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Welcome to the ALFA TRAVEL BROCHURE

Hello... and a warm welcome to the second edition of our **2022 brochure**, featuring a handpicked collection of holidays to the UK and Ireland's finest seaside destinations, with amazing included excursions, seasonal offers and a fantastic new range of special event breaks – all designed to make memories that will last a lifetime.

In 2021 we introduced two departure regions in the South to improve your journey times and the interchange experience. After listening to your feedback, in this brochure you will find departures from both our Reading and South Mimms interchange areas. If you are travelling from our Reading interchange, look out for the tables in pink and if you are are travelling from the South Mimms interchange, look out for the tables in blue. If you are not sure which is the right interchange for you, take a look at pages 6 to 9 which explains in more detail about our pick up routes and different options for joining your tour for the holidays featured in this brochure.

As the UK's only Employee Owned Travel Group, our team of 'Alfa Travel Memory makers' have been busy designing a fantastic new range of holiday experiences within the UK and Ireland especially with our customers in mind. Working with our very own 3 AA star rated Leisureplex Hotels and carefully selected Alfa preferred partner hotels, our unique range of tours take in some of the 'must see' destinations from the world-famous to those magical 'hidden gems'.

Explore the spectacular Scottish Highlands, enjoy a relaxing seaside break or choose from our widest ever range of exciting Special Events, Christmas Markets, or new Warner Leisure Hotel Breaks, or why not celebrate with the Alfa Leisure plex family with our range of tempting festive, Christmas & New Year breaks?

Our experience and heritage means we are truly trusted by our customers who book with us again and again, and as an employee owned business that's something that makes us all very proud.

Don't forget, there is so much included all year round with Alfa Travel, meaning our holidays truly are great value for money whatever time of year you choose to travel. With lots of single rooms available, no hidden charges for seats or pick ups and a fantastic range of 20 destinations to choose from with Leisureplex hotels, plus a whole host of tempting partner breaks, what more reason do you need to get away.

Whether you have travelled with us before or are looking to holiday with us for the first time, with over 60 local pick ups to choose from across the South of England, we invite you to browse our tempting range of holidays so you can experience the 'Alfa Difference' for yourself. We look forward to welcoming you on board in 2022 and thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes, the Alfa Team











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BOOKING WITH ALFA MADE EASY

Book at your convenience on our website

Call our friendly reservations team on

 1257
 248000

or email us on reservations@alfatravel.co.uk

Our offices are open:

Mon-Fri: 8.30am – 6.30pm, Saturday: 9am – 5pm, Sundays & Bank Holidays: 10am – 4pm.

WHAT IS EMPLOYEE OWNERSHIP?

Our business is majority owned by a trust operated on behalf of our employees. This means that each and every one of our drivers, interchange, hotel and central office teams equally benefit from the success of our business. We believe this is what makes the Alfa Leisureplex difference, with every one of our employee owners dedicated to going that extra mile to provide you with a memorable holiday experience.

THE ALFA TRAVEL COMMUNITY

Why not become an 'Alfan' and join our Facebook Group, search 'Alfa Travel Community Group' on Facebook to join your fellow Alfa holidaymakers.

ALFA PEACE OF MIND COVID GUARANTEE

With Alfa you can book your holiday with confidence, safe in the knowledge that if you have to cancel your holiday due to having to self isolate with Covid-19 symptoms or subject to a local lockdown or you are contacted by 'Test and Trace' and advised to self isolate, you can move your holiday departure date free of charge to another date in the future. 'We strongly recommend that customers obtain an insurance policy which covers against cancellation and medical expenses if you fall ill whilst on holiday.

FINANCIAL SECURITY STATEMENT

The combination of travel services offered to you is a package within the meaning of the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018.

Therefore, you will benefit from all rights applying to packages; Alfa Travel will be fully responsible for the proper performance of the package as a whole.

Additionally, as required by law, Alfa Travel have protection in place to refund your payments and, where transport is included in the package, to ensure your repatriation in the event that they become insolvent. Alfa Travel are members of the Bonded Coach Holiday Group, overseen by The Association of Bonded Travel Organisers Trust Limited. This is a government approved consumer protection scheme. Why not search and book your holiday from the comfort of your own home.



Visit an approved Travel Agent

We have an extensive range of partner travel agents within your local area, who will be able to guide you through your booking.



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COVID PROCEDURES

The safety of our customers and employee owners will always be our number one priority and that is why we have introduced a range of new processes and procedures as a result of the Covid outbreak.

You can find our Covid Secure operating procedures by visiting our website, which is regularly updated as the guidance evolves. You can also call our reservations team who will be happy to answer any queries you have. Details of the latest procedures will be posted out with your tickets prior to departure.

This ensures that in relation to the Coach and Self Drive holidays described in this brochure (or website) that a Bond, which may be called upon in the unlikely event of the members Insolvency, protects the clients' monies.

Clients are recommended to inspect the current membership certificate at our registered office or alternatively go to www.bch-uk.org or telephone 0207 7065 5316 to confirm current membership.

See alfatravel.co.uk for full terms and conditions or see page 57.



*Valid on all existing and new bookings. Evidence will be required to prove that you are self isolating in conjunction with Covid-19. You are entitled to transfer your holiday free of charge under our guarantee to an alternative date (please be aware any increase in the holiday price will be applicable), if you choose to cancel your holiday you will be charged the appropriate cancellation fees in line with our booking terms and conditions. Alfa reserve the right to remove the Peace of Mind Covid Guarantee at any time.



ENJOY **YOUR STAY** WITH Leisureplex

The majority of the holidays featured in this brochure stay at one of our very own 3 AA star Leisureplex Hotels. There are so many reasons to choose one of our amazing Leisureplex Hotels for your stay on your next Alfa Holiday. From a warm welcome on arrival, to the very last minute of your stay, our helpful team will be on hand to make your stay one to remember.

Our Leisureplex Hotels offer quality accommodation and premium service in some of the very best British seaside resorts, providing stunning views and the perfect location from which to explore the delights of the local town. Our Leisureplex Hotels are highlighted throughout the brochure with the Leisureplex logo to make them easy to identify.

Whether you prefer the stunning seascapes in Ilfracombe or the magnificent loch views in Fort William, there are so many fantastic resorts to choose from. Whichever Leisureplex hotel you choose, you can relax safe in the knowledge that you will receive the quality accommodation and premium service that comes with every Alfa holiday!

HELPING YOU CHOOSE THE RIGHT HOTEL FOR YOU

Keep a look out for the icon keys throughout the brochure which will help you to easily identify which facilities are available at your chosen hotel.

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a lift

Entertainment on at least one evening

Tea/Coffee facilities in bedroom



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The number of bedrooms in the hotel



GRADE	DESCRIPTION
00	Good standard of accommodation, perhaps with a smaller menu selection and limited entertainment
000	Very good standard of accommodation, equivalent to a 3 star standard, with choice of menu and usually entertainment
0000	Excellent accommodation, superb facilities and high standard of catering





New **EISUREPLEX HOTEL** REFURBISHMENTS

Whilst our hotels have been temporarily closed during the pandemic, we have taken advantage of the opportunity to complete a number of refurbishment projects across our Leisureplex Hotel estate.

From a new sun lounge at our Hydro Hotel in Llandudno, to newly refurbished bedrooms at a number of our hotels plus a newly redecorated lounge and public areas at our Croit Anna Hotel in Fort William, to name just a few.

Book to stay at one of our Leisureplex Hotels on your next holiday and you won't be disappointed!



CATERING FOR YOUR NEEDS

We will do our best to cater for any special requirements you may have. If you, or any member of your party has any dietary requirements or medical issues which may affect your stay, please provide us with full details at the time of booking by calling 01257 248000 or emailing our Special Requirements team on special.requirements@alfatravel.co.uk. One of our team will guide you through some short questions to ascertain your needs and see whether these can be accommodated on your holiday. Please refer to section 6 of the booking conditions on page 57 for more details.

EXPLORE THE VERY BEST OF THE BRITISH SEASIDE WITH LEISUREPLEX HOTELS

Set in some of the most iconic seaside resorts, many of our hotels offer stunning views and the perfect location from which to take an evening stroll or explore the delights of the local town. The often spectacular views from many of our Leisureplex Hotels only add to the enjoyment of your holiday and when you tire of exploring, they are a great base to refresh.

Leisureplex Hotels offer evening entertainment on most days during the week. All our hotels are large enough to provide both cosy relaxing lounge areas where you can enjoy a tranquil glass of wine or curl up with a book.



All Leisureplex Hotels have achieved the AA Covid Confident Accreditation. This is recognition for our improved procedures aimed at the combat of Covid-19.



All rooms in our Leisureplex hotels are en-suite and include flatscreen freeview TV's, tea and coffee making facilities and hairdryers. Wi-Fi is available in our public areas and bedrooms.

DINING IN LEISUREPLEX HOTELS

We provide a full British Breakfast to start off the day and in the evening you can relax with our substantial menus which offer plenty of choice and a selection of wines. Don't forget you can take advantage of our great value meal deal, where we provide a picnic lunch for you to enjoy on vour travels.

Example Leisureplex Menu

Dinner Menu

STARTERS Creamy Mushrooms with Garlic Bread (v) Seasonal Melon with Mixed Berries (ve) Vegetable Soup (v) Fruit Juice (apple/orange) (ve)

MAIN COURSES Roast Topside of Beef with Yorkshire Pudding & Pan Gravy Salmon with a Lemon Butter Sauce Chef's Dish of the Day (po) Traditional Nut Roast (v/po) Peppered Steak Style Pie (ve/po) All served with Roasted Potatoes, Cauliflower Cheese & Carrots Freshly Prepared Seasonal Salad Served with New Potatoes, Salad Dressing and a choice of Roast Ham, Roast Chicken, Cheese or Tuna

PUDDINGS Apple Crumble (v) • Sherry Trifle (v) Cheese & Biscuits (v) • Ice Cream (v) Fruit Salad (ve) • Chef's Vegan Option (ve/po)

TEA & COFFEE (v) = Vegetarian, (ve) = Vegan, (po) = Pre-order

Breakfast Menu

BEVERAGES & TOAST Selection of Chilled Fruit Juices Tea & Coffee, including a selection of Fruit & Herbal Teas White or Wholemeal Toast

STARTERS Grapefruit Segments, Yoghurt, Prunes, Wheat Biscuits, Muesli, Cornflakes, Fruit & Fibre or Scottish Porridge Oats

MAIN COURSES

Traditional British Breakfast with fried, scrambled or poached eggs, grilled bacon, pork sausage, hash brown, tomato, fried bread and baked beans Vegetarian Breakfast (v) with fried, scrambled or poached eggs, vegetarian sausage, hash brown, tomato, fried bread and baked beans Vegan Breakfast (ve) with vegan sausage, hash brown, tomato, fried bread and baked beans Lightly Poached Smoked Fish Cold Ham & 2 Fried Eggs Cold Ham & Cheese Selection Fruit Salad (v) = Vegetarian, (ve) = Vegan, (po) = Pre-order





GREAT HOTELS IN GREAT LOCATIONS

most of the region you're visiting. Most holidays are to our own group of Leisureplex Hotels, which are highlighted in our brochure with the Leisureplex symbol and we also work with a

Our Alfa Preferred Partner Breaks offer the chance to explore a whole host of destinations whether you are looking to tick off that bucket list 'must do' holiday destination or simply



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READING **DEPARTURES**

JOINING YOUR TOUR

Take the stress out of your travel arrangements and choose an Alfa Travel Coach Holiday. You can choose from an extensive list of local joining points and make the journey part of your holiday, as you travel in comfort to your holiday destination. We've highlighted our feeder route pick ups for **Reading interchange** below.



The routes displayed above are our default feeder routes which are shown as a guide only and may be changed so that feeder routes remain efficient and reduce the impact on the environment.

FREE FEEDER SERVICE FROM LOCAL PICK UP POINTS - READING DEPARTURES

We will pick you up close to home and take you to our Reading Interchange (M4, Junction 11/12) where you will embark on your tour coach and be whisked away to your holiday destination.

Once at Reading you can relax and make the most of the facilities within the services, safe in the knowledge that your luggage will be taken care of by our experienced interchange team and drivers. From the moment you board the coach at your pick up point; to arriving at your holiday destination you don't need to worry about your luggage; we will take care of it so you can enjoy your holiday.

Pick-up times will be finalised prior to travel and will be indicated on your travel ticket.

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CHOOSING YOUR PICK-UP POINT -READING DEPARTURES

Please consider the relative locations of your pick up point, the interchange and your final holiday destination. It is possible to get from all pick up points to all destinations, however some combinations may result in longer journey times.

For example, we would recommend that clients from Kent, Sussex, Suffolk and Essex do not consider holidays in Eastbourne, Folkestone or East Anglia since the feeder journey will take them west before returning east again. On the other hand, if clients from these areas are considering travelling West (for example to Devon or Cornwall), Reading is on direct line of route and makes a convenient coffee stop.

JOIN EN-ROUTE -READING DEPARTURES

Joining your Alfa Holiday is now even more convenient. If you want to join your tour coach en-route to your chosen resort, we'll pick you up on the way.

For selected tours travelling to East Anglia, we can pick you up at:

South Mimms (M25, Junc. 23)



WE'RE GOOD TO GO INDUSTRY STANDARD

We are delighted to have been awarded the Visit Britain 'We're Good to Go' accreditation for England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. This accreditation recognises that we are following government and industry COVID-19 guidelines to ensure our coaches and all aspects of our holidays are safe and secure for our customers and employee <u>owners</u>.



SEATING PLAN

Upon confirming your Alfa booking you will be able to select your seat for your tour coach, which you will join at Reading. The seating plan below shows a typical Alfa coach.



*Please note that pre-booked seats do not apply to the vehicle which transports you from your pick-up point to the interchange and back and are subject to availability. Some of our partner coaches have an alternative seating plan, in which case the row and nearside/offside position shown determine your seat.

OUR COACHES

Most of our holidays are operated by our own fleet of luxury Mercedes coaches, all of which have an on board washroom and are air



conditioned. We also work with selected third party coach operators who supplement our own fleet during peak periods. The facilities on third party coaches can vary, but the majority have air conditioning. We are members of the Confederation of Passenger Transport and the Coach Tourism Association – bodies established to encourage standards of excellence in our industry.

Alfa Coaches Ltd has met the required standard to be an accredited member of the DVSA Earned Recognition.





SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES

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FREE FEEDER SERVICE FROM LOCAL PICK UP POINTS - SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES

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Once at South Mimms you can relax and make the most of the facilities within the services, safe in the knowledge that your luggage will be taken care of by our experienced interchange team and drivers. From the moment you board the coach at your pick up point; to arriving at your holiday destination you don't need to worry about your luggage; we will take care of it so you can enjoy your holiday.

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Please consider the relative locations of your pick up point, the interchange and your final holiday destination. It is possible to get from all pick up points to all destinations, however some combinations may result in longer journey times.

For example, we would recommend that clients from Norfolk & Suffolk do not consider holidays in Great Yarmouth or Cromer as you would be travelling South to return North again. We would also recommend that clients from Sussex do not consider holidays in Eastbourne or Folkestone as you would be travelling North to return back South.





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Welcome to ALFA TRAVEL

Take the stress out of your holiday travel arrangements and choose a break with **Alfa Travel**. From the moment you make your first enquiry, to the last day of your holiday, our dedicated team of employee owners will help make it an **experience to remember**.





ALFA TAKES STEPS FOR A GREENER FUTURE

As a business we are always striving to reduce our environmental impact. Coach travel is already the greenest way to travel, with one coach taking up to 50 cars off the road and producing 8 times lower carbon emissions than flying and 1.3 times lower carbon emissions than rail travel. When you stay in one of our Leisureplex Hotels, our electricity is provided via carbon neutral renewable sources and we also have solar panels powering our offices. This brochure offsets its carbon footprint, via the World Land Trust by protecting critically threatened tropical forest. We strive for continual improvement in this area looking to recycle as much waste as possible and looking for further ways to reduce our environmental impact.







Whether it's a **birthday** or **anniversary** or just a **special treat** for a loved one, to make your celebration even more memorable why not add one of our celebration packs to your booking. From a bouquet of flowers, to a glass of prosecco, a box of chocolate or a selection of snacks, our **NEW** celebration packs will be delivered to your room prior to your arrival to mark your special occasion and make it a celebratory break to remember. Our celebration packs must be purchased prior to your arrival by contacting our reservations team on telephone: **01257 248000**, email: **reservations@alfatravel.co.uk**.

> CELEBRATION PACK 1: Bouquet of flowers - £35

- > CELEBRATION PACK 2: Prosecco and luxury chocolates £25
- > CELEBRATION PACK 3: Assortment of snacks £10 Includes 2 packets of crisps, 2 packets of nuts, 2 chocolate bars, 2 biscuits, 2 cans of soft drink, 2 bottles of still water.

Available at Leisureplex Hotels only. Image is for illustration purposes only, actual contents may vary.

SOLO TRAVELLERS

Whether you're thinking of taking your first solo holiday, or even if you're a seasoned independent traveller, our holidays offer you the perfect opportunity to experience the very best of the UK. With lots of solo travellers choosing to holiday with Alfa, you can share our amazing holidays with like-minded people, making friends along the way.

With no single supplements across our Leisureplex Hotels from October to April and a low supplement across the other months, we have been making more single rooms available across our range of tours. We also offer double rooms for solo use for just half the usual supplement from October to April.

If you can't find the room you are looking for, please contact our friendly reservations team who will do their best to accommodate your needs.

*For more details on our Single Saver offers please see page 12.

SELF DRIVE BREAKS

If a coach holiday isn't for you then perhaps you can take advantage of one of our unbeatable value for money Self Drive Hotel Break packages which offer varying locations to choose from as well as a fabulous selection of locations to explore throughout the UK. You can make your own way to the hotel, explore the resort at your leisure, yet still be reassured you will receive the quality accommodation and premium service that comes with every Alfa holiday.

All Self Drive holidays are to our own Leisureplex Hotels which are in superb locations and are perfectly placed to ensure you make the most of the resort you are visiting. Plus, with varying durations to choose form, the difficult bit will be deciding where to go first.





ALFA INCLUDES

- 3 nights dinner, room & breakfas
- En suite rooms
- Entertainment on at least one evening a Leisureplex Hotels
- Return coach travel from local pick up points
- 2 half day excursions
- No single supplements at Leisureplex hotels
- Free drink with dinner every evening on Spring Weekend breaks (see page 12)



QUEENS JUBILEE SPECIAL

In 2022, Her Majesty The Queen will become the first British Monarch to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee, seventy years of service. Make the most of the extended June bank holiday and join us to commemorate this momentous occasion on our Queens Jubilee Special tours which include a traditional British celebratory afternoon tea at selected Leisureplex Hotels.

Keep a look out for the 👾 icon throughout this brochure for our Queens Jubilee Special tour dates.

SPRING WEEKENDS

SHORT ON TIME OR JUST NEED A FEW DAYS AWAY?

Our weekend breaks are designed to give you chance to relax and take in the stunning British scenery. Escape to one of our lovely seaside resorts for the weekend for your own perfect mini getaway. Take a look at the table below for our 'WEEKEND BREAKS' for some fantastic destinations and with a free drink with dinner, there has never been a better time to spend the weekend with us.

	Weeke	end Breal	ks - Reading De	partures		
Resort	Hotel	Code	Half Day Excu	rsions Included	Mar 11	Apr 1
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Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	4100WS	Bristol	Wells	£159	£189
llfracombe	Imperial	4110WS	Barnstaple	Lynton & Lynmouth	-	£189
Torquay	Metropole	4154WS	Buckfast Abbey	Brixham	£159	-
Exmouth	Cavendish	4155WS	Exeter	Seaton	-	£199
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	4195WS	Newport	Ryde	£169	-
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	4200WS	Newport	Godshill	-	£189
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	4205WS	Chichester	Arundel	£159	£189
Eastbourne	Queens	4215WS	Hastings	Newhaven & Seaford	-	£189
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS4EC	2 excursions	of our choice	£149	£169

	Weekend	Breaks -	South Mimms	Departures		
Resort	Hotel	Code	Half Day Even	rsions Included	Mar 11	Apr 1
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Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	4100WC	Bristol	Wells	-	£189
Torquay	Regina	4150WC	Buckfast Abbey	Brixham	£169	-
Exmouth	Cavendish	4155WC	Exeter	Seaton	£169	£199
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	4195WC	Newport	Ryde	£169	-
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	4205WC	Chichester	Arundel	-	£189
Eastbourne	Queens	4215WC	Hastings	Newhaven & Seaford	-	£189
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	4265WC	Wells-next-the-Sea	Wroxham	-	£199
Porthcawl	Seabank	4385WC	Swansea	Barry Island	£169	-
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS4SC	2 excursions	of our choice	£149	£169

BLACKPOOL ILLUMINATIONS

The world-famous Blackpool Illuminations need little introduction. Well known for being the greatest free light show on Earth, they feature over a million bulbs to create a dazzling spectacle of lights. Our Leisureplex Queens hotel is ideally situated on the South Promenade, so it's perfect to experience the Illuminations for yourself!

Look out for the 🍯 icon in this brochure for tours that stay in resort during the Blackpool Illuminations.

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EASTER WEEKENDERS



4 Day Easter Weekenders - Reading Departures										
Resort	Hotel	Code	Half Day Excu	rsions Included	Price					
llfracombe	Imperial	4110EC	Barnstaple	Lynton & Lynmouth	£199					
Newquay	Eliot	4130EC	Truro	Padstow	£209					
Torquay	Metropole	4154EC	Buckfast Abbey	Brixham	£199					
Eastbourne	Queens	4215EC	Hastings	Newhaven & Seaford	£199					
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	4195EC	Newport	Ryde	£199					
Criccieth	George IV	4365EC	Caernarfon	Porthmadog	£199					
Porthcawl	Seabank	4385EC	Swansea	Barry Island	£199					
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS4EC	2 excursions	of our choice	£179					

Supplements per person: Room with a view £20. No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels

4 D	ay Easter \	Neekend	lers - South Mim	ns Departures	
Resort	Hotel	Code	Half Day Excu	rsions Included	Price
Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	4100SC	Wells	Bristol	£199
Eastbourne	Queens	4215SC	Hastings	Newhaven & Seaford	£199
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	4205SC	Chichester	Arundel	£199
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	4195SC	Newport	Ryde	£199
Cromer Weekend	Hotel de Paris	4265SC	Wells-next-the-Sea	Wroxham	£209
Porthcawl	Seabank	4385SC	Swansea	Barry Island	£199
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS4SC	2 excursions	of our choice	£179

Supplements per person: Room with a view £20. No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels.



Make your Easter one to remember with our fantastic 3 night breaks departing on Good **Friday, 15th April 2022** and returning on Easter Monday, **18th April 2022**. Easter is the perfect time to escape to one of our lovely seaside resorts. Plus, don't forget there are lots of little extras that Alfa includes on our holidays that make them great value for money!

ALFA INCLUDES

- 3 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- En suite rooms
- Entertainment on at least one evening at Leisureplex Hotels
- No single supplements at Leisureplex hotels
- Return coach travel from local pick up points
- 2 half day excursions

SPRING BREAKS 🛞

LENGTHENING DAYS, PRISTINE BEACHES AND SPRINGTIME BLOSSOM

Start the year in style and enjoy the beautiful sights of Britain as the flowers come into bloom with one of our fantastic value for money Spring Breaks. Choose from a 5 day break or a week long holiday all with included excursions, entertainment on at least 2 evenings, return coach travel and amazing offers. With a great choice of destinations, staying at our very own Leisureplex Hotels, there can be no better way to enjoy the Spring sunshine.

SPRING OFFERS

As if our holidays weren't already great value for money... they are even more so with our amazing Spring offers. With **FREE** lunches on resort days, **FREE** drinks, half price bar deals and no single supplements, there are plenty of reasons to escape with us on your next holiday.



FREE DRINKS ON SPRING HOLIDAYS

Have a drink on us! Enjoy a complimentary glass of wine, beer or a soft drink with dinner every evening on Spring 2022 tours up to and including 29th April 2022 (at Leisureplex Hotels only).



FREE LUNCHES ON RESORT DAYS

Relax and enjoy a free lunch on non-excursion days at our Leisureplex Hotels on Spring 2022 holidays departing up to and including 29th April 2022. 5 day breaks include lunch on one free day whilst 7 day breaks include lunch on all free days in resort.

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DOUBLE AS SINGLE OFFER*+

For guests staying in any of our Leisureplex Hotels you can request a double room and only be charged our standard Leisureplex single supplement on Spring departures up to and including 29th April 2022.



SPRING SINGLE SAVER*

No single supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Spring 2022 holidays departures up to and including 29th April 2022.



BLACKPOOL SINGLE SAVER*

Solo travellers staying at our Queens Hotel in Blackpool are invited to take advantage of the fact that we don't charge single supplements throughout most of the season, with the only exclusions being August, September, Christmas and New Year.

*Offer excludes tours that have a non-Leisureplex overnight hotel. Book early to secure your room as offers are subject to availability! +Double for sole is subject to availability and is authorised by the Alfa reservations team, whose decision is final. All Spring offers run up to and including 29th April 2022. Only tours staying at Leisureplex Hotels which are listed in the Spring tables are included in these offers.



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			5 Day Spring Breaks	2022 - Reading Departures prices	s in £s pe	r person							
Resort	Hotel	Code	Full Day Excursions Included (Excursions are full days, except where (H) denotes a half day excursion)			Feb 14 Mon	Feb 28 Mon	Mar 7 Mon	Mar 21 Mon	Mar 28 Mon	Apr 4 Mon	Apr 11 Mon	Apr 23 Sat
Weston-Super- Mare	Anchor Head	5100EC	Cheddar Gorge & Wells	Bath	-	£179	-	-	-	£199	-	-	£239
llfracombe	Imperial	5110EC	Minehead, Lynton & Lynmouth	Barnstaple & Bideford	-	-	-	£189	-	-	£209	-	£229
Newquay	Eliot	5132EC	Eden Project	Padstow & Bodmin	-	-	-	£199	-	-	£229	-	-
Torquay	Regina	5151EC	Teignmouth & Exeter	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	-	-	-	-	-	£219	-	-	-
Torquay	Metropole	5154EC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Exmouth & Sidmouth	-	£179	-	£199	-	-	-	-	-
Exmouth	Cavendish	5155EC	Teignmouth & Dawlish	Sidmouth & Seaton	-	-	£199	-	-	-	£219	-	-
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	5195EC	Newport	Alum Bay & Cowes	-	-	-	-	-	-	£209	-	-
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	5200EC	Alum Bay & Godshill	Ryde & Cowes	-	-	£189	-	£209	-	-	£229	-
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	5205EC	Chichester & Arundel	Portsmouth & Southsea	-	£179	-	-	-	£219	-	-	£239
Eastbourne	Queens	5215EC	Brighton	Rye & Hastings	£169	£189	£199	-	£209	-	-	-	-
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	5260EC	Cromer & Sheringham	Norwich	-	-	£189	-	-	-	£209	-	£219
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	5265EC	Sheringham & Norwich	Great Yarmouth & Wroxham	-	-	-	£209	-	-	-	£239	-
Scarborough	Cumberland	5275EC	North York Moors & Whitby	York	£179	-	£189	-	-	£219	-	-	-
Bridlington	Monarch	5278EC	Scarborough & Filey	York	-	£189	-	-	£209	-	-	£229	-
Blackpool	Queens	5305EC	Ribble Valley & Oswaldtwistle Mills	Southport	£169	-	-	£189	-	-	-	-	-
Llandudno	Hydro	5350EC	Betws-y-Coed & Conwy	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	£169	-	-	£199	-	-	-	£229	£249
Cricceith	George IV	5365EC	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	Ffestiniog & Porthmadog	-	-	-	-	£209	-	-	-	-
Tenby	Cliffe Norton	5380EC	Pembroke & St Davids	Narberth & Carmarthen	£189	-	-	-	£219	-	£239	-	-
Porthcawl	Seabank	5386EC	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	-	£189	-	£199	-	-	£239	-	-
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS5EC	At least 2 e	xcursions of our choice	£149	£159	£169	£169	£179	£179	£189	£199	£199

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Jan-Apr departures! Jan-Apr: Room with a view £20.

