000 animals and 500 different species.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 26 th	SB AQ GB	Liverpool Enjoy Liverpool's icon waterfront and heritage. Bus & boat tours, Beatles experience, museums, quirky shops, inspiring architecture, this amazing city has it all and more.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£29.00 PP

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APRIL					
Wed 30 th	SB AQ GB	British Ironwork & Sculpture Park Oswestry Inc adm An award-winning destination, famous for incredible art, fabulous shopping, and extensive sculpture parks - the UKs largest collection of decorative metalwork, national projects, and beautiful finds from all over the world.	£32.00 PP	£32.00 PP	£23.00 PP
MAY					
Mon 5 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Victorian Extravaganza Featuring a Victorian street fair. Old time fair rides, fun stalls and steam engines. People dressed in Victorian costumes, street parades and entertainment each day for the whole family to enjoy.	£31.00 PP	£30.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 5 th	SB AQ GB	Blackpool Britains favourite seaside resort is crammed with thrills and excitement, making every visit fun filled with adventure.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 8 th	SB AQ GB	The March Hare Worcs & Webbs of Wychbold Inc meal Enjoy a 2-course carvery meal in a Worcester countryside setting, then onto Webbs of Wychbold.	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP
Mon 12 th	SB AQ GB	Cathedral City of Hereford Discover the historic heart of the county, hugged by the River Wye, the city boasts an imposing cathedral. Mappa Mundi, Museum of Cider, Black & White House Muesum, shops, cafes and more.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 13 th	SB	Melton Mowbray Discover Melton's bustling markets, quirky shops and unique events or retreat to the stunning countryside in the backdrop of Belvoir Castle. Steeped in history and heritage yet rich in variety, Melton has something for everyone to discover.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 15 th	SB	Tissington Well-Dressing & Ashbourne Come and experience the Tissington Village well dressing in Tissington Village, then onto Ashbourne with its winding cobbled streets, welcoming Market Place and handsome Tudor and Georgian heritage.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 20 th	SB	Moreton in Marsh & Stowe on Wold Fall in love with the Cotswolds, picturesque villages and vibrant market towns - First stop Moreton in the Marsh on Market day then onto Stow on the Wold.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 21 st	SB	Princess River Cruise Nottingham Inc Boat Trip & 2-Course meal Enjoy a 3hr leisurely cruise down the River Trent. Experience the river in all its seasonal glory whilst enjoying a delicious 2-course roast meal.	£52.00 PP	£52.00 PP	£52.00 PP
Thu 22 nd	SB	Waterperry Gardens, Oxford Inc Adm A magical place where you are surrounded by beautiful trees, shrubs and flowers, classical borders, modern planting, secret corners and long vistas. Plant centre, gift barn, gallery, museum and tea shop. See page 26 for details	£37.00 PP	£37.00 PP	£27.00 PP

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MAY					
Mon 26 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steepled with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 27 th	SB	Skegness A seaside resort that's small enough to offer a friendly atmosphere but large enough to provide hours of entertainment for all ages.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 28 th	SB AQ GB	West Midlands Safari Park Inc adm Home to some of the world's most beautiful and endangered exotic animal species. Safari Drive Through, theme park and more.	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£38.00 PP
Thu 29 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno via Horseshoe Pass Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides! Via the scenic Horseshoe Pass.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Fri 30 th	SB AQ GB	Chester/Chester Zoo (Coach Only) Choose the bewitching and unique atmosphere of Chester or Chester Zoo with over 20000 animals and 500 different species.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 31 st	SB AQ GB	Barmouth For that vintage seaside atmosphere of candy floss and donkey rides, pristine beaches - spend a lovely family day out in Barmouth.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

