## 2024 HOLIDAYS & DAY TRIPS





\*FREE Door to Door Holidays \*No Single Supplement New Day Trip Joining Point Easy Payment Options







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## WELCOME

2024 is a New Year, offering us all 12 months of adventure, fun and joy to look forward to - we certainly deserve it!

Between these pages you will hopefully find many reasons to meet up with family and friends, take a seasonal break, share a meal, swap stories and have some fun!

We're pleased and proud to share STAR's 2024's UK breaks and excursion opportunities to explore Britain's rich heritage displayed through its palaces and castles, bustling classical cities, towns, cosy villages, traditional pubs, shopping havens, markets, beautiful gardens and seaside's.

Whether you are a single 'explorer', part of a group or family, there's something here for everyone that will suit every taste and budget.

We hope that our brochure will act as your essential 2024 guide that will inspire and encourage you to plan ahead and safely step out with Star Coaches where we're looking forward to welcoming you aboard.

Call 0121 350 5555 our dedicated team are waiting to take your call.

See it, book it, love it!

Jackie

#### **Booking Your STAR Adventure is Easy!**

Once you have chosen your holiday, booking is easy! Call us on 01213505555, visit us at our offices 718 Chester Road Erdington or book online at www.travelwithstar.co.uk

#### Your Booking Journey:

- Provisional bookings are held without obligation for 7 days.
- To confirm your booking a £60 pp deposit is required for all coach holidays and £10pp for all day trips. We highly recommend you take travel insurance to protect your holiday.
- Payments can be made by cash, debit, and credit cards.
- The final balance for your holiday is payable 8 weeks prior to the holiday departure date or 14 days prior for day trips. Due dates and amounts are shown on your confirmation invoice.
- · You will receive your Final Holiday Travel Pack 10 to 14 days prior to your holiday. This will contain luggage labels, your home pick-up time, and any extra information regarding your holiday.
- On the day of your holiday, pack your case and wait for the doorbell to ring.

### Your holidays all include:

\*Free Door to Door Service • Return Coach Travel Dinner Bed & Breakfast • En-suite Facilities Entertainment • \*2/3 Excursions Terms & Conditions Apply

## WHAT'S NEW in 2024?

We are excited to share the following new changes to encourage you to step out on a STAR Coaches Holiday or Excursion in 2024 - including new holiday excursions, new day trip destinations, you'll find many reasons to be cheerful, to make new friends, share time, swap stories, have fun and to save money!

The more you book,	the more you save!
300k 1 holiday	Receive a £10pp Discount
300k 2 holidays	Receive a £15pp Discount
Book 3 holidays	Receive a £20pp Discount

Enjoy \*Single Supplement FREE Holidays and of course FREE Door to Door Pick-Up.

#### **Group Benefits**

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Days Out - Ask us about 'Group Benefits' Book a group of 14+ receive a FREE local pick-up/drop off (Subject to vehicular access) Book 20+ and get 1 FREE Seat NB Entry charge still applies.

#### Book any day trip online and save £1:00 per person.

Holidays - There are great savings to be made off our brochure prices: Book 11-20 full paying passengers and receive 50% off the basic holiday cost for 1 person. Book 21 - 30 and receive 1 FREE place or book 31 - 40 and receive 2 FREE places

#### Choose how you pay

Book your chosen Holiday or Day Trip, pay your deposit/s and to help manage your money you may choose to pay towards your balance weekly, monthly or by the due date.

#### **Additional Joining Point**

As well as Star Base (SB) and Holy Name Church Great Barr (GB) We've added an extra joining point at the Asda Queslett (AQ) No 5 Bus Layby Queslett Rd which is opposite Warwick Butchers.

#### Earn points towards personal taxi hire

Download the STAR CARS App from Pay Store (Android phone) or Apple Store (iPhone) and regardless of which payment option you choose, you'll receive 2 points for every £1 you spend. When you've accumulated 100 points in your wallet, you'll get £2.50 FREE credit towards taxis which you can use straight away or save up for a special journey.

#### The many benefits of booking a Star Taxi using your mobile phone include:

- Receive text Confirmation Receive details of the vehicle collecting you • Amend your booking details • Track your vehicle to know exactly where it is • Earn points

## THE STAR EXPERIENCE

## 2024 DIARY DATES at a Glance

Star Coaches is the 21-year-old sister of the much older Star Cars - the largest Private Hire Fleet in north Birmingham.

We believe your holiday starts from home, so we've included our \*FREE door to door service as part of your ticket price.

Every tour or excursion departs from our office with holiday departures going directly to your destination - this gives you the maximum amount of time away and the minimum time travelling, and we will always include comfort stops along the way.

Our coach holidays 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 overriding all other considerations.

Drivers are friendly, knowledgeable and helpful - driving vehicles specifically designed for touring which will add to your ultimate comfort whilst travelling. Vehicles are air-conditioned, have reclining belted seats, WC and on-board facilities such as drinks preparation area, TV/DVD player.

Combine this with their light airy interiors and unparalleled smoothness of ride and you'll arrive at your destinations as fresh and relaxed as you were at the start.

#### Luggage

We ask our drivers to take care of you but there's something that you can bear in mind to look after them... Please be mindful of how much you put into your suitcase as the driver and porters must be able to safely lift them. Luggage weight allowance is 15 kilo or 34lbs and only 1 medium suitcase per person.

#### Wheelchairs/Scooters

We're happy to take folding wheelchair which would be stored in the luggage compartment, however due to space restrictions we are limited to 2 wheelchairs and 1 Scooter per tour. Please note scooters are very heavy and can only be taken if the passenger is able to handle, fold and lift it on and off the vehicle. As an alternative, we would always recommend hiring mobility aids at your given resort.

#### 'Seat Only' bookings

Take advantage of our holidays to visit family and friends! Book a 'Seat Only' on any of our holidays to travel to and from a resort. These can be booked from 8 weeks in advance of the departure date.