			5 Day Spring Breaks 2022 -	South Mimms Departures prices in	£s per pe	rson						
Resort	Hotel	Code		Day Excursions Included s, except where (H) denotes a half day excursion)		Feb 21	Mar 07	Mar 14	Mar 21	Apr 04	Apr 11	Apr 18
			(Excursions are full days, except	where (H) denotes a riali day excursion)	Mon							
Weston-Super- Mare	Anchor Head	5100SC	Cheddar Gorge & Wells	Bath	£174	-	-	-	-	£219	-	-
llfracombe	Imperial	5110SC	Minehead, Lynton & Lynmouth	Barnstaple & Bideford	-	-	-	£189	-	-	£219	-
Newquay	Eliot	5132SC	Eden Project	Padstow & Bodmin	-	£179	-	-	-	-	£229	-
Torquay	Metropole	5154SC	Looe & Polperro	Exmouth & Sidmouth	-	£179	-	-	£199	£209	-	£229
Exmouth	Cavendish	5155SC	Teignmouth & Dawlish	Sidmouth & Seaton	£179	-	£199	-	-	-	£219	-
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	5195SC	Newport	Alum Bay & Cowes	-	-	£189	-	-	-	£219	-
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	5200SC	Alum Bay & Godshill	Ryde & Cowes	-	-	£199	-	-	-	-	£239
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	5205SC	Chichester & Arundel	Portsmouth & Southsea	-	£179	-	-	£199	-	-	£219
Eastbourne	Queens	5215SC	Brighton	Rye & Hastings	£179	-	£199	-	£209	-	-	-
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	5260SC	Cromer & Sheringham	Norwich	-	-	£199	-	-	£209	-	-
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	5265SC	Sheringham & Norwich	Great Yarmouth & Wroxham	-	£199	-	-	£219	-	-	-
Scarborough	Cumberland	5275SC	North York Moors & Whitby	York	£189	-	-	-	£219	-	-	£249
Bridlington	Monarch	5278SC	Scarborough & Filey	York	-	£189	-	£199	-	-	-	-
Blackpool	Queens	5305SC	Ribble Valley & Oswaldtwistle Mills	Southport	-	£179	-	-	£189	-	-	-
Llandudno	Hydro	5350SC	Betws-y-Coed & Conwy	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	£179	-	-	£199	-	£219	-	-
Cricceith	George IV	5365SC	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	Ffestiniog & Porthmadog	-	-	£199	-	-	-	£229	-
Tenby	Cliffe Norton	5380SC	Pembroke & St Davids	Narberth & Carmarthen	-	£199	-	£209	-	-	-	£249
Porthcawl	Seabank	5386SC	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	£179	-	£199	-	-	£239	-	-
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS5SC	At least 2 excu	irsions of our choice	£159	£159	£179	£179	£179	£199	£199	£199

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Mar-Apr departures! Mar-Apr: Room with a view £30.

	7 Day Spring Breaks 2022 - Reading Departures prices in £s per person												
Resort	Hotel	Code	(Eventrione of	Full Day Excursions Included re full days, except where (H) denotes a half day excurs	sion	Mar 13	Apr 03	Apr 17					
								Sun					
Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	102EC	Bristol	Bath	Cheddar Gorge & Wells	£249	-	-					
llfracombe	Imperial	112EC	Barnstaple & Bideford	Great Torrington & Dartington Crystal	Dunster & Minehead	£269	-	-					
Newquay	Eliot	132EC	St lves	Padstow (H)	Eden Project	£269	-	£329					
Torquay	Regina	152EC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Teignmouth & Exeter	Brixham (H)	£259	-	£339					
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	196EC	Ryde (H)	Newport & Godshill	Alum Bay & Cowes	£279	-	-					
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	202EC	Godshill (H)	IOW Steam Railway & Cowes	Newport & Ryde	-	-	£349					
Eastbourne	Queens	217EC	Brighton	Rye & Hastings	Battle & Carr Taylor Vineyard	-	-	£319					
Scarborough	Cumberland	277EC	North York Moors & Whitby	York	idlington & Beverley	-	-	£299					
Blackpool	Queens Hotel	308EC	Liverpool	Southport	Fleetwood (H)	-	-	£289					
Criccieth	George IV	367EC	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	Ffestiniog & Porthmadog	Bala & Betws-y-Coed	-	£289	£309					
Porthcawl	Seabank	387EC	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	Tenby	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	£269	-	-					
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS7EC	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	At least 2 excursions of our choice	· · ·	£229	-	£269					

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Mar-Apr departures! Mar-Apr: Room with a view £30.

7 Day Spring Breaks 2022 - South Mimms Departures prices in £s per person											
Resort	Hotel	Code	(Excursion	Full Day Excursions Included ns are full days, except where (H) denotes a half day excu	sion)	Mar 27 Sun	Apr 24 Sun				
llfracombe	Imperial	112SC	Barnstaple & Bideford	Great Torrington & Dartington Crystal	Dunster & Minehead	£269					
Newquay	Eliot	132SC	St Ives	Padstow (H)	Eden Project	£279	£339				
Torquay	Regina	152SC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Teignmouth & Exeter	Brixham (H)	-	£339				
Torquay	Metropole	154SC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Exmouth & Sidmouth	Dartmouth	£289	-				
Exmouth	Cavendish	157SC	Sidmouth & Seaton	Dartmouth & Torquay	Exeter (H)	£269					
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	196SC	Ryde (H)	Newport & Godshill	Alum Bay & Cowes	£279	-				
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	202SC	Godshill (H)	IOW Steam Railway & Cowes	Newport & Ryde	£299	-				
Eastbourne	Queens	217SC	Brighton	Rye & Hastings	Battle & Carr Taylor Vineyard	£269	-				
Bridlington	Monarch	278SC	North York Moors & Whitby	York	Scarborough & Beverley		£339				
Porthcawl	Seabank	387SC	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	Tenby	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	£279	-				
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS7SC		At least 2 excursions of our choice		£249	£299				

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Mar-Apr departures! Mar-Apr: Room with a view £30.

<u>AUTUM</u>N BREAKS

ENJOY AN AUTUMN BREAK WITH ALFA TRAVEL

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An Autumn break with Alfa Travel is fantastic value for money. With included

AUTUMN OFFERS

BLACKPOOL SINGLE SAVER*

Solo travellers staying at our Queens Hotel in Blackpool are invited to take advantage of the fact that we don't charge single supplements throughout most of the season, with the only exclusions being August, September, Christmas and New Year.

AUTUMN SINGLE SAVER*

No single supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on holidays departing in October 2022.

DOUBLE AS SINGLE OFFER*+

Are you a single traveller who would prefer that extra bit of space and the cosiness of a double bed? For guests staying in any of our Leisureplex Hotels you can request a double room and only be charged our standard Leisureplex single supplement price on holidays departing in October 2022.

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Resort	Hotel	Code	Full Day Excursion		Oct 5	Oct 8	Oct 12	Oct 19	Oct 24	Oct 3
105011	1000	oouc	(Excursions are full days, except where	(H) denotes a half day excursion)	Wed	Sat	Wed	Mon	Mon	Mon
Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	5100EC	Cheddar Gorge & Wells	Bath	-	-	£234	-	-	£234
llfracombe	Imperial	5110EC	Minehead, Lynton & Lynmouth	Barnstaple & Bideford	£254	-	-	£244	-	-
Newquay	Eliot	5132EC	Eden Project	Padstow & Bodmin	£274	-	-	-	£254	£244
Torquay	Regina	5151EC	Teignmouth & Exeter	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	-	-	-	£254	-	-
Torquay	Metropole	5154EC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Exmouth & Sidmouth	-	-	-	-	£244	-
Exmouth	Cavendish	5155EC	Teignmouth & Dawlish	Sidmouth & Seaton	-	-	£244	-	£244	£234
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	5195EC	Newport	Alum Bay & Cowes	-	£259	-	-	£244	-
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	5200EC	Alum Bay & Godshill	Ryde & Cowes	-	-	£264	-	-	£244
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	5205EC	Chichester & Arundel	Portsmouth & Southsea	-	£249	-	-	-	-
Eastbourne	Queens	5215EC	Brighton	Rye & Hastings	£264	-	-	£254	-	-
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	5260EC	Cromer & Sheringham	Norwich	-	£254	-	-	-	£244
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	5265EC	Sheringham & Norwich	Great Yarmouth & Wroxham	-	-	-	£244	-	-
Scarborough	Cumberland	5275EC	North York Moors & Whitby	York	-	£254	-	-	-	-
Bridlington	Monarch	5278EC	Scarborough & Filey	York	£249	-	-	-	-	-
Blackpool	Queens	5305EC	Ribble Valley & Oswaldtwistle Mills	Southport	-	£254		-	-	-
Llandudno	Hydro	5350EC	Betws-y-Coed & Conwy	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	-	-	£254	-	-	-
Criccieth	George IV	5365EC	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	Ffestiniog & Porthmadog	£254	-	-	-	-	£244
Tenby	Cliffe Norton	5380EC	Pembroke & St Davids	Narberth & Carmarthen	-	-	-	£244	-	-
Porthcawl	Seabank	5386EC	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	-	-	£249	-	-	-
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS5EC	At least 2 full day excu	irsions included	£219	£219	£219	£219	£219	£214

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Oct departures! Single £0. Room with a view £20

**On Super Saver holidays you choose the date and we choose the destinations and seats, which are notified to you approximately 14 days prior to departure.

5 Day Autumn Breaks 2022 - South Mimms Departures prices in £s per person										
Resort	Hotel	Code	Full Day Excursions Included		Oct 1	Oct 8	Oct 12	Oct 24	Oct 31	
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llfracombe	Imperial	5110SC	Minehead, Lynton & Lynmouth	Barnstaple & Bideford	£254	-	£244	-	£234	
Newquay	Eliot	5132SC	Eden Project	Padstow & Bodmin	-	£264	-	-	£244	
Torquay	Regina	5151SC	Teignmouth & Exeter	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	-	-	£244	£244	-	
Torquay	Metropole	5154SC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Exmouth & Sidmouth	-	£254	-	-	-	
Exmouth	Cavendish	5155SC	Teignmouth & Dawlish	Sidmouth & Seaton	-	£244	-	£234	-	
Sandown Isle of Wight	Bayshore	5195SC	Newport	Alum Bay & Cowes	£259	-	-	-	£244	
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	5200SC	Alum Bay & Godshill	Ryde & Cowes	-	£264	-	£254	-	
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	5205SC	Chichester & Arundel	Portsmouth & Southsea	-	-	-	-	£229	
Eastbourne	Queens	5215SC	Brighton	Rye & Hastings	-	-	£254	£234	-	
Eastbourne	Queens	5217SC	Leeds Castle	Bluebell Railway & Sheffield	£304	-	-	-	-	
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	5265SC	Sheringham & Norwich	Great Yarmouth & Wroxham	-	-	-	-	£244	
Scarborough	Cumberland	5275SC	North York Moors & Whitby	York	-	-	£254	£254	£244	
Bridlington	Monarch	5287SC	Castle Howard & Helmsley	York	-	£279	-	£239	-	
Tenby	Cliffe Norton	5380SC	Pembroke & St Davids	Narberth & Carmarthen	£254	-	-	-	£244	
Porthcawl	Seabank	5386SC	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	-	-	£249	£239	-	
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS5SC	At least 2 full day e	xcursions included	£219	£219	£219	£219	£219	

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Oct departures! Single £0. Room with a view £30

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7 Day Autumn Breaks 2022 - Reading Departures prices in £s per person										
Resort	Hotel	Code	Full Day Excursions Included							
noson	notor	oouc	(Excursions are full days, except where (H) denotes a half day excursion)							
Torquay	Metropole	154EC	Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey	Exmouth & Sidmouth	Salcombe (H)	£326				
Shanklin Isle of Wight	Shanklin	202EC	Isle of Wight Steam Railway & Cowes	Newport & Ryde	Godshill (H)	£326				
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	263EC	Cromer & Sheringham	Aldeburgh & Southwold	Norwich	£326				
Blackpool	Queens	308EC	Liverpool	Southport	Fleetwood (H)	£319				
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS7Y		At least 2 full day excursions included		£289				

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Oct departures! Single £0. Room with a view £30

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		7 Day A	Autumn Breaks 2022 - South M	Iimms Departures prices in a	Ês per person			
Resort	Hotel	Code	(Excursions and	Full Day Excursions Included full days, except where (H) denotes a half day ex	voursion)	Oct 2	Oct 16	
					,	Sat	Sun	
Weston-Super-Mare	Anchor Head Hotel	103SC	Bath	Cheddar Gorge & Wells	Dunster & Minehead	-	£319	
Torquay	Metropole	154SC	Plymouth & Buckast Abbey	Exmouth & Sidmouth	Salcombe (H)	£336	-	
Sandown	Bayshore Hotel	196SC	Ryde (H)	Newport & Cowes	Alum Bay & Yarmouth	· ·	£329	
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk Hotel	206SC	Brighton & Worthing	Portsmouth & Spinnaker Tower	Arundel (H)	-	£329	
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	263SC	Norwich	Aldeburgh & Southwold	Cromer & The Broads	£336	-	
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	269SC	Norfolk & Sandringham	Norwich	Great Yarmouth & The Broads	-	£359	
Scarborough	Cumberland Hotel	276SC	Whitby	North York Moors & Helmsley	Bridlington & Beverley	-	£329	
Bridlington	Monarch	278SC	North York Moors & Whitby	Scarborough & Beverley	York	£339	-	
Blackpool	Queens	307SC	Lake Windermere Cruise & Grasmere	Ribble Valley & Skipton	Southport	£339	£319	
Llandudno	Hydro Hotel	353SC	Caernarfon & Snowdonia	Anglesey & Beaumaris	Betws-y-Coed & Conwy	-	£329	
Porthcawl	Seabank	387SC	Cardiff & St Fagans National History Museum	Swansea & Bracelet Bay	Tenby	£319	-	
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS7SC	Ai	At least 2 full day excursions included				

Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels on Oct departures! Single £0. Room with a view £30
**On Super Saver holidays you choose the date and we choose the destinations and seats, which are notified to you approximately 14 days prior to departure.

SOUTH WEST

Stunning landscapes that melt together with rolling hills and postcard-shot beaches, the largest of all regions in England often feels pleasantly off the beaten track

In this part of the country you can discover endless Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, cream teas, cider, Cornish pasties and Cheddar cheese.

Step into England's history with the stately grandeur of Brunel's ss Great Britain, discover the beautiful Hartland Abbey, see how the Romans bathed in Bath, or visit the Eden Project, a dramatic global garden dubbed the eighth wonder of the world by some.

There is also a huge array of bustling, picturesque and vibrant seaside villages to visit, including Lynton, Lynmouth, Falmouth, St. Ives and Looe.

The South West of England shouts 'picturesque' from every corner.

Very good hotel, staff excellent and always very helpful. I would recommend this hotel to anyone. " T. Ashton







⁴⁴ Being a popular fishing point and one of the most historic harbours in Devon, Ilfracombe is known as a haven for seafood lovers. Along with other famous points of interest in Ilfracombe, you can visit "The Tunnels Beaches", a heritage attraction hand carved in the 1820s and Damien Hirst's famous 20m high sculpture, Verity. Fancy an unforgettable day excursion?! No problem, Ilfracombe is only 45 minutes away from the iconic Lynton and Lynmouth, a popular holiday destination going as far back as the Victorian era.

Alex Laziea, General Manager, Imperial Hotel, Ilfracombe

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA:

St Ives, Paignton, Weston-super-Mare, Exmouth, Newquay, Torquay, Ilfracombe





St. Ives

The beautiful, picture postcard resort of St. Ives is the dazzling jewel in Cornwall's crown. Renowned for its arts scene, complete with its own Tate gallery, quaint cottages and winding alleys conjuring up tales of smugglers from long ago, St. Ives provides the perfect base from which to explore.

ST. IVES BAY HOTEL St. Ives 000

A beachfront retreat with beautiful views of Porthminster Beach. The hotel's bar, lounge, and courtyard terrace offer a relaxing environment. All guest rooms include TV and hairdyer. To access this hotel 12 steps must be negotiated. Tel: 0844 4999356.

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St. Ives & Isles of Scilly TOUR 135



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Return Ferry to Scilly Isles

Excursions Included

Falmouth

The third largest natural harbour in the world, Falmouth boasts a bustling waterfront, four beaches, a castle, and attractive gardens. Transformed in recent years with the development of the new marina complex, which is now home to the National Maritime Museum Cornwall.

Isles of Scilly

Sail to the stunning Isles of Scilly arriving in picturesque St. Mary's, our destination. Enjoy the chance to explore this truly tropical paradise with white sandy beaches, indigenous plants, flora and fauna. (Return ferry included in tour cost).

Truro & St. Mawes

Visit the county town of Cornwall, bustling Truro, before continuing on to St. Mawes, one of Cornwall's most exclusive coastal villages offering stunning seascapes.

	READING DEPARTURES			SOUT	гн міммз і	DEPARTURES	
13	135EC: Dep Sun - Ret Sat			Tour 135SC: Dep Sun - Ret S			at
Apr 3	£509	Jul 3	£606	Apr 24	£509	Sep 4	£606
May 8	£556			Supplements per person			
Su	pplements	per person		Single	£79		
Single	£79						



Paignton

A classic seaside resort with a small historic fishing port, Paignton offers all the traditional seaside attractions such as the pier, theatre and promenade. Paignton was also the home town of Agatha Christie, and Isaac Singer of sewing machine fame.

MARINE HOTEL Paignton **OOO**



Ideally situated opposite the promenade, which offers a delightful flat walk to the resort's amenities, the Marine Hotel offers a superior standard of accommodation and panoramic views of Paignton's seafront and gardens. Tel: 01803 559778.



Paignton TOUR 5149

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions



Excursions Included

Dartmouth & Totnes

Today we visit Dartmouth, a picturesque river town near the estuary of the Dar, home of the Royal Naval College. On our return we visit Totnes, a delightful riverside market town.

Teignmouth & Exeter

We travel through the attractive seaside towns of Teignmouth and Dawlish. Teignmouth boasts crescents of Georgian buildings, a traditional pier and sandy beaches. Dawlish is a Regency resort nestled between Devon's hills. We continue along the estuary of the River Exe to Exeter. Exeter is a city full of history - visit the famous cathedral or the nearby Ship Inn which Drake used to frequent.

	SOUTH MIMMS DE	PARTURES	
Tour 514	9SC: Departs Mond	ay - Returns on Friday	
Mar 14*	£269	Aug 8	£354
Jul 11	£354		
	Supplements p	er person	
Single (Mar)	£30	View (Mar)	£20
Single (Jul-Aug)	£49		

*Stays at Marine Hotel.

ESPLANADE HOTEL Paignton **OOO**



In a prime position overlooking Paignton beach and only a few minutes from the town centre, the Esplanade's en-suite guest rooms include TV and hairdrver. The hotel's restaurant serves a delicious, varied menu. Tel: 01803 556333.





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Weston-super-Mare

Weston-super-Mare is Somerset's best known holiday resort. It is situated in a sheltered bay at the foot of the Mendip Hills with views across the Bristol Channel to South Wales. There are many charming Victorian and Edwardian terraces interspersed with colourful parks and gardens providing fascinating walks.

ANCHOR HEAD HOTEL Weston-super-Mare **@@@ #*****

Splendidly situated between Weston's two piers and close to the boating slipway and a small beach; the promenade walk begins right next to the hotel. There are magnificent views of the bay from the lounge, restaurants and many bedrooms. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01934 620880.



Wonders of the West Country TOUR 5102



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Southern Cotswolds

The Cotswolds, with gently sloping green hills and honeycolour limestone villages, is considered to be the largest area of Outstanding Natural Beauty in the country. In the south part of the Cotswolds you'll find lovey, ancient, untouched villages.

Dunster & Minehead

Travelling along the shores of the Bristol Channel to the picturesque village of Dunster, overshadowed by its historic castle. Continuing to Minehead, now a popular holiday centre but once an important port, retaining many historic features from that era. Its promenade with its cafés, bars and shops offers access to the sandy beach and spectacular views across to North Hill

READING DEPARTURES			SOUTH MIMMS DEPAR	TURES
Tour 5102EC: Sat -	Tour 5102EC: Sat - Wed			Wed
May 28	£284		Jul 16	£304
Tour 5102EC: Wed	- Sun		Sep 10	£294
Sep 28	£274		Supplements per po	erson
Supplements per per	erson		Single	£30
Single £30			View	£30
View	£30			

Steamships & Steam Trains TOUR 5103



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to ss Great Britain
- Trip on West Somerset Railway

Excursions Included

F Brunel's ss Great Britain & Bristol

In the morning we visit the stately grandeur of the only surviving 19th century iron-hulled steam ship, the Brunel's *ss Great Britain (entrance included in the tour cost),* before exploring the fascinating docks and the rest of this ancient maritime city.

🕞 West Somerset Railway & Minehead

We travel to Bishops Lydeard to catch our own slice of the Golden Age of Steam, chugging through miles of sylvan scenery and restored period stations to Minehead *(rail fare included in the tour cost)* where we spend a relaxing afternoon exploring the beach and peaceful old town. This charming seaside town, with its mile long seafront and attractive harbour is a wonderful place to unwind.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEF	PARTURES
Tour 5103EC: Sat - Wed		Tour 5103SC: Sa	at - Wed
Aug 27	£334	May 14	£254
Supplements pe	r person	Aug 13	£334
Single	£30	Supplements pe	r person
View	£30	Single	£30
		View	£30

Bath, Mendips & Minehead TOUR 103



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

🕞 Bath

Already a spa resort in Roman times, Bath became the height of fashion during the 18th century and has many fine Georgian buildings.

Cheddar Gorge & Wells

Through spectacular Cheddar Gorge, which has the highest inland cliffs in the country, to England's smallest city, Wells with its glorious cathedral.

Dunster & Minehead

Travelling along the shores of the Bristol Channel to the picturesque village of Dunster, overshadowed by its historic castle. Continuing to Minehead, now a popular holiday centre but once an important port.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 103EC: Sun - Sat		Tour 103SC: Sun - Sat		
Jun 5	£396	May 1	£346	
Jul 10	£426	Jun 26	£416	
Aug 7	£426	Aug 21	£426	
Sep 11	£386	Sep 18	£376	
Supplements per	person	Oct 16	£319	
Single	£40	Supplements per p	erson	
View	£40	Single (May-Sep)	£40	
		Single (Oct)	£0	
		View (May-Sep)	£40	
		View (Oct)	£30	



Exmouth

Exmouth developed as a resort in Georgian times and was once probably the most select seaside resort in Britain, home to such famous people as Lady Nelson and Lady Byron. Nowadays it offers a rich mixture of immaculate sands, lovely gardens, a busy marina and a wide range of sports facilities that combine to make it an excellent resort.

CAVENDISH HOTEL Exmouth **QQQ A4*****

Popular with sightseers, this delightful hotel is wonderfully situated on the level seafront overlooking Exmouth's fine golden sands, a few minutes' walk from the shops. Fantastic sea views from many of the front facing rooms. Car parking. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01395 272528.



Devon Coast Delights TOUR 5156



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Sidmouth & Seaton

Situated amid the dramatic red sandstone cliffs of the Jurassic Coast, Sidmouth is a famously select resort which was regularly visited by Princess Victoria before she became Queen. Visitors appreciate the peaceful, genteel ambience, wide flat promenade and shingle beach, all framed by prominent headlands. The local independent shops, cafés and restaurants are some of the finest on the South Coast. Seaton is a charming resort with a delightful tramway and a visitor centre run by the local Wildlife Trust, which explores the historic and current wildlife of the Jurassic Coast.

Teignmouth & Dawlish

We travel around the estuary of the River Exe to Dawlish, a relaxing resort famous for its attractive gardens and black swans. We continue to Teignmouth, a fascinating ancient port with a myriad of narrow streets.

JRES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
- Wed	Tour 5156SC: Sa	t - Wed		
£274	Sep 3	£304		
£324	Sep 24	£264		
£264	Supplements per	person		
person	Single	£30		
£30	View	£30		
£30				
	- Wed £274 £324 £264 Derson £30	Wed Tour 5156SC: Sa £274 Sep 3 £324 Sep 24 £264 Supplements per Single £30 View		

Exeter Cathedral & Broadchurch TOUR 5157



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Exeter Cathedral & Boat Trip

Excursions Included

Exeter Cathedral Tour & River Boat Trip The city of Exeter is famous for its cathedral, with long vaulted ceilings, astronomical clock and minstrel's gallery. The cathedral's experienced guides lead us on a 60 minute tour exploring the cathedral building and the personalities who helped shape it (entrance included in the tour cost). We enjoy a scenic boat trip (included in the tour cost) along the Exe estuary from Topsham to Exmouth. Informative commentary brings to life the many interesting sights on the river's banks.

🕞 Bridport & West Bay

Bridport and West Bay are gateways to the Jurassic Coast and are also important locations in the TV drama Broadchurch. In West Bay we find many Broadchurch locations including the folly on West Quay which doubles as Broadchurch Police Station

READING DEPART	URES	SOUTH MIMMS DE	PARTURES
Tour 5157EC: Sa	t - Wed	Tour 5157SC: Sa	at - Wed
Jun 4	£329	Jul 2	£349
Jul 30	£349	Aug 13	£349
Supplements per	person	Supplements pe	r person
Single	£30	Single	£30
View	£30	View	£30

Devon Coast & Gardens TOUR 158



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Bicton Park Gardens

Excursions Included

Dartmoor & Torquay

Heading West, we skirt the southern edge of Dartmoor to Buckfastleigh, before turning south to Devon's largest resort, Torquay. Here we have plenty of time to explore the harbour or visit the many shops before returning to Exmouth

NEW! Sidmouth & Bicton Park Gardens Sidmouth was regularly visited by Princess Victoria before she became Queen. Huge cliffs rise on either side of the town's Regency architecture. Bicton Gardens (entrance included in the tour cost) spans over 64 acres and includes an historic Palm House, Italian garden and Woodland as well as a fascinating Country Museum.

Teignmouth & Dawlish

Refer to Devon Coast Delights 5156 description.

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	ARTURES	
Tour 158EC: Su		Tour 158SC: Sun - Sat		
May 15	£376	May 1	£366	
Jun 12	£436	May 29 날	£426	
Jul 10	£456	Jun 26	£456	
Aug 7	£456	Jul 24	£456	
Aug 28	£436	Aug 21	£456	
Supplements per	person	Sep 18	£416	
Single	£40	Supplements per	person	
View	£40	Single	£40	
		View	£40	

날 Queen's Jubilee Special tour, see page 11.



Newquay

Newquay is Cornwall's premier holiday resort boasting some of the finest coastline and beaches in Europe. Although well known as Britain's surfing capital, there are many other activities and the surrounding countryside has an endless wealth of fascinating places to visit. Newquay offers wonderful cliff and beach walks and a picturesque harbour.

ELIOT HOTEL Newquay **@@@** #***

Very well situated close to Great Western and Tolcarne beaches, only a few yards from the seafront and within easy walking distance of the shops and harbour. There are three lovely airy lounges in which to relax. Large car park. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01637 878177.



Cornish Gardens

TOUR 5131



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Eden Project
- Entrance to Lost Gardens of Heligan

Excursions Included

Eden Project

Today's excursion takes us to the South Coast of Cornwall and one of the wonders of the modern world - the magnificent Eden Project. With its fantastic architecture and amazing collection of plants from around the world, it is an experience never to be forgotten *(entrance included in the tour cost)*.

Mevagissey & Heligan

Mevagissey is still a working fishing port with a lively harbour and many interesting pubs. A short journey takes us to the Lost Gardens of Heligan in Saint Austell. Extending to some 80 acres, this is the site of the largest garden restoration in Europe and Britain's real life secret garden (*entrance included in the tour cost*). Heligan is also recognised as the home of the national collection of Camellias and Rhododendrons, due to the vast array of specimens that were introduced between 1830 and 1920.

READIN	READING DEPARTURES Tour 5131EC: Sat - Wed			SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
Tour 513				81 <mark>5C: S</mark> at -	Wed		
Ma	iy 7	£274	Ma	y 28	£294		
Jur	n 25	£294	Sep	o 17	£294		
Jul	23	£334	Supplements per person				
Se	p 3	£304	Sir	ngle	£30		
Supplem	Supplements per person						
Sin	igle	£30					

Cream of the Cornish Coast TOUR 130



- What Alfa Includes
- 7 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions

Excursions Included Falmouth

Today's journey takes us to the third largest natural harbour in the world, Falmouth. It boasts a bustling waterfront, four beaches, a castle, and attractive gardens. Falmouth has been transformed in recent years with the development of the new marina complex, which is now home to the National Maritime Museum Cornwall.

🕞 St. Ives

Today we travel south along Cornwall's northern coast through St. Agnes, Portreath and Gwithian to St. Ives, one of Britain's most picturesque towns.

Hevagissey

Mevagissey is still a working fishing village and there are many white and colour washed cottages perched on the hills overlooking the pretty harbour.

READING DEPART	JRES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 130EC: Sat	- Sat	Tour 130SC: Sat - Sat		
May 14	£387	Jul 16	£467	
Aug 6	£467	Sep 3	£447	
Supplements per	person	Supplements per person		
Single	£40	Single	£40	

Cornwall Coast to Coast & Eden TOUR 133



- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Eden Project

Excursions Included NEW! Looe & Polperro

We visit these picture perfect Southern Cornish villages

with their intricate maze of narrow little streets lined with charming Cornish cottages.