JUNE

Wed 4 th	SB AQ GB	Marsh Farm Abotts Bromley & Trentham Village Inc meal Enjoy a delicious 2-course meal in the Staffordshire Countryside followed by a visit to the Blue Diamond garden centre at Trentham Village.	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP
Thu 5 th	SB	Windsor Rich in history and royal tradition, Windsor is arguably one of Berkshire's prettiest towns. You will discover a lively town in a glorious riverside setting with great shopping.	£31.00 PP	£30.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Fri 6 th	SB	Stratford on Market Day Enter the super shopping world of the weird and wonderful with a range of stalls that include local makers, street food, cool junk, vintage & rare finds. Every Friday on Rother Street.	£24.00 PP	£24.00 PP	£24.00 PP
Tue 10 th	SB AQ GB	Abergavenny on Market Day This lovely market town has history and heritage in spades - explore castles, medieval mansions & Roman remains. Its vibrant market sells everything you could imagine. Then onto Monmouth.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 11 th	SB AQ GB	Tewkesbury Enjoy medieval streets and a lovely riverside setting. There are around 30 delightful alleyways remaining open today and take you on a journey of discovery by linking the main streets to the river and beyond.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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JUNE					
Thu 12 th	SB	Princess River Cruise Nottingham Inc Boat Trip & 2-Course meal Enjoy a 3hr river cruise down the River Trent. Experience the river in all its seasonal glory whilst enjoying a delicious 2-course roast meal.	£52.00 PP	£52.00 PP	£52.00 PP
Mon 23 rd	SB	Bakewell on Market Day Pretty Peak District town that bustles with cafes, pubs, delis and shops and an award winning market.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 24 th	SB AQ GB	Cardiff A great destination for all ages with plenty to offer, from arts and culture, to grand castles and epic food markets. Get inspired.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 26 th	SB AQ GB	Arley Hall Gardens, Cheshire Inc adm Rich in history and royal tradition, Windsor is arguably one of Berkshires prettiest towns. You will discover a lively town in a glorious riverside setting with great shopping. See page 27 for more details.	£40.00 PP	£38.00 PP	£31.00 PP
Sun 29 th	SB AQ GB	Coronation Street Tour & Salford Quays Inc adm A chance to join Weatherfield's finest and experience the magic of Coronation Street up close. Followed by free time at Salford Quays. Book early!	£74.00 PP	£74.00 PP	£55.00 PP
JULY					
Wed 2 nd	SB AQ GB	The Royal Oak Pub Broadwas, Worcs Inc meal Enjoy a delicious 2 course carvery in the beautiful country setting of Bromyard followed by a visit to Webbs of Wychbold.	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP
Sat 5 th	SB AQ GB	Swansea/Swansea Airshow Enjoy a fabulous day at Swansea besides the sea and the Airshow featuring breathtaking aerobatic displays, state of the art military aircraft and vintage planes from the past, entertainment and much more!	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 8 th	SB AQ GB	Gloucester Quays The perfect place for a great day out, explore the Victorian dock buildings, designer outlet shops, cosy cafes and fascinating museums!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 10 th	SB AQ GB	Bath Historic, beautiful and vibrant, Bath is overflowing with independent shops, galleries and museums. Are you ready to explore?	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 12 th	SB AQ GB	Southport A traditional Victorian seaside town - but with a contemporary twist. Combining beautiful beaches, family attractions with fantastic shopping and a superb choice of restaurants.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 15 th	SB	Moreton in Marsh & The Valley Evesham Spend the morning at the largest street market in the Cotswolds with many stalls selling virtually anything, Afterwards on the Valley Evesham.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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JULY					
Wed 16 th	SB	Cambridge Experience the extraordinary on the streets of Cambridge - brimming with learning, culture and discoveries.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 17 th	SB	Harrogate Visit a boutique spa town in the heart of Yorkshire. Its thriving streets buzz with busy Harrogate shops and eateries - and of course Betty's Tea Rooms.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 21 st	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steeped with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 22 nd	SB AQ GB	Afternoon Tea at Shrewsbury Cathedral & River Cruise Enjoy a fabulous 40 mins sailing down the river Severn on the Sabrina followed by afternoon tea at Shrewsbury Cathedral's Orchard Cafe Inc boat & meal.	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP
Thu 24 th	SB	Oxford Spend a perfect day in Oxford exploring the local hidden gems - Take a tour or a punt, visit a museum or college, the covered market, great shopping and eateries and so much more.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 26 th	SB	Wellesbourne Market Day Visit one of the UK's largest outdoor markets. There is a vibrant atmosphere where you can wander around all stalls and find some real bargains.	£24.00 PP	£24.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Tue 29 th	SB AQ GB	Liverpool Ferry Cross the Mersery Boat Trip Inc There's simply no better way to witness and enjoy Mersyde and Liverpool's icon waterfront and heritage - there's so much to enjoy in this amazing city .	£39.50 PP	£39.50 PP	£34.00 PP
Wed 30	SB	Leicester/National Space Centre Coach Only Heritage, Culture, great attractions and shopping all add up to a great day out or choose to visit the interactive Space Centre to discover the past, present & future.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 31 st	SB AQ GB	Barmouth For that vintage seaside atmosphere of candy floss and donkey rides, pristine beaches - spend a lovely family day out in Barmouth.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