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Depart	Resort	Hotel	Theme	Duration	£pp
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar	TORQUAY	Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa	Cosy	5-Days	£419.00
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Mar	LLANDUDNO	Marlborough Hotel	Winter Warmer	5-Days	£389.00
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Mar	PAIGNTON	Palace Hotel	Cosy	5-Days	£389.00
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> Apr	EASTBOURNE	Haddon Hall Hotel	Spring	5-Days	£359.00
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> May	SIDMOUTH	Kingswood Hotel	A Star favourite	6-Days	£569.00*
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> May	BABBACOME	Anchorage Hotel	NEW	5-Days	£429.00
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> May	ISLE of WIGHT	Trouville Hotel	Visit Osborne House	6-Days	£519.00
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> Jun	POOLE	Thistle Hotel	Pool Harbour	5-Days	£549.00
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> Jun	PAIGNTON	Queens Hotel	Summer	5-Days	£499.00
Sun 7 <sup>th</sup> Jul	MINEHEAD	Northfield Hotel	NEW	5-Days	£549.00
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Jul	TENBY	Clarence House Hotel	NEW	5-Days	£529.00
Sat 27 <sup>th</sup> Jul	EASTBOURNE	Haddon Hall Hotel	New Excursions	8-Days	£629.00
Sun 28th Jul	WEYMOUTH	Crown Hotel	A Star Favourite	7-Days	£599.00
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> Aug	BABBACOMBE	Anchorage Hotel	NEW	8-Days	£629.00
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> Aug	ISLE of WIGHT	Trouville Hotel	Visit Osborne House	7-Days	£629.00
Sun 18th Aug	BOURNEMOUTH	Suncliffe Hotel	A Star Favourite	6-Days	£529.00
Sun 25th Aug	LLANDUDNO	Marlborough Hotel	Facing Pier	6-Days	£529.00
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Aug	LYTHAM ST ANNES	Inn on the Prom	Over looks Irish Sea	5-Days	£489.00
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> Sep	EXMOUTH	Royal Beacon Hotel	NEW	5-Days	£439.00
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Sep	SCOTLAND	Rob Roy Hotel	NEW	5-Days	£510.00
Thu 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	GRANGE OVER SANDS	Cumbria Grand Hotel	Autumn Special	5-Days	£489.00
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	EASTBOURNE	Haddon Hall Hotel	½ Price Bar	5-Days	£419.00
Tue 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	SIDMOUTH	Kingswood Hotel	A Star Favourite	5-Days	£459.00*
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> Oct	TORQUAY	Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa	A Star Favourite	5-Days	£439.00
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	PAIGNTON	Palace Hotel	Turkey Tinsel	5-Days	£429.00
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	LLANDUDNO	Marlborough Hotel	Turkey Tinsel	5-Days	£429.00
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	EASTBOURNE	Lansdowne Hotel	Turkey Tinsel	5-Days	£429.00
Mon 23 <sup>ed</sup> Dec	BABBACOMBE	Anchorage Hotel	XMAS Special	5-Days	£585.00

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## 6 LLANDUDNO The Queen of Welsh resorts

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?

Llandudno is bursting at the seams with things to see and do - take the San Franciscan-style tramway or alpine cable car to the summit of the Great Orme Country Park, soak up the dizzy views then disappear underground at the prehistoric copper mines.

I landudno is one of the finest traditional seaside resorts in the world!

# PAIGNTON Devon Delights

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 awardwinning sandy beaches and first-class attractions!

#### Your Hotel:

The 3-starred Marlborough is a monument to Victorian times. Tastefully modernised throughout serving fresh, home-cooked food. The lounge bar offers a range of wines, beers and spirits. Enjoy relaxing in the wonderful sun lounge taking in the glorious views.



Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sun 25 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov
5 days	6 days	5 days
4 nights	5 nights	4 nights
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£389.00pp	£529.00pp	£429.00pp
We highly recommend travel insurance to protect your holiday.		





#### **Excursions:**

Conwy - One of Britain's best-preserved medieval towns and then onto Bodnant Garden Nursery Shop, Gift shop, Gallery and Tea Room.

Explore the beautiful Villages of Betws-y-Coed and Llanberis - from the Official Gateway to Snowdonia to the heart of Snowdon.

#### 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\* (Jul) Hotel is on a Level location and is just 200 yards from Paignton town centre shops and seafront.



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#### **Excursions:**

Buckfast Abbey - home to the Benedictine Monks and Dartmoor National Park - Wild, open moorlands and deep river valleys, rare wildlife. Afterwards on to Dartmouth.

Plymouth - Britain's ocean city.

## 8 **EASTBOURNE** Elegance of the South Downs

A traditional seaside town famous for its lush rolling landscape, set between the green hills of the South Downs, the White Cliffs of Sisters, stunning beaches and for being the sunniest town in Britain 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!

## TORQUAY The English Riviera

its sandy beaches, family attractions and genteel international marina, sandy beach and

#### Your Hotels:

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

3\* Lansdowne Hotel (Dec) Seafront location overlooking the Western Lawns and Beachy Head



Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Sat 27 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec
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£359.00pp	£629.00pp	£419.00pp	£429.00pp
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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.

#### Your Hotel:

A stone's throw from Torquay's seafront, enjoy 4\* luxury at the Belgrave Sands Hotel & Spa enjoy elegant and comfortable en-suite rooms, fine dining experience and nightly entertainment.





Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> Oct
5 days	5 days
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£419.00pp	£439.00pp
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#### **Excursions:**

Visit the maritime **Plymouth** and take a delightful harbour cruise.

Departing from the Mayflower Steps.

Dartmouth - the beautiful harbour town located on the banks of the River Dart.

## 10 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:

The 3\* Trouville is 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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Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Aug 6 days 7 days 5 nights 6 nights HBB HBB £629.00pp £519.00pp We highly recommend travel insurance to protect your holiday

#### **Excursions:**

Osborne House - a visit to Queens 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).

## SIDMOUT 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.

'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

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

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

#### Your Hotel:

Kingswood & Devoran

Set on the esplanade overlooking the beach, a 3\* 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.



Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> May	Tue 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
6 days	5 days
5 nights	4 nights
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£569.00pp *	£459.00pp *
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#### **Excursions:**

Exeter - Explore a city brimming with history and heritage, a small city that Packs a big punch.

Exmouth - Where the River Exe meets the sea traditional seaside entertainment and more.

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round it's the ideal location to enjoy the best of

#### Your Hotel:

The 3\* Anchorage Hotel is located just a few minutes' walk away from the many beautiful beaches in South Devon. Babbacombe really is the best place to unwind and relax! There's a heated outdoor pool which is open from May through to early September for you to enjoy -Perfect for the relaxing break you deserve.



Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> Dec
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£429.00pp	£629.00pp	£585.00pp
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#### **Excursions:**

Journey round the coastline to the seaside town of Sidmouth - explore the pebbled beach, gardens, cafes, boutiques, shops, museum, parks and more.

Today's trip takes us south along the coast to the picturesque harbour town of **Dartmouth** on the River Dart.

# **POOLE** Jewel of the south

Take in the sights of Poole's beautiful old town, just a couple of minutes' walk from the quay, it was part of the medieval town and some building still survive. The free entry Poole Museum, along with a host of guided walks and trails, bring the town's rich pirate and merchant history to life.

With golden sands, a glorious coastline, magical island hideaways and award-winning parks and gardens, create your own unique adventure in Poole,

#### Your Hotel:

The Pool Quay Hotel located on the Quay overlooking Poole Harbor. A family-friendly hotel with 2 bars, a spacious terrace and an award-winning restaurant. The bedrooms all have Wi-Fi access, tea/coffee facilities and a private bathroom with a hairdryer. Many rooms feature scenic harbour views.





Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> June
5 days
4 nights
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#### **Excursions:**

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Pool Harbour boat trip - Enjoy a cruise around Europe's largest natural Harbour.

Weymouth - Golden sands, fish n' chips, and a picturesque harbour is the perfect place for a quintessentially seaside day out.

## 14 WEYMOUTH 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!

## MINEHEAD Serene Somerset

Minehead is a bustling seaside town on the edge of Exmoor. Explore the beautiful sandy beach, pretty harbour and high street busy with shops and cafes. There's a 14th Century church on the hill and the much-photographed historic Church Steps. Or just take a seat and watch the world go by in the flower-filled Blenheim Gardens or on the seafront.