🕞 St. Ives

Today we travel south along Cornwall's northern coast through St. Agnes, Portreath and Gwithian to St. Ives, one of Britain's most picturesque towns. The narrow winding streets mean the coach is unable to take us into the heart of this delightful town, but a regular and inexpensive shuttle service runs the short distance into the town centre.

Eden Project

Today's excursion takes us to the South Coast of Cornwall and one of the wonders of the modern world - the magnificent Eden Project with amazing collection of plants from around the world *(entrance included in the tour cost).*

READING DEPART	JRES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 133EC: Sun - Sat		Tour 133SC: Sun - Sat		
Jun 5	£416	May 1	£366	
Supplements per	person	Jun 5	£416	
Single	£40	Supplements per person		
		Single	£40	





Torquay

Torquay is one of Britain's most famous resorts, situated at the heart of 22 miles of unspoilt coastline, often referred to as the "English Riviera". It has a mild climate, sparkling blue waters and in its beautiful public gardens you will see subtropical plants and palm trees. Torquay really does have something to offer everyone.

METROPOLE HOTEL Torquay ©©© 44 ***

Situated in the heart of Torquay just a five minute walk from the beach, the Metropole Hotel offers a conveniently located base to explore beautiful Torquay and the wellrenowned English Riviera. Large car park. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel:01803 293682.



TOUR 5152



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Elooe & Polperro

We travel over the River Tamar into Cornwall and visit these picture perfect Cornish villages with their intricate maze of narrow little streets lined with charming Cornish cottages. Looe has a bustling port and is an award winning resort, with its beautful sandy beaches, while Polperro almost takes you back in time with its unspoilt beauty.

Sidmouth & Exmouth

Today we visit East Devon and the elegant resorts of Exmouth and Sidmouth, travelling through Teignmouth and Dawlish and along the western side of the River Exe estuary, past Exeter and then down the eastern side of the river. These South Devon towns, with their elegant Georgian villas, have been seaside resorts for two centuries.

READING DEPARTURES			SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5152EC: Sat -	Wed		Tour 5152SC: Sat -	Wed	
Apr 30	£259		May 14	£284	
Jul 2	£314		Jul 9	£324	
Tour 5152EC: Mon	- Fri		Jul 23	£324	
Sep 19	£294		Sep 17	£294	
Supplements per p	erson		Tour 5152SC: Mon - Fri		
Single (Apr)	£0		Jun 13 £		
Single (Jul-Sep) £30			Supplements per person		
View (Apr) £20			Single	£30	
View (Jul-Sep)	£30		View	£30	

Devon Cities & Dartmoor TOUR 5154



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Buckfast Abbey

Excursions Included

🕞 Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey

This historic naval city has a breathtaking harbour and a wealth of attractions including the National Marine Aquarium, the delightful Hoe, the Promenade along Plymouth Sound and some excellent shopping. We return via Buckfast Abbey, famous for its tonic wine and tranquil refuge to chaotic everyday life *(free entrance)*.

Sidmouth & Exmouth

Today we visit East Devon and the elegant resorts of Exmouth and Sidmouth, travelling through Teignmouth and Dawlish and along the western side of the River Exe estuary, past Exeter and then down the eastern side of the river. These South Devon towns, with their elegant Georgian villas, have been seaside resorts for two centuries.

	READING DEPARTU	RES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
	Tour 5154EC: Mon	- Fri	Tour 5154SC: Mon - Fri			
	Feb 14	£179	Feb 21	£179		
	Mar 7	£199	Mar 21	£199		
-	Aug 1	£314	Apr 4	£209		
	Oct 24	£244	Apr 18	£229		
	Tour 5154EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5154SC: Sat -	Wed		
	Aug 27	£304	Oct 8	£254		
	Supplements per po	erson	Supplements per person			
	Single (Feb-Mar, Oct)	£0	Single	£0		
	Single (Aug)	£30	View	£20		
	View (Feb-Mar, Oct)	£20				
	View (Aug)	£30				



The Best of Devon TOUR 154



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Buckfast Abbey

Excursions Included

🕞 Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey

This historic naval city has a breathtaking harbour and a wealth of attractions including the National Marine Aquarium, the delightful Hoe, the Promenade along Plymouth Sound and some excellent shopping. We return via Buckfast Abbey (*free entrance*).

Sidmouth & Exmouth

Refer to Devon & Cornwall 5152 description.

\rm Dartmouth

Today we visit Dartmouth, a picturesque river town near the estuary of the Dart, home of the Royal Naval College. Passengers may choose to take a sail on the river upstream towards Totnes (cost not included in tour price). We then return to Torquay via Paignton.

READING DEPARTU	IRES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 154EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 154SC: Sun	- Sat	
Jun 12	£416	Mar 27	£289	
Jul 17	£436	May 8	£356	
Aug 14	£446	Jul 31	£436	
Sep 25	£406	Oct 2	£336	
Oct 16	£326	Supplements per person		
Supplements per p	erson	Single (Mar, Oct)	£0	
Single (Oct)	£0	Single (May, Jul)	£40	
Single (Jun-Sep)	Single (Jun-Sep) £40		£30	
View (Oct)	£30	View (May, Jul)	£40	
View (Jun-Sep)	£40			







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You can always find something to do in our beautiful town. Head to Babbacombe and visit Bygones or the Model Village, or why not take a stroll along the palm tree lined paths towards the pier. There are beautiful views everywhere you look, but then you are in the Heart of the English Riviera after all. Don't hesitate to come and visit us in Torquay.

Bartek Maron, Senior General Manager, Torquay

Torquay, Devon Cities & Dartmoor TOUR 5151



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Buckfast Abbey

Excursions Included

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Teignmouth & Exeter

We travel through the attractive seaside towns of Teignmouth and Dawlish. Teignmouth boasts crescents of Georgian buildings, a traditional pier and sandy beaches. Dawlish is a Regency resort nestled between Devon's hills. We continue along the estuary of the River Exe to Exeter. Exeter is a city full of history - visit the famous cathedral or the nearby Ship Inn which Drake used to frequent.

Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey

Refer to Devonian Delights 152 description.

NG DEPARTU	RES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPAR	TURES
51EC: Mon	- Fri	Tour 5151SC: Mon	- Fri
ır 28	£219	Sep 24	£254
51EC: Wed	- Sat	Tour 5151SC: Wed	- Sat
t 19	£244	Oct 12	£244
ients per person		Tour 5151SC: Sat -	Wed
ngle	£0	Oct 24	£244
ew	£20	Supplements per pe	erson
		Single (Sep)	£30
		Single (Oct)	£0
		View (Sep)	£30
		View (Oct)	£20

REGINA HOTEL Torquay ©©© A ***

Ideally situated on the harbour-side, with shops and the theatre just a stroll away. Part of the Regina is particularly interesting as for three years it was the home of the poet, Elizabeth Barrett Browning. Public car park across the road. Wi-Fi in public areas. Tel: 01803 292904.



Devon Rivers & Railway TOUR 5153



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Exe Estuary Boat
- Trip on South Devon Railway

Excursions Included

South Devon Railway & Totnes

The picturesque South Devon Railway conveys us in style from Buckfastleigh on Dartmoor's edge to the Tudor town of Totnes (*rail fare included in the tour cost*) where we have time to explore before a visit to Dartmouth.

Topsham & Exmouth

We potter around the pretty pink and white cottages of Topsham before taking a cruise down the River Exe estuary (*boat trip included in the tour cost*) to Exmouth where we have time to shop. Exmouth is a lively town with a golden sandy beach. We return via Teignmouth and Dawlish.

READING DEPART	URES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5153EC: Sat	- Wed	Tour 5153SC: Sa	at - Wed	
May 7	£274	May 21	£294	
Jun 4, 25	£324	Jun 11	£324	
Jul 30	£324	Jul 16	£324	
Aug 20	£324	Aug 13	£324	
Sep 17	£284	Sep 3	£304	
Supplements per	person	Supplements per person		
Single £30		Single	£30	
View	£30	View	£30	

Devonian Delights TOUR 152



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Buckfast Abbey

Excursions Included

Plymouth & Buckfast Abbey

This historic naval city has a breathtaking harbour and a wealth of attractions including the National Marine Aquarium, the delightful Hoe, the Promenade along Plymouth Sound and some excellent shopping. We return via Buckfast Abbey, famous for its tonic wine (*free entrance*).

🕞 Teignmouth & Exeter

Refer to Torquay, Devon Cities & Dartmoor 5151 description.

🕒 Brixham

Morning excursion to the pretty fishing town of Brixham at the southern end of Torbay.

READING DEPARTU	IRES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
Tour 152EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 152SC: Sun -	- Sat		
Mar 13	£259	Apr 24	£339		
Apr 17	£299	Jul 3	£426		
May 1	£366	Jul 24	£446		
Jun 19	£426	Sep 11	£406		
Jul 10	£446	Supplements per person			
Aug 7	£446	Single (Apr)	£0		
Aug 28	£406	Single (Jul-Sep)	£40		
Supplements per p	erson	View (Apr)	£30		
Single (Mar-Apr)	£0	View (Jul-Sep)	£40		
Single (May-Aug)	£40				
View (Mar-Apr)	£30				
View (May-Aug)	£40				





llfracombe

Ilfracombe nestles around a harbour as old and as beautiful as any in Britain with the breathtaking scenery of North Devon as a backdrop. There are splendid walks along the Coastal Path, the famous Torrs walks or swimming from the Tunnel beaches and coves. Take a stroll through the delightful gardens or enjoy a boat trip to see the cliffs of North Devon.

IMPERIAL HOTEL Ilfracombe **@@@** ⁴⁴★★★

Situated in one of the best positions in Ilfracombe, overlooking Wildersmouth beach and the splendid Landmark Theatre and Conference Centre, close to the High Street and only a short, almost level walk from the harbour. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01271 862536.



Ilfracombe, Exmoor & Clovelly

TOUR 5111



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Clovelly

Excursions Included

Bideford & Clovelly

A visit to the ancient port of Bideford with its delightful quayside shops and cafés. The historic quayside was once amongst the busiest in England. Today it is a relaxing town, with many reminders of its maritime heritage. We then travel to the delightfully preserved private village of Clovelly, with its single cobbled street tumbling down to the sea (entrance to Clovelly included in tour cost).

Exmoor & Dunster

We take a journey along the dramatic North coast of Devon as we travel through Exmoor National Park which is home to some amazing landscapes and has the highest sea cliffs in Britain. Our next stop is picturesque Dunster, a fascinating historic village with a Norman castle steeped in history. It is a very special and unique place with so much to discover including the iconic Yarn Market, the remains of a Benedictine priory, a working Watermill, Packhorse Bridge and Iron Age settlements.

RI	READING DEPARTURES				SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
Tour 511	I 1EC: De	p Sat - Ret W	ed	Tour 5111	SC: D	ep Sat - Ret We	d	
May 28	£264	Aug 6, 20	£304	Apr 30	£229	Jul 9, 23	£304	
Jul 23	£304	Sep 3	£284	May 28	£264	Sep 17	£274	
Tour 51	11EC: De	ep Mon - Ret F	ri	Jun 25	£284			
Jun 27	£284	Sep 19	£274	Supplements per person				
Sup	Supplements per person				£0	View (Apr)	£20	
Single	£30	View	£30	Single (May-Sep)	£30	View (May-Sep)	£30	

Exmoor, Barnstaple & Hartland Abbey TOUR 113



- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- **3 Full Day Excursions**
- Entrance to Hartland Abbey

Excursions Included

Barnstaple & Woolacombe

Barnstaple is a lively, bustling place, with several narrow interesting streets and a profusion of shops. The quay, once a busy port, is well worth a look, as is the 14th century parish church. Barnstaple's Pannier Market, unusually built over the top of Market Street, dates back to Saxon times. Woolacombe is a lively village with an award-winning 3 mile long beach.

Bideford & Hartland Abbey

A visit to the ancient port of Bideford with its delightful quayside shops and cafés. The historic quayside was once amongst the busiest in England. Today it is a relaxing town, with many reminders of its maritime heritage. We then travel to Hartland Abbey with its beautiful gardens and grounds which lead to the rocky cove (entrance to house and gardens included in tour cost).

Lynton, Lynmouth & Dunster

We travel to the twin towns of Lynton and Lynmouth, spectacularly situated on the northern edge of the Exmoor National Park. A trip on the water operated cliff railway is not to be missed. Picturesque Dunster is a fascinating historic village with a Norman castle steeped in history.

READING DEPARTURES				SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES				
Tour 113EC: Dep Sun - Ret Sat				Tour 11	Tour 113SC: Dep Sun - Ret Sat			
May 8	£364	Aug 14	£426	Jun 5	£396	Aug 14	£426	
Jun 5	£396	Aug 28	£406	Jul 3, 17, 31	£426	Sep 18	£376	
Jun 19	£406	Sep 11	£396	Sup	Supplements per person			
Jul 17	£426			Single	£40	View	£40	
Supplements per person								
Sinale	£40	View	£40					



SOUTH AND South East

Visit the South of England for the chance to step back in time in medieval villages and quintessential coastal towns, or why not explore the myths and legends of smugglers along England's stunning South Coastline.

Blending festivals, culture, history and breathtaking scenery, you'll never be short on things to do in the UK's sunniest region.

Some of the region's best attractions include Brighton's Royal Pavilion – one of the most opulent buildings in England. Isle of Wight Steam Railway – journey back in time on board a restored steam locomotive. Stonehenge – one of the wonders of the world and the famous cliffs of Beachy Head - the highest point of those iconic chalky rock faces.

Your beautiful South adventure starts here!



⁴⁴ Officially the sunniest town in Britain, Bognor Regis is an oldschool seaside resort in West Sussex. Enjoy the live music from the bandstand in the charming grounds of Hotham Park, take a short trip to Arundel which is home to Arundel Castle & Gardens, or explore the Tudor Market Cross and Norman Cathedral surrounded by a host of independent shops. The South Downs National Park is also just a stone's throw away and well worth a visit. ⁹⁹



Peter Malinowski, General Manager, Royal Norfolk Hotel, Bognor Regis

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA:

Weymouth, Eastbourne, Bournemouth, Sandown (Isle of Wight), Shanklin (Isle of Wight), Bognor Regis



Weymouth

Weymouth

Weymouth is one of Britain's oldest seaside resorts, made popular by George III whose statue stands on the promenade. It has just about everything one could ask for in a seaside town: a lovely curving bay with soft sands, a fascinating harbour and the remains of a Tudor castle.



ROYAL HOTEL

Weymouth **OOO**





Wonderful Weymouth

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TOUR 5165

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- What Alfa Includes
- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Dorchester, Bridport & Abbotsbury

We first travel to Dorchester, the county town of Dorset. Afterwards we continue to the ancient town of Bridport – ITV's *Broadchurch* – and the village of Abbotsbury on The Fleet.

Poole & Bournemouth

Travelling Eastwards to the Georgian port of Poole, now a leading yacht harbour, then to Dorset's largest resort, Bournemouth.

	READING DEPARTURES				SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES				
	Tour 51	65EC: De	p Mon - Ret l	Fri	Tour 5	165SC: D	ep Sat - Ret W	ed	
	Apr 25	£299	Oct 24 [^]	£324	Apr 30*	£289	Aug 13	£334	
	Tour 5165EC: Dep Sat - Ret Wed				May 28*	£304	Sep 17*	£334	
	Jun 18	£324	Aug 20*	£344	Jun 13 [†]	£314			
	Jul 16	£334			Tour S	5165 <mark>SC:</mark> D	ep Mon - Ret l	ri	
	Single and View rooms available ask for				Aug 29	£374			
_	supplement prices				Single and View rooms available ask for supplement prices				

*Stays at Prince Regent Hotel. ^Stays at Royal Hotel. †Stays at Norfolk Hotel. All other dates stay at Russell Hotel.



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Eastbourne

Eastbourne is one of Britain's more elegant resorts, enjoying a glorious location on the South Coast. Because it is sheltered by Beachy Head and the South Downs it has an excellent sunshine record, always coming in around the top of the sunshine league. It has a spacious promenade to stroll along and the world-famous Carpet Gardens.

QUEENS HOTEL Eastbourne OOO 44***

This magnificent Victorian hotel is in an outstanding position overlooking the pier. Public rooms include a bar, sun lounge and two restaurants. Two lifts serve all floors and a wheelchair lift operates between the ground floor's two levels. Large car park. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01323 722822.



Eastbourne & Brighton TOUR 5216



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Battle Abbey

Excursions Included

Rye & Battle Abbey

Today Rye is best known for its Thursday market but historically it was one of the Cinque Ports and home for many years to the novelist Henry James. We also explore the atmospheric Battle Abbey ruins and their recently refurbished museum and visitor centre *(entrance included in the tour cost)*. Indeed we can stand on the very spot where King Harold is said to have died!

Brighton

We travel to Brighton, famous for its graceful Regency buildings and the exotic iron-domed Pavilion built by the Prince Regent. The pier offers visitors the traditional promenade above the waves. Add to this the abundance of independent shops clustered around the unique "Lanes", and there is never a dull moment in this city by the sea!

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
	Tour 5216EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5216SC: Sat -	Wed	
1	Apr 30	£259	Apr 30	£259	
	Tour 5216EC: Mon	- Fri	Jun 25	£324	
	Aug 22	£314	Sep 17	£314	
	Supplements per pe	erson	Supplements per po	erson	
	Single (Apr)	£0	Single (Apr)	£0	
	Single (Aug)	£30	Single (Jun-Sep)	£30	
	Vievv (Apr)	£20	Vievv (Apr)	£20	
	View (Aug)	£30	View (Jun-Sep)	£30	
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Leeds Castle & Bluebell Railway TOUR 5217



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Bluebell Railway & Entrance to Leeds Castle & Sheffield Park Gardens

Excursions Included

Bluebell Railway & Sheffield Park Gardens

We go back in time to travel on the fine steam Bluebell Railway through the gentle Sussex Weald before exploring the extensive splendour of Sheffield Park Gardens, a magnificent landscape garden laid out in the 18th century by 'Capability' Brown with four lakes at its centre (*rail fare and entrance to gardens included in the tour cost*).

Leeds Castle

We visit what Lord Conway described as 'The Loveliest Castle in the World', a romantic and deeply historical wonderland which is listed in the Domesday Book. It has been a Norman stronghold, a royal residence for six of England's medieval queens and a palace of Henry VIII (entrance included in the tour cost).

READING DEPARTU	RES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5217EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5217SC: Sat	Wed	
Jul 2	£364	May 21	£334	
Aug 6	Aug 6 £364 Tour 5217EC: Wed - Sun		£364	
Tour 5217EC: Wed			£304	
Sep 21	£334	Tour 5217SC: Mor	ı - Fri	
Supplements per p	erson	Aug 8	£364	
Single	£30	Supplements per person		
View	View £30		£30	
		Single (Oct)	£0	
		View (May-Aug)	£30	
		View (Oct)	£20	

Sussex & Scenic Steam TOUR 218



- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on East Sussex Railway

Excursions Included

NEW! Kent & East Sussex Railway

Weave between Tenterden and Bodiam on England's finest rural light railway *(included in tour cost)*. Experience travel from the bygone era on-board this unique collection of coaches and locomotives.

Rye & Hastings

Today Rye is best known for its Thursday market but historically it was one of the Cinque Ports and home for many years to the novelist Henry James. We then visit Hastings, which has undergone extensive regeneration in recent years, and features a new £15m pier, several museums and galleries, a cliff railway, and delightful shops in the Old Town.

Brighton

Refer to Eastbourne & Brighton 5216 description.

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 218EC: Su	n - Sat	Tour 218SC: St	ın - Sat	
May 15	May 15 £386		£376	
Jun 12 £416		Jun 5	£406	
Jul 10	£466	Jul 24	£466	
Sep 4	£426	Aug 14	£466	
Supplements per	person	Sep 18 £		
Single £40		Supplements per person		
View £40		Single	£40	
		View	£40	





Bournemouth

Bournemouth is not just a seaside resort but a "city by the sea" with a huge range of shops, entertainments and amenities. It has a real international flavour and its combination of miles of golden sands and some of the finest parks and gardens in the country make it a superb resort whatever your tastes. The Lower Gardens in particular provide a lush green contrast to the nearby beach. There are many outstanding attractions including museums, an art gallery, two piers and a wealth of evening entertainment ranging from classical music to top name summer shows.

MARSHAM COURT HOTEL Bournemouth

Conveniently located opposite the Russell-Coates Gallery and Museum, the Marsham Court Hotel is a few minutes' walk from the beach and resort centre. Hotel facilities include an outdoor heated pool (May-Sep). All guest rooms are en-suite. Tel: 01202 552111.



TROUVILLE HOTEL Bournemouth **OOO** ⁴⁴***

This attractive hotel is situated on a short, steep hill just a few minutes stroll from the beaches, town centre and pier and very close to the International Centre. There is an indoor leisure centre (free for Alfa customers), a Café Bar, sun terrace and restaurant. Tel: 01202 552262.

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Bournemouth

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TOUR 5170

- What Alfa Includes
- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Lyndhurst & Salisbury

Lyndhurst is the capital of the New Forest, an area of beautiful unspoilt countryside. Salisbury is famous for its spectacular cathedral which has the tallest spire in England. The well preserved medieval town is a delight and the Cathedral library houses an original of the Magna Carta.

Weymouth & Portland

We travel to Weymouth, one of Britain's oldest seaside resorts, to spend the day in this delightful Dorset resort. It has just about everything one could ask for in a seaside town: a lovely curving bay with soft sands, a fascinating harbour with interesting old pubs and cottages, the remains of a Tudor castle, some engaging architecture, a wide variety of shops and plenty to entertain both day and night. The view of Chesil Beach from Portland is quite remarkable.

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5170EC: N	lon - Fri	Tour 5170SC: Mon - Fri		
Mar 21	£299	Mar 21	£299	
May 23 [^]	£304	Apr 18	£339	
Oct 24	£334	Oct 24	£334	
Supplements pe	r person	Supplements pe	r person	
Single	£30	Single	£30	
View	£49	View	£49	

Stays at Trouville Hotel. All other dates stay at Marsham Court Hotel

Bournemouth

TOUR 5171

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room
- & breakfast • 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Salisbury & Shaftesbury

Salisbury's history dates back to the nearby Iron Age fort, but it is best known for having the tallest cathedral spire in England along with a superbly well preserved medieval town plan with many wooden buildings. We then journey past the ancient and mystical Stonehenge on our way to Shaftesbury, a famously picturesque village.

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S	OUTH MIMMS	DEPARTURES	
Tour 5171EC:	Departs Mo	onday - Returns on	Friday
May 16*	£364	Sep 26	£314
Jul 11	£334		
	Supplements	s per person	
Single	£30	View (May)	£49
*Stove at Maraham Cour	t Hotal All atha	r dataa atay at Trayyilla U	atal

tays at Marsham Court Hotel. All other dates stay at Trouville Hotel

Bournemouth & New Forest TOUR 5172 **NEW TOUR**

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Beaulieu

Excursions Included

🕒 Lyndhurst & Beaulieu

A day in the New Forest, an area of beautiful unspoilt countryside, much of it woodland, with its famous wild ponies. Beaulieu is a fantastic day out for everyone, with Palace House, abbey, National Motor Museum and Gardens which stretch down to the river's edge (entrance included in the tour cost).

Salisbury & Shaftesbury

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READING DEPARTU	JRES	SOUTH MIMMS DEP	ARTURES	
Tour 5172EC: Mon - Fri		Tour 5172SC: Mon - Fri		
Jun 27 £374		Jun 13	£314	
Aug 1 £384		Aug 29	£344	
Sep 19	£374	Supplements per person		
Supplements per p	person	Single	£30	
Single	£30	All dates stay at Trouville Hotel.		
View £49				
All dates stay at Marsham (Court Hotel			

Excursion icon key: **F** Full Day Excursion **H** Half Day Excursion





Sandown

The Isle of Wight has a great deal to offer with many superb sandy beaches, mile upon mile of stunning countryside and coastal walks and all the usual modern holiday facilities in the resorts. Sandown is the island's principal resort, and offers a wealth of entertainments. Sandown Bay is the largest on the island and offers a long, safe, sandy beach.

BAYSHORE HOTEL Sandown **QQQ A4*****

Magnificent position on the seafront, opposite the superbly sandy beaches and pier, the Bayshore is a popular choice. The hotel has a light, spacious bar and lounge area. The sun lounge and attractive restaurant overlook the sea. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01983 403154.



Sandown, Steam Railway & The Needles TOUR 5196



- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Isle of Wight Steam Railway

Excursions Included

Alum Bay & Cowes

We journey across the island to Alum Bay, famous for its coloured sands. Nearby are the magnificent chalk Needles, the remains of a ridge which once joined the island to the mainland. Returning via the vibrant seaport of Cowes which is famous throughout the world as a yachting centre. It's a great place to visit for its selection of boutique shops, cafes and restaurants. Many buildings in Cowes were influenced by Prince Albert's ornate tastes

🕞 Isle of Wight Steam Railway & Ryde

We travel towards Ryde where we take a journey back in time on board a train pulled by a restored locomotive at the Isle of Wight Steam Railway (rail fare included in the tour cost). The sight of the powerful majestic steam engines, the charm of the quiet rural stations, and the friendliness of traditionally uniformed staff, will leave you with some enduring memories. We return via Ryde, the largest town on the Isle of Wight.

READING DEPARTURES					SOU	TH MIMMS	DEPARTURES	
Tour 5196EC: Sat - Wed					Tour 51	96 <mark>SC:</mark> De	p Sat - Ret W	/ed
Apr 30	£249	Jul 30	£324		May 14	£274	Jul 2	£324
May 21	£294	Sep 17	£294		Jun 4	£274	Sep 3	£294
Jun 18	£309				Suj	plements	s per person	
Supp	Supplements per person				Single	£30	View	£30
Single (Apr)	£0	Vievv (Apr)	£20					
Single (May-Sep)	£30	View (May-Sep)	£30					

Isle of Wight Explorer **TOUR 197**



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Osborne House
- Entrance to Rosemary Vineyard

Excursions Included

Alum Bay & Yarmouth

We journey to Alum Bay, famous for its coloured sands. Nearby are the magnificent chalk Needles. We return via Yarmouth which is located on the North West of the Isle of Wight.

Whippingham Church & Osborne House

We journey to the North of the island to see the famous Whippingham Church of St. Mildred, designed for Victoria and Albert. We continue to Queen Victoria's spectacular hideaway, Osborne House. (Entrance included in the tour cost).

🕒 Rosemary Vineyard & Ryde

We travel along the eastern coast and have a fascinating vineyard visit (included in the tour cost) before continuing to Ryde. With long, spacious stretches of sandy beach, a thriving independent shopping scene and fantastic places to eat, Ryde is the perfect mixture of quirky and traditional seaside fun.

R	EADING DE	PARTURES		SOUT	н міммя	DEPARTURES	
Tour 1	97EC: De	o Sun - Ret Sa	at	Tour 19	7SC: De	p Sun - Ret S	at
May 8	£376	Sep 4	£436	May 29 날	£426	Jul 24	£456
Jul 10	£456	Sep 25	£406	Jun 26	£446	Sep 11	£436
Aug 7	£456			Sup	plements	per person	
Sup	plements	per person		Single	£40	View	£40
Single	£40	View	£40	날 Queen's Jubilee Special tour, see page 11.			





Shanklin

Shanklin boasts a long, sandy beach which lies at the foot of the spectacular cliffs on which most of the town is situated. The two are connected by a cliff lift. The traditional seaside part of town blends into the picturesque thatched cottages of Shanklin Old Town at the head of Shanklin Chine, an impressive nature trail.

SHANKLIN HOTEL Shanklin **@@@ #*****

One of the best known hotels on the island, the Shanklin is situated in Shanklin town with superb views from its magnificent Starlite Restaurant and many bedrooms. Shanklin Old Village is a few minutes' walk away. Car parking is available. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01983 862286.



Railway Lines & Vines

TOUR 5203



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Isle of Wight Steam Railway
- Entrance to Rosemary Vineyard

Excursions Included

Isle of Wight Steam Railway & Newport

We travel towards Ryde where we take a journey back in time on board a train pulled by a restored locomotive at the Isle of Wight Steam Railway (rail fare included in the tour cost). The sight of the powerful majestic steam engines, the charm of the quiet rural stations, and the friendliness of traditionally uniformed staff, will leave you with some enduring memories from a special day out. We return via Newport, the county town, with its range of historic attractions (entry fees may apply) and independent shops. The quay on the River Medina is always a source of interest.

Rosemary Vineyard & Ryde

We travel along the eastern coast and have a fascinating vineyard visit (included in the tour cost) before continuing to Ryde which has a magnificent pier with outstanding views across the busy Solent. At the heart of this town is a fantastic range of independent shops, it's one of the best places on the Isle of Wight to indulge in a bit of retail therapy!