AUGUST

Fri 1 st	SB	Bletchley Park Code Breakers Milton Keynes Inc adm Visit the once top secret home of the World War Code Breakers, now a vibrant heritage attraction in Milton Keynes.	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP	£41.00 PP
Sat 2 nd	SB	Skegness A seaside resort that's small enough to offer a friendly atmosphere but large enough to provide hours of entertainment for all ages.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 4 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steeped with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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AUGUST					
Tue 5 th	SB AQ GB	Shrewsbury River Cruise & Fish & Chips Inc Boat trip & Meal Enjoy a fabulous 40mins sailing down the river Severn on the Sabrina followed by a fish & chips lunch at the Loopy Shrew.	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP
Wed 6 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno via Horse Shoe Pass Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides! Via the scenic Horseshoe Pass.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 7 th	SB AQ GB	Barry Island Enjoy a thrill filled day at this natural treasure's seaside resort. New rides: dodgems, waltzers, plus one's for small children (and mum) teacup rides, trampolines, mini costers and pony rides.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Fri 8 th	SB AQ GB	Shrewsbury Flower Show Inc Entry or Shrewsbury Coach only Britain's premier Summer Flower Show. Set in the brilliant setting in the Quarry park, Shrewsbury's magnificent main park in the centre of town.	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP
Sat 9 th	SB AQ GB	Blackpool/Blackpool Air Show Britains favourite seaside resort is crammed with thrills and excitement, making every visit fun filled with adventure.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 11 th	SB	Whitby A town of contrasts - Fish and chips and ice cream; history and culture; vampires and Goths; one of North East's best loved seaside towns.	£33.00 PP	£31.00 PP	£26.00 PP
Tue 12 th	SB	Moreton in Marsh & Bibury Fall in love with the Cotswolds, picturesque villages and vibrant market towns - First stop Moreton in the Marsh on Market day then onto the beautiful village of Bibury.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 13 th	SB AQ GB	Chester or Chester Zoo Coach only Choose the bewitching and unique atmosphere of Chester or Chester Zoo with over 20000 animals and 500 different species.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 14 th	SB	Biddulph Grange, Staffs (NT) Inc adm A masterpiece of Victorian garden design - a quirky, playful paradise. The herbaceous borders are a riot of colour in the summer - a true NT gem! See page 27 for more details.	£41.00 PP	£40.00 PP	£30.00 PP
Fri 15 th	SB	Cotswold Wildlife Park & Gardens Inc adm only Take a walk on the WILD SIDE! Stroll around the Park and get eye to eye with giraffes, watch rhinos graze on the Gothic manor house lawns, walk with lemurs or take a ride on Bella the Train.	£43.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£35.00 PP
Sat 16 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 18 th	SB AQ GB	Southport A traditional Victorian seaside town - but with a contemporary twist. It combines beautiful beaches, family attractions and the UK's oldest iron pier with fantastic shopping and a superb choice of restaurants.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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AUGUST					
Tue 19 th	SB	Blenheim Palace - Palace, Park & Gardens Inc adm Explore Britain's Greatest Palace - explore the Park and Gardens and discover landscapes crafted by Lancelot 'Capability' Brown to form magnificent vistas of English countryside.	£72.00 PP	£72.00 PP	£47.00 PP
Wed 20 th	SB AQ GB	Barmouth For that vintage seaside atmosphere of candy floss and donkey rides, pristine beaches - spend a lovely family day out in Barmouth.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 21 st	SB AQ GB	Blists Hill Victorian Town Inc adm Step back in time to the dawn of the modern age. Experience what everyday life was like in 1900. Traditional games and lots more!	£43.00 PP	£42.00 PP	£35.00 PP
Sun 24 th	SB AQ GB	Rhyl home to a spectacular beach, family attractions and historical landmarks to explore - this North Wales resort has something for everyone! Rhyl Air Show tbc.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 25 th	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of the Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 25 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steeped with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 26 th	SB AQ GB	Blackpool Britains favourite seaside resort is crammed with thrills and excitement, making every visit fun filled with adventure.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 27 th	SB AQ GB	Barry Island Enjoy a thrill filled day at this natural treasure's seaside resort. New rides: dodgems, waltzers, plus one's for small children (and mum) teacup rides, trampolines, mini costers and pony rides.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 28 th	SB AQ GB	West Midlands Safari Park Inc adm Home to some of the world's most beautiful and endangered exotic animal species. Safari Drive Through, theme park and more.	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£38.00 PP