Minehead has long been known as "The gateway to Exmoor" it's a beautiful place to explore at any time of the year!

#### Your Hotel:

The charm and character of the Crown 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.



Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> Jul
7 days
6 nights
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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.

#### Your Hotel:

The 3-star Northfield Hotel is nestled between the Exmoor coast and Exmoor National Park, set in nearly 2 acres of landscaped gardens reputed to have been laid out by Gertrude Jekyll. Free Wi-Fi is provided in each room as well as a flat-screen TV and en suite bath or shower.





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#### **Excursions:**

Steam Train Trip from Minehead to Bishops Lydeard - travel through the beautiful countryside.

The Historic market town of Taunton, Somerset offering a fantastic variety of things to do - heritage attractions and boutique shopping to more relaxing country walks.

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# TENBY Pembrokeshire Coast

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.

Tenby is probably the most iconic and well -visited seaside town in Wales,

Steeped in ancient history and surround by an imposing medieval stone wall. Tenby offers each and every visitor an unforgettable time.

## 17 LYTHAM ST ANNES 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 eves and picture the perfect beach with 5 miles of glimmering sands.

#### Your Hotel:

Beach, Caldev Island and Giltar Point. The



Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Jul		
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#### **Excursions:**

St Davids and Haverfordwest - visit Britain's smallest cathedral city and home to a wide selection of historic attractions and the ruins of The Bishop's Palace.

Discover and explore **Camarthen**, the oldest town in Wales - Sitting on the banks of the River Tywi.

#### Your Hotel:

The 3\* Inn on the Prom is 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.



Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Aug		
5 days		
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#### **Excursions:**

Heritage city of Lancaster - vibrant, quirky and captivating present. A creative, independent city with great stories to tell.

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



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:

The 3\* Suncliff Hotel 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.





#### Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Aug 6 days 5 nights HBB £529.00pp We highly recommend travel insurance to protect your holiday.

#### Excursions:

**Weymouth** - A destination which enjoys the sunniest climate in the UK. Blue flat beaches and the prettiest harbour.

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

## 19 EXMOUTH The Jurassic Coast of

There really is nothing like strolling along the longest seafront in Devon. Whether you're after a breath of fresh air, you're keen to do a bit of people watching (exactly what the promenade was used for in Victorian Times) or you just want to drink in the beautiful vistas - No matter the time of year, there's always something happening on the seafront. Watch kite surfers soar, enjoy a variety of seaside amusements, stop for a cuppa, or listen to the regular musical performances that take place on this coastal wonder! Exmouth is a lively town situated on the east coast of Devon where the River Exe meets the sea. Widely believed to be Britain's oldest seaside resort, for generations Exmouth has attracted holidaymakers from far and wide.

#### Your Hotel:

The 3\* Royal Beacon Hotel - the Regal connection! Experience coast luxury, enjoy spectacular views of the Jurassic Coast, this charming hotel is an elegant landmark in Exmouth. Contemporary and regency style decor, emphasizing comfort and relaxation - A hotel for all seasons'.









#### **Excursions:**

**Exeter** - A small city that packs a big punch! Exeter Cathedral · Exeter Quay · Royal Albert Memorial Museum and Art Gallery.

**Plymouth** - Rain or Shine, Britain's Ocean City - Explore the waterfront or shop until you drop,

## 20 SCOTLAND Gateway to the Trossachs Aberfoyle

#### The village is without doubt the most important gateway to the Trossachs and has something for everyone, including those people who love old mysteries. The picturesque village is just 1 mile from the Hotel and is host to three visitor centres, The Scottish Wool Centre, The David Marshall Lodge and the Scottish Discovery Centre.

Aberfoyle is a charming village on the banks of the River Forth in the magnificent Queen Elizabeth Forest Park.

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 3\* Rob Roy Hotel is situated at the gateway to the Trossachs in beautiful countryside where one of Scotland's most famous rogue's "Rob Roy McGregor" once roamed. All the ensuite bedrooms are tastefully decorated, mostly showers. TV, central heating and beverage tray.



5 days

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£510.00pp

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#### **Excursions:**

Enjoy a scenic circular cruise on board the Steamship Sir Walter Scott.

An hour tour of the Loch Lomond's south basin. Followed by a tour of Glengoyne Distillery.

Tour of the **Glenturret Distillery** – incorporating 1 whiskey taste.

## 21 GRANGE OVER SANDS Steam & Cruise the Lakes

Your Hotel:

rooms enjoy commanding views over the bay.

Thu 10<sup>th</sup> Oct

5 days

HBB

£489.00pp





#### **Excursions:**

Enjoy a \*steam railway journey offering beautiful views of the Leven Valley. A delightful cruise along the Lake Windermere and some free time in the picture postcard Victorian town of Bowness.

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



There's always a season and a reason to enjoy a great Star Coaches break... 5 days or more, 2024 is your time to choose from one of the many timeless, classic destinations 'nestled' between the pages of your essential holiday guide.

Torquay	Llandudno	Paignton
Eastbourne	Babbacombe	Isle of Wight

Summer – Long sandy beaches, the warming summer breeze, and the chance to spend time with family and friends are just a few reasons to take a Star break and fall in love with this season. Where will you go?

Poole	Paignton	Minehead
Tenby	Eastbourne	Weymouth
Babbacombe	Llandudno	Bournemouth

Autumn - Misty mornings and kicking up the leaves surrounded by a glorious explosion of
colour means its autumn, the perfect time for a star holiday. Book today:

Exmouth	Aberfoyle,Scotland	Lake District	
Sidmouth	Eastbourne	Torquay	

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 break. Get on board:

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You can enjoy a Star holiday whatever the season - and there's never been a better time to book your favourite staycation!

## WE'LL GET YOU THERE Whatever...

We want you to travel with us whether by taxi or coach for a day trip or holiday, so we're determined to make your experience with us as hassle free as possible.

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## 2024 CHRISTMAS Turkey & Tinsel Breaks

## BABBACOMBE Merry Christmas

We all love Christmas – there's a part of every one of us that never loses a child-like wonderment and excitement as the festive season approaches.

It's a time of celebration and reflections as we surround ourselves with loved one and friends, sharing good food, drink and laughter in their company.

The hotels offer a wide and varied entertainment programmes that'll sure to have you dancing the nights away and festive menus – the weather might be cold outside, but you can count on the warmest of welcomes on a Star Coaches Christmas themed break.

Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	EASTBOURNE	Haddon Hall Hotel Enjoy a fabulous festive theme break full of entertainment and fun.	Turkey & Tinsel	5-Days	£419.00	17
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	PAIGNTON	Palace Hotel A full festive programme to capture all the fun & excitement of Christmas	Turkey & Tinsel	5-Days	£429.00	
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	LLANDUDNO	Marlborough Hotel A hotel that really knows how to blend fun & festive cheer – even a small gift!	Turkey & Tinsel	5-Days	£429.00	
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	EASTBOURNE	Lansdown Hotel Whilst it might be cold outside, capture the warmth of Christmas celebrations at the Lansdowne.	Turkey & Tinsel	5-Days	£429.00	
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	BABBACOMBE	Anchorage Hotel Enjoy a fabulous seasonal atmosphere in great company at this magical time of year!	Xmas Break Ask for full details.	5-Days	£585.00	

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Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> Dec				
5.45pm	Welcome Drink in the lounge			
6.00pm - 8.00pm	Hot Buffet Dinner			
8.15pm	Entertainment			
Tue 24 <sup>th</sup> Christmas Eve				

8.00am - 10:30amBreakfast is served4.30pm - 5.00pmTea and Mince Pie<br/>in the lounge6.00pm - 8.00pmTraditional Christmas<br/>Buffet Dinner8.15pmEntertainment

#### Wed 25<sup>th</sup> 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

#### Thu 26<sup>th</sup> Boxing Day

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

#### Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Dec 8.00am - 10:00am Breakfast is served

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

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#### Anchorage Hotel

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.

#### Excursion:

A Christmas Show at the Princess Theatre Torquay

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Here it is... your 2024 Day Trip Brochure has arrived - this little book is full of incredible days out for everyone and it is your personal invitation to travel with us to a variety of exciting destinations this year.

All your tried and tested favourites have been included and they've been joined by an assortment of interesting departures which hope you come to love too - so whether you're a single traveller, part of a group or family there's something for everyone included between each page to suit every taste and budget.

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#### **Group Benefits**

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#### **Little People**

Kids under 3 travel FREE! - children are allocated a seat and must be supervised by a responsible adult.

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## **INSTANT RECEIPTS**<sup>29</sup> 2024

#### Floral Features – A Garden for all seasons – here's some great reasons to plan a garden visit today!

"The colourful blooms, the rustle of wind through the branches, the sweet fragrance in the air. If you're feeling restless and eager for a change of scenery, consider an outing to a public garden. Wide open spaces, plenty of walking trails, fresh air and a tranquil atmosphere make them an idyllic refuge."

Whatever the season or your floral interest, there's sure to be a garden with a collection to inspire 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 friends 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!

So, join Star on one of many variations of a lunch date so whether it's a 2 Course Carvery, Afternoon Tea, A River boat Cruise with Fish & Chips or Ploughman's Lunch, let's make it a date! New venues have been added - please see our 'Lunch club highlights' page.

#### Market Towns 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. Towns surrounded by farms have it all: meat, poultry, fish, dairy, fruit and veg, beer, ale, cider, and wine.

Many small market towns continue to hold street markets; others have built modern pavilions where farmers, producers, and craftsmen sell their wares. Whether on the street or under a roof, the quality is unsurpassed. Here's your opportunity to, sample at least a few of the country's many beautiful and historic market towns on offer.

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## **Book Early!**

We always need to ensure excursions are viable to run within 2 weeks of its departure date, therefore we strongly recommend that you reserve and book your seats early as not to disappoint. 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 - please book early! We're always looking for new ways to enhance our customer service to you, so we're introducing 'Instant Receipts'. Instead of waiting to receive a paper confirmation or receipt to arrive in the post... let us have your email address and you can choose to switch to 'Instant Receipts' in 3 easy steps:

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## 2024 DAY TRIPS

#### 'Snowdrops' Painswick Rocco Gardens Stroud (Thu 22<sup>nd</sup> February)

The snowdrops in February are at their stunning best, carpeting steep banks and woodland glades in pure white and fresh green. Also, in bloom are the wonderfully long-lasting cyclamen coum, and an array of hellebores, from the deepest purple to the softest cream.

Painswick have around 5 million snowdrops, including some less-common varieties, such as the double form, galanthus nivalis Flore Pleno and galanthus atkinsii, a particularly large snowdrop with an historical link to the garden, which can be found in the Red House Wilderness.

#### The Spotgate Inn, Stone in Staffordshire (Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> May and Wed 11<sup>th</sup> September)

Spot Gate Inn is a beautiful Country Pub located on Hilderstone Road. Which is home to 2 amazing Pullman carriages: Ursula & Car No.75

The venue's immaculate frontage is distinctive, even if the eye-catching signs are the only indication of the railway theme. The two carriages, which are set side by side to each other, are built into the pub in a way that makes for a seamless entry - Both carriages entered service on the same day in 1928 and remained in service for nearly half a century before they were sold by British Rail and installed at the Spotgate.

Lovingly restored to their Edwardian splendour, the immaculate dark wood panelling, tied-back curtains and vases creating an ambience of the sort taking you back to the days of Agatha Christie, while on the wall is a detailed history of the carriage. Whilst the unique surroundings might be something of a novelty, the Spotgate also has the substance to back up the style. Book early for a fantastic dining experience.

#### The Royal Oak, Broadwas on Teme (Wed17th May, Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> July, Wed 11<sup>th</sup> September)

STAR bring you a NEW and highly recommended lunch venue - The Royal Oak is a beautiful country pub, with exposed beams, homely décor, and beautiful views over the Worcestershire /Herefordshire countryside and a place where you will always be greeted with a warm welcome. The Royal Oak serves fresh locally sourced food daily, to enable you to enjoy a delicious 2 course carvery meal (main and dessert) at this delightful location. Afterwards, we make our way to the awarding winning garden centre, Webbs of Wychbold where you'll find everything for the occasional gardener and the home, as well as a great place for coffee.

#### Book online: www.travelwithstar.co.uk

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DATE	Pickup	Destination	Adults		Child
JANU	ARY				
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Boundary Outlet Walsall - The Sales are on!</b> Departments include ladieswear, menswear, shoes, luggage, bags, jewellery, accessories, cookshop, bathshop, textiles, china, glass, gifts, cards, books, dvds, arts & crafts, perfume & cosmetics and lighting.	£18.00 PP	£18.00 PP	£18.00 PP
FEBR	UAY				
${ m Mon}\ 12^{ m th}$	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - Sand, Sea, Pier and lots more besides!	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Tue 13 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Half-term fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Thu 15 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	West Midlands Safari ParkIncl Admiss & Tour of ReserveHome to some of the world's most beautiful and endangered exotic animal species. Safari Drive Through, theme park and more.	£41.00 PP	£40.00 PP	£34.50 PP
Thu 22 <sup>nd</sup>	SB AQ GB	Painswick Rocco & Stroud 'Snowdrops'Incl AdmissSituated outside the beautiful Cotswold town of Painswick, and famous for its extraordinary snowdrop display. Afterwards onto Stroud, described as one of the ten must visit places to search our vintage treasures - A fabulous day out.	£37.00 PP	£37.00 PP	£37.00 PP
Wed 28 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Tewkesbury</b> Explore the historic riverside town in Gloucestershire. Tewkesbury Abbey, medieval streets and a traditional high street full of independent shops - a real gem!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
MARC	СН				
Thu 14 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Broadway &amp; Bourton on the Water</b> Visit 2 charming quintessentially English Cotswold villages for a classical day out!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Tue 19 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Trentham Shopping Village &amp; Garden Centre</b> Enjoy the Kaleidoscope of colour at Trentham Garden Centre and village - the shopping village has 60 timber lodges housing amazing shops, cafes and restaurants.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Thu 21 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	Plough Inn Bridgnorth & Local Garden CentreIncl MealAdmire the traditional interior with its inviting open fires offering a comfortable atmosphere to enjoy a delicious 2 course carvery meal, afterwards onto a local garden centre.	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Southport</b> 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.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Black Country Living Museum Incl Admiss is an award-winning open air museum that tells the story of one of the very first industrialised landscapes in Britain.	£41.00 PP	£40.00 PP	£34.50 PP