	READING D	EPARTURES		SOUT	TH MIMMS	DEPARTURES	
Τοι	ur 5203EC: De	ep Sat - Ret W	/ed	Tour 520	03SC: Dep) Sat - Ret W	/ed
May	28 £304	Aug 6	£334	May 21	£294	Aug 20	£334
Jul	2 £324	Sep 3	£304	Jun 11	£324	Sep 17	£304
	Supplement	Jul 23	£334				
Sing	le £30	View	£30	Supplements per person			
				Single	£30	View	£30

Isle of Wight Railway & Vineyard TOUR 203



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Trip on Isle of Wight Steam Railway
- Entrance to Rosemary Vineyard

Excursions Included

Alum Bay & Yarmouth

We journey across the island to Alum Bay, famous for its coloured sands. Nearby are the magnificent chalk Needles, the remains of a ridge which once joined the island to the mainland. We return via Yarmouth which is located on the North West of the Isle of Wight.

Isle of Wight Steam Railway & Cowes

We take a journey back in time on board a train pulled by a restored locomotive at the Isle of Wight Steam Railway (rail fare included in the tour cost). We then continue to Cowes, Britain's yachting capital situated on the West bank of the River Medina.

Rosemary Vineyard & Ryde

We travel along the eastern coast and have a fascinating vineyard visit (included in the tour cost) before continuing to Ryde. With long, spacious stretches of sandy beach, a thriving independent shopping scene and fantastic places to eat, Ryde is the perfect mixture of quirky and traditional seaside fun.

F	EADING DEF	PARTURES		SOU	TH MIMMS	DEPARTURES	
Tour 2	03EC: Dep	Sun - Ret Sa	at	Tour 20	03SC: Dep	Sun - Ret S	at
May 8	£386	Aug 28	£446	May 1	£386	Aug 14	£476
Jun 19	£456	Sep 11	£396	Jun 5	£456	Sep 4	£426
Jul 17	£476			Jul 3, 31	£476		
Supplements per person				Sup	plements	per person	
Single	£40	View	£40	Single	£40	View	£40





Bognor Regis

Bognor Regis has been a seaside fishing settlement since Anglo Saxon times. It became a fashionable resort in the reign of George III and has been frequented by royalty on numerous occasions. The resort is flat and has an excellent promenade walk. There is a pier, the delightful Hotham Park and a pebbly beach with beautiful clean waters.

ROYAL NORFOLK Bognor Regis **@@@** #***

Situated on the seafront with extensive lawns and superb Channel views, this exceptional Georgian building dates from the 1830s and has been visited by the Emperor Napoleon III of France and various descendants of Queen Victoria. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01243 826222.



Sussex Heritage Highlights TOUR 5207



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Amberley Museum & Fishbourne Palace

Excursions Included

Worthing & Amberley

We visit the large seaside town of Worthing, where Oscar Wilde wrote *The Importance of Being Earnest* while on a visit in the 1890s. We then stop at Arundel and the Amberley Museum & Heritage Centre where working craftspeople demonstrate their traditional crafts and we can ride on the narrow gauge railway and historic bus services (entrance included in the tour cost).

Chichester & Fishbourne Roman Palace

We visit the historic city of Chichester with its fine cathedral, Georgian houses and ancient city walls. Then back in time to Fishbourne, a magnificent 1st century Roman Palace complete with mosaics, under floor heating systems and a restored Roman garden (*entrance included in the tour cost*).

READING DEPARTU	RES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5207EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5207SC: Sa	t - Wed	
Jul 16	Jul 16 £309		£269	
Aug 27	£299	Supplements per person		
Tour 5207EC: Wed	- Sun	Single	£30	
Sep 28	£289	View	£30	
Supplements per p	erson			
Single	£30			
View	£30			

South Downs, Spinnaker & Sheffield Park TOUR 5209



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Bluebell Railway, entrance to Sheffield Park Gardens & Spinnaker Tower

Excursions Included

Bluebell Railway & Sheffield Park Gardens

We go back in time to travel on the fine steam Bluebell Railway through the gentle Sussex Weald before exploring the extensive splendour of Sheffield Park Gardens, a magnificent landscape garden laid out in the 18th century by 'Capability' Brown with four lakes at its centre (*rail fare and entrance to gardens included in the tour cost*).

NEW! Portsmouth (incl. Spinnaker Tower) A trip westwards along the coast to Britain's greatest naval port which is home to an historic dockyard (free entry) and

port which is home to an instolic dockyald free entry and plays host to the remains of Henry VIII's Mary Rose and Nelson's flagship, Victory. Gunwharf Quays Shopping Village is a shopper's paradise with nearly 100 great quality outlets under one roof. The highlight of our visit is an ascent of the 560ft Spinnaker Tower (*entrance included in the tour cost*).

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5209EC: Sa	t - Wed	Tour 5209SC: S	at - Wed	
May 28	£269	Jun 4	£309	
Aug 6	£309	Jul 9	£329	
Supplements per	person	Supplements pe	r person	
Single	£30	Single	£30	
View	£30	View	£30	

Splendid Sussex & Spinnaker Tower TOUR 206



- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Spinnaker Tower

Excursions Included

Brighton & Worthing

We travel to the resort famous for its graceful Regency buildings including the exotic Royal Pavilion which was built as a palace for the Prince Regent. We then visit the large seaside town of Worthing.

NEW! Portsmouth (incl. Spinnaker Tower)

Britain's greatest naval port is home to an historic dockyard (free entry) and shopper's paradise at Gunwharf Quays. The highlight of our visit is an ascent of the 560ft Spinnaker Tower, offering dramatic views along the South Coast and across to the Isle of Wight (*entrance included in the tour cost*).

Arundel

The market town of Arundel with its many listed buildings sits below the castle of the same name, once a stronghold of Roman Catholicism in England.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPAR	TURES
Tour 206EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 206SC: Sun -	Sat
Jun 5	£429	Jun 19	£449
Jul 24	£459	Jul 17	£459
Sep 25	£379	Sep 11	£439
Supplements per p	erson	Oct 16	£329
Single	£40	Supplements per pe	erson
View	£40	Single (Jun-Sep)	£40
		Single (Oct)	£0
		View (Jun-Sep)	£40
		View (Oct)	£30



EAST COAST

The East of England is home to expansive wetlands, vast sandy beaches and stylish coastal towns.

Discover the famous Norfolk Broads, a stunning National Park with over 125 miles of lock free waterways which are home to some of the rarest plants and animals in the UK.

Travel through England's history with a visit to Sandringham House; the much loved country retreat of Her Majesty the Queen.

The East Coast is home to a variety of popular towns, with attraction-packed resorts such as Skegness and Great Yarmouth, to the charming seaside resort of Cromer and smaller villages like Aldeburgh.

If you've never visited the beautiful East Coast of England before then prepare to be inspired!





We have stayed at the Hotel de Paris on several occasions and have always enjoyed our stay and found the staff very polite and accommodating.
M. Lambert

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⁴⁴ We had a very enjoyable holiday at the New Beach and are looking forward to going again soon. It is a credit to you all at Alfa. ⁹⁹ J. Cannell

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA:

Skegness, Great Yarmouth, Cromer



Skegness

Skegness is the largest resort on the Lincolnshire coast and has been a firm favourite holiday destination for decades. Wide, clean, award-winning beaches are amongst the fine attributes of this lively town. Why not take a stroll around the many gardens that straddle the seashore.

ROYAL HOTEL Skegness

Situated in its own grounds at the southern end of the promenade, looking towards the sea and an easy stroll from the resort's principal attractions. There is a lounge bar, games room and a ballroom. Tel: 01754 762301.





Skegness & Lincoln TOUR 5272



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast2 Full Day Excursions
- 5 DAYS FROM **£274** PER PERSON

Excursions Included

🕒 Lincoln

Lincoln's splendid cathedral is one of the finest in the country and is surrounded by many other fascinating buildings of all periods including its castle which houses one of four remaining original copies of *Magna Carta*.

Mablethorpe, Louth & Wainfleet

We have a short break at Mablethorpe, a small resort once frequented by the poet Tennyson and notable for its splendid sands. We then visit Louth, an ancient market town on the Wolds with a mixture of Elizabethan and Georgian buildings and a splendid church, before return to Skegness via the ancient town of Wainfleet.

RI	READING DEPARTURES			SOUT	тн міммѕ	DEPARTURES	
Tour 52	Tour 5272EC: Dep Mon - Ret Fri			Tour 5272SC: Dep Mon - Ret Fri			ri
May 23	£274	Jun 27	£284	May 16	£274	Aug 29	£294
Sup	Supplements per person			Sup	plements	per person	
Single	£30	View	£30	Single	£30	View	£30



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Great Yarmouth

Great Yarmouth is East Anglia's top seaside venue, whose long sandy beach stretches for miles, backed by the Marine Parade and promenade, ideal for a gentle stroll or a ride on a horse-drawn landau. Visitors enjoy a huge range of attractions including the Model Village, a magnificent Sea Life Centre and the Hippodrome Circus.

NEW BEACH HOTEL Great Yarmouth **◎◎◎** ⁴⁴★★★

Recently refurbished and expanded with all the facilities you could need, the New Beach is situated in Great Yarmouth's most central location, on the seafront opposite Britannia Pier and adjacent to the shops and resort amenities. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01493 332300.



Great Yarmouth & The Broads

TOUR 5261



What Alfa Includes 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast

- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Boat Trip on The Broads

Excursions Included

Cromer & The Broads

We travel to Cromer via Caister and North Walsham. The attractive, small resort of Cromer is full of character with its narrow twisting streets in the town centre. The lively seafront promenade behind the sandy beach contrasts with relaxing colourful gardens. We return through Aylsham to Wroxham where we take a short trip on the Norfolk Broads to relax and enjoy the tranquillity and beautiful scenery (boat fare included in the tour cost).

Norwich

Norfolk's county town of Norwich is one of Britain's most attractive cities, a fine town with an irregular medieval street plan and many notable buildings of all periods including a Norman castle and imposing cathedral. In addition to the historical attractions, the centre of Norwich is replete with a myriad of interesting shops and a large daily market featuring a variety of clothes and homewares as well as the local agricultural produce.

	READING DEPARTURES			SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES				
	Tour 5261EC: Dep Sat - Ret Wed			Tour 5261SC: Dep Sat - Ret Wed			d	
7	May 28	£274	Sep 3	£284	Apr 30	£239	Jul 2	£294
	Tour 5261EC: Dep Mon - Ret Fri			May 21	£274	Sep 10	£284	
1	Jun 27	£294			Jun 11	£294		
	Tour 5261EC: Dep Wed - Ret Sun			Supplements per person				
7	Sep 28	£274			Single (Apr)	£0	View (Apr)	£20
	Sup	plements	per person		Single (May-Sep)	£30	View (May-Sep)	£30
	Single	£30	View	£30				

East Anglia Coast & The Broads TOUR 263



- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- **3 Full Day Excursions**
- Boat Trip on The Broads

Excursions Included

Cromer & The Broads

We travel to Cromer via Caister and North Walsham. We return through Aylsham to Wroxham where we take a short trip on the Norfolk Broads to relax and enjoy the tranquillity and beautiful scenery (boat fare included in the tour cost).

Aldeburgh & Southwold

Once a major Tudor port whose shipwrights built Drake's Golden Hind, Aldeburgh is today a picturesque coastal town with many interesting buildings such as the Moot Hall, windmill and Martello Tower. We also visit Southwold with its pier, waterclock and lighthouse.

Norwich

Norfolk's county town of Norwich is one of Britain's most attractive cities, a fine town with an irregular medieval street plan and many notable buildings of all periods including a Norman castle and imposing cathedral. In addition to the historical attractions, the centre is replete with a myriad of interesting shops and a large daily market.

READING DEPARTURES			SOUT	H MIMMS	DEPARTURES		
Tour 263EC: Dep Sun - Ret Sat				Tour 26	3SC: De	p Sun - Ret Sa	t
May 1	£376	Aug 28	£406	Jun 26	£406	Oct 2	£336
Jul 3	£426	Oct 16	£326	Supplements per person			
Supp	lement	s per person		Single (Jun)	£40	View (Jun)	£40
Single (May-Aug)	£40	View (May-Aug)	£40	Single (Oct)	£0	View (Oct)	£30
Single (Oct)	£0	View (Oct)	£30				





Cromer

Cromer was once a small fishing village which has now grown into a bustling family holiday resort, with superb sunshine records. This attractive, small resort is full of character with its narrow twisting streets in the town centre and lively seafront promenade behind the sandy beach. The resort's colourful gardens offer quiet relaxation.

HOTEL DE PARIS Cromer ©©© 44***

A delightful and unique hotel, occupying the finest position in Cromer, a town full of character. Hotel de Paris is close to the shops and historic parish church and directly overlooking the pier and lively seafront. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01263 513141.



Cromer & The Broads

TOUR 5266



What Alfa Includes

• 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast

- 2 Full Day Excursions
 Post Trip on The Press
- Boat Trip on The Broads

Excursions Included

Great Yarmouth & The Broads

Norfolk's principal seaside resort is Great Yarmouth, packed with entertainments and amusements for all ages. We also visit Wroxham in the heart of the Norfolk Broads from where we take a trip on the Broads (*boat fare included in tour cost*).

Sheringham & Norwich

A short distance along the coast lies Sheringham, a delightful bustling seaside town boasting a splendid craft centre with traditional rural crafts which have been part of North Norfolk life for generations. Norfolk's county town of Norwich is one of Britain's most attractive cities, a fine town with an irregular medieval street plan and many notable buildings of all periods including a Norman castle and imposing cathedral. In addition to the historical attractions, the centre of Norwich is replete with a myriad of interesting shops and a large daily market featuring a variety of clothes and homewares as well as the local agricultural produce.

R	READING DEPARTURES				SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES				
Tour 52	Tour 5266EC: Dep Sat - Ret Wed			Tour 5266SC: Dep Sat - Ret Wed					
May 14	£274	Jul 30	£324	Jun 4	£314	Sep 24	£274		
Jun 18	£314			Jul 16	£324				
Tour 52	66EC: Dep	Wed - Ret	Sun	Su	plements	per person			
Sep 21	£274			Single	£30	View	£30		
Sup	plements	per person							
Single	£30	View	£30						

Royal Sandringham & The Broads



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Boat Trip on The Broads
- Entrance to Sandringham Museum & Gardens

Excursions Included

Norwich

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🕞 North Norfolk Coast & Sandringham

We travel West to Wells-next-the-Sea, a quaint, thriving port with a unique atmosphere. We continue along the coast and then inland to Royal Sandringham to visit the Royal Estate (entrance to museum and gardens included in the tour cost). NB. Entrance is not possible when Royal Family is in residence, expected to be late July/early August.

🕞 Great Yarmouth & The Broads

Refer to Cromber & The Broads 5266 description.

R	READING DEPARTURES			SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
Tour 269EC: Dep Sun - Ret Sat			Tour 269	Tour 269SC: Dep Sun - Ret Sat			
May 8	£376	Jul 24	£466	May 29 날	£416	Sep 4	£416
Jun 12	£456			Aug 14	£466	Oct 16	£359
Sup	plements	per person		Supplements per person			
Single	£40	View	£40	Single (May-Sep)	£40	View (May-Sep)	£40
				Single (Oct)	£0	Vievv (Oct)	£30
				✓ Queen's Jubilee Special tour, see page 11.			



CENTRAL **ENGLAND**

Visit Central England for the chance to explore historic Derbyshire, Harrogate and York.

Central England is home to many of England's wonderful stately homes including the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire's very own Chatsworth House.

Peak District National Park is another of Central England's highlights, with its dramatic limestones valleys and famed stepping stones.

Make the most of a unique shopping experience in medieval York with its many quirky shops in 'The Shambles'.

> "Our holiday has been excellent. The driver was first class, and the included tours were excellent and very informative. We look forward to holidaying with you again."

T. Brewster





DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA: Derbyshire Dales, Harrogate & York



Derbyshire Dales

Inland England at its very best! Our base is England's greenest city, Sheffield, which includes areas of the Peak District National Park within its boundaries.

JURYS INN Sheffield **@@@**

Located on Eyre Street, this hotel offers a fantastic city centre location. Situated iust 5 minutes walk from the hotel is Sheffield Town Hall which offers stunning



architecture, and the beautiful Peace Gardens which are impressive lit up at night. Tel: 0114 2912222.



Derbyshire Dales & Chatsworth TOUR 5317

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Chatsworth House

Excursions Included

Ashbourne & Buxton

The delightful market town of Ashbourne has a largely Georgian feel with an attractive cobbled market place. Buxton is the highest market town in England. Its splendid architecture including the Opera House date from its popularity as a major spa town.

The Northern Peaks, Bakewell & Chatsworth House

We visit Bakewell and Chatsworth, home to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire and one of the country's outstanding stately homes (entrance included in the tour cost). Returning via Castleton.

🚹 Matlock

The fast flowing River Derwent made Matlock an early mill town but it became a famous spa in Victorian times and has attractive parks and architecture and a preserved railway.

READING DEPARTURES our 5317EC: Sat - Wed £294 Jun 25 5317E ı - Fri Aua 22 £314 Supplements per person Single £99

SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES 5317SC Sep 17 £294 Supplements per person Sinale £99



Harrogate & York

Explore the delightful historic market towns of Yorkshire, as well as the ancient city of York itself, from our base in the genteel spa town of Harrogate.

ST. GEORGE HOTEL Harrogate **@@@@**

An elegant Edwardian hotel located close to Harrogate's main attractions. This stunning, stylishly furnished hotel sits among beautiful landscaped grounds in the



centre of Harrogate and is ideally situated to explore. Tel: 0844 4999357.



Harrogate & York

TOUR 288

What Alfa Includes • 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast

1 Full & 2 Half Day

Excursions



NEW TOUR

Excursions Included

Ripon

Founded over 1300 years ago Ripon is famous as an old Cathedral City where monasteries have stood since the 7th century. Ripon's many historical buildings include the Cathedral, the Wakeman's House, Studley Royal, Fountains Abbey and Ripon Spa Gardens (entry fees may apply).

🕒 Thirsk

A charming traditional market town. Thirsk is known for its cobbled central square and ornate town clock. The founder of Lord's cricket ground was born here - his former home is now the town's museum.

F York

York's medieval walls were built by Henry III around 1220. Some stretches can be walked on today (steep stairs). York's Minster (entry fee applies) is the largest medieval cathedral in England. There are a variety of museums (charges apply), as well as many interesting shops in "The Shambles".

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEF	PARTURES		
Tour 288EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 288SC: Sun- Sat			
Apr 3	£539	Aug 14 £56			
Supplements per	person	Supplements per persor			
Single	£139	Single £			





NORTH EAST **& YORKSHIRE**

North East England and Yorkshire is where England's true beauty shines, from historical attractions, World Heritage Sites and stunning countryside, to those that know this region there is a wealth of beauty unspoilt by large numbers of visitors.

It's easy to uncover some of the regions heritage, from historic York, to the bygone era of North Eastern life at the Beamish Open Air Museum. There's also Durham Cathedral, the largest and finest example of Norman architecture in England, famous for its appearance in Harry Potter films.

Let's not forget the maritime history of Scarborough, Bridlington and Whitby, which have been the heart of these towns for centuries. Many of you may remember Whitby from the TV series Heartbeat!

The real beauty of the North East & Yorkshire is its secret and it's there waiting to be discovered

> ****** Excellent from start to finish. 10 out of 10 for every detail. Will book Alfa again, no hesitation. "

T. Reed



"Scarborough has a lot to offer whether vou are old. young, a first time visitor or one of many return visitors. During the Summer months Europe's largest open air theatre can have acts ranging from Cliff Richard to Madness. If that's too lively



you could always take a walkthrough the Italian Gardens or even up to Oliver's Mount and take in Scarborough's stunning panoramic views. We are the most visited place outside of London and we would like to show you why! "

Kyle Patel, General Manager, **Cumberland Hotel, Scarborough**

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA:

Northumbria & Beamish, Whitby, Scarborough, Bridlington



Northumbria & Beamish

Our tour is based in the Jesmond area of Newcastle, an excellent base from which to explore the spectacular scenery and history of Northumbria and Durham.

CALEDONIAN HOTEL

Newcastle **OOO** A4 ***



Located in the heart of Jesmond, about one mile from Newcastles's city centre, the Caledonian is a comfortable hotel with a friendly feel. Tel: 0191 2817881

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Northumbria & Beamish TOUR 5291

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- **3 Full Dav Excursions**
- Entrance to Beamish Open Air Museum

Excursions Included

Beamish

The North of England Open Air Museum is set in lovely countryside and vividly recreates life at the start of the Industrial Revolution *(entrance included in the tour cost).*

🕞 Durham

A short journey brings us to Durham with its superb Norman cathedral. The adjacent castle is a reminder that church and state were never closer than in the time of the warlike Prince Bishops who were based here

Warkworth & the Northumbrian Coast Warkworth Castle, birthplace of Harry Hotspur, is a magnificent sight enclosed within the meandering River Coquet. More castles follow at Dunstanburgh and romantically situated Bamburgh.

READING DEPARTURES

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEP	ARTURES
Tour 5291EC: Mo	on - Fri	Tour 5291SC: Mon -	
Apr 25	£284	May 16	£294
Aug 22	£304	Aug 29	£304
Supplements per	person	Sep 26	£304
Single	£69	Supplements per perso	
		Single	£69



Whitby

Historic Whitby is an ideal touring base from which to explore the breathtaking North York Moors and Yorkshire Coast. This quaint old fishing town is famous as the home of Dracula.

ROYAL HOTEL Whitby **@@@**



Commanding a superb clifftop position, the Royal Whitby Hotel offers guests a tranquil stay in spacious surroundings with stunning views over the sea. Tel: 01947 602234.



Whitby & North York Moors Railway TOUR 5280

What Alfa Includes

• 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast



- 1 Full & 1 Half Dav Excursions
- Trip on the NYM Railway
- Entrance to Ryedale Folk Museum

Excursions Included

🕞 North York Moors Railway & Ryedale Folk Museum

Enjoy a journey aboard the fabulously restored carriages of the famous North York Moors Railway before visiting the Ryedale Folk Museum. We return to Whitby taking the scenic route over the stunning moors. (Rail journey and entrance to museum included in tour cost).

Scarborough

We take a jaunt along the coast to Scarborough, one of the world's first seaside resorts. With its two bays, separated by a mighty castle, which is perched on the headland and bustling harbour, there is plenty to explore.

SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES								
Tour 5280	Tour 5280SC: Dep Monday - Ret Friday							
Jun 13	£374	Sep 26	£384					
Su	Supplements per person							
View	£69							





Scarborough

Scarborough is arguably the oldest seaside resort in Britain - a Dr Wittie of Scarborough was advocating sea bathing as long ago as 1660, more than a century before it became popular in Regency Brighton! A cursory glance at the headland which divides Scarborough's two bays reveals the impressive medieval castle.

CUMBERLAND HOTEL Scarborough @@@ 44 ***

Very well situated on the South Cliff a few minutes walk from the Spa complex, beach and town centre. With excellent views of the town from the North facing rooms, this brilliant hotel has all the amenities including in room tea/ coffee. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01723 361826.



Scarborough, Whitby & Beverley TOUR 5276



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Bridlington & Beverley

A short journey brings us to Bridlington, a lively seaside resort with its sandy beaches, award-winning promenades and historic harbour. Further South lies Beverley, a delightful town with many Georgian buildings, meandering quaint cobbled streets and a 13th century Minster.

In the second second

We travel inland along the southern edge of the North York Moors to Pickering with its magnificent 12th century castle. Then over the moors to Whitby, incomparably situated on the banks of the River Esk and with a skyline dominated by the remains of the ancient abbey. The many attractions of this famous port town include the Captain Cook Museum, Mining Museum, and several art galleries (entry fees may apply), as well as fresh fish and chips!

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEF	PARTURES
Tour 5276EC: Sa	at - Wed	Tour 5276SC: Sat - Wed	
Jun 25	£304	May 21	£284
Jul 30	£324	Aug 20	£324
Supplements per	r person	Supplements pe	r person
Single	£30	Single	£30
View	£30	View	£30

Scarborough, York & The Deep TOUR 5277



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to The Deep

Excursions Included

NEW! Hull & The Deep

With the cobbled streets of the city's Old Town, the fascinating Museum Quarter, and bustling Marina, Hull is deservedly the UK City of Culture 2017. We visit The Deep, one of the most spectacular aquariums in the world with over 3500 fish! *(Entrance included in the tour cost).*

🕞 York

One of the world's great tourism cities with its wealth of places to visit including the Roman walls, the famous Minster and the fascinating *Jorvik* centre. Like stepping back into the middle ages, the overhanging timber-framed houses and traditional shopfronts of The Shambles makes this one of the UK's most historic (and picturesque) streets. The journey to and from York passes through the Howardian Hills AONB and some relaxing rolling countryside.

READING DEPARTU	RES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5277EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5277SC: Sa	at - Wed	
May 21	£284	Jul 9	£334	
Aug 27	£314	Sep 24	£284	
Tour 5277EC: Wed	- Sun	Supplements per person		
Sep 21	£284	Single	£30	
Supplements per p	erson	View	£30	
Single	£30			
View	£30			

Yorkshire Coast & Country TOUR 276



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

🕞 Whitby

We spend the day in Whitby, situated on the banks of the River Esk and with a skyline dominated by the remains of the ancient abbey. The many attractions of this famous port town include the Captain Cook Museum, Mining Museum, and several art galleries (entry fees may apply), as well as fresh fish and chips!

In the second second

We have a day to explore the picturesque towns and villages dotted around the spectacular North York Moors. We visit Helmsley on Market Day, and have a brief stop in Kirkbymoorside, before visiting Malton.

Bridlington & Beverley

Refer to Scarborough, Whitby & Beverley 5276 description.

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 276EC: Su	n - Sat	Tour 276SC: Sun	- Sat	
May 1	£366	May 8	£366	
Jun 19	£406	Jun 5	£406	
Jul 24	£426	Jul 3, 31	£426	
Sep 4	£406	Sep 11	£406	
Supplements per	person	Oct 16	£329	
Single	£40	Supplements per p	person	
View	£40	Single (May-Sep)	£40	
		Single (Oct)	£0	
		View (May-Sep)	£40	
		View (Oct)	£30	





Bridlington

With its sandy beaches, award-winning promenades and historic harbour, Bridlington is a hidden seaside gem awash with traditional entertainment. Visit the funfair, amusements and donkey rides on the beach for a traditional British day out to the seaside. Alternatively, explore Bridlington's Old Town and Priory Church of St. Mary.

MONARCH HOTEL Bridlington @@@ #4***

Located in a prominent seafront location on Bridlington's South beach, the Monarch offers breathtaking sea views. Situated close to the Spa Theatre and a short walk to the busy harbour which is alive with colourful trawlers and pleasureboats. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01262 674447.



Jewels of the Yorkshire Coast TOUR 5279



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Burton Agnes Hall

Excursions Included

🕞 Scarborough & Filey

Today we visit Filey a tranquil resort town, with a picturesque bay and flat prom. At the northern end of the town is the fishing quay of Coble Landing and inland are the beautiful Crescent Gardens with traditional bandstand. Later we head north to Scarborough which is said to be the oldest seaside resort in Britain, predating Brighton. The town's two bays are divided by a dramatic headland with its medieval castle. Scarborough also retains a busy fishing harbour.

🕞 Beverley & Burton Agnes Hall

Today we visit Burton Agnes Hall *(entrance included in tour cost)* an Elizabethan Manor House filled with treasures collected over the centuries. The extensive gardens include walled areas with intricate planting, sweeping lawns and a woodland walk. Later we head south to historic Beverley which is home to an impressive 13th century Minster, noted as one of England's finest Gothic churches.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 5279EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5279SC: Sa	at - Wed
May 7	£269	May 28	£279
Supplements per pe	erson	Sep 10	£299
Single	£30	Supplements per persor	
View	£30	Single	£30
		View	£30

Castle Howard & York City Cruise TOUR 5287



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Castle Howard
- River Ouse Boat Trip

Excursions Included

Castle Howard & Helmsley

One of Yorkshire's grandest houses, the construction of Castle Howard *(entrance included in the tour cost)* took nearly a full century. The grand house was extensively restored following a fire in 1940. The house and its extensive gardens offer many elegant and dramatic scenes to delight the eye. Helmsley is a charming small town with a variety of shops and cafes. The main sight is the ruined Helmsley Castle and adjoining walled garden (entry fees apply).

NEW! York & City Cruise

Historic York boasts impressively complete city wall, the largest medieval cathedral in England, and museums of Roman, Viking and medieval history (charges apply). We enjoy an entertaining and informative cruise on the River Ouse, through the heart of the city. As we glide along the shipper provides a revealing commentary on the history of York the city. (Boat fare included in tour cost).