Fri 29 th	SB	Stratford on Market Day Enter the super shopping world of the weird and wonderful with a range of stalls that include local makers, street food, cool junk, vintage & rare finds. Every Friday on Rother Street.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP
Sat 30 th	SB	York/York Shopping Outlet & Kids Soft Play Area Choose to explore the historic Cathedral City of York or save up to 60% at McCarther Glen Outlet - a must visit fashion and shopping destination. Home to 120 of your favourite designer brands. Kids can enjoy the soft play activities areas.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sun 31 st	SB AQ GB	Treacle Market, Macclesfield Over 140+ amazing stalls filled with antiques, vintage and retro, handmade and craft, art and gifts, ceramics and candles, plants and woodwork and street food.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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SEPTEMBER					
Mon 1 st	SB	Bakewell on Market Day Pretty Peak District town that bustles with cafes, pubs, delis and shops and an award winning market.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 3 rd	SB	Windsor Rich in history and royal tradition, Windsor is one of Berkshire's prettiest towns. Discover a lively town in a glorious riverside setting with great shopping & more.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 4 th	SB AQ GB	Afternoon Tea at Marsh Farm Staffs & Trentham Village Enjoy a unique shopping experience with a collection of carefully selected shops at Trentham Shopping Village. Followed by afternoon tea at Marsh Farm in the picturesque village of Abbots Bromley.	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP
Tue 9 th	SB AQ GB	Shrewsbury River Cruise & Fish & Chips Inc Boat trip & Meal Enjoy a fabulous 40mins cruise sailing down the river Severn on the Sabrina followed by a fish & chips lunch at the Loopy Shrew.	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP	£48.00 PP
Wed 10 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steeped with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 11 th	SB AQ GB	Hay on Wye & Oak Church Farm Known as the town of books, but with medieval town walls, a popular market, and a gently flowing river there's so much more to discover. Afterwards onto Oak Church Farm.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 16 th	SB	Moreton in Marsh & Broadway, Cotswolds Spend the morning at the largest street market in the Cotswolds and pick up a bargain! Afterwards on the beautiful village of the Broadway.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 17 th	SB AQ GB	The Royal Oak Pub & Webbs Garden Centre Inc meal Enjoy a delicious 2-course carvery in the beautiful country setting of Bromyard followed by a visit to Webbs of Wychbold.	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP
Sun 21 st	SB AQ GB	Coronation Street Tour & Salford Quays Inc adm A chance to join Weatherfield's finest and experience the magic of Coronation Street up close. Followed by free time at Salford Quays. Book early!	£74.00 PP	£74.00 PP	£55.00 PP
Wed 24 th	SB	Newark, Notts An experience of English history through the ages alongside the river trent, explore a tempting array of antique shops, cafes, boutiques, eateries, castle, gardens & more.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 25 th	SB AQ GB	Spetchley Park Gardens, Worcs Inc adm A gentle lake and extensive countryside views, a walled garden so peaceful and grand trees to admire. Please see our Garden Highlights page 27 for more details.	£39.00 PP	£38.00 PP	£34.00 PP
Sat 27 th	SB AQ GB	Leek, Staffs An historic market town with a reputation for unusual shops, antiques, good food and award winning teasops.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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OCTOBER					
Thu 2 nd	SB	Slimbridge Wildlife Gloucestershire Inc adm The amazing wetlands - In Autumn the first migratory birds arrive and the reserve transforms into a patchwork of rich textures and colours.	£44.00 PP	£43.00 PP	£35.00 PP
Tue 7 th	SB	The Blackboy Pub, Solihull Inc meal Serving traditional fayre set within beautiful grounds alongside the Grand Union Canal . Serving amply portioned meals, plus real fire and Garden. Afterwards on to the local garden centre.	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£39.00 PP