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MARC	CH				
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Half-term fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Thu 28 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Hollybush Garden Centre Cannock Garden, aquara, lifestyle and pets - you'll find all the inspiration you need all under one roof!	£23.00 PP	£23.00 PP	£21.00 PP
APRIL	_				
Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - Sand,Sea,Pier and lots more besides!	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Tue 2 <sup>nd</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Half-term fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Barmouth</b> With a long sandy beach and a picturesque harbour bordered by the dramatically beautiful Mawddach estuary - Barmouth is the perfect destination for a family day out.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Thu 4 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	WM Safari Park Bewdley Inc Tour of Reserve Incl Admiss Home to some of the world's most beautiful and endangered exotic animal species. Safari Drive Through, theme park and more.	£41.00 PP	£40.00 PP	£34.50 PP
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Blackpool With so much to see and do, Blackpool Pleasure Beach provides the perfect day out for any age.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Tue 9 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Melton Mowbray - and it's Market Day! This ancient agricultural centre and market town is well known for its tasty pork pies, cakes and cheeses. Attractively situated on the River Eye, it was once the capital of the Leicestershire hunting scene.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Ludlow - and it's Market Day! Vist this pretty little Shropshire market town - A thriving town centre market takes place weekly.Offering a wide variety of small independent retailers, where the traditions of good quality and friendly service still hold good - perfect for a lovely day out!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Bakewell on Market DayIncl MealEnjoy a delicious 2 course carvery in the beautiful country setting of Bromyard followed by a visit to Webbs of Wychbold.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	The Royal Oak, Broadwas WorcsNEWIncl MealEnjoy a delicious 2 course carvery in the beautiful country setting of Bromyard followed by a visit to Webbs of Wychbold.	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Thu 18 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Bath</b> Set in the rolling countryside of the Southwest, the city of Bath, so beautiful and special that is has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site. Independent, creative and stylish.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup>	SB	Valley Evesham & Notcutts Garden Centre Discover an extensive garden centre, farm shop, courtyard shops and restaurant in a beautiful countryside setting.	£24.00 PP	£24.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Thu 25 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Biddulph Grange, StaffsIncl AdmissNTA delightful Victorian high garden - a real survival story from the19th Century.A real global journey from the pyramids of Egypt,to China, to the Himalayas - then onto Astbury Meadow GardenCentre.	£39.00 PP	£38.00 PP	£32.00 PP
Tue 30 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Tetbury</b> The southern gateway to the Cotswolds, Tetbury is known for its Royal connections, abundance of history - a real 'architectural gem' waiting for you to explore.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
MAY					
Thu $2^{ m nd}$	SB	National Memorial Arboretum & LichfieldIncl AdmissSet in 150 acres of maturing woodlands, located in the heart of the country within the National Forest near Lichfield.Afterwards onto Lichfield home to the magnificentAfterwards onto Lichfield home to the magnificentCathedral, museums and independent shops.	£26.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Victorian Extravaganza Featuring a Victorian street fair, Old time fair rides,fun stalls,steam engines, people dressed in Victorian costume - Street parades each day and street entertainment the whole family will enjoy.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 9 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Tissington Well Dressing &amp; Ashbourne</b> 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.	£28.00 PP	£26.50 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Southport</b> 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.	£26.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 14 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Moreton in Marsh & Bourton on Water First stop to the traditional Cotswold market town of Moreton on market day, then onto the "Little Venice" of the Cotswolds, (Bourton) which straddles the river Windrush with its series of elegant low bridges. Beautiful!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Thu 16 <sup>th</sup>	SB	RHS Harlow Carr Harrogate 'Blue Poppies' Incl Admiss RHS Harlow Carr is a showcase of horticultural excellence all year round! Wander through the tranquil surroundings of this stunning 58 acre gardens and gain lots of ideas for your own borders!	£42.00 PP	£42.00 PP	£30.00 PP
Tue 21 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	Bristol Visit the city of Bridges, Balloons, Boats, Nikes, Brunel and Banksy. There really is so many amazing things to see and do!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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MAY					
Wed $22^{nd}$	SB	Spotgate Inn Stone, StaffsIncl MealRailway Carriage Car 75 - Dine in 1920's style and elegance in the heart of the Staffordshire countryside, afterwards onto Trentham Garden Garden Centre & shopping Village.	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Stratford on Market Day</b> 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.	£21.00 PP	£21.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Blackpool With so much to see and do, Blackpool Pleasure Beach provides the perfect day out for any age.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 28 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Skegness</b> A seaside resort that's small enough to offer a friendly atmosphere but large enough to provide hours of entertainment for young and old alike.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Half-term fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Thu 30 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Chester or Chester ZooCoach OnlyChoose the bewitching and unique atmosphere of Chester orChester Zoo with over 20000 animals and 500 different species.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
JUNE					
Mon 3rd	SB	<b>Bakewell on Market Day</b> Visit 'The Ancient Capital of the Peak' surrounded by stunning countryside views. Famous for its Puddings, Annual events and market held every Monday in the town centre.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Cambridge</b> There's something for everyone when you visit Cambridge - You may choose to go punting on the River Cam, enjoy a picnic in the park, join a walking tour of the city or explore further.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Ledbury</b> This wonderful historic town is oozing culture, famous for its landmark black and white buildings and streets, and brimming with creativity, explore pretty jumble of historic architecture, secret alleyways and famous cobbled lanes, small but perfectly formed destination - an absolute gem!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 11 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Liverpool</b> Liverpool is famous for its music, its football teams, its maritime heritage, and its connection to The Beatles. With its many insightful museums, inspiring architecture, and culinary delights, there's so much to enjoy in this amazing city.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Llandudno</b> 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