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 5287EC: Sa	it - Wed	Tour 5287SC: Sat	- Wed
Jul 16	£339	Jun 25	£339
Aug 20	£339	Oct 8	£279
Supplements per	r person	Supplements per	person
Supplements per Single	f person £30	Supplements per Single (Jun)	person £30
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Single	£30	Single (Jun)	£30

Bridlington & N. York Moors Railway TOUR 279



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on North York Moors Railway

Excursions Included

Generation Scarborough & Filey

Refer to East Coast Escape 5279 description.

North York Moors Railway & Whitby
We enjoy a scenic journey by train (*included in tour cost*)
from Pickering to Goathland. Our heritage train takes us
through the dramatic North York Moors National Park where
we alight in Whitby. Explore the atmospheric Abbey towering
over winding cobbled streets or sit under the whale bone
arch watching the brightly coloured fishing vessels passing
by with some of Yorkshire's best fish and chips!

Beverley & Hornsea

Today we visit Hornsea, a charming seaside town which boasts a sandy beach and long flat prom, ideal for a stroll. There is also a large inland lake with many wild birds. Later we head inland to historic Beverley which is home to an impressive 13th century Minster.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 279EC: Sun	Tour 279EC: Sun - Sat		Tour 279SC: Sun - Sat	
Jul 3	£429	Jun 19	£419	
Aug 7	£429	Aug 21	£439	
Sep 11	£389	Supplements per	person	
Supplements per	person	Single	£40	
Single	£40	View	£40	
View	£40			



NORTH West

There are so many enchanting places to visit in the North West, with its idyllic countryside, iconic seaside resorts and historic towns; this is one of the most exciting corners of the country.

Experience the revolutionary city of Liverpool, with its impressive musical legacies, art galleries and theatres, together with magnificent buildings.

A visit to the ancient city of Chester is a breathtaking experience, with the most complete city walls, the oldest racecourse, 1000 year old cathedral and the largest Roman amphitheatre in Britain. Just along the coast from these major cities you will find a string of vibrant seaside resorts such as Blackpool and Southport.

The serenity of the Lake District, with its stunning scenery and varied landscapes provides the perfect escape from the hustle and bustle.

There is something to charm everyone in the North West.



Whilst in Blackpool a visit to one of the traditional piers is an absolute must, as is a trip to the famous Tower where the ballroom dancing is magical. Another great experience is Madame Tussauds with stunningly life-like wax figures



of some of the UK's best loved superstars; you can even have a drink in the Rovers Return! As the regular driver for Alfa's Blackpool tours, my favourite excursion is to Windermere in the Lake District, it is always beautiful!

Roy Barber, Alfa Tour Driver

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA:

Liverpool, Isle of Man, Lake District, Blackpool



Liverpool

From our base in Liverpool, you can enjoy the city's magnificent buildings, fascinating waterfront and superb museums.

ALOFT HOTEL Liverpool

Housed in the iconic Grade II-listed Royal Insurance Building, the fresh new Aloft Hotel, part of the Marriott group, offers modern amenities in a



classical setting. Situated close to The Pier Head, Royal Albert Dock and The Beatles Story. All guest rooms are en-suite. Tel: 0151 2943970.



Liverpool City Break

TOUR 5304

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room
- & breakfast 2 Full Day Excursions
- Guided Tour of Liverpool

Excursions Included

Eiverpool

Our expert guide first takes us to Port Sunlight, the purpose built workers village on the Wirral. In Port Sunlight we visit the Lady Lever Gallery (free entry). We then take the famous "ferry cross the Mersey" to Liverpool. On arrival in the city centre we visit the Museum of Liverpool (free entry). After lunch (not included in tour cost) our guide takes us to the famous Beatles-related sites across Liverpool. We also pass the city's 2 cathedrals before enjoying some free time for the remainder of the afternoon. (Guided tour included in the tour cost).

Chester

Chester is a classic, contemporary city bursting with shops, eateries, tourist attractions and over 2000 years of history. Home of the most complete city walls, oldest racecourse and largest Roman amphitheatre in Britain as well as the UK's number one zoo (entry fees may apply).

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 5304EC: Mo	n - Fri	Tour 5304SC: N	lon - Fri
Apr 25	£329	Jul 11	£344
May 23	£344	Sep 26	£344
Aug 22	£344	Supplements per persor	
Supplements per j	person	Single	
Single	£99		



Isle of Man

The Isle of Man's scenery combines a beautiful coastline of sandy beaches and rocky points with a mountainous interior to explore.

HYDRO HOTEL Douglas 🞯

This friendly family run hotel is situated in the centre of Douglas seafront overlooking the bay and a few minutes' walk from the seafront shops. Tel: 01624 676870.





Scenic Isle of Man

TOUR 592

- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Return Ferry Crossing
- Excursions Included

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We visit the other large town, Ramsey, the scene of several invasions during the Middle Ages, and the ancient harbour town of Peel. Peel is home to many museums (entry fees may apply) including the Leece Museum of local history, the Celtic and Viking history centre at the House of Mannanan, and the Transport Museum featuring the Peel P50 microcar.

Southern Island Tour

Visiting Port Erin and Cregneash village at the tip of the island with views of Calf Sound and Calf of Man. We also stop at Castletown, where the former parliament building is now open to the public (entry fees may apply).

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 592EC: Su	ı - Sat	Tour 592SC: St	ın - Sat
Apr 3	£419	Apr 24	£419
Sep 11	£486	Sep 18	£486
Supplements per	person	Supplements pe	r person
Single	£99	View	£99




Lake District

The Lake District is England's largest National Park and has inspired more poetry than any other area of English landscape. Both Wordsworth and Coleridge lived and worked here for a time and every corner provides a new and enticing vista.

AUCKLAND HOTEL Morecambe @@@

A family owned and run hotel on the Central Promenade offering a warm welcome and personal service, the hotel is very well situated. Tel: 01524 412565.



Charming Lake District TOUR 297



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Boat Trips on Windermere & Ullswater

Excursions Included

Grange-over-Sands & Ulverston

After a brief stop at Grange-over-Sands, we continue to Ulverston, birthplace of Stan Laurel and boasting a 'Laurel & Hardy' Museum.

Ullswater & Keswick

We travel to Pooley Bridge to join the Ullswater 'Steamer' boat trip to Glenriding (*boat fare included in the tour cost*), at the foot of the mighty Helvellyn. We then continue to Keswick.

Windermere & Coniston

We take a trip on Lake Windermere *(boat fare included in the tour cost)* to the town of Windermere where we have time for shopping. We then continue to Coniston.

Hirkby Lonsdale

A delightful short excursion to the limestone district and Lune Valley. Kirkby Lonsdale is a typical Dales farming town with cobbled streets and plenty of craft and fare shops.

R	READING DEPARTURES			SOU	гн міммѕ	DEPARTURES	
Tour 297EC	Tour 297EC: Dep Sunday - Ret Saturday			Tour 297SC	: Dep Sun	iday - Ret Sa	turday
May 15	£446	Sep 4	£476	Jun 5	£476	Aug 21	£476
Jul 10	£476			Jul 24	£476		
Sup	Supplements per person		Sup	plements	per person		
Single	£40	View	£69	Single	£40	View	£69

WINDERMERE HOTEL Windermere **@@@**

An impressive hotel overlooking the town at the gateway to the Lake District. The town of Windermere and the lake are amongst the most famous parts of the Lake District. Tel: 01539 442251.







What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Boat Trip on Windermere & Trip on the Lakeside & Haverthwaite Railway

Excursions Included

F Kendal & Grange-over-Sands

We visit Kendal, famous for its Kendal Mint Cake before continuing to Grange-over-Sands.

🕞 Lakeside Railway & Windermere Cruise

We join the Lakeside & Haverthwaite Railway and journey through the Leven Valley to the south end of Windermere (*train fare included in tour cost*). The scenic journey passes through woodland, with views of parts of the lake and large open meadows. From the southern end of Lake Windermere we take a trip on the lake (*fare included in the tour cost*).

Grasmere & Keswick

We visit the bustling market town of Keswick situated on the shores of Derwentwater set against the stunning backdrop of Cat Bells, before continuing on to pretty Grasmere situated in the heart of the Lake District and home to the famous Grasmere Gingerbread shop.

READING DEPARTURES				SOU	тн міммѕ	DEPARTURES	
Tour 295EC: Dep Sunday - Ret Saturday		turday	Tour 295SC: Dep Sunday - Ret Saturday			turday	
Apr 3	£469	Jul 17	£576	Jun 19	£546	Sep 11	£576
Sup	Supplements per person		Su	plements	per person		
Single	£79			Single	£79		



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Windermere & The Lakes TOUR 295



Blackpool

Few resorts anywhere in the world can rival the popularity of Blackpool - Britain's Capital of Fun! The world famous Tower, three piers, miles of golden sands, the Pleasure Beach with its "white knuckle" rides, horse drawn carriages, a Sealife Centre, Madame Tussaud's Waxworks, a Zoo Park, an art gallery - Blackpool has them all.

QUEENS HOTEL Blackpool @@@ #***

Ideally situated on South Promenade between Central and South Piers, the Queens is one of Blackpool's larger hotels. It overlooks the Irish Sea and is only a ten minute walk from the famous Pleasure Beach. Large car park. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01253 336980.



Leisureplex

Blackpool & The Ribble Valley TOUR 5305



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Guided tour of Ribble Valley

Excursions Included

Southport

Despite their common Victorian heritage, the studied elegance of Southport's Lord Street could not be more different from Blackpool's Golden Mile! It has several lovely parks, many outstanding shops plus 22 miles of beaches

Ribble Valley & Oswaldtwistle Mills

Take our guided tour through the Ribble Valley and visit Clitheroe, Chatburn and Downham. We hear tales of the infamous 17th century trial and execution of the Pendle Witches and learn about the Sabden Treacle Mines. We visit Oswaldtwistle Mills and return by the 'Nick of Pendle' road to Blackpool (guided tour included in tour cost).

READING DEPARTURES			SOUTH MIMMS DEPAR	TURES
Tour 5305EC: Mon	- Fri		Tour 5305SC: Mon	- Fri
Jan 31	£169		Feb 21	£179
Mar 7	£189		Mar 21	£189
Aug 1	£294		Sep 26 🕴	£274
Tour 5305EC: Sat -	Wed		Tour 5305SC: Sat -	Wed
May 14	£244		Apr 30	£229
Oct 8 🕴	£254		May 21	£244
Tour 5305EC: Wed	- Sun		Jul 2	£274
Sep 28 🕴	£274		Supplements per po	erson
Supplements per po	erson		Single (Feb-Jul)	£0
Single (Jan-Jun, Oct)	£0		Single (Sep)	£30
Single (Aug-Sep)	£30		View (Feb-Apr)	£20
View (Jan-Mar, Oct)	£20		View (May-Sep)	£30
View (May-Sep)	£30			

Manchester TOUR 5307

Tower Tea Dance &

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 1 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Blackpool Tower Afternoon Tea Dance

Excursions Included

(H) NEW! Blackpool Tower Afternoon Tea Dance Take a step back in time with Blackpool Tower Ballroom. The atmosphere and stunning architecture off this iconic ballroom make this afternoon tea (*included in tour cost*) a truly special experience.

Manchester

Manchester is a great European city with a rich heritage stretching back to Roman times. Its role as the leading city in the Industrial Revolution is celebrated in its superb Museum of Science and Industry, just a stone's throw from its remaining Roman walls and excellent shops and cafés (free entrance to museum).

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 5307EC: Sat - Wed		Tour 5307SC: Sat	- Wed
Jun 18 £284		Jun 4	£274
Aug 27	£294	Jul 23	£294
Supplements per	person	Aug 20	£294
Single (Jun)	£0	Supplements per person	
Single (Aug)	£30	Single (Jun-Jul)	£0
View £30		Single (Aug)	£30
		View	£30

Blackpool & Windermere TOUR 307



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What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Lake Windermere Cruise

Excursions Included

E Lake Windermere Cruise & Grasmere

Today we take a boat trip on England's largest lake, Windermere, from Lakeside to Bowness *(included in tour cost)*. We continue via Ambleside to Grasmere for a look around Wordsworth's village.

Ribble Valley & Skipton

A delightful scenic drive through some of the loveliest country in the North, visiting Clitheroe in the Ribble Valley, as well as the well-known railway town of Settle, and historic Skipton with its famous castle.

Southport

Refer to Blackpool & The Ribble Valley 5305 description.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 307EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 307SC: Sun	- Sat
May 15	£356	May 29 날	£376
Jun 12	£396	Jul 17	£406
Aug 7	£406	Aug 14	£406
Supplements per p	person	Sep 4 🕴	£376
Single (May-Jun)	£0	Oct 2 ᡟ	£356
Single (Aug) £40		Oct 16 🛉	£319
View	£40	Supplements per person	
		Single (May-Jul, Oct)	£0
		Single (Aug-Sep)	£40
		View (May-Sep)	£40
		View (Oct)	£30

날 Queen's Jubilee Special tour, see p11. 🎙 Blackpool Illuminations, see p11.

WALES

A colourful myriad of rugged coastline, mountainous national parks and Celtic culture, Wales has everything you could wish for in a holiday.

Delve into Wales' epic heritage with more than 600 castles to explore, including the magnificent World Heritage Sites of Beaumaris, Caernarfon and Harlech castles.

Lose yourself in the pretty seaside towns of Tenby, Criccieth and Porthcawl, with glorious beaches and warming atmospheres to provide the perfect holiday escape.

Vibrant Llandudno is a Victorian seaside gem with history dating back to the Bronze Age, it's located between two famous headlands; The Great Orme and Little Orme which have breathtaking views from the summit.

Experience the magic of Portmeirion which has served as the location for numerous films and television shows such as The Prisoner.

The phrase 'good things come in small packages' may be a cliché, but in the case of Wales it's absolutely true.

> " I had a marvellous time on your Portmeirion and Snowdonia tour, a real experience I will never forget."
> N. Chappell



⁴⁴ Llandudno has fantastic beaches at both the North and West shore, both of which have lovely views. A must for any visit to Llandudno is a trip up the Great Orme, for those who don't fancy walking up there is a vintage coach, a tram or cable



car to take you to the top. The promenade is nice and flat with ample shops and cafes and lots going on during the summer season.

Derek Ashley, Alfa Tour Driver

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA:

Shropshire To The Sea, Cheshire & Clwyd, Llandudno, Criccieth, Tenby, Porthcawl



Shropshire To The Sea

The pretty spa town of Llandrindod Wells lies in the secret heart of Wales and is surrounded by beautiful hillsides. The town has various craft shops, museums and theatres and a park.

COMMODORE HOTEL Llandrindod Wells

Ideally located in the centre of the historic Spa town of Llandrindod Wells, this beautifully refurbished grand Victorian rectory boasts a heated outdoor



pool (seasonal opening) with the stunning backdrop of rolling Welsh Hills. Tel: 01597 822288.

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Shropshire To The Sea

TOUR 5372

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day
- Excursions
 Guided Tour of Elan Valley
- plus entrance to Berrington Hall

Excursions Included

🕕 Elan Valley

A short journey takes us through the tiny market town of Rhayader, to the stunning and remote Elan Valley. We enjoy a scenic guided tour *(included in tour cost)* of the network of reservoirs.

🕞 Berrington Hall & Ludlow

We visit the Neo-classical mansion of Berrington Hall *(entry included in tour cost)*. We continue to charming Ludlow, with its ancient castle and timber framed buildings.

Aberystwyth & Devil's Bridge

Our first stop is Wales' principal resort of Aberystwyth before moving onto Devil's Bridge, which stands over the River Mynach.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEI	PARTURES
Tour 5372EC: Mon - Fri		Tour 5372SC: N	lon - Fri
May 23	£294	Mar 14	£269
Aug 1	Aug 1 £304		£294
Supplements per person		Jul 11	£304
Single £59		Supplements pe	r person
		Singlo	£50



Canals of Cheshire & Clwyd

From our tranquil base just outside the historic market town of Mold, we visit the delightful regions of Cheshire and Clwyd, renowned for their canal heritage. We also visit Llangollen.

BEAUFORT PARK HOTEL Mold @@@

Conveniently located in North Wales, the Beaufort Park is situated in the village of New Brighton approximately two miles from the historic town of Mold. The well-appointed



bedrooms are tastefully furnished and designed with comfort in mind. Tel: 01352 758646.



Canals of Cheshire & Clwyd TOUR 5314

What Alfa Includes

4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
2 Full & 1 Half Day



- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Nat. Waterways Museum & Anderton Canal Boat Trip

Excursions Included

Anderton Boat Lift & Waterways Museum
 We visit the Anderton Boat Lift, known as one of the 'Seven
 Wonders of the Waterways'. The National Waterways
 Museum lies on the banks of the Mersey and the
 Manchester Ship Canal and looks after a great collections
 of historic boats (entrance included).

Llangollen & Vale of Clwyd

Once home to Welsh princes and influential abbots, this historic "Gateway to Wales" makes the most of its riverside setting in the narrowest stretch of the lush Dee Valley.

Chester

We have plenty of time to explore this compact city which is easy to get around on foot.

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEF	PARTURES	
Tour 5314EC: M	on - Fri	Tour 5314SC: N	lon - Fri	
Apr 25	£319	Aug 8	£344	
Jun 27 £344		Supplements per person		
Aug 22	£344	Single	£30	
Sep 19	£334			
Supplements per person				
Sinale	£30			



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WALES



Llandudno

Elegant boulevards between mountains & sea

Situated on a sandy isthmus between the Great Orme and Little Orme heads, Llandudno boasts two superb beaches. The shingly North Shore is the busier of the two with its Victorian Pier, boat trips, donkey rides, Punch and Judy shows and much more. The sandy West Shore is quieter with miles of sands and panoramic views of the Snowdonia mountain range in the distance. Llandudno is a highly attractive resort with its magnificent crescent of hotels, broad tree-lined streets and elegant shops all combining to produce a unique atmosphere. There are two golf courses. A tramway and cable car both offer a route to the summit of the Great Orme (which also boasts a superb dry ski slope - one of the best in Britain). There is plenty to do both by day and by night and you are sure never to have a dull moment at what many would claim to be the most complete of all British holiday resorts.





HYDRO HOTEL Llandudno @@@ 44 ***



Ideally placed on the seafront close to the Venue Cymru Theatre and a short walk from Llandudno's wonderful shops, pier and Happy Valley gardens. Large entertainment suite with dance floor and entertainment most evenings. Magnificent restaurant, "Looking Glass" bar with views over the bay, newly refurbished sun lounge, games room with snooker included. Many rooms have views over the bay or over the town to the Snowdonia mountains. Car parking available. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01492 870101.



North Wales Highlands & Islands

TOUR 5351



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to National Slate Museum

Excursions Included

G Anglesey & Beaumaris

We travel to Anglesey with time to explore the charming town of Beaumaris before paying a visit to LlanfairPG, famous not only for its inordinately long name, but also for Pringle's Woollen Mills, where we have a short stop.

Caernarfon & Snowdonia

A magnificent journey today takes us along the shores of Conwy Bay to Caernarfon, with its splendid castle beside the harbour. We then turn inland through to Porthmadog. Passing through the heart of Snowdonia on the return journey we visit Llanberis at the foot of Snowdon. In Llanberis we visit the National Slate Museum (free entrance), which tells the story of the slate mining industry.

READING DEPARTURES					
Tour 5351EC: Sat	- Wed				
Jul 2	£324				
Tour 5351EC: Mo	n - Fri				
Aug 1	£324				
Tour 5351EC: We	d - Sun				
Sep 21	£274				
SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	RTURES				
Tour 5351SC: Sat	- Wed				
May 14	£274				
Jun 25	£314				
Sep 24	£274				
Tour 5351SC: Mo	on - Fri				
Aug 8	£324				
Supplements per person					
Single	£30				
View	£30				

Snowdonia, Anglesey & Conwy

TOUR 353



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- **3 Full Day Excursions**
- Entrance to National Slate Museum

Excursions Included

Anglesey & Beaumaris

We travel to Anglesey with time to explore the charming town of Beaumaris before paying a visit to LlanfairPG, famous not only for its inordinately long name, but also for Pringle's Woollen Mills, where we have a short stop.

Betws-y-Coed & Conwy

We travel down the Vale of Conwy, through Llanrwst to Betws-y-Coed, a wooded village in a picturesque setting where three rivers meet. We then continue to the historic town of Conwy, with its mighty castle and medieval town walls.

Caernarfon & Snowdonia

Refer to North Wales Highlands & Islands 5351 description.



READING DEPARTURES				
Tour 353EC: Sun	- Sat			
May 1	£376			
Jul 10, 24	£446			
Sep 25	£396			
SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	RTURES			
Tour 353SC: Sun	- Sat			
May 1	£376			
Jul 17	£446			
Sep 11	£406			
Oct 16	£329			
Supplements per	person			
Single (May-Sep)	£40			
Single (Oct)	£0			
View (May-Sep)	£40			
View (Oct)	£30			

Gardens of North Wales

TOUR 5353



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Entrance to Bodnant Gardens, Gwydir Castle, Penrhyn Castle & Plas Newydd House & Gardens

Excursions Included

Beaumaris & Plas Newydd House & Gardens We cross through Anglesey to the charming town of Beaumaris then we visit the beautiful 18th century Plas Newydd House (entrance included in the tour cost).

Gwydir Castle & Bodnant Gardens

We spend the morning at the fine Elizabethan Gardens of the splendid Tudor Gwydir Castle and continue to the spectacular Bodnant Gardens (entrance to Gwydir Castle and Bodnant Gardens included in the tour cost).

Penrhyn Castle

A visit to the early 19th century Penrhyn Castle, with its exotic plants in the Victorian walled garden (entrance included in the tour cost).

Great Little Trains of Wales

TOUR 354



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Trips on Bala Lake Railway, Ffestiniog Railway & Llanberis Lake Railway & Entrance to National Slate Museum

Excursions Included

Ffestiniog Railway

We travel first to Porthmadog before taking the most famous of the Great Little Trains up to Blaenau Ffestiniog. in the heart of the Welsh slate mining area and now one of the most innovative activity centres of northern Wales.

Snowdon & Llanberis Lake Railway Llanberis Lake lies at the foot of Snowdon, the highest

mountain in Wales with majestic views. We return via Swallow Falls, an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.

Llangollen & Bala Lake Railway

Travelling via the lovely Horseshoe Pass, we take a trip on the Bala Lake Railway. Excellent views of the lake and its surrounding woodland scenery can be viewed on the trip.



READING DEPARTURES

Jul 16

May 28

Jul 11

Aug 29 Supplements per

Single

View

Four 5353EC: Sat - Wed Jun 4

SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES

£334

£374

Wed

£334

- Fri

£374

£334

£30

£30

person

READING DEPARTURES				
Tour 354EC: Sun	- Sat			
Jun 12	£446			
Sep 4	£446			
SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	RTURES			
Tour 354SC: Sun	i - Sat			
Jun 19	£456			
Aug 14	£476			
Supplements per person				
Single	£40			
View	£40			







Criccieth

Criccieth lies on the South side of the Llvn Peninsula with splendid views over Cardigan Bay. It is home to a medieval castle, built by the Welsh in the mid-thirteenth century. The castle headland divides the town into two with a pebbly beach to the West and a lovely sheltered mainly sandy beach to the East. The countryside around Criccieth is breathtaking!

GEORGE IV HOTEL Criccieth OOO 44 ***

Situated on the High Street in the centre of Criccieth with magnificent views towards the sea and castle from many bedrooms. This iconic hotel with its ideal location, is a popular choice with its extensive public areas. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01766 522168.



Portmeirion & Snowdon Railway TOUR 5366



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Portmeirion
- Trip on Snowdon Mountain Railway

Excursions Included

Snowdon

A warm Welsh welcome awaits you at Snowdon Mountain Railway. Snowdon Mountain Railway rises to within 66' of the summit of Wales' highest mountain and provides unforgettable views of some of the finest mountain scenery in the British Isles (rail fare included in tour cost - service stops part way in severe weather).

Portmeirion Village

This unique village is set on its own peninsula on the southern shores of Snowdonia. There are lovely gardens and fascinating views at every turn. Take time to explore the central piazza, architectural stroll, quayside and battery square. Stunning Portmeirion pottery can be found in the village gift shop. (Entrance included in tour cost).

READING DEPAR	TURES	SOUTH MIMMS DEP	ARTURES	
Tour 5366EC: Sa	t - Wed	Tour 5366SC: Sat - Wed		
May 21	£334	May 14	£284	
Jul 23	£374	Jul 16	£374	
Sep 3	£334	Sep 10	£324	
Supplements per	person	Supplements per person		
Single	£30	Single	£30	
View	£30	View	£30	

Welsh Scenic Railways TOUR 5367



- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- **3 Full Day Excursions**
- Entrance to National Slate Museum
- Trips on Welsh Highland Railway, Llanberis Lake Railway & Talyllyn Railway

Excursions Included

🕞 Llanberis Lake Railway & Welsh Slate Museum Llanberis lies at the foot of Snowdon, the highest mountain in Wales with majestic views (rail fare included in the tour cost). We then spend time at the National Slate Museum (free entrance to museum). We return via Swallow Falls.

🕞 Talyllyn Railway

This historic, steam-operated railway runs for seven and a quarter miles through the beautiful Fathew Valley from Tywyn to Abergynolwyn (rail fare included in the tour cost).

🕞 Welsh Highland Railway

We take a spectacular 25 mile scenic journey to beneath the castle walls in Caernarfon on the Welsh Highland Railway (rail fare included in the tour cost).

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPAI	RTURES
Tour 5367EC: Sat - Wed		Tour 5367SC: Sat	- Wed
Apr 30	£309	Jun 11	£334
Jun 25	Jun 25 £354		erson
Aug 20	£374	Single	£30
Supplements per p	erson	View	£30
Single (Apr)	£0		
Single (Jun-Aug)	£30		
Vievv (Apr)	£20		
View (Jun-Aug)	£30		

Portmeirion & Snowdonia TOUR 368



- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Portmeirion
- Trip on Snowdon Mountain Railway

Excursions Included

Snowdon

Refer to Portmeirion & Snowdon Railway 5366 description.

Portmeirion Village

Refer to Portmeirion & Snowdon Railway 5366 description.

Barmouth & Ffestiniog

A lovely coastal journey through Harlech to Barmouth, with its long sandy beach and picturesque harbour, before continuing to Ffestiniog in the heart of Snowdonia, once a major centre of the slate mining industry. The area is now one of the most innovative activity centres of northern Wales.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPAR	TURES
Tour 368EC: Sun -	Tour 368EC: Sun - Sat		- Sat
May 1	£396	May 8	£396
Jul 17	£456	Jun 26	£436
Aug 14	£456	Jul 31	£456
Sep 11	£406	Aug 21	£456
Supplements per po	erson	Sep 4	£426
Single	£40	Sep 18	£406
View	£40	Supplements per p	erson
		Single	£40
		View	£40







Tenby is a uniquely attractive resort. Its pastel coloured buildings, narrow streets, fortified walls and the quality of the light from its shimmering bays give it an atmosphere which is reminiscent of the Mediterranean. Tenby has four magnificent sandy beaches and a delightful harbour with regular ferries to nearby Caldey Island.

CLIFFE NORTON HOTEL Tenby **000 4*****

The Cliffe Norton Hotel occupies a prime position on the North Beach, affords uninterrupted views across the bay and is just a short walk from the town centre. Rooms available with magnificent sea views across the bay. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01834 842333.



King Arthur Country TOUR 5381



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Pembroke & St. David's

Our tour visits Pembroke, birthplace of Henry VII, Pembroke was the site of a prolonged siege by Oliver Cromwell from which the town retains a magnificent castle. A charming walled town with a central main street heading east from the castle gates and a moat or castle pond extending round much of the town. Although technically a city due to its magnificent cathedral, St. Davids is actually an attractive village, set amongst beautiful coastal scenery.

In Narberth & Carmarthen

A delightful small town with an intriguing museum, Narberth boasts an atmospheric castle ruin, a wide range of guirky independent shops, and a distinctive former town hall and gaol, which resembles a boathouse. One of the oldest settlements in Wales, Carmarthen is brimming with historic architecture, such as Clough Williams-Ellis's bridge over the Towy, and boasts a bustling market and shopping streets. It is also reputed to be the birthplace of King Arthur and Merlin.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	RTURES
Tour 5381EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5381SC: Sat	- Wed
Apr 30	£259	May 14	£274
May 21	£284	Supplements per p	oerson
Supplements per pe	erson	Single	£30
Single (Apr)	£0	View	£30
Single (May) £30			
View (Apr) £20			
View (May)	£30		

Tenby, St. Davids & Gwili Railway TOUR 5382



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Gwilli Railway

Excursions Included

🕞 Pembroke & St. David's

Our tour visits Pembroke, birthplace of Henry VII, Pembroke was the site of a prolonged siege by Oliver Cromwell from which the town retains a magnificent castle. A charming walled town with a central main street heading east from the castle gates and a moat or castle pond extending round much of the town. Although technically a city due to its magnificent cathedral, St. Davids is actually an attractive village, set amongst beautiful coastal scenery.