Wed 8 th	SB AQ GB	Swindon McArthur Glen Outlet You will adore the quality mix of High St and Designer brands, reduced by up to 60 per cent, at over 90 top name stores.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 11 th	SB AQ GB	Blackpool Illuminations Blackpool annual razzle dazzle. Six miles of shimmering lights, the traditional lampshades share the limelight with fibre-optics, lasers and LED technology. A fantastic electrical extravaganza.	£29.50 PP	£28.50 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 15 th	SB AQ GB	Ludlow on Market Day Explore the medieval town to discover Stokesay & Ludlow Castle, St Laurence's Church, Clee Hills. Ludlow Market. Venture through the many lanes packed with antique, book & craft shops.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 16 th	SB	Valley Evesham & Nottcuts Garden Centre Shopping made easy with 25 shops, a fabulous garden centre, eateries all set in the beautiful Worcestershire countryside. Then onto Nottcuts offering a fantastic range of plants and stunning displays.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 22 nd	SB AQ GB	Southport A traditional Victorian seaside town - but with a contemporary twist. It combines beautiful beaches, family attractions and the UK's oldest iron pier with fantastic shopping and a superb choice of restaurants.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 23 rd	SB	Thenford Arboretum, Banbury Inc adm 70 acres of spectacular autumn brilliance - More than 3,000 different trees in particular, the fine collections of oaks and maples are put on a striking autumn show at the home of Lord and Lady Heseltine. Afterwards onto a local Garden Centre.	£49.50 PP	£48.50 PP	£35.00 PP
Mon 27 th	SB AQ GB	Blackpool Britains favourite seaside resort is crammed with thrills and excitement, making every visit fun filled with adventure.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 28 th	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Steeped with Victorian history and dominated by a long stretches of glorious beach, The Grand Pier fairground rides, and donkeys and so much more!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 29 th	SB	Leicester/National Space Centre Coach Only Heritage, Culture, great attractions and shopping all add up to a great day out or choose to visit the interactive Space Centre to discover the past, present & future.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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Fri 31 st	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of the Welsh seaside resort - sand, sea, pier and lots more besides!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
NOVEMBER					
Sat 1 st	SB	Wellesbourne Market Visit one of the UK's largest outdoor markets. There is a vibrant atmosphere where you can wander around all stalls and find some real bargains.	£24.00 PP	£24.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Tue 4 th	SB AQ GB	Boundary Mill Outlet Walsall Festive Shopper Large outlet store showcasing quality fashion and homeware brand names at discounted prices - plus an extra SALE discounts.	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Thu 13 th	SB	Chatsworth House at Christmas & Market Inc adm Soak up the festive atmosphere and admire Chatsworth decorated for Christmas - an unforgettable festive celebration in Derbyshire's Peak District.	£64.00 PP	£64.00 PP	£64.00 PP
Thu 20 th	SB AQ GB	Chester Festive Shopper The city's historic streets are made all the more magical with festive lighting and decorations - making Chester the perfect place to embrace the festive season.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Sat 22 nd	SB AQ GB	Cardiff Christmas Market A real highlight in the Welsh capital during the festive season all you would expect and more including an eclectic selection of arts and crafts, with some tasty food and alcohol producers,	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 26 th	SB AQ GB	McArthur Glen Outlet, Cannock Festive gifts and treats - Discover over 55 brands at this unique shopping experience.	£23.00 PP	£23.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 29 th	SB AQ GB	Liverpool Festive Shopper Boasting 200 high-quality stalls, the markets remain some of the largest in the West Midlands, promising a truly special festive shopping experience.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£22.00 PP
DECEMBER					
Tue 9 th	SB AQ GB	Star Christmas Party - Ye Olde Punch Bowl Bridgnorth Inc meal Join us for a warm festive cheer - a fun packed day to include, a 3-course sumptuous Christmas fayre, live entertainment and a charity raffle.	£47.00 PP	£47.00 PP	£47.00 PP
Wed 10 th	SB AQ GB	Star Christmas Party - Ye Olde Punch Bowl Bridgnorth Inc meal Join us for a warm festive cheer - a fun packed day to include, a 3-course sumptuous Christmas fayre, live entertainment and a charity raffle.	£47.00 PP	£47.00 PP	£47.00 PP
Sat 13 th	SB	Stratford Christmas Market Boasting 200 high-quality stalls, promising a truly special festive shopping experience.	£28.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£25.00 PP