#### Destination Adults Child JUNE Henley on Thames Henley on Thames is a beautiful market town set in the stunning Thu £28.00 £27.00 £23.00 Oxfordshire Chiltern Hills that enjoys a wonderful stretch of SB $13^{\text{th}}$ PP PP PP river with delightful independent shops, brilliant pubs, numerous cafes and great restaurants. Trentham Carvery, Shopping Village & Garden Centre Incl 2 course Meal Tue **SBAO** £36.00 £36.00 £36.00 Home of the Roast ! Timeless family Restaurant serving delicious $18^{\text{th}}$ GB PP PP PP roast meats and vegetables and classic puds - then onto Trentham Home and Garden Centre. Lincoln Up hill drop Visit one of the most beautiful and surprising hidden gems in the Wed £29.00 £28.00 £23.00 SB UK. With cobblestone streets, colourful shops along Steep Hill, 19th PP PP PP stunning historic buildings, and of course, the iconic Cathedral looking out over the city, Lincoln looks like a postcard picture. **Bodnant Gardens**, **Colywyn Bay** Incl Admiss NT Free Entry Thu **SBAQ** Visit one of the most beautiful gardens in the UK, over 80 acres £41.00 £39.50 £33.00 PP 20<sup>th</sup> GB and is situated above the River Conwy. A Garden of 2 parts - The PP PP upper Gardens are terraced and informal, shaded by trees. The lower, (the 'Dell') is formed by the valley of the River Hiraethlyn. Moreton In Marsh & Bourton on Water First stop to the traditional Cotswold market town of Moreton Tue £27.00 £26.00 £22.00 SB on market day, then onto the "Little Venice" of the Cotswolds. $25^{\text{th}}$ PP PP PP (Bourton) which straddles the river Windrush with its series of elegant low bridges. Beautiful! Incl Admiss **RHS Garden Bridgewater, Manchester** Explore the former site of Worsley New Hall - a heritage Wed SB AQ £42.00 £39.00 £28.00 landscape transformed into an iconic RHS Garden - 154 acres of PP PP PP $26^{\text{th}}$ GB stunning gardens - mulit-award-winning, awe-inspiring oasis to explore and enjoy. Barmouth Thu **SBAQ** With a long sandy beach and a picturesque harbour bordered by £29.00 £28.00 £23.00 $27^{\text{th}}$ GB the dramatically beautiful Mawddach estuary - Barmouth is the PP PP PP perfect destination for a family day out. Stratford & Hatton Shopping Village Fri First stop Stratford set on the banks of the River Severn then £24.00 £24.00 £22.00 SB $28^{\text{th}}$ onto Hatton, the quintessentially English shopping village in PP PP PP Warwickshire. JULY York or York Designer Shopping Outlet Tue Renowned for its exquisite architecture and tangle of quaint £29.00 £28.00 £23.00 SB $2^{nd}$ PP PPPP cobbled streets, don't miss this fabulous trip to the walled city of York - A city of contrasts and exciting discoveries. The Royal Oak, Broadwas Worcs NEW Incl Meal Wed SB AQ £36.00 £36.00 £36.00 Enjoy a delicious 2 course carvery in the beautiful country setting PP $3^{rd}$ GB PP PP of Bromyard followed by a visit to Webbs of Wychbold.

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JULY						
Thu 4 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Oxford</b> A skyline of dreaming spires, domed theatres and college gargoyles, Oxford inspires. Choose a walking tour or hop on off bus tour, stroll a pretty garden, enjoy a drink in a historical tavern, the choice is yours!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP	
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Stroud &amp; Tetbury</b> Encircled by five sweeping valleys, Stroud offers a unique shopping experience, brimming with character, offering an eclectic mix of shops in the most beautiful settings, then onwards to Tetbury, where you will also savour the atmosphere of an acclaimed Cotswold market town.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP	
Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Swansea/Swansea Air Show Swansea besides the sea and the Airshow featuring 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.	£31.00 PP	£29.50 PP	£23.00 PP	
$\frac{Mon}{8^{th}}$	SB	Bakewell on Market Day Visit 'The Ancient Capital of the Peak' surrounded by stunning countryside views. Famous for its Puddings, Annual events and market held every Monday in the town centre.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP	
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Gloucester/Gloucester Docks Overlooked by the Cotswolds Hills in the lush Severn Valley, you will find a wealth of things to do in Gloucester. A walk down narrow cobbled streets and past ancient buildings leads to the main pedestrianised shopping area or a short stroll to the dramatic waterfront of the Victorian Docks.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP	
Thu 11 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Windsor</b> Rich in history and royal tradition, Windsor is arguably one of Berkshire's prettiest towns. Discover a lively town in a glorious riverside setting with great shopping.	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP	
Tue 16 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Shrewsbury River Cruise       Incl Boat & Meal         & Fish & Chips at Loopy Shrew       Incl Boat & Meal         Enjoy a 45 - minutes cruise, live commentary along with tea/       coffee and biscuits followed by a Fish & Chips lunch and free         time in Shrewsbury.       Image: Shrewsbury.	£46.00 PP	£46.00 PP	£46.00 PP	
Thu 18 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Burnby Hall Gardens & Museum York 'Water Lillies' Incl Admiss Pocklington's unique Gardens have justifiably been called "a jewel in Yorkshire's crown" and are home to a National Collection of over eighty varieties of Hardy Water Lilies which bloom on the Upper and Lower Lakes between June and August.	£39.00 PP	£38.00 PP	£30.00 PP	
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup>	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 route of the Horseshoe Pass - simply stunning!	£30.00 PP	£29.00 PP	£23.00 PP	
Tue 23 <sup>rd</sup>	SB AQ GB	Blackpool With so much to see and do, Blackpool Pleasure Beach provides the perfect day out for any age.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP	

## KIDS UNDER 3 TRAVEL FREE!

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JULY					
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Southport</b> 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.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 25 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Banbury</b> Known as the 'Gateway to the Cotswolds' Banbury is a charming waterside market town steeped in history. The River Cherwell and Oxford Canal provides a stunning backdrop.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 29 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Half-term fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 30 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Skegness</b> A seaside resort that's small enough to offer a friendly atmosphere but large enough to provide hours of entertainment for young and old alike.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 31 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Barry Island</b> A great family thrill filled day at Whitmore bay beach's natural treasures, thrilling new rides including the dodgems, waltzers, plus ones for small kids (and mum!): teacup ride, trampolines, mini coaster, fun house, mirror maze, swinging chairs, pony ride and blow up slide!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
AUGL	JST				
Thu 1 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Barmouth</b> With a long sandy beach and a picturesque harbour bordered by the dramatically beautiful Mawddach estuary - Barmouth is the perfect destination for a family day out.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Fru 2 <sup>nd</sup>	SB	Bletchley Park - Code Breakers Milton Keynes Incl Admiss Visit the once top-secret home of the World War Two Codebreakers, is now a vibrant heritage attraction in Milton Keynes.	£46.50 PP	£46.50 PP	£38.50 PP
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Summer fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 6 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Liverpool- Ferry across the MerseyInc Ferry TripA 45-minute river experience - there's simply no better way towitness and enjoy Merseyside and Liverpool's iconic waterfrontand heritage than from aboard the deck of a legendary MerseyFerry.	£38.50 PP	£37.50 PP	£32.50 PP
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Rhyl</b> Rhyl is the quintessential British seaside resort. For generations it has been the place to come if you fancy the sand between your toes, the breeze in your hair and a great big ice cream in your hand.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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AUGU	JST				
Thu 8 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Melbourne Hall DerbyshireIncl AdmissThe best surviving gardens in the manner of the famous designerLe Notre to be seen in England today - With its broad sweeps oflawn, avenues and unexpected vistas, it is one of the best knownhistoric gardens in the country.	£44.50 PP	£44.50 PP	£34.50 PP
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Shrewsbury Flower Show/ShrewsburyIncl AdmissShrewsburyCoach OnlyBritain's premier Summer Flower Show. A show that is fortunate to have a brilliant setting in the Quarry, shrewsbury's magnificent main park in the centre of town or Free time in Shrewsbury.	£46.00 £25.00 PP	£46.00 £25.00 PP	£46.00 £25.00 PP
Sat 10 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Blackpool With so much to see and do, Blackpool Pleasure Beach provides the perfect day out for any age.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - Sand, Sea ,Pier and lots more besides!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 13 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Cardiff</b> Visit a city full of culture - national museums, a spectacular castle, and so much more for every age.	£31.00 PP	£30.00 PP	£25.00 PP
Wed 14 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Skegness</b> A seaside resort that's small enough to offer a friendly atmosphere but large enough to provide hours of entertainment for young and old alike.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Thu 15 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Black Country Living Museum Incl Admiss an award-winning open air museum that tells the story of one of the very first industrialised landscapes in Britain.	£43.00 PP	£41.50 PP	£35.50 PP
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Summer fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Whitby/Whitby Regatta A town of contrasts-Fish and chips and ice cream, history and culture; vampires and Goths; It's all on offer at Whitby, one of North East's best loved seaside towns.	£32.50 PP	£30.50 PP	£25.50 PP
Tue 20 <sup>th</sup>	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.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 21st	SB AQ GB	Afternoon Tea at Marsh Farm & Trentham Shopping Village Incl Meal Enjoy truly unique shopping experience, with a collection of carefully selected shops, offering a range of products to suit your lifestyle, followed by a sumptuous afternoon tea in the picturesque village of Abbotts Bromley Staffordshire.	£35.00 PP	£35.00 PP	£35.00 PP
Thu 22 <sup>nd</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Barmouth</b> With a long sandy beach and a picturesque harbour bordered by the dramatically beautiful Mawddach estuary - Barmouth is the perfect destination for a family day out.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP

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Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup>	SB	Crich Tramway Museum, DerbyshireIncl AdmissHome of The National Tramway Museum - an ideal destinationfor all ages. Ride world renowned vintage trams through ourunique period street, enjoy spectacular views, explore fascinatingexhibitions. stroll on our fascinating Woodland Walk andSculpture Trail. Red Lion Pub, tearooms and shops.	£41.00 PP	£41.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Summer fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 27 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Have a lovely family day out at the Queen of Welsh seaside resort - Sand,Sea,Pier and lots more besides!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 28 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	WM Safari Park, BewdleyIncl AdmissHome to some of the world's most beautiful and endangeredexotic animal species.Safari Drive Through, theme park andmore.	£39.00 PP	£38.00 PP	£35.00 PP
Thu 29 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Westonbury Mill Water Gardens, Herefordshire Incl Admiss An understated gem in an absolutely stunning location - Gorgeous gardens, fantastic follies, plant nursery and a superb café.	£35.00 PP	£34.00 PP	£29.00 PP
Fri 30 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Bristol</b> Visit the city of Bridges, Balloons, Boats, Nikes, Brunel and Banksy. There really is so many amazing things to see and do!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 31 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Blackpool</b> With so much to see and do, Blackpool Pleasure Beach provides the perfect day out for any age.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
SEPT	EMBER				
Tue 3 <sup>rd</sup>	SB AQ GB	Wye River Cruise & Monmouth         Incl Boat Trip           Enjoy a scenic 40 minute cruise down the River Wye followed by         some free time in the market town of Monmouth.	£38.00 PP	£38.00 PP	£34.00 PP
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Whitby A town of contrasts-Fish and chips and ice cream, history and culture; vampires and Goths; It's all on offer at Whitby, one of North East's best loved seaside towns.	£32.50 PP	£30.50 PP	£25.50 PP
Thu 5 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Broadway &amp; Bourton on the Water</b> Visit 2 charming quintessentially English Cotswold villages for a classical day out!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Southport</b> 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.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Bakewell on Market Day</b> Visit 'The Ancient Capital of the Peak' surrounded by stunning countryside views. Famous for its Puddings, Annual events and market held every Monday in the town centre.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP

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SEPT	EMBER				
Tue 10 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Abergavenny Town/Market Day Nestled between seven hills close to the border between England and Wales, it truly is a Gateway To Wales. Tuesday is market day so free time to browse and explore Abergavenny and its many stalls to find that bargain!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Spotgate Inn Stone, StaffsIncl MealRailway Carriage Car 75 - Dine in 1920's style and elegance in the heart of the Staffordshire countryside, afterwards onto Trentham Garden Garden Centre & shopping Village.	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Liverpool Liverpool is famous for its music, its football teams, its maritime heritage, and its connection to The Beatles. With its many insightful museums, inspiring architecture, and culinary delights, there's so much to enjoy in this amazing city.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Tue 17 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Shrewsbury River Cruise       Incl Boat Trip and Meal         & Ploughman's Lunch       Incl Boat Trip and Meal         Enjoy a 40 minute cruise along the River Severn, enjoying a live       commentary. There will be free time to explore the Shrewsbury         town followed by a delicious Ploughman's lunch at the Riverside       Restaurant along with cake tea or coffee.	£42.50 PP	£42.50 PP	£42.50 PP
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Valley Evesham & Notcutts Garden Centre Discover an extensive garden centre, farm shop, courtyard shops and restaurant in a beautiful countryside setting.	£24.00 PP	£24.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Thu 19 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Trentham Gardens, Lake &amp; Shopping RHS Incl Admiss</b> Award winning Gardens - a unique and inspiring 72-hectare (186-acre) experience for gardeners, photographers and wildlife enthusiasts.	£36.00 PP	£35.00 PP	£25.00 PP
Tue 24 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Moreton In Marsh & Bourton on Water First stop to the traditional Cotswold market town of Moreton on market day, then onto the "Little Venice" of the Cotswolds, (Bourton) which straddles the river Windrush with its series of elegant low bridges. Beautiful!	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£22.00 PP
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Henley on Thames Henley on Thames is a beautiful market town set in the stunning Oxfordshire Chiltern Hills that enjoys a wonderful stretch of river with delightful independent shops, brilliant pubs, cafes and great eateries.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Sat 28 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Wellesbourne Market Wellesbourne Market is one of the UK's largerst outdoor markets. There is a vibrant atmosphere where you can wander around 500 stalls and find some real bargains. Fashion, art, Lifestyle, food and accessories.	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP

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Tue 1 <sup>st</sup>	SB	National Memorial Arboretum & LichfieldIncl AdmissSet in 150 acres of maturing woodland,located in the heart of the country within the National Forest near Lichfield. Afterwards onto Lichfield home to the magnificent Cathedral, museums and independent shops.	£26.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£20.00 PP
Wed $2^{nd}$	SB AQ GB	Hereford Hugged by the River Wye, explore this beautiful historic city which offers numerous avenues of interest and delight!	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Tue 8 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Melton Mowbray</b> This ancient agricultural centre and market town is well known for its tasty pork pies, cakes and cheeses. Attractively situation on the River Eye, it was once the capital of the Leicestershire hunting scene.	£28.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	The Down Inn BridgnorthIncl MealEnjoy a delicious 2 course carvery in a setting that defineseverything a country pub should be. Followed by a visit to a localgarden centre.	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Tue 15 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Chester/Cheshire Oaks Designer Shopping Outlet</b> Chester is a city bursting with character and diversity - a destination to escape the ordinary or choose Cheshire Oaks, the UK's largest Outlet with over 145 boutiques, restaurants and cafés - grab a festive bargain!	£29.00 PP	£27.00 PP	£23.00 PP
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Shrewsbury</b> A market town full of hiddledy-piggledy streets with names you want to say out loud. A river that scoops up the town in a loop and a mix of the very old and new makes this day out a special one.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£21.00 PP
Thu 17 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Blackpool Illuminations Blackpool annual razzle dazzle. See the six miles of shimmering lights, the traditional lampshades share the limelight with fibre-optics, lazers and LED technology. A fantastic electrical extravaganza.	£29.50 PP	£28.50 PP	£21.00 PP
Thu 24 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Renishaw Hall & Gardens, ChesterfieldIncl AdmissVsitors to the garden this autumn will be greeted with a gloriousblaze of leafy colour and beautiful seasonal tints.	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP	£36.00 PP
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Blackpool Illuminations</b> Blackpool annual razzle dazzle. See the six miles of shimmering lights, the traditional lampshades share the limelight with fibre-optics, lazers and LED technology. A fantastic electrical extravaganza.	£29.50 PP	£28.50 PP	£21.00 PP
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Weston Super Mare Half-term fun beside the seaside - The Grand Pier, beach and donkeys and lots more besides.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP
Tue 29 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Leicester/ National Space CentreCoach OnlyVist a unique city bursting with culture and heritage or explore the interactive Space Centre to discover the past, present and future.	£27.00 PP	£26.00 PP	£21.00 PP

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осто	OCTOBER									
Thu 31 <sup>st</sup>	SB AQ GB	Westonbirt Arboretum GloucsIncl AdmissKnown for its magnificent Autumn tints from around midOctober to mid November and is a must visit.	£41.00 PP	£39.00 PP	£30.00 PP					
NOVEMBER										
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Christmas Lunch at Marsh Farm         then onto Trentham Village       Incl Meal         Enjoy a delicous home cooked Christmas Fayre in Staffordshire       followed by free festime time at Trentham.	£37.00 PP	£37.00 PP	£37.00 PP					
Thu 7 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Cambridge Christmas Shopper</b> The perfect city for Christmas shopping. The pretty, cobbled streets lend themselves to the twinkly lights and decorations and make you feel so festive, combining the high street with fabulous independents.	£29.00 PP	£27.50 PP	£21.00 PP					
Tue 12 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Boundary Outlet Walsall Festive Shopper</b> Large outlet store showcasing quality fashion and homeware brand names at discounted prices - pick up all your Christmas gifts all under one roof!	£18.00 PP	£18.00 PP	£18.00 PP					
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Llandudno Christmas Extravaganza Enjoy a nostalgic Christmas atmosphere - Choirs, Santa Grotto, Cake Trail, food and drink samples and unique craft stalls for special gifts not found on the high street and lots more!	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£25.00 PP					
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup>	SB	York/York Designer Outlet The perfect destination for everyone. Visit a unique and vibrant city housing some of the world's greatest treasures all waiting to be discovered. Home to over 120 leading brands and set in a beautiful landscaped garden, McArthurGlen's York Designer Outlet is a must visit fashion and shopping destination.	£29.00 PP	£28.00 PP	£23.00 PP					
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	SB	Waddesdon Manor at ChristmasRHSIncl AdmissStep inside the House, festively decorated with sparkling lights and dazzling displays in selected rooms and more.	£61.00 PP	£59.00 PP	£49.00 PP					
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	<b>Liverpool Xmas Shopper</b> With Christmas just around the corner, Liverpool is a shopper's paradise for those unique festive gifts thanks to the city's array of independent shops.	£29.00 PP	£27.50 PP	£21.00 PP					
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup>	SB	<b>Wellesbourne Market Christmas Shopper</b> Wellesbourne Market is one of the UK's largerst outdoor markets. There is a vibrant atmosphere where you can wander around 500 stalls and find some real bargains. Fashion, art, Lifestyle, food and accessories.	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP	£22.00 PP					

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DECEMBER							
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	SB	Stratford Christmas Market Visit the birthplace of William Shakespeare, steeped in culture and history and set in the beautiful rural Warwickshire countryside, on the banks of the river Avon. Wander through the Stratford streets to get a taste of Olde England. Street food Mulled Wine & Cider , baileys hot chocolate. Fun fair something for everyone - This Market has everything.	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP	£25.00 PP		
Tue 10 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Star Christmas Party:         Ye Old Punch Bowl Bridgnorth       Incl Meal         Join us for a warming festive cheer and a fun packed day which includes Tea/Coffee and a shortbread, 3 course sumptuous Christmas Fayre, entertainment and a charity raffle.	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP		
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup>	SB AQ GB	Star Christmas Party:       Incl Meal         Ye Old Punch Bowl Bridgnorth       Incl Meal         Join us for a warming festive cheer and a fun packed day which includes Tea/Coffee and a shortbread, 3 course sumptuous Christmas Fayre, entertainment and a charity raffle.	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP	£43.00 PP		

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Booking early also offers you the option to choose your favourite seats!

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Travel insurance can give you extra protection if your holiday doesn't go as planned.

- cancelling or cutting short your trip for reasons beyond your control
- missed transport or delayed departure for reasons beyond your control
- medical and other emergencies
- personal injury
- lost, stolen or damaged items, including baggage

While it isn't compulsory to have travel insurance in the UK, the cover it gives can offer you peace of mind for a more relaxing experience.

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SB	SB STAR BASE 718 Chester Road Erdington B23 5TE	
AQ	ASDA QUESLETT Queslett Road Gt Barr B43 7HA - Bus Lay-by opposite Warwick the Butchers	
GB	HOLY NAME CHURCH Birmingham Road B43 6LN - Bus Lay-By	
Your pick-up time will be clearly printed on your confirmation		

## PLEASE NOTE

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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 ex cursion. 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.
- 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.
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## TRAVELLERS CHARTER

#### 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 --WR 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 holidary reserved will be sent either directly to the address of the first named passenger on the booking or the passenger's 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 brochture 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 holday. 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 hasels.

#### 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, rescart, 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 squerior quality. The Company undertakes not to cancel any holiday after the balance due date exceept (i) where you have not paid the full amount due, or (ii) as a result of unusual or unforeseable 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 kilo's, 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 aid's so we can make sure there's room on the coach. Restrictions apply. We cannot accept electric scotters / buggies.

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#### YOUR COMMITMENT TO US MAKING THE BOOKING AND PAYING A DEPOSIT

MAKING I HE 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 .300 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 230 for each person substituted.

#### IF YOU CHANGE YOUR BOOKING

Minor changes prior to the balance due date such as additional requests, joining point amendments ci- necessitating the bissue of a new Booking Confirmation will be allowed subject to the payment of an  $\mathcal{L}8$  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 Tfy our 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 48 days of your return from holiday to us at Star Cars and Coaches Limited, 718 Chester Road, Endington, Birningham B23 STE.

#### 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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