🕞 Gwili Railway & Carmarthen

Known as "the friendly line", the Gwili steam and diesel railway operates on part of the former Carmarthen to Aberystwyth line (rail fare included). The journey takes in some delightful natural scenery and industrial heritage. There is a miniature railway display and a former travelling post office to explore. We also have some free time in historic Carmarthen, birthplace of Merlin,

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES			
Tour 5382EC: Sat -	Wed		Tour 5382SC: Sat	- Wed	
Jun 4	£324		Jul 23	£344	
Tour 5382EC: Wed	- Sun		Supplements per person		
Sep 21	£344		Single	£30	
Supplements per per	erson		View	£30	
Single	£30				
View	£30				

Tenby & Pembrokeshire TOUR 383



- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions

Excursions Included

Broad Haven & St. David's

As the name suggests, Broad Haven's beach is wide and calm, backed by a long flat promenade and a selection of tea rooms and cafés. Although technically a city due to its magnificent cathedral, St. David's is actually an attractive village, set amongst beautiful coastal scenery.

Saundersfoot & Narberth

Situated in the heart of the Pembrokeshire Coast National Park, Saundersfoot is a small seaside resort with a wide, sandy, blue flag beach. Take a stroll to the hidden gem of the harbour rated one of the most beautiful harbour's in the UK. Narberth is a guirky small town with independent shops.

Pembroke

Birthplace of Henry VII, Pembroke was the site of a prolonged siege by Oliver Cromwell from which the town retains a magnificent castle. A charming walled town with a central main street heading east from the castle gates and a moat or castle pond extending round much of the town.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	RTURES	
Tour 383EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 383SC: Sur	ı - Sat	
May 15	£416	May 29	£426	
Jun 5	£456	Jun 19	£456	
Jul 3	£476	Jul 17		
Sep 25	£406	Aug 21 £4		
Supplements per p	Supplements per person		person	
Single	£40	Single £4		
View	£40	View £4		

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Porthcawl

Located between Swansea and Cardiff, the attractive seaside resort of Porthcawl was originally a port for the iron and steel industries. Today this attractive seaside resort offers numerous facilities including the world famous golf course, an expansive sandy beach and all your traditional seaside entertainments.

SEABANK HOTEL Porthcawl @@@ #***

Situated on a headland, a short walk from the Grand Pavilion and John Street shops. There are spectacular views of the Bristol Channel and South Wales coast from the bar, restaurant and most bedrooms. Large car park. Wi-Fi throughout. Tel: 01656 782261.



Gardens of South Wales



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Entrance to Aberglasney Gardens, Dyffryn
- Gardens, National Botanic Gardens of Wales
- Entrance to St. Fagans Nat. History Museum

Excursions Included

National Botanic Garden of Wales & Aberglasney Gardens

A short journey takes us to Carmarthen and the first major Botanic Garden to be created this century. In the afternoon we continue to nearby Aberglasney Gardens, one of the most beautiful gardens in Wales *(entrance to both gardens included in the tour cost).*

Dyffryn Gardens & St. Fagans National History Museum

We travel to the heart of the vale of Glamorgan to visit Dyffryn Gardens (*entrance included in the tour cost*). We then visit St. Fagans National History Museum (*free entrance*) one of Europe's premier open air museums.

READING DEPARTUR	READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES		
Tour 5387EC: Sat -	Wed	Tour 5387SC: Mon	- Fri		
May 14	£269	May 16	£269		
Jul 23	£339	Aug 8	£339		
Supplements per pe	erson	Tour 5387SC: Sat - Wed			
Single	£30	May 28	£289		
View	£30	Sep 3	£299		
			erson		
		Single	£30		
		View	£30		

Botanic Gardens & Brecon Railway TOUR 5388



What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full Day Excursions
- Trip on Brecon Mountain Railway
- Entrance to National Botanic Gardens of Wales
- Entrance to Cyfarthfa Castle

Excursions Included

Brecon Mountain Railway & Cyfarthfa Castle

Today we take a trip on the newly extended Brecon Mountain Railway *(return fare included in tour cost).* We then visit Cyfarthfa Castle, once a pivotal location in the Industrial Revolution.

National Botanic Gardens of Wales & Swansea

A short journey takes us to Carmarthen and the first major Botanic Garden to be created this century *(entrance included in the tour cost)*. Swansea is a bustling city full of interest including the National Waterfront Museum and the Dylan Thomas Centre.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPA	RTURES	
Tour 5388EC: Sat	- Wed	Tour 5388SC: Sat	- Wed	
Jun 18	£299	Apr 30	£269	
Tour 5388EC: Mo	n - Fri	Jul 9	£339	
Sep 19	£279	Supplements per person		
Supplements per	person	Single (Apr) £0		
Single	£30	Single (Jul)	£30	
View	£30	View (Apr)	£20	
		View (Jul)	£30	

South Wales Cities & Seaside TOUR 387



- What Alfa Includes
- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Guided tour of Cardiff
- Entrance to St. Fagans National History Museum

Excursions Included

Tenby

Tenby's two superb beaches and harbour are overlooked by its pastel coloured buildings. Its narrow streets and fortified walls combine to create a unique seaside atmosphere.

🕞 Cardiff & St. Fagans Nat. History Museum

We travel the short distance to Cardiff and start the day with a tour of the city (*guide included*). We then have free time to look around the Welsh capital. We then visit St. Fagans National History Museum (*free entrance*).

🕒 Swansea & Bracelet Bay

We visit the bustling city of Swansea before travelling to Bracelet Bay, near Mumbles, which has exceptional sea views across the Bristol Channel.

READING DEPARTURES		SOUTH MIMMS DEPARTURES	
Tour 387EC: Sun	- Sat	Tour 387SC: Sun -	Sat
Mar 13	£269	Mar 27	£279
May 8	£389	May 8	£389
Jul 3	£419	Jul 3	£419
Aug 14	£419	Sep 4 £	
Supplements per p	erson	Oct 2	£319
Single (Mar)	£0	Supplements per person	
Single (May-Aug)	£40	Single (Mar, Oct)	£0
View (Mar)	£30	Single (May-Sep) £4	
View (May-Aug) £40		View (Mar, Oct)	£30
		View (May-Sep)	£40



SCOTLAND

A land of magical glens and picturesque lochs with stunning mountain views, when it comes to exploring Scotland, it's as much about the journey as the destination.

Glasgow is an amazing historic city with exceptional galleries, museums and restaurants to explore.

Beyond the cities, Scotland is studded with an astonishing number of ancient monuments, castles and legends in abundance. For example, you can go in search of the infamous "Nessie" at Loch Ness.

From the mysterious waters of Loch Ness to the unspoilt natural beauty of the highlands and everything in between, a holiday to Scotland is sure to leave you with memories to last a lifetime.

"It was my first holiday in Scotland, and by far my best! Thanks for a lovely week and hope to travel with Alfa again soon." L. Whikling

Ben Nevis





** Fort William is the self-styled Outdoor Capital of the UK, home to the highest mountain in Britain towering above us at 4411ft. An ideal base for exploring the beauty of the Highlands and Islands, discover the Islands of Mull and Skye or take your chance at spotting the Loch Ness Monster! For those wanting to chill and take in the beautiful views of Loch Linnhe from the front facing bedrooms or the public rooms you may be lucky to see some otters, porpoise, seals and many more! **

Tony Riley, Alfa Tour Driver & Chris Matthews, General Manager, Croit Anna Hotel, Fort William

DESTINATIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA: Fort William, Dunoon

Overnight Stops Outbound journey: We stop overnight in North West England before continuing to our resort. Return journey: We stop overnight in Yorkshire before continuing to the interchange.







Fort William

Fort William, the "Outdoor Capital of the UK", is not only an important tourist centre but also a splendid location from which to explore the magnificent Western Highlands.

CROIT ANNA HOTEL Fort William @@@ 44***

Situated on the shores of Loche Linnhe, three miles from the centre of Fort William, the Croit Anna hotel has spectacular loch views. Tel: 01397 702268.



Fort William, Loch Ness, Skye & Mull TOUR 433



What Alfa Includes

- 7 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 3 Full Day Excursions
- Return Ferry to Isle of Mull

Excursions Included

Loch Ness & Inverness

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We travel to the beautiful city of Inverness which boasts an array of historic buildings including Inverness Castle and St. Andrew's Cathedral. The route to Inverness follows the shores of probably the most famous lake in Britain, Loch Ness.

Isle of Mull

We take the Corran ferry across Loch Linnhe to Ardgour and proceed through this unspoilt peninsula to Lochaline where we board a second ferry to Mull *(included in the tour cost)*. We have time to explore Tobermory, the capital of Mull.

Isle of Skye

A scenic journey takes us along Loch Lochy, then past the Five Sisters of Kintail to the much photographed Eilean Donan Castle. We continue to Kyle of Lochalsh and then across to Skye with a short tour of this enchanting Island.

READING DEPARTURES SOUTH MIMMS DEPAR		DEPARTURES					
То	ur 433EC:	Sat - Sat		То	ur 433SC	: Sat - Sat	
May 7	£417	Aug 6	£487	Apr 30	£397	Jul 16	£487
Jun 4	£457	Sep 3	£457	Jun 4	£457	Aug 13	£487
Jul 2, 16	£487			Jun 25	£467	Sep 10	£457
Sup	Supplements per person		Sup	plements	s per Person		
Single	£65	View	£40	Single	£65	View	£40

Tours include overnight stays on the outbound and return journeys, please see page 45 for details.



Call **01257 248000,** visit **alfatravel.co.uk** or visit your local travel agent



Dunoon

Dunoon is situated on the western shores of the Firth of Clyde, where Loch Long and Holy Loch join the sea. It boasts some lovely gardens, two bays, and a flat promenade.



Dunoon, Rothesay & Glasgow



What Alfa Includes

- 6 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 2 Full & 1 Half Day Excursions
- Guided Tour of Glasgow & Return Ferry to Isle of Bute

Excursions Included

🕒 Isle of Bute

Today's journey takes us to Colintraive and then via a short ferry crossing to the Isle of Bute (*included in tour cost*). We continue to its capital, the resort of Rothesay. This peaceful island is home to a rich heritage, contrasting landscapes and seascapes and unrivalled panoramic views.

Glasgow

We take the ferry across the River Clyde and continue to Glasgow. With its magnificent buildings and delightful parks beside the Clyde, Glasgow has become one of Europe's most dynamic and cultured cities. We have a guided tour of the city *(included in tour cost)*.

🗄 Lochgoilhead

A small village at the head of fjord-like Loch Goil, approached via a steep descent from the 'Rest and be Thankful' Pass.

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To	our 412EC	: Sat - Fri		Το	our 412S(C: Sat - Fri	
May 14	£427	Jul 23	£487	May 28	£427	Aug 20	£487
Jun 18	£447	Aug 27	£467	Jun 25	£457	Oct 1	£387
Sup	plements	per person		Jul 23	£487		
Single	£65	View	£40	Sup	plements	per person	
				Single	£65	View	£40

Tours include overnight stays on the outbound and return journeys, please see page 45 for details.

IRELAND

Known the world over for its rich green pastoral landscape, misty mountains, romantic cultural tradition and the warmth of the welcome given to visitors, Ireland provides a holiday destination which is both fascinating and relaxing.

Whether you'd like to see the superb scenery of the Beara Peninsula, take a guided tour of spectacular Kilkenny and her Castle or visit the Northern Ireland capital of Belfast and explore the fascinating Titanic Museum, there is something for everyone.



Belfast & Giant's Causeway TOUR 886



Take in the highlights of Northern Ireland, including the spectacular rock formation of the Giant's Causeway.

Tour Itinerary

Outward journey includes dinner, bed and breakfast overnight in North Wales. We stay in Belfast for 4 nights, including dinner, bed and breakfast.

Included Excursions

Belfast Guided Tour & Titanic Museum – a full day to take in the highlights of Belfast,

 a full day to take in the highlights of behast, historic and modern, including a visit to the Titanic museum.

Bushmills & Giant's Causeway – two of Northern Ireland's highlights, the distillery at Bushmills (tour & tasting), and Giant's Causeway, with its curious hexagonal basalt columns.

Hillsborough Castle – Northern Ireland's sumptuous Royal Residence also boasts extensive walled and formal gardens and a lakeside pinetum.

Return journey includes dinner, bed and breakfast overnight in North Wales.

CLAYTON HOTEL Belfast @@@



Unique in Belfast for its heated indoor swimming pool. All rooms feature climate control.



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Tour 886EC: Su	Tour 886EC: Sun - Sat		Sun - Sat	
Jul 3	£659	Aug 14 £67		
Sep 4	£659	Sep 11 £659		
Supps per pe	erson	Supps per person		
Single	£209	Single £209		

Heart of Ireland TOUR 888



Kilkenny is a flourishing city with a fascinating medieval history. The 800-year-old Norman castle overlooks the town's ancient streets.

Tour Itinerary

Outward journey includes dinner, bed and breakfast overnight in North Wales. We stay in Kilkenny for 4 nights, including dinner, bed and breakfast.

Included Excursions

Kilkenny & her Castle – a guided tour of the compact city and its dominant feature, the imposing castle.

Waterford – The bustling riverside city of Waterford was founded by the Vikings. Highlights include the World's largest collection of crystal glasswares.

Cahir Castle & Rock of Cashel – We visit two great Irish monuments replete with tales of religious and temporal conquest, as well as extensive art collections.

Return journey includes dinner, bed and breakfast overnight in North Wales.

SPRINGHILL COURT HOTEL Kilkenny ©©©



Walking distance from the centre. Rooms include complimentary toiletries, hairdryer, TV, telephone.



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Tour 888EC: Sun - Sat		Tour 888EC: 3	Sun - Sat
Jun 19 £599		Jun 26	£599
Supps per p	erson	Supps per	person
Single	£139	Single £13	

Bantry Bay & Cork TOUR 889



The "Rebel County" of Cork offers a wealth of history, scenery and entertainment to tempt the visitor.

Tour Itinerary

Outward journey includes dinner, bed and breakfast overnight in North Wales. We stay in Bantry Bay for 4 nights, including dinner, bed and breakfast

Included Excursions

Beara Peninsula – Our guide reveals to us the former seat of the O'Sullivan clan, one of the last points of Irish resistance after the Battle of Kinsale.

Blarney Castle & Cork – Kissing the famous Blarney Stone found at the top of the castle tower confers the gift of eloquence! Cork, the second largest city in the Republic of Ireland, is home to bustling St. Patrick's Street and the famous English Market.

Bantry House & Gardens – While in resort we visit the stately Bantry House styled after Italian palaces seen by the 1st Earl of Bantry on his travels.

Return journey includes dinner, bed and breakfast overnight in North Wales.

WESTLODGE HOTEL Bantry Bay @@@



Set within 25 acres of landscaped gardens overlooking Bantry Bay. All rooms have TV and hairdyer.



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Tour 889EC: S	Tour 889EC: Sun - Sat		Sun - Sat
May 15	May 15 £609		£609
Supps per p	Supps per person		person
Single	£139	Single	£139



WARNER LEISURE **HOTELS**

We have partnered with Warner Leisure Hotels to offer you a fabulous selection of activity and world class entertainment breaks.

You are invited to explore the resort, stay within the estate and try something you've never experienced before, or simply take some time out to relax. In the evening **quality entertainment** guarantees a lively atmosphere that won't disappoint.

All of Warner's properties are just a stone's throw away from some of the **country's best loved beauty spots**. All Warner holidays are exclusive to adults, meaning you can truly relax, unwind and fully enjoy the fantastic leisure facilities that are on offer.

There is **so much included** on a Warner Leisure Hotel Break – take a look below to see what's available from your area.





Oxford Winchester from Warner Littlecote

GOLD - TOUR 5344SC



Based at Warner Littlecote House in Hungerford, this GOLD entertainment break provide a whole host of evening entertainment from the house band, a vocalist, comedian or showtime with the Warner performance team. Your afternoons can be filled full of ballroom, sequence and line dancing activities.

Warner Littlecote House Hotel

Hungerford

Built in the mid-1500s, this beautiful Grade I listed Tudor manor has a truly unique story. History is literally on your doorstep: the stunning location has played hose to occupying Romans, a Tudor tryst and even a Civil War Army. The grounds contain an ornate Roman mosaic floor and settlement remains.

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- Full Day Excursion to Oxford
- Full Day Excursion
 - to Winchester

South Mimms Departures

 Tour 5344SC: Mon - Fri

 Aug 29
 £484

 Supplements per person
 Single

 Single
 £30

Chester Llangollen from Warner Alvaston Hall GOLD - TOUR 5311SC





Based at Alvaston hall in Cheshire, this break includes a GOLD entertainment package with festive fun and an early Christmas and New Year rolled into one. This break is a great way to get into the festive spirit with live shows and music to enjoy throughout your stay in this beautiful countryside setting.

Alvaston Hall Nantwich

A Grade II listed Victorian property, Alvaston Halls is a half-timbered country house that can be traced back thousands of years to when it was the home of a Saxon farmer named Aelfgar. It has a pin-drop peaceful setting with awardwinning gardens, a large pool, and a pick of restaurants and lounges.

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- Full Day Excursion to OxfordFull Day Excursion to
- Winchester

South Mimms Dep	artures						
Tour 5311SC: Mo	n - Fri						
Nov 14	£454						
Supplements per pe	Supplements per person						
Single	£30						



York Harrogate from Warner Nidd Hall

RE-MIXED - TOUR 5289EC

This Warner Re-Mixed break features visiting

acts such as a vocalist, band or comedy act. There are also the usual Warner Re-Mixed ballroom dancing, party dancing and leisure activities to look forward to featuring Soul and Motown. Days feature garden and house tours, dance workshops, competitions, movies, quizzes, fitness classes and more.

Warner Nidd Hall

Harrogate

Built in the 18th Century by a wealthy Bradford wool merchant. Nidd is a potpourri of architectural styles and is set in 45 acres of award winning gardens. Cast a rod on the fishing lake or cast your eves over the spectacular Yorkshire countryside, Nidd is in a peaceful and relaxing setting in the Yorkshire Dales.

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- Full Day Excursion to York
- Full Day Excursion to Harrogate

Reading Departures								
Tour 5289EC: Mon - Fri								
May 23	£474							
Supplements per pe	erson							
Single £30								



Chester Llangollen from Warner Alvaston Hall

GOLD - TOUR 5311EC



Based at Alvaston hall in Cheshire, this Warner GOLD break features comedy impressionist Jon Clegg, live music, a Warner show, ballroom and sequence dancing, plus hosting activities. An early breakfast sets up the day followed by Warner's friendly hotel teams hosting classic activities such as bingo, game shows, quizzes and cooking demonstrations.

Alvaston Hall

Nantwich

A Grade II listed Victorian property, Alvaston Halls is a half-timbered country house that can be traced back thousands of years to when it was the home of a Saxon farmer named Aelfgar. It has a pin-drop peaceful setting with awardwinning gardens, a large pool, and a pick of restaurants and lounges.

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- Full Day Excursion to Oxford
- Full Day Excursion to Winchester

Reading Departures



Chester Llangollen from Warner Alvaston Hall RE-MIXED - TOUR 5311EC

Based at Alvaston hall in Cheshire, this break includes a Re-Mixed entertainment package featuring a Whitney Tribute Act. Days can be filled with on-site actives, or just five minutes' drive away is the riverside town on Nantwich, the hotel makes a great base for exploring Cheshire's green spaces and history. Nightly live music caters for fancy footwork and dance moves.

Alvaston Hall Nantwich

A Grade II listed Victorian property, Alvaston Halls is a half-timbered country house that can be traced back thousands of years to when it was the home of a Saxon farmer named Aelfgar. It has a pin-drop peaceful setting with award-winning gardens, a large pool, and a pick of restaurants and lounges.

What Alfa Includes

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- Full Day Excursion to Oxford
- Full Day Excursion
- to Winchester

Reading Depar	tures
Tour 5311EC: Mo	n - Fri
May 23	£454
Supplements per p	erson
Single	£30
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FESTIVE BREAKS

ADD SOME SPARKLE TO YOUR FESTIVE SEASON

Get into the festive spirit with Alfa Travel and choose from our selection of pre-Christmas Festive Specials, Christmas Breaks and New Year holidays. We offer great value for money with festive entertainment and menus, guaranteeing you a party season to remember!





CHRISTMAS PROGRAMME

23RD DECEMBER

Bucks fizz with dinner and an evening of dancing.

CHRISTMAS EVE

Morning excursion. Competitions after lunch. Gala dinner followed by dancing and entertainment.

CHRISTMAS DAY

Morning competition to guess the weight of the Christmas Cake. Traditional Christmas lunch with "Santa" and presents. Afternoon tea and games. Dinner followed by dancing and entertainment.

BOXING DAY

Morning excursion. Pre-lunch glass of punch followed by Boxing Day Lunch. Evening dinner and farewell dance.

27TH DECEMBER

After breakfast, we reluctantly leave our hotel and journey home.

NEW YEAR PROGRAMME

30TH DECEMBER Bucks fizz with dinner and an evening of dancing.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Morning excursion followed by lunch and an afternoon to relax or stroll around the resort. Dinner and an evening of entertainment until the early hours with spot prizes, games and a glass of bubbly to welcome in the New Year.

NEW YEAR'S DAY

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast followed by a half day excursion before returning for evening dinner and farewell dance.

2ND JANUARY

After breakfast, we reluctantly leave our hotel and journey home.

Individual hotel programmes may differ slightly from this programme.

SPECIAL OFFERS



FESTIVE SINGLE SAVER

Festive Specials and Twixmas breaks are free of single supplement charges.

ALFA INCLUDES

FESTIVE SPECIALS (5 DAYS):

- 4 nights dinner, room and breakfast with 2 resort lunches
- Bucks fizz with dinner on arrival day
- Pre-lunch glass of punch on one day
- 1 half day excursion & 1 full day
- shopping excursion



CHRISTMAS (5 DAYS):

- 4 nights dinner, room & breakfast with 3 resort lunches
- Bucks fizz with dinner on arrival day
- Traditional Christmas lunch with "Santa" and presents. Afternoon tea and games on Christmas Day
- Pre-lunch glass of punch on Boxing Day
- 2 half day excursions

TWIXMAS (4 DAYS):

- 3 nights dinner, room and breakfast
- 1 resort lunch
- Bucks fizz with dinner on arrival day
- 2 half day excursions

NEW YEAR (4 DAYS):

- 3 nights dinner, room & breakfast
- 1 resort lunch
- Bucks fizz with dinner on arrival day
- Evening entertainment with prizes and games and a glass of bubbly to welcome in the New Year
- 2 half day excursions



Festive Specials	Reading (EC) Interchange - 2022				South Mimms (SC) Interchange - 2022								
Depart Monday - Return Fr	iday		Nov 7	Nov 14	Nov 21	Nov 28	Dec 5		Nov 7	Nov 14	Nov 21	Nov 28	Dec 5
Resort	Hotel	Code	Mon	Mon	Mon	Mon	Mon	Code	Mon	Mon	Mon	Mon	Mon
Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	5100XS	-	-	-	£239 Å	-	5100XC	-	£239 Å	-	-	£239 Å
llfracombe	Imperial	5110XS	£249	-	£249	-	£249	5110XC	-	£249	-	£249	-
Newquay	Eliot	5132XS	-	-	-	-	£249	5132XC	-	-	-	£249	-
Torquay	Regina	5150XS	-	£249 Å	-	-	£249 Å	5150XC	£249	-	-	£249 Å	-
Torquay	Metropole	5154XS	-	£249 Å	£249 Å	-	£249 🜲	5154XC	£249	-	-	£249 🜲	-
Exmouth	Cavendish	5155XS	-	£249 Å	-	£249 Å	-	5155XC	-	-	£249 Å	-	-
Sandown	Bayshore	5195XS	£249	-	£249 🜲	-	-	5195XC	-	£249	-	-	-
Shanklin	Shanklin	5200XS	-	£249	-	£249 Å	-	5200XC	£249	-	£249 Å	-	£249 🜲
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	5205XS	-	-	£249	-	£249 🜲	5205XC	-	-	-	£249 🜲	-
Eastbourne	Queens	5215XS	£249	-	£249	£249 Å	-	5215XC	£249	-	-		£249 Å
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	5260XS	-	-	-	-	£299 *	5260XC	-	£299*	-	£229	-
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	5265XS	-	£299 *	-	-	-	5265XC	-	-	-	-	£299 *
Scarborough	Cumberland	5275XS	-	£249 Å	£249 Å	-	-	5275XC	-	-	-	£249 🜲	-
Bridlington	Monarch	5278XS	£249	-	-	-	-	5279XC	-	-	£249		-
Blackpool	Queens	5305XS	-	-	£249 Å	-	-	5305XC	-	£249 Å	-		£249 Å
Llandudno	Hydro	5350XS	£259	-	-	-	-	5350XC	-	-	£259 🜲	-	-
Criccieth	George IV	5365XS	-	-	-	£239	-	5365XC	-	£239	-	-	£239
Tenby	Cliffe Norton	5380XS	£249	-	-	-	£249	5380XC	-	-	£249	-	-
Porthcawl	Seabank	5385XS	-	£239 🜲	-	£239 Å		5385XC	£239	-	-	-	£239 Å
Super Saver**	Our Choice	SS5EC	£219	£219	£219	£219	£219	SS5SC	£219	£219	£219	£219	£219

* Thursford Spectacular Tour 🌲 Christmas Market Tours – see page 52 for details. Supplements per person: Room with a view - £20. **See page 55 for further details of Super Saver Holidays.

Christmas - 2022 - 5 Days

Depart Friday 23rd Dec – Return Tuesday 27th Dec

		Read Interch		South M Interch			
Resort	Hotel	Code	2022	Code	2022		
Newquay	Eliot	NXEC	-	NXSC	£459		
Exmouth	Cavendish	EXXEC	£499	EXXSC	£499		
llfracombe	Imperial	IXEC	£459	IXSC	£459		
Torquay	Metropole	TMXEC	£469	TMXSC	£469		
Eastbourne	Queens	EXEC	£499	EXSC	£499		
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	BRXEC	£489	BRXSC	£489		
Sandown	Bayshore	IWXEC	£459	IWXSC	£459		
Shanklin	Shanklin	IWSXEC	£489	IWSXSC	£489		
Super Saver**	Our Choice	SS5EC	£439	SS5SC	£439		
Supplements per person:							
View			£20		£20		
Single Room			£30		£30		

**See page 55 for further details on Super Saver Holidays

Twixmas - 2022 - 4 Days

Depart Tuesday 27th Dec – Return Friday 30th Dec

		Read Interch		South Mimme Interchange			
Resort	Hotel	Code	2022	Code	2022		
Newquay	Eliot Hotel	NTWEC	-	NTWSC	£209		
Exmouth	Cavendish	EXTWEC	£209	EXTWSC	£209		
llfracombe	Imperial	ITWEC	£209	ITWSC	£209		
Torquay	Metropole	TMTWEC	£209	TMTWSC	£209		
Eastbourne	Queens	ENTWEC	£219	ENTWSC	£219		
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	BRTWEC	£209	BRTWSC	£209		
Super Saver**	Saver	SS4EC	£189	SS4SC	£189		
Supplements per person:							
View			£20		£20		
Single Room			£0		£0		

**See page 55 for further details on Super Saver Holidays

New Year - 2022 - 4 Days

Depart Friday 30th Dec – Return Monday 2nd Jan 2022

		Read Interch		South Mimms Interchange				
Resort	Hotel	Code	2022	Code	2022			
Newquay	Eliot	NNYEC	-	NNYSC	£339			
Exmouth	Cavendish	EXNYEC	£369	EXNYSC	£369			
llfracombe	Imperial	INYEC	£339	INYSC	£339			
Torquay	Metropole	TMNYEC	£359	TMNYSC	£359			
Eastbourne	Queens	ENYEC	£389	ENYSC	£389			
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	BRNYEC	£369	BRNYSC	£369			
Shanklin	Shanklin	ISNYEC	£339	ISNYSC	£339			
Super Saver**	Our Choice	SS4EC	£319	SS4SC	£319			
Supplements per person:								
View			£20		£20			
Single Room			£25		£25			

**See page 55 for further details on Super Saver Holidays





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We have tours to the Thursford Christmas Spectacular. An extravaganza of non-stop singing, dancing, music, humour and variety, with a cast of 130, it is the biggest show of its kind in Europe. With tickets included these tours are not to be missed! Hurry – as we expect these tours to sell out fast!

See our Festive Specials & Winter Weekends price panel for Thursford dates and prices.



CHRISTMAS MARKETS ₩ **BREAKS** **

In the UK, we love a good Christmas Market! What's not to love? Soothing hot chocolates as you amble past the stalls, filled with unique souvenirs and warm, filling treats. And of course, plenty of holiday cheer! There is always something for everyone at the Christmas markets and they are a great way to get into the festive spirit.