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REVIEWS

2025 Shared Experiences

Whitby

I thoroughly recommend this trip. This was my first outing with Star Coaches, and I immediately booked more!

The coach was comfortable with plenty of legroom - I'm 6'2" 18 Stone! I saw the famous Abbey, Captain Cook Museum and had proper fresh fish & chips sit down lunch at Trencher's (not included). The journey across the North York Moors was beautiful!

Lunch at The Spotgate Inn and Trentham Gardens Shopping Village

I enjoyed a hearty 2 course meal (included) at The Spotgate Inn. Followed by over 2 hours at the Trentham Shopping Village. I thoroughly recommend this trip.

Liverpool

A good journey which meant we arrived in Liverpool in 2 hours, allowing for plenty of time to do some sightseeing (Albert Docks area, the Beatles Story Museum, the Tate etc) or shopping. There's so much to do in Liverpool, I will go again. I booked in advance the official Beatle Magical Mystery 2-hour tour run by The Cavern Club (not included) which rounded off a perfect day.

Shrewsbury River Cruise & Ploughman's Lunch

This was my fourth day out in two weeks with Stars Coaches. I enjoyed an hour and a half of sightseeing, followed by an informative 45-minutes river cruise. After which I tucked in to a delicious ploughman's lunch at the River View Café (included). Another 2 hours free time was allowed to take in more sightseeing or shopping if preferred.

Review by: David T Streetly.

On behalf of all the staff at Star Coaches we'd like
to take this opportunity to wish all our customers

a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

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When booking STAR's excursions, you are agreeing to the following Terms & Conditions stated:

1. Should you cancel - If you or any members of your group cancel your excursion at any time, then the person who booked the excursion must deal with the cancellation. Entry/Admission, once purchased by the company will not be refunded.

Cancellation charges:

Within 14 days prior to departure date – NO REFUND and will not be transferable to another excursion. 15 – 28 days prior to departure date – Monies will be transferred into your 'client' account and to be used within six (6) months.

Over 28 days – FULL REFUND less deposit (excluding the cost of attraction/show ticket/meal that have already been purchased for your excursions) OR option to transfer to another excursion to the same value or pay the difference if the excursion is higher in value EXCEPT entry/admission tickets, once purchased by the company will not be refunded.