ALFA INCLUDES

CHRISTMAS MARKETS (4 DAYS):

- Bucks fizz with dinner on arrival day
 1 half day excursion & 1 full day excursion to a Christmas market

Christr	Christmas Markets Breaks - Reading Departures					Nov 18	Nov 21	Nov 28	Dec 5
Code	Days	Tour	Hotel	Fri	Mon	Fri	Mon	Mon	Mon
4100WS	4	Moster augus Mars & Dristel Yange Madat	Anchor Head	£199	-	£199	-	-	-
5100XS	5	Weston-super-Mare & Bristol Xmas Market	Anchor Head	•	-	-	-	£239	-
4155WS	4	Exmouth & Exeter Xmas Market	Cavendish	•	-	£199	-	-	-
5155XS	5	Exmouth & Exeler Amas Market	Cavendish	-	£249	-	-	£249	-
4150WS	4		Desine	-	-	£199	-	-	-
5150XS	5	Torquay & Exeter Xmas Market	Regina	-	£249	-	-	-	£249
5154XS	5		Metropole	-	£249	-	£249	-	£249
5205XS	5	Bognor Regis & Brighton Xmas Market	Royal Norfolk	-	-	-	-	-	£249
5215XS	5	Eastbourne & Brighton Xmas Market	Queens	-	-	-	-	£249	-
5195XS	5	Isla of Misht & Minchaster Vesas Market	Bayshore	-	-	-	£249	-	-
5200XS	5	Isle of Wight & Winchester Xmas Market	Shanklin	-	-	-	-	£249	-
5275XS	5	Scarborough & York Xmas Market	Cumberland	-	£249	-	£249	-	-
5305XS	5	Blackpool & Manchester Xmas Market	Queens		-	-	£249	-	-
4385WS	4	Porthcawl & Cardiff Xmas Market	Seabank	-	-	£199	-	-	-
5385XS	5	Foruncawi & Gardiff Amas Market	Seabank	-	£239	-	-	£239	-

Supplements per person: Room with a view $\pounds 20$. Single room $\pounds 0$.

Christr	Christmas Markets Breaks - South Mimms Departures				Nov 21	Nov 25	Nov 28	Dec 5
Code	Days	Tour	Hotel	Mon	Mon	Fri	Mon	Mon
4100WC	4	Master and Marco Distal Varia Madat	Ameliand	-	-	£199	-	-
5100XC	5	Weston-super-Mare & Bristol Xmas Market	Anchor Head	£239	-	-	-	£239
4155WC	4	Francisch & Franker Versen Mariliek	Orwardiah	-	-	£199	-	-
5155XC	5	Exmouth & Exeter Xmas Market	Cavendish	-	£249	-	-	-
4150WC	4		Desires	-	-	£199	-	-
5150XC	5	Torquay & Exeter Xmas Market	Regina	-	-	-	£249	-
5154XC	5		Metropole	-	-	-	£249	-
4205WC	4	Damar Davis & Drichter Veras Market	Devel Newfells	-	-	£199	-	-
5205XC	5	Bognor Regis & Brighton Xmas Market	Royal Norfolk	-	-	-	£249	-
4215WC	4	Frathauma & Drichten Veran Madat	0	-	-	£199	-	-
5215XC	5	Eastbourne & Brighton Xmas Market	Queens	-	-	-	-	£249
5200XC	5	Isle of Wight & Winchester Xmas Market	Shanklin	-	£249	-	-	£249
5275XC	5	Scarborough & York Xmas Market	Cumberland	-	-	-	£249	-
5305XC	5	Blackpool & Manchester Xmas Market	Queens	£249	-	-	-	£249
5350XC	5	Llandudno & Chester Xmas Market	Hydro	-	£259	-	-	-
5385XC	5	Porthcawl & Cardiff Xmas Market	Seabank	-	-	-	-	£239

Supplements per person: Room with a view £20. Single room £0.

		Re	ading Departures				
Resort	Hotel	Code	Half Day Excu	Half Day Excursions Included			
Exmouth	Cavendish	4155WS	Exeter	Seaton	£199	-	
Torquay	Regina	4150WS	Buckfast Abbey	Brixham	£199	-	
Shanklin	Shanklin	4200WS	Newport	Ryde	-	£199	
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	4205WS	Chichester	Arundel	£199	£199	
Eastbourne	Queens	4215WS	Hastings	Newhaven & Seaford	£199	£199	
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	4260WS	Cromer	Aldeburgh	£199	£249 복	
Porthcawl	Seabank	4385WS	Swansea	Barry Island	£199	-	
Tenby	Cliffe Norton	4380WS	Pembroke	Narberth	£199	£199	
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS4EC	At least 2 excurs	ions of our choice	£179	£179	

* Thursford Spectacular Tour. Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels! Room with a view £20

	South Mimms Departures							
Resort	Hotel	Code	Half Day Excu	rsions Included	Oct 28	Nov 11	Nov 25	
Weston-super-Mare	Anchor Head	4100WC	Bristol	Wells	£199	£199	-	
Exmouth	Cavendish	4155WC	Exeter	Seaton	£199	£199	-	
Torquay	Regina	4150WC	Buckfast Abbey	Brixham	£199	£199	-	
Shanklin	Shanklin	4200WC	Newport	Ryde	£199	-	-	
Bognor Regis	Royal Norfolk	4205WC	Chichester	Arundel	-	£199	-	
Eastbourne	Queens	4215WC	Hastings	Newhaven & Seaford	-	£199	-	
Great Yarmouth	New Beach	4260WC	Cromer	Aldeburgh	-	£199	£249	
Cromer	Hotel de Paris	4265WC	Wells-next-the-Sea	Wroxham	£199	£199	-	
Super Saver	Our Choice	SS4SC	At least 2 excurs	ions of our choice	£179	£179	£179	

Thursford Spectacular Tour. Supplements per person: No Single Supplements at Leisureplex Hotels! Room with a view £20

WINTER * **WEEKENDS** *

There has never been a better time to spend the weekend with us! Designed especially to give you chance to relax on your very own mini getaway, our Weekend Breaks offer a great selection of resorts to choose from, all set amongst stunning British scenery.



ALFA INCLUDES

WINTER WEEKENDS (4 DAYS):

- Bucks fizz with dinner on arrival day2 half day excursions

Call 01257 248000, visit alfatravel.co.uk or visit your local travel agent

SPECIAL EVENTBREAKS NEW FOR 2022

Visit our website at alfatravel.co.uk/special-event-breaks for more details about these tours and for new events which are added to our programme throughout the year.

THURSFORD CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR!

We have tours to the Thursford Christmas Spectacular. An extravaganza of non-stop singing, dancing, music, humour and variety, with a cast of 130, it is the biggest show of its kind in Europe. With tickets included these tours are not to be missed! *Hurry* – as we expect these tours to sell out fast!

See our Festive Specials price panel for Thursford dates and prices on page 51.

LORD THE DANCE

Visiting more than 1,000 venues worldwide and having been seen by over 60 million people, in 60 different countries and on every continent, Lord of the Dance is one of the most popular dance productions in the world.

South Mimms Departures

Departing: 18th April 2022 Tour Code: S5LLDC Hotel: Llandudno, Hydro



Enjoy dancing and singing along to this sensational musical which includes some of ABBA's hit songs from 'Dancing Queen', to 'Take a Chance on Me', to 'Super Trouper' and 'Thank You For the Music'. South Mimms Departures

Departing: 20th August 2022 Tour Code: S5BRMC Hotel: Bognor Regis, Royal Norfolk



Come and see the amazing Strictly Ballroom The Musical with Alfa Travel in 2022! Strictly Ballroom the Musical, based on the award-winning world-wide film phenomenon, is heading out to tour the UK and Ireland!

Reading Departures

Departing: 24th October 2022 Tour Code: S5LBLS Hotel: Llandudno, Hydro



A new musical tells the official story, from Jay Osmond, about the five brothers from Utah who were pushed into the spotlight as children and went on to create smash hits decade after decade.

Reading Departures

Departing: 28th March Tour Code: S5B0SS Hotel: Blackpool, Queens / Porthcawl, Seabank

South Mimms Departures

Departing: 1st October 2022 Tour Code: S5POSC Hotel: Blackpool, Queens / Porthcawl, Seabank





ALFA INCLUDES

- Choice of 21 Leisureplex hotels
- Choice of 2, 3, 4, 6 or 7 night stays
- Dinner, room and full British breakfast
- Entertainment most evenings
- Dunoon & Isle of Wight holidays include ferry tickets in the holiday cost
- Please note: hotel breaks do not include coach excursions

SELF DRIVE HOTEL BREAKS

OUR SELF DRIVE BREAKS ARE FULL OF CHOICE

Our unbeatable value for money Self Drive Hotel Break packages offer varying durations to choose from as well as a fabulous selection of locations to explore throughout the UK.

You can make your own way to the hotel, explore the resort at your leisure, yet still be reassured you will receive the quality accommodation and premium service that comes with every Alfa holiday.

Request a copy of our **FREE Self Drive brochure**, visit us online at **alfatravel.co.uk** or call our friendly reservations team on **01257 248000** for more information about our Self Drive Hotel Breaks.

GREAT HOTELS IN GREAT LOCATIONS

All of our Self Drive holidays are to our own Leisureplex Hotels, which are in superb locations and are perfectly placed to ensure you make the most of the region you're visiting.

All rooms are en suite with bath or shower, plus don't forget that many of our Leisureplex Hotels have rooms with a view which you can book for just a small supplement. With varying durations to choose from, the difficult bit will be deciding where to go first!

FREE FERRIES

Isle of Wight holidays include off peak ferry tickets in the holiday cost. However, a supplement will apply per car for all peak travel dates. Peak travel dates are subject to change, call our reservations team on **01257 248000** for more details.

Please note the Isle of Wight off peak ferry crossing is from Portsmouth to Fishbourne. If you would like to take your off peak ferry from Lymington to Yarmouth just let us know when you book your break.

LEISUREPLEX HOTELS

- 1 Weston-super-Mare Anchor Head Hotel
- 2 Ilfracombe Imperial Hotel
- 3 Newquay Eliot Hotel
- 4 Torquay Regina Hotel
- 5 Torquay Metropole Hotel
- 6 Exmouth Cavendish Hotel
- **Shanklin** Shanklin Hotel
- 8 Sandown Bayshore Hotel
- 9 Bognor Regis Royal Norfolk Hotel
- Eastbourne Queens Hotel
- Great Yarmouth New Beach Hotel

- Cromer Hotel De Paris
- 13 Scarborough Cumberland Hotel
- 1 Bridlington Monarch Hotel
- 15 Blackpool Queens Hotel
- 10 Llandudno Hydro Hotel
- Criccieth George IV Hotel
- 13 Tenby Cliffe Norton Hotel
- 19 Porthcawl Seabank Hotel
- 20 Dunoon Selborne Hotel
- 21 Fort William Croit Anna Hotel





ENJOY AN ADVENTURE WITH ONE OF OUR SUPER SAVER HOLIDAYS

Our great value for money Super Saver breaks are perfect for those of you that like an adventure and like to explore different places with the added mystery of letting us surprise you with our choice of destination. Or if you are spoilt for choice on which destination to choose for your next holiday then why not try one of our Super Saver holidays where part of the fun is not knowing where you will be going!



How does it work?

Choose the date on which you wish to travel and the length of holiday you want. There are varying durations to duration and cost of your holiday and

You can book your holiday online at alfatravel.co.uk, over the phone with destination for your holiday and send

4 Days - SS4EC - Reading Departures								
Departs Friday - Returns Monday								
Mar 11	£149	Nov 18	£179					
Apr 1	£169	Dec 27*	£189					
Apr 15	£179	Dec 30	£319					
Nov 4	£179							
Supplements per person								
Single (Mar-Apr, Oct-Dec 27)	£0	Single (Dec 30)	£25					

*Dec 27 Departs Tue-Fri

5 Days - SS5EC - Reading Departures				
Departs Monday - Returns on Friday				
Jan 31	£149	Apr 11	£199	
Feb 14	£159	Oct 24, 31	£219	
Feb 28	£169	Nov 7, 14	£219	
Mar 7	£179	Nov 21, 28	£219	
Mar 21, 28	£179	Dec 23*	£439	
Apr 4	£199			
Departs Saturday - Returns on	Wednes	day		
Apr 23	£219	Aug 6, 20	£289	
Apr 30	£229	Aug 27	£289	
May 7, 14, 21, 28	£239	Sep 3, 17	£259	
Jun 18, 25	£269	Oct 8	£219	
Jul 2, 16, 23, 30	£289			
Departs Wednesday - Returns	on Sund	ay		
Sep 21	£259	Oct 5, 12, 19	£219	
Sep 28	£239			
Supplements per person				
Single (Jan-Apr, Oct)	£0	Single (May-Sep)	£30	
Single (Dec 23)	£30			
*Dec 23 Departs Fri-Tue				

7 Days - SS7EC - Reading Departures			
Departs Sunday - Returns on Saturday			
Mar 13	£229	Jul 3, 10, 17, 24	£389
Apr 17	£269	Aug 7, 14, 28	£389
May 1, 8, 15	£319	Sep 4, 11	£389
Jun 5, 12	£359	Sep 25	£349
Jun 19	£369	Oct 16	£289
Supplements per person			
Single (Mar-Apr, Oct)	£0	Single (May-Sep)	£40

4 Days - SS4SC - South Mimms Departures			
Departs Friday - Returns Monday			
Mar 11	£149	Nov 11	£179
Apr 1	£169	Nov 25	£179
Apr 15	£179	Dec 27*	£189
Oct 28	£179	Dec 30	£319
Supplements per person			
Single (Mar-Apr, Oct-Dec 27)	£0	Single (Dec 30)	£25
*Dec 27 Departs Tue-Fri			

5 Days - SS5SC - South Mimms Departures			
Departs Monday - Returns on	Friday		
Feb 7, 21	£159	Nov 7, 14, 21, 28	£219
Mar 7, 14, 21	£179	Dec 5	£219
Apr 4, 11, 18	£199	Dec 23*	£439
Oct 24, 31	£219		
Departs Saturday - Returns on Wednesday			
Apr 30	£229	Aug 8, 13, 20	£289
May 14, 21, 28	£239	Sep 3, 10, 17	£259
Jun 4	£259	Sep 24	£239
Jun 11, 25	£269	Oct 1	£219
Jul 2, 9, 16, 23	£289	Oct 8	£219
Departs Wednesday - Returns Sunday			
Oct 12	£219		
Supplements per person			
Single (Jan-Apr, Oct)	£0	Single (May-Sep)	£30
Single (Dec 23)	£30		
*Dec 23 Departs Fri-Tue			

Dec 23 Departs Fri-Tue

7 Days - SS7SC - South Mimms Departures			
Departs Sunday - Returns on Saturday			
Mar 27	£249	Jun 19, 26	£369
Apr 24	£299	Jul 3	£379
May 1	£299	Jul 17, 24, 31	£389
May 8	£319	Aug 14, 21	£389
May 29	£339	Sep 4, 11, 18	£369
Jun 5	£359	Oct 2, 16	£289
Supplements per person			
Single (Mar-Apr)	£0	Single (May-Sep)	£40

No Single Supplements on Super Saver breaks departing between October and April! (Except where stated above).

SUPER SAVER TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- · It is not possible to reserve specific seats on Super Saver holidays and the seat number shown on your initial Super Saver Confirmation is a notional one only. The actual seat allocated will be shown on the final confirmation
- · Because of the limited time between final allocation of your holiday and departure, we regret that it is not possible to operate our Special Requirements procedure on Super Saver holidays
- · Super Saver prices exclude insurance and any single room
- supplements.All Super Saver rooms are sold as standard rooms and it is not possible to book sea view rooms. On rare occasions clients booking a Super Saver may be allocated a sea view room. If so, this will be at our expense – making your saving even greater! Your Super Saver destination is selected at the discretion of Alfa
- Travel and in booking a Super Saver holiday you undertake to accept

whichever Hotel is allocated to you. The only exception to this is that if you have been to the allocated hotel with us within the previous 6 months, you may request an alternative which we will attempt to provide, but if no alternative is possible you undertake to travel to the resort we have selected.

 There are occasions when our Super Saver tours will stay at one of our carefully chosen partner hotels.



Group HOLIDAYS 🐰 ALL TYPES OF GROUPS CATERED FOR

At Alfa Travel we understand that all of our Groups are unique. From Coach to Self Drive breaks, we pride ourselves on offering fantastic holidays to suit any Group. We have a range of great Spring holidays as well as a Fun-Filled Festive season to entertain your Group all year round. With our own portfolio of Leisureplex hotels and an extensive array of Partner hotels, Alfa Travel really can provide the flexibility to help you create the perfect group holiday. Alternatively, if you have a specific programme in mind, we can also tailor make your holiday for you.



REASONS TO BOOK A GROUP HOLIDAY WITH ALFA TRAVEL:

- A fantastic range of value for money holidays
- Special joining arrangements one pick up of your choice for every ten passengers booked.
- Direct return travel so you don't have to travel via the interchange.
- FREE PLACE DISCOUNTS at Leisureplex Hotels on the 21st, 31st, 41st and 48th passenger travelling.
- Tailored itineraries to suit your requirements.
- Exclusive sole use of each coach for 30^{*} passengers or more. *T&Cs apply.
- Extensive collection of accommodation from our Leisureplex Hotel Group PLUS an array of carefully selected Partner Hotels.

HOLIDAY INSURANCE

01257 248007.

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group-bookings

The following is a summary of the holiday insurance policy offered by Alfa for holidays departing in 2022.



A client Holiday Travel Insurance scheme is available to eligible passengers travelling on our holidays which is arranged by Wrightsure Services (Hampshire) Limited and underwritten by ERGO Travel Insurance Services Ltd (ETI) on behalf of Great Lakes Insurance SE (GLISE). Great Lakes Insurance SE is a German insurance company with its headquarters at Königinstrasse 107, 80802 Munich. UK Branch office: Plantation Place, 30 Fenchurch Street, London, EC3M SAJ, company number SE000083. Great Lakes Insurance SE, UK Branch, is authorised by Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstelsiungsaufsicht and subject to limited regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and Prudential Regulation Authority, registration number 769884.

ERGO Travel Insurance Services Ltd is registered in the UK, company number 11091555. Registered office: Plantation Place, 30 Fenchurch Street, London, EC3M 3AJ. Authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority, register number 805870.

Details about the extent of GIUSE's authorisation and regulation by the Prudential Regulation Authority, and regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority are available upon request. Wrightsure Services (Hampshire) Ltd is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (their registration

Virginate convex primpsine) can be detailed and regarded by the manual conduct Acutory (tear regarded to number is 311394) and is permitted to advise on and arrange general insurance contracts. You can check these detail online using the Financial Services Register (accessible from https://register.fca.org.uk) or by contacting the Financial Conduct Authority Consumer Helpline on 0800 1116768.

Alfa Travel Limited is an Appointed Representative of Wrightsure Services (Hampshire) Limited who are authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. Their firm reference is 311394.

Please note, this insurance is only available to residents of the United Kingdom who purchase their cover before they travel.

Departures in:	Duration	Jan 2022 - Dec 2022
British Holidays	1-4 days	£16
	5 days	£24
	6-8 days	£28
Southern Ireland Holidays	1-5 days	£31
	6-14 days	£40

The above premiums are inclusive of Insurance Premium Tax @ 20%. British holidays include the Isle of Man & Northern Ireland. Should you wish to take advantage of our Insurance please note that the premium is additional to the holiday cost and should be paid at the time you pay the deposit on your holiday.

You are not obliged to take the insurance we offer, but should you decide to insure elsewhere you must supply details of Tou are not obliged to take the instance we only out should you decide to instant elsewhere you must supply details on your insurer including an emergency telephone number. If you book on the internet, you should send an email quoting your Booking Reference and the name, policy number and emergency contact number of your insurer to reservations@ alfatravel.co.uk. If you choose not to insure, we will send you a disclaimer to confirm that you will be responsible for any costs the company may incur in helping you resolve any difficulties you may experience which would normally have been covered by a holiday insurance policy.

This insurance policy will suit the Demands and Needs of an individual or group (where applicable) who have no excluded pre-existing medical conditions, are travelling in countries included within the policy terms and who wish to insure themselves against unforesen events detailed in the cover section below. Subject to the terms, conditions and maximum specified claim limits.

IMPORTANT

ide you with advice about the suitability of this product for your individual needs but will be happy to provide you with factual information.

We summarise below the details of the insurance cover provided which also includes details of the 24 hour Emergency Assistance service, who can be contacted 24/7 365 days a year on 01403 288167.

The following is a brief summary of the cover available. Full details of Cover. Policy Warranties and Exclusions will be forwarded with your confirmation of booking. In any event you may ask for a specimen copy of the Policy Wording before booking should you wish to examine this in advance.

Insurers shall not be liable for claims WHERE AT THE TIME OF TAKING OUT THIS POLICY AND BETWEEN THAT TIME AND YOUR DEPARTURE:

a) You are aware of any medical condition or set of circumstances that could reasonably be expected to give rise to a claim (for example the state of health of a Close Relative, Business Associate or any person on whom your travel plans depend).

- b) The Insured Person whose medical condition gives rise to a claim:
 1) Is receiving, or on a waiting list for, surgery, in-patient treatment or investigations in a hospital, clinic or nursing home. Is travelling against any health requirements stipulated by the carrier, their handling agents or other public transport

Is traveling against any health requirements stipulated by the carrier, their handling agents or other public transport provide.
 Is travelling against the advice of a Medical Practitioner or for the purpose of obtaining medical treatment abroad.
 Has been given a terminal prognosis.
 Please note: If you are on medication at the time of travel, Your medical condition(s) must be stable and well controlled. If you are travelling outside of the UK you must notify the Change in Health helpline immediately if a change in health occurs (including any change to medication) between the date this policy is issued and your scheduled date of departure.

Section and Cover	Benefit	Excess
1. Cancellation and Curtailment/ Loss of Deposit	£1,500	£45 for holidays under £150 and £55 for holidays over £150. (£10 in respect of Loss of Deposit)
2. Travel delay and disruption - Delay - Abandonment after 12 hours - Missed Departure	£20 per 12hrs (max £60) £2,500 £100 UK/£300 Southern Ireland	Nil As Per Cancellation Nil
 Emergency medical and repatriation expenses 	£2,500 UK only/£2,000,000 Southern Ireland	£55
 Hospital confinement benefit UK Hospital confinement benefit outside of the UK Funeral expenses and body repatriation 	£10 per 24hrs (max £100) £15 per 24hrs (max £450) £1,500 UK only/£5,000	Nil Nil
- Emergency dental treatment - Taxi fares	Southern Ireland £250 £1,000	£55 £55 £55
4. Personal accident - Death (aged over 18) - Death (under 18) - Death (aged 66 or over) - Permanent total disablement - Loss of limb(s) or total and irrecoverable loss of Sight	£15,000 £1,000 £7,500 £15,000 £15,000	Nil
5. Personal effects and money - Single Item limit - Valuables limit - Personal money - Cash - Loss of passport/travel documents	£1,500 £200 £400 £200 £200 (£50 under 18) £200	£55 £55 Nil
6. Luggage delay	£50 per 12 hours (minimum 12 hours - max £100)	Nil
7. Personal liability	£2,000,000	Nil
8. Legal costs and expenses	£25,000	Nil

COOLING OFF PERIOD

You should read your policy immediately to ensure it meets with your requirements. If for any reason it does not it must be returned to the issuer of the policy within 14 days of the date of issue or prior to travel which ever is the sooner. Your money will be refunded in full, provided no claims have been made or incident likely to give rise to a claim has arisen. If you cancel your policy after 14 days no refund will be given.

PROTECTING YOUR INFORMATION

We will only use your personal details in line with our Privacy Notice. This can be found on our website or is available in hard copy format upon request and you should read this carefully and contact us immediately if you have any queries. Your personal information includes all of the details you have given us because the initiation of the details you have any other section of the details you have given us to process your insurance policy (we will not ask for more information intain is necessary). We may share your data with Third Parties for the provision and ongoing performance of your insurance policy. Your data may be transferred outside the UK. All of the personal information you supply to us will be handled strictly in accordance with the applicable Data Protection regulations and legislation.

HOW TO CLAIM

In the event of cancellation, written notice must be sent to Alfa Travel immediately. For both cancellation and all other claims you must contact the claims department by phone on 01403 288170 for a claims form which must be returned within 28 days of your cancellation or return from holiday.

We do not charge fees for our insurance related services however we and Wrightsure Services (Hampshire) Limited may receive some form of renumeration in relation to the arrangement of insurance.

PLEASE NOTE: The above is an outline of the cover provided. A policy document containing full details of what is and what is not covered will be forwarded along with your Booking Confirmation. You should read it carefully and you must inform us within 14 days if the policy is unacceptable for any reason.



BOOKING CONDITIONS

Website Terms of Use, together with any other written information we brought to your attention Verbite terms of Ose, ogenter with any other written information we brought of our attention before we confirmed your booking form the basis of your contract with Alfa Travel Limited, a company registered in England and Wales with company number 02326610 and registered office Alfa Building, Euxton Lane, Euxton, Chorley, Lancashire, PR7 6AF ("we", "us", "our"). Please read these carefully as they set out our respective rights and obligations. In these Booking Conditions references to "you" and "your" include the first named person on the booking and all persons on whose behalf a booking is made or any other person to whom a booking is added or transferred.

By making a booking, the first named person on the booking agrees on behalf of all persons detailed on the booking that:

- 1. they have read these Booking Conditions and have the authority to and does agree to be
- they consent to our use of personal data in accordance with our Privacy Policy and is authorised on behalf of all persons named on the booking to disclose their personal details to us, including where applicable special categories of data (such as information on health conditions or disabilities and dietary requirements); 3. they are over 18 years of age and where placing an order for services with age restrictions
- declares that they and all members of the party are of the appropriate age to purchase
- those services;4. they accept financial responsibility for payment of the booking on behalf of all persons detailed on the booking.

PLEASE NOTE: Our obligations to you will differ depending upon what services you book with us and whether or not they create a Package. We have tried to set out our obligations as clearly as possible below. These booking conditions contain three sections: a. Section A contains the conditions that will apply to all bookings you make with us; and

b. Section B sets out the additional terms and conditions that will apply when you make a booking with us for a Package.

Where your booking is for a Package, as defined below, we will act as a "Package Organiser" and you will receive the rights and benefits under the Package Travel and Linked travel arrangements Regulations 2018 ("PTRs"), as outlined in Section B of these Booking Conditions. These can be found here: https:// www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2018/634/ contents/made

A "Package" exists if you book with us a combination of at least two different types of the following individual travel services, for the purpose of the same trip or holiday:

- a. transport; or
 b. accommodation; and
 c. any other tourist service not intrinsically part of one of the above travel services, provided that those travel services are purchased together from a single visit to our website and selected by you before you agree to pay; or are advertised, sold or charged at an inclusive or total price; or advertised or sold under the term "package" or a similar term.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Please note that where you have made a booking which consists of not more than one type of travel service as listed at (a) – (b) above, combined with one or more tourist services as listed

- at (c) above, this will not create a Package where the tourist services:
 do not account for 25% of the value of the combination and are not advertised as, and do not otherwise represent, an essential feature of the package; or are selected and purchased after the performance of the transport or accommodation has
 - started.

These bookings will be treated as "Single Component" bookings and will not be afforded the benefit of the rights under the PTRs.

SECTION A - APPLICABLE TO ALL BOOKINGS

1. Financial Protection

When you book a holiday with us, the money you pay us will be protected by Bonded Coach Holidays (BCH) and the Association of Bonded Travel Organisers Trust Limited (ABTOT), this is a Government approved consumer protection scheme. The scheme will also ensure your repatriation in the event the company becomes insolvent. Our Trading Charter and Booking Conditions set out clearly and simply the responsibility we have to you and in turn, you have with us, when a contract is made. Please see the Company because the unsure the unsure the tradition. Consumer Guarantee at www.bch-uk.org.

2. Booking & Paying For Your Arrangements

a) Bookings via telephone or travel agent

Where you make an enquiry for a booking we will reserve your holiday provisionally for 3 days (or only 1 day if the enquiry is made within 6 weeks of the departure date). If you wish to confirm the booking; For holidays including special event tickets; you must pay a deposit of £50 per person plus the cost of the event ticket, plus your insurance premium if you opt to purchase insurance within that 3 day period. If we do not receive the balance in full within that time, we will cease to hold the holiday for you. For all other holidays; you must pay a deposit of £50 per person plus your insurance premium if you opt to purchase insurance within that 3 day period. If we do not receive the balance in full within that time, we will cease to hold the holiday for you.

You must ensure you pay the balance of monies due (without any further reminder from us) 42 days before departure

b) Bookings via the internet

It is not possible to make a provisional booking when booking online. Payment must be made online using your credit or debit card.