2. If STAR cancel – It is necessary, that we meet the minimum load factor for an excursion to be viable to run. This is decided 2-weeks prior to departure or if the number drop significantly after this period. STAR COACHES will provide the options of a FULL REFUND or transfer to another excursion.
3. Payment – We accept most major cards over the phone or in the office. You may choose to pay in full at the time of booking or pay a £10pp deposit, the balance MUST be paid at least 2 weeks prior to departure. Please note the automated system may cancel bookings that are without payment or outstanding balances without notice.
4. Seat Allocation – We will make every effort to reserve a particular seat on the coach; we offer no guarantee that the passenger has the seat in question on the day of departure. We use a standard seating plan for all bookings, though on a few occasions we experience a high demand for places on our tours which may exceed our coach seating capacity, where possible a larger vehicle will be used, and we will make reasonable efforts to meet your original seat allocation. Allocations are made on a first come, first serve basis.
5. WHEELCHAIRS/WALKERS/PUSHCHAIRS: Please notify us at the time of booking if a wheelchair OR aid needs to be transported.
6. Lost Property - The Company accept no liability for items left on our vehicles.
7. Seat Belts - Must always be worn when the vehicle is in motion.
8. No Alcohol/smoking/vaping - (Requirement by law) to be consumed on our coaches. Due to copyright laws, music and videos can't be played whilst passengers are on the coach.
9. Itineraries - All excursions and itineraries are subject to change without prior notice. Customer mobile numbers will be useful in cases of delays.
10. Missed departures We will not be liable for any additional costs or losses you may incur as a result of you missing the departure of the coach, on the outward or return journey. Please arrive at your boarding point at least 15 minutes prior to the scheduled depart (out and return) on your day trip.
11. Comfort Stops - Please return to the coach punctually within the time allowed for the stop. Star Cars & Coaches or their coach providers shall not be obliged to hold up the coach to wait for you.

2025 TRAVELLERS CHARTER

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HOLIDAY TRAVELLERS CHARTER

The Travellers Charter sets out clearly and simply the responsibilities which we have to you and which in turn you have to us when a contract is made between us. Your contract is with Star Cars and Coaches Limited.

PARTIES TO THE CONTRACT

In this charter the Company shall mean Star Cars and Coaches Limited and the Passenger shall mean the persons being carried by Star Cars and Coaches Limited or persons for whom the Company makes any travel arrangements.

OUR COMMITMENT TO YOU - WE RESERVE YOUR HOLIDAY

When you make your booking with us, accompanied by the required deposit, you have indicated that you agree to buy that holiday, tour or excursion with us. The Company will assume that the person making the booking with us has the authority to act on behalf of all others contained within that booking. Any persons attempting to reserve a holiday should be aware of the binding nature of the contract conditions, and should fully understand them before committing to it.

WE CONFIRM YOUR BOOKING

The Company's acceptance of the booking shall be indicated by the issue of a Booking Confirmation normally within 7 days of the receipt by us of the deposit. This confirmation which contains all the relevant details of the holiday reserved will be sent either directly to the address of the first named passenger on the booking or the passengers' Booking Agent. It is the passenger's responsibility to ensure that the details included on the Booking Confirmation meet with their requirements in every respect and to notify the Company immediately if that is not the case. By the issue of its Booking Confirmation the Company confirms its intention, subject to there being sufficient numbers of bookings for an economical operation, to provide you with the holiday as booked in accordance with the Itinerary published in the brochure.

SPECIAL REQUESTS

If you have any special requests which are not included in the holiday price i.e. low floor or special diets etc., you MUST include this request at the time of booking and ensure that it is noted on the Booking Confirmation when received. Your request will be passed on to the hotel(s) concerned, however we cannot guarantee that they will be able to comply. The Company will not therefore accept any booking which is conditional upon a special request being satisfied.

PRICE PROMISE

The Company guarantees that once you have received our booking confirmation the price of your holiday will not be increased to cover currency fluctuations. We do reserve the right to change brochure prices and promise to advise you of any changes at the time of booking.

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE No: 0121 373 1111

The Company maintains this emergency telephone line, which is usually manned 24 hours per day. The number is printed at the top of your Booking Confirmation and should be used to report any problem before or during the holiday. This facility could be particularly helpful to passengers who experience a problem on the day of departure. Please make a note of this number and keep it safe, it could prevent unnecessary worry and hassle.

IF WE CHANGE YOUR HOLIDAY

The arrangements for your holiday are usually made many months in advance and changes are sometimes unavoidable. Most of these changes are likely to be minor and we and our representatives will endeavour to keep you informed. However, where before departure we have to alter significantly an essential term in this contract such as price, (if price changes are allowed in the contract), resort, quality of main hotel (not including overnight hotels on touring holidays), or tour Itinerary changes involving a destination being eliminated, we will notify you of the change as soon as possible. In such circumstances you will be given the following options.

- a) to accept the changes to the contract
- b) to take a substitute holiday of equivalent or superior quality if we are able to offer you one
- c) to take a substitute holiday of lower quality if we are able to offer you one and to recover from us the price difference between the substitute and original holidays
- d) to have repaid to you as soon as possible all the monies paid by you under the contract.

IF WE CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

It is necessary in order to operate any holiday that a certain level of passenger numbers are achieved. If this number is not achieved before the balance due date the holiday may be cancelled and an alternative holiday offered at a discounted price. You will then have the choice of accepting this alternative or receiving a refund of all monies paid in respect of your booking. The Company guarantees that under no circumstances will the cost (including the discount) of any specific alternative holiday offered exceed that of the original holiday even though the alternative offered may be of superior quality. The Company undertakes not to cancel any holiday after the balance due date except (i) where you have not paid the full amount due, or (ii) as a result of unusual or unforeseeable circumstances beyond our control, the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all due care had been exercised.

LUGGAGE RESTRICTIONS

Our Coaches have plenty of space for everyone to bring along a suitcase and a piece of hand luggage. Please be sensible about how much you pack. The general guide is no more than 15 kilos, but in reality, if you can't lift it, we probably can't either.

Additionally, there is only limited space for Wheelchairs and Walking Aid's so please let us know if you need to bring any of these aids so we can make sure there's room on the coach. Restrictions apply. We cannot accept electric scooters / buggies.

YOUR COMMITMENT TO US MAKING THE BOOKING AND PAYING A DEPOSIT

By completing a booking and paying the stated deposit shown against each holiday, you are binding all persons included to the terms of this Travellers Charter. Any deposits paid against each holiday is non-refundable.

PAYING THE BALANCE OF THE HOLIDAY

The balance outstanding on any holiday is due 6 weeks prior to departure. Any booking received after the payment due date must be paid for in full. No reminders will be sent.

IF YOU CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

Please note deposits paid on holidays are non-refundable. You can cancel your holiday in writing at any time. If you cancel your holiday less than 42 days before your travel date and if we are able to re-sell your holiday we will repay monies paid less your non refundable deposit, plus £30 per person administration charge. We strongly recommend that travel insurance is taken out at the time of booking to cover you in the event of cancellation leading up to and during your holiday. Alternatively you have the right to transfer the booking to another person provided that they satisfy all the conditions applicable to the package and that you give the Company at least 7 days notice of your intention to do so. Both you and the person to whom you transfer the booking will be responsible for payment of any outstanding monies and in addition there will be an administration fee of £30 for each person substituted.

IF YOU CHANGE YOUR BOOKING

Minor changes prior to the balance due date such as additional requests, joining point amendments etc. necessitating the issue of a new Booking Confirmation will be allowed subject to the payment of an £8 per person amendment fee. After the balance due date whilst we will attempt to accommodate minor changes on the same basis, no guarantee can be given. For major changes such as transfer to a different holiday or departure date after the balance due date we reserve the right to treat such changes as cancellations and levy the cancellation charges as set out in the "If you cancel your holiday" section of the contract.

IF YOU WISH TO COMPLAIN

In the unlikely event that you or any member of your party have cause for complaint about any aspect of your holiday, it is essential that our driver/courier or representative is informed immediately and given the opportunity of resolving the problem. If this is not possible you must instead contact our office on 0121-373 1111. We will issue you with a reference number which should be quoted in any correspondence regarding the complaint which must be sent within 28 days of your return from holiday to us at Star Cars and Coaches Limited, 718 Chester Road, Erdington, Birmingham B23 5TE.

CONDITIONS OF CARRIAGE

Air and sea carriers have their own conditions of carriage and when you travel with them as part of your holiday you will also have a contract with them based upon those conditions which may permit them to limit their liability to you under national law or international convention. Copies of these conditions are available from the Company upon request.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS ETC.

You are responsible for ensuring that all your travel documents are valid for the relevant journey, e.g. passports, visas etc. Where the journey is through a country with rules concerning minimum or maximum amounts of foreign currency carried in or out of the country, you must comply with such rules.

DATA PROTECTION STATEMENT

In order to process your booking and to ensure that your travel arrangements run smoothly and meet your requirements we 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 provided to public authorities such as customs/immigration if required by them, or as required by law.

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