For holidays including special event tickets; you must pay a deposit of £50 per person plus the cost of the event ticket, plus your insurance premium if you opt to purchase insurance within that 3 day period. If we do not receive the balance in full within that time, we will cease to hold the holiday for you.

For all other holidays; you must pay a deposit of £50 per person plus your insurance premium if you opt to purchase insurance within that 3 day period. If we do not receive the balance in full within that time, we will cease to hold the holiday for you.

You must ensure you pay the balance of monies due (without any further reminder from us) 42 days before departure. You should make a record of your booking reference when you book, although a confirmation will also be sent to you by email if you have provided your email address or alternatively via post.

c) All Bookings

Your booking is confirmed when we issue you with a booking confirmation. We reserve the right to return your deposit and decline to issue a booking confirmation at our absolute discretion. A binding contract will come into existence between you and us as soon as we have issued you with a booking confirmation that will confirm the details of your booking and will be sent to you or your agent. If your booking confirmation or any other document is incorrect you must advise us immediately as changes cannot be made later and it may harm your rights if we are not notified of any inaccuracies in any document within ten days of our sending it out (five days for tickets).

If we do not receive this balance in full and on time, we reserve the right to treat your booking as cancelled by you in which case the cancellation charges set out below will become payable Travel Tickets will be forwarded approximately 7-10 days prior to departure. Since local pick up times can be rescheduled, it is essential that you check the time shown on your travel ticket and do not rely on your initial confirmation for your pick up time.

3. Accuracy

We endeavour to ensure that all the information and prices both on our website and in any advertising material that we publish are accurate, however, occasionally changes and errors occur and we reserve the right to correct prices and other details in such circumstances. You must check the current price and all other details relating to the travel arrangements that you wish to book before you make your booking.

4. Prices

We reserve the right to amend advertised prices at any time. We also reserve the right to correct errors in both advertised and confirmed prices, as changes and errors sometimes occur. You must check the price of your chosen travel arrangements at the time of booking.

Where you have booked a Package, additional terms and conditions apply, please see clause 28 for further information.

5. Insurance

Adequate travel insurance is a condition of your contract with us, either through our scheme or an equivalent travel policy. If you wish to insure through another company, you must inform us of the insurer's name and emergency contact number by telephone or by emailing us at reservations@ alfatravel.co.uk quoting your booking reference. It is extremely important that you provide us with details of your insurer in case you need assistance in resort. You must be satisfied that your insurance fully covers all your personal requirements including pre-existing medical conditions, cancellation charges, medical expenses and repatriation in the event of accident or illness. If you choose to travel without adequate insurance cover, we will not be liable for any losses howsoever arising, in respect of which insurance cover would otherwise have been available.

6. Special Requests

Any special requests must be advised to us at the time of booking e.g. diet, room location, a particular facility at a hotel etc. If booking on the website, please indicate it in the Special Requests section on the booking screen.

Whilst every effort will be made by us to try and accommodate your reasonable special requests, we cannot guarantee that they will be fulfilled.

Seat requests can be made and reserved at the time of booking for the main tour coach only (with the exception of Super Savers) However, whilst we will always do our best to honour seat preferences, i should be noted that these requests are not guaranteed and we reserve the right to change seats if required.

The fact that a special request has been noted on your confirmation invoice or any other documentation To that it has been passed on to the supplier is not confirmation that the request will be met. Failure to meet any special request will not be a breach of contract on our part unless the request has been specifically confirmed by us. We do not accept bookings that are conditional upon any special request being met. Where a payment is made for additional facilities, our liability shall be limited to the brochure price of that supplement.

If you or a member of your party is mobility impaired or have any medical requirements or disabilities which may affect your holiday, you must contact out special requirements team to ensure that the holiday will suit your needs. To ensure we have the most up to date information, you must go through this process each time you book. Due to the time required to carry out the special requirements process we regret that we can not accept special requirement requests less than 21 days prior to the start of the holiday. Please see clause 7 for further details.

7. Fitness to Travel and Medical Conditions

Whilst we are not a specialist disabled holiday company, we will do our utmost to cater for any special requirements you may have. If you or any member of your party has any medical problem or disability which may affect your trip, please provide us with full details before we confirm your booking so that we can try to advise you as to the suitability of your chosen travel arrangements. We may require you to produce a doctor's certificate certifying that you are fit to participate in your chosen tour.

Acting reasonably, if we are unable to properly accommodate the needs of the person(s) concerned, we will not confirm your booking or if you did not give us full details at the time of booking, we will cancel it and impose applicable cancellation charges when we become aware of these details.

If you or any member of your party is mobility impaired or have any medical circumstances or disabilities If you or any member of your party is mobility impaired or have any medical circumstances or disabilities which may affect your holiday you must contact the special requirements team on 01257 248000 or by emailing specialrequirements@alfatravel.co.uk so that we can ascertain if your chosen hotel is able to satisfy your needs. Please note we do not have any vehicles fitted with wheelchair lifts, so it is essential that all customers are able to manage the steps necessary to board a coach either unaided or with the assistance of members of their own party. If you or a member of your party is travelling with a walker or a wheelchair, please note that these must be fully collapsible in order to be accommodated in the luggage compartment of the coach and weigh less than 15kg. Due to weight restrictions on our coaches, we unfortunately cannot accommodate scooters, either on the outbound or inbound journey. Passengers may be able to have activity be any are have and they are able to take these on the excursions, so long as the heaviest nicre weighs no more than 15kg and the scooter have a brake which can be annlied Inay be able to fire scotters during their stay and they are able to take these of the excursions, so long as the heaviest piece weighs no more than 15kg and the scotter has a brake which can be applied when the coach is moving. Please note that the passenger will be responsible for the scotter and drivers cannot be held responsible for loading/unloading. Should you wish to hire a scotter, please do not hesitate to contact our reservations team on 01257 248000 and they will be happy to check if the hotel can accommodate scotters and to provide you with hire details for companies local to the hotel.

8. Minimum Number of Passengers

For all of the holidays that we offer, we require a minimum of 30 travellers to have booked on each holiday in order for us to be able to operate it. Where we do not receive this number of bookings in respect of your chosen holiday, we may unfortunately be unable to go ahead with providing that holiday and may be required to cancel your holiday as a result. If we choose to cancel in such circumstances, whilst we are not liable to pay you any additional compensation, we will provide an equivalent tour at a discount from the published price as set out in clause 11 subject to the period of time before departure by which we notify you of the cancellation. If this alternative is not acceptable, we will refund all monies paid, whereupon we shall have no further liability to you.

Duration Deadline by which we will notify you of our need to terr		
More than 6 days	20 days before the start of the package	
6 days or less	7 days before the start of the package	

9. If You Change Your Booking & Transfers of Bookings

If you wish to change any part of your booking after our booking confirmation has been issued, you must inform us in writing as soon as possible. This should be done by the lead named person on the booking. Whilst we will do our best to assist, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to meet your requested change. Where we can meet a request, all changes will be subject to payment of an administration fee of £20 per person per change if made more than 42 days prior to departure or £40 per person per change if made 42 days or less prior to departure, as well as any costs and charges incurred by us and/ or incurred or imposed by any of our suppliers in making this change. You should be aware that these costs could increase the closer to the departure date that changes are made and you should contact us as soon as possible. Where we are unable to assist you and you do not wish to proceed with the original booking we will treat this as a cancellation by you. A cancellation fee may be payable in accordance with clause 10.

Important Note: Certain arrangements may not be amended or transferred after they have been confirmed (including, but not limited to tickets for special events tours) and any alteration could incur a cancellation charge of up to 100% of that part of the arrangements.

10. If You Cancel Your Booking Before Departure

If you or any other member of your party decides to cancel your confirmed booking you must notify us in writing. Your notice of cancellation will only take effect when it is received in writing by us at our offices and will be effective from the date on which we receive it.

Should one or more member of a party cancel, it may increase the per person holiday price of those still travelling and you will be liable to pay this increase

Since we incur costs in cancelling your arrangements, you will have to pay the cancellation charges as follows

Period before departure in which you notify us	Coach holidays and self drive
More than 84 days	Deposit is forfeited
43 to 84 days prior to departure	Loss of deposit
29 to 42 days prior to departure	40%
15 to 28 days prior to departure	55%
8 to 14 days prior to departure	75%
Less than 8 days prior to departure	100%

Please note that insurance premiums and amendments charges are not refundable in any circumstances. If the reason for your cancellation is covered under the terms of your insurance policy, you may be able to reclaim these charges

Where possible, we will deduct the cancellation charge(s) from any monies you have already paid to us.



11. If We Change or Cancel

As we plan your holiday arrangements many months in advance we may occasionally have to make changes or cancel your booking and we reserve the right to do so at any time.

Changes: If we make a minor change to your holiday, we will make reasonable efforts to inform you or your travel agent as soon as reasonably possible if there is time before your departure but we will have no liability to you. Examples of minor changes include change of accommodation to another of the same or higher standard in the same resort, changes of carriers, or changes to your seats booked on the coach. Occasionally we may have to make a significant change to your confirmed arrangements. Examples of "significant changes" include the following, when made before departure:

A change of accommodation area for the whole or a significant part of your time away.
 A change of accommodation to that of a lower standard or classification for the whole or a significant part of your time away.

A change of outward departure time or overall length of your arrangements by more than 12 hours.
 A significant change to your itinerary, missing out one or more destination entirely.

Cancellation: We will not cancel your travel arrangements after the balance due date for your holiday, except for reasons of force majeure or failure by you to pay the final balance or where the minimum 30 clients required for a particular travel arrangement is not reached.

If we have to make a significant change or cancel, we will tell you as soon as possible and if there is time to do so before departure, we will offer you the choice of:

- (for significant changes) accepting the changed arrangements; or
 having a refund of all monies paid; or
 if available and where we offer one, accepting an offer of alternative travel arrangements (we will refund any price difference if the alternative is of a lower value).

You must notify us of your choice within 7 days of our offer. If we do not hear from you within 7 days, we will contact you again to request notification of your choice. If you fail to respond again, we will assume that you have chosen to accept the change or alternative booking arrangements.

Discount in the event of cancellation due to low numbers:

In the unfortunate event that we have to cancel due to insufficient numbers booked onto your chosen holiday, we will contact you to offer an alternative holiday and will provide a discount off the published price as detailed below;

Period before departure in which we notify you	Amount of discount we will provide*
More than 56 Days	Nil
28 – 56 Days prior to departure	£10
15 – 27 Days prior to departure	£15

15 – 27 Days prior to departure	£15
8 – 14 Days prior to departure	£20
0 – 7 Days prior to departure	£25

If you chose not to book the alternative offered, the Company will refund all monies paid, where upon all liability on the part of the Company shall ceas

Compensation:

In addition to a full refund of all monies paid by you, we will pay you compensation as detailed below, in the following circumstances

a. if, where we make a significant change, you do not accept the changed arrangements and cancel

your booking; b. if we cancel your booking and no alternative arrangements are available and/or we do not offer one. The compensation that we offer does not exclude you from claiming more if you are entitled to do so.

Period before departure in which we notify you Amount you will receive from us*

	Coach holidays and self drive
More than 84 days prior to departure	Nil
60 – 84 days prior to departure	Nil
42 – 59 days prior to departure	Nil
28 – 41 days prior to departure	£15
14 – 27 days prior to departure	£20
Less than 14 days prior to departure	£25

*IMPORTANT NOTE: We will not pay you compensation in the following circumstances:

- a. where we make a minor change; b. where we make a significant change or cancel your arrangements before the balance due date;
- c. where we make a significant change and you accept those changed arrangements or you accept an offer of alternative travel arrangements;
 d. where we have to cancel your arrangements as a result of your failure to make full payment
- on time: e.
- where the change or cancellation by us arises out of alterations to the confirmed booking requested by you;
- booking requested by you, where we are forced to cancel or change your arrangements due to Force Majeure (see clause 14); if we cancel your travel arrangements because the minimum number of participants to run the arrangements has not been reached.

If we become unable to provide a significant proportion of the arrangements that you have booked with us after you have departed, we will, if possible, make alternative arrangements for you at no extra charge and where those alternative arrangements are of a lower standard, provide you with an appropriate price reduction.

12. Complaints

We make every effort to ensure that your trip runs smoothly but if you do have a problem during your tour, please inform the relevant supplier (e.g. your driver/hotelier as applicable) immediately who will endeavour to put things right.

If your complaint is not resolved locally, and you wish to complain further, write to: The Customer Care Team, Alfa Travel, East Terrace, Euxton, Chorley PR7 6AF within 28 days of the end of your stay, providing your booking reference and all other relevant information or email care@alfatravel.co.uk.

, Failure to follow the procedure set out in this clause may affect ours and the applicable supplier's ability to investigate your complaint, and will affect your rights under this contract.

Should you wish to pursue the complaint further, BCH ABTOT have an Alternative Dispute Resolution scheme and full details are available from them. Please contact them at ABTOT, 117 Houndsditch, London, EC3A 7BT.

13. Our Responsibility for your Booking

1. Subject to the remainder of this clause, we have a duty to provide the services making up your booking with us with reasonable skill and care. We have no liability to you for the actual provision of the services, except in cases where it is proved that we have breached that duty and damage to you has been caused 2. We will not be responsible or pay you compensation for any injury, illness, death, loss, damage,

- 2: We will not be sportsible of pay you compensation for any injury niness, death, loss, damage, expense, cost or other claim of any description if it results from: a. the act(s) and/or omission(s) of the person(s) affected; or b. the act(s) and/or omission(s) of a third party unconnected with the provision of the services contracted for and which were unforeseeable or unavoidable; or c. unusual or unforeseeable circumstances beyond ours or our supplier(s) control, the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all due care had been exercised; or
 - d. an event which either ourselves or suppliers could not, even with all due care, have fore seen or forestalled.
- We limit the amount of compensation we may have to pay you if we are found liable under this clause:
 a. Loss of and/or damage to any luggage or personal possessions and money. The maximum amount we will have to pay you in respect of these claims is £25 per person in total because you are assumed to have adequate insurance in place to cover any losses of this kind.
 b. Claims not falling under (a) above and which do not involve injury, illness or death. The
 - maximum amount we will have to pay you in respect of these claims is twice the price paid by you in total. This maximum amount will only be payable where everything has gone wrong and you have not received any benefit at all from your booking.

4. It is a condition of our acceptance of liability under this clause that you notify any claim to ourselves and our supplier(s) strictly in accordance with the complaints procedure set out in these conditions.

5. Where any payment is made, the person(s) receiving it (and their parent or guardian if under 18 years) must also assign to ourselves or our insurers any rights they may have to pursue any third party and must provide ourselves and our insurers with all assistance we may reasonably require. 6. Please note, we cannot accept any liability for any damage, loss or expense or other sum(s) of any

description: (a) which on the basis of the information given to us by you concerning your booking prior to our accepting it, we could not have foreseen you would suffer or incur if we breached our contract with vou: or (b) relate to any business.

7. We will not accept responsibility for services or facilities which do not form part of our agre where they are not advertised on our website. For example any excursion you book whilst on the tour, or any service or facility which your hotel or any other supplier agrees to provide for you.

Please Note: Where you have booked a Package we will accept responsibility for that Package as a package organiser and additional terms and condition apply. Please see clause 31 for further information.

14. Force Maieure

14. Force Majeure Except where otherwise expressly stated in these Booking Conditions we will not be liable or pay you compensation if our contractual obligations to you are affected by "Force Majeure". For the purposes of these Booking Conditions, Force Majeure means any event beyond our or our supplier's control, the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all reasonable measures had been taken. Examples include warfare and acts of terrorism (and threat thereof), civil strife, significant risks to human Examples include warfare and acts of terrorism (and threat thereot), civil strife, significant risks to human health such as the outbreak of serious disease at the travel destination or natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weather conditions which make it impossible to travel safely to the travel destination or remain at the travel destination, the act of any government or other national or local authority including port or river authorities, industrial dispute, labour strikes, lock closure, natural or nuclear disaster, fire, chemical or biological disaster, unavoidable technical problems with transport and all similar events outside our or the supplier(s) concerned's control.

Covid-19 Implications: Please note that certain travel arrangements may be affected by measures introduced by the government following the Coronavirus pandemic. This could include the unavailability of certain venues and attractions resulting in changes to itineraries at short notice and/or access to certain destinations. Any such changes, which are outside of our control, will not be considered as a major change in accordance with Clause 11 of these booking conditions. It may also be necessary to introduce changes to the configuration of seating on board our coaches and seat reservations may be altered as a result, and/or to apply certain restrictions within our hotels and interchanges to enable us to operate safely within the guidelines.

Should the government introduce the requirement to prove vaccination status and/or proof of a negative Covid test to travel and/or enter a venue, it will be your responsibility to meet these requirements and provide any evidence required and we will not be held responsible should you be refused entry to a venue or have to cancel your holiday as a result. In these circumstances our standard cancellation terms set out in Clause 10 will apply.

If we are unable to operate with a load factor of 30 passengers or more per coach, we reserve the right to introduce a surcharge after the booking has been made. Customers will have the option of cancelling their holiday with a full refund if they do not wish to pay the surcharge, but no compensation will be payable by Alfa Travel.

We both acknowledge the ongoing COVID-19 global crisis and accept our obligations to comply with any official guidance from the government or local authorities both in the UK and/or Ireland and whilst on holiday.

Please note that we will have no liability for any refunds, compensation, costs, expenses or other losses of any kind incurred by you (including, where applicable, the cost of medical treatment), in the following circumstances :

If you, or anyone in your booking party, test positive far Covid-19 and have to guarantine for a period of in you, or anyone in you not here you have not and here of a water that you have, or suspect you may have, come into close contact with someone who has tested positive for Covid-19 (or where they otherwise suspect they may have Covid-19) and have to self isolate for a period of time.

If you fail any tests, checks or other measures imposed by us, suppliers, port, border control authorities or other government body or local authorities or fail to submit for testing or assessment when requested to do so, and as such you are denied, entry to the destination, access to the services or you are otherwise unable to proceed with the holiday, or that portion of the holiday.

If this happens whilst you are on your holiday, please notify us without delay and we will provide such reasonable assistance as we can in the circumstances. However, we will not be responsible for covering the cost of any curtailment of your holiday, missed transport arrangements, additional accommodation required, or other associated costs incurred by you. You must ensure you have travel insurance which covers these costs for you.

You also acknowledge that our coaches, hotels, attractions and excursion providers, may need to comply with national and/or local guidance and requirements relating to Covid-19, and have implemented certain measures as a result. This will likely include specific requirements regarding personal protective certain measures as a result. This will neey include specific requirements regarding personal protective equipment, such as use of face-masks by team members (and you may be required to wear a face-mask as well), social distancing, maximum number restrictions on the use of certain facilities, designated alternative entrance and exit routes, mandatory hand sanitisation, limited entertainment options and limited food/drink availability. We do not expect these measures to have a significant impact on your enjoyment of the holiday and all measures will be taken with the purpose of securing your safety and those around you.

15. Visa, Passport and Health Requirements

It is your responsibility to check and fulfil the passport, visa, health and immigration requirements applicable to your itinerary. We can only provide general information about this. You must check requirements for your own specific circumstances with the Irish Embassies and/or Consultes and your own doctor as applicable. Requirements do change and you must check the up to date position in good time before departure.

Most countries now require passports to be valid for at least 6 months after your return date. If your passport is in its final year, you should check with the Embassy of the country you are visiting. For further information contact the Passport Advice line on 0300 222 0000 or visit https://www.gov.uk/browse/ citizenship/passports. For holidays to the Republic of Ireland you should obtain a completed and issued form EHIC prior to departure.

Up to date travel advice can be obtained from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, visit https://www. v.uk/travelaware

Non British passport holders, including other EU nationals, should obtain up to date advice on passport and visa requirements from the Embassy, High Commission or Consulate of your destination or country or countries through which you are travelling. We do not accept any responsibility if you cannot travel, or incur any other loss because you have not complied with any passport, visa, immigration requirements or health formalities. You agree to reimburse us in relation to any fines or other losses which we incur as a result of your failure to comply with any passport, visa, immigration requirements or health formalities.

16. Law and Jurisdiction

These Booking Conditions are governed by English law and we both agree that the courts of England and Wales have exclusive jurisdiction over any dispute, claim or other matter which may arise between us (unless you live in Scotland or Northern Ireland, in which case you can bring proceedings in your local court under Scottish or Northern Irish law, as applicable).

17. Your Behaviour

We want all ouclustomers to have a happy and carefree holiday. You are responsible for your behaviour and hygiene and the effect it may have on others. If in our opinion or in the opinion of any hotel manager, tour driver or any other person in authority, your behaviour or hygiene or that of any member of your party is causing or is likely to cause distress, danger or annoyance to any other customers or any third party, or damage to property, or to cause a delay or diversion to transportation, we reserve the right to transport with us in predicted.

party, or damage to property, or to cause a delay or diversion to transportation, we reserve the right to terminate your booking with us immediately. In the event of such termination our liability to you and/or your party will cease and you and/or your party will be required to leave your accommodation or other arrangements immediately. We will have no further obligations to you and/or your party. No refunds for lost accommodation or any other arrangements will be made and we will not pay any expenses or costs incurred as a result of termination. You and/or your party may also be required to pay for loss and/or damage caused by your actions and we will hold you and each member of your party. Full payment for any such damage or losses must be paid directly to the hotel manager or other supplier prior to departure. If you fail to make payment, you will be responsible for meeting any claims (including legal costs) subsequently made against us as a result of your sections tu say a responsible for we incur in pursuing any claims (and Losts we incur in pursuing any claim gainst you. We cannot be held responsible actions together with all costs we incur in pursuing any claim against you. We cannot be held responsible for the actions or behaviour of other guests or individuals who have no connection with your booking arrangements or with us



18. Smoking

To smoking Smoking is prohibited by law on all coaches and in the public areas of all hotels throughout the UK. Most hotels, including all Leisureplex Hotels, also prohibit smoking in hotel bedrooms and treat electronic cigarettes and vaping devices as though they were cigarettes made from tobacco and therefore prohibit their use inside the hotel. Failure to follow smoking prohibitions will be considered unreasonable behaviour and the provisions of clause 17 above shall apply.

19. Infectious and Contagious Diseases

If you develop an infectious or contagious disease and in our reasonable opinion your presence on the to travel. If you develop an infectious or contagious disease whiles in resort and in our reasonable optimity of presents a serious risk of infection to other customers we reserve the right to refuse to allow you to travel. If you develop an infectious or contagious disease whilst in resort and in our reasonable optimion your presence in the hotel represents a serious risk of infection to other guests we reserve the right to require you to quarantine in your room, or return home as may be appropriate. In such circumstances, we will make every effort to assist with alternative means of returning you to your point of origin but we will make every effort to assist wirl auch alternative transport will be your you point of origin but responsibility for the costs incurred in such alternative transport will be yours. If you have taken the insurance policy offered by us at the time of booking, we will ensure all necessary arrangements are made. If you have insurance through another insurer, it is your responsibility to make contact with your insurer but we will make every effort to assist if requested. Please contact us on our emergency number 01257 248002 to request such assistance.

20. Animals

Animals (other than registered assistance dogs) are not allowed on our trips. If you have a registered assistance dog you must advise us at the time of booking and provide the dog's registration number or a letter from the Charity who provided the dog, which confirms their assistance dog status.

21. Hotel Amenities

Some facilities (e.g. lifts) are not always available due to sudden breakdowns or the need to service them. Other facilities (e.g. outdoor swimming pools) are only available when weather permits. The nature and frequency of entertainment is also subject to demand and is at the discretion of the hotel.

22. Our Coaches

We will always use our reasonable endeavours to provide a coach to the specification in our brochure or advert but reserve the right to substitute an alternative vehicle should there be unforeseen circumstances. At certain times of the year we supplement our Affa Coola the example and the preferred coach party operators, who are all required to meet the standards we set out. There is a seating plan but, in some cases, operational reasons may require a coach with a different configuration. We reserve the right to alter a coach seating plan and allocate seats other than those booked. Single passengers may be required to share a couble seat with other single passengers. When your booking is confirmed, you will be offered the best seats that are available at that time. If you feel that you require more than one seat for your use, then these must be booked and paid for in advance, at the time of booking. If you fail sear to your as a final the sear allocated and paid of in available, a the time booking in your air to do this and it transpires that the sear allocated to you is insufficient for your needs and there is no alternative seating available, then you will be refused access to the coach and any payments made will be liable to forfeiture. Specific seats will not be allocated on coaches operating a feeder service between joining points and main holiday departure points.

23. Late Arrival by Passenger and Passengers in Difficulties

We will be unable to delay departures where you arrive late at any of the stops en-route during your trip or where you are late to arrive at the departure point and where you miss a pick up you shall have no claim against us for any losses you incur as a result. We will, however, make every effort to assist passengers who get into difficulty through circumstances beyond their control where you notify us and request such assistance by telephoning our emergency number: 01257 248002.

24. Conditions of Suppliers

Many of the services which make up your holiday are provided by independent suppliers. Those suppliers provide these services in accordance with their own terms and conditions which will form part of your contract with us. Some of these terms and conditions may limit or exclude the supplier's liability to you, usually in accordance with applicable International Conventions. Copies of the relevant parts of these terms and conditions are available on request from us or the supplier concerned.

25. Excursions

Excursions or other tours that you may choose to book or pay for whilst you are in resort are not part of your contracted arrangements with us. For any excursion or other tour that you book, your contract will be with the operator of the excursion or tour and not with us. We are not responsible for the provision of the excursion or tour or for anything that happens during the course of its provision by the operator.

26. Artists, Concerts, Entertainment and Performances

We cannot accept responsibility for the non-appearance of any artist or the cancellation, withdrawal, closure, curtailment, or other change of any concert, event, parade, show, entertainment or performance for whatever reason. Should any such situation arise, the holiday arrangements will still proceed. We will not always be in a position to advise you in advance of any such cancellation etc. Such situations will not constitute a significant alteration to your holiday arrangements entitling you to cancel or change to another holiday without paying our normal charges.

27. Baggage

Each passenger is allowed one suitcase measuring no more than 26in x 8in x 15in and weighing no more than 33lb (15kg). In the interests of the health and safety of our employees and agents, we ask customers to strictly observe this weight limitation on individual suitcases and customers will be refused porterage facilities for suitcases which exceed the weight limit.

SECTION B: PACKAGE BOOKINGS

THIS SECTION ONLY APPLIES TO PACKAGES AND SHOULD BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH SECTION A OF THESE BOOKING CONDITIONS.

28. Pricing

We reserve the right to amend the price of unsold holidays at any time and correct errors in the prices of confirmed holidays. We also reserve the right to increase the price of confirmed holidays solely to allow for increases which are a direct consequence of changes in:

- the price of the carriage of passengers resulting from the cost of fuel or other power sources, the level of taxes or fees chargeable for services applicable to the holiday imposed by third parties not directly involved in the performance of the holiday, including tourist taxes; ii.

You will be charged for the amount of any increase in accordance with this clause. However, if this means You will be charged for the amount of any increase in accordance with this clause. However, if this means that you have to pay an increase of more than 8% of the price of your confirmed holiday (excluding any insurance premiums, amendment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements), you will have the option of accepting a change to another holiday if we are able to offer one (if this is of lower quality you will be refunded the difference in price), or cancelling and receiving a full refund of all monies paid to us, except for any insurance premiums and any amendment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements. Should you decide to cancel for this reason, you must exercise your right to do so within 7 days from the issue date printed on your final invoice. We will consider an appropriate refund of insurance premiums paid if you can show that you are unable to transfer or reuse your policy.

Should the price of your holiday go down due to the changes mentioned above, then any refund due will be paid to you less an administrative fee of ± 10 . However, please note that travel arrangements are not always purchased in local currency and some apparent changes have no impact on the price of your travel due to contractual and other protection in place. There will be no change made to the price of your confirmed holiday within 20 days of your departure

nor will refunds be paid during this period.

29. Transferring Your Package

If any member of your party is prevented from travelling on their Package, that person(s) may transfer their place to someone else, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. that person is introduced by you and satisfies all the conditions applicable to the travel
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- Transperson is indicated by you and satisfies an the conductors applicable to the traver arrangements making up the Package; we are notified not less than 7 days before departure; you pay any outstanding balance payment, an administration fee of £20 per person transferring if made more than 42 days prior to departure or £40 per person transferring if made less than 42 days prior to departure, as well as any additional fees, charges or other costs arising from the transfer; and

- 4. the transferee agrees to these Booking Conditions, the Supplier/Principal's terms and conditions
- and all other requirements applicable to the travel arrangements making up the Package; 5. you and the transferee remain jointly and severally liable for payment of all sums.

If you are unable to find a replacement, cancellation charges as set out will apply in accordance with clause 10. Otherwise, no refunds will be given for passengers not travelling or for unused services

30. If You Cancel your Package due to Unavoidable & Extraordinary Circumstances

If you have booked a Package, you have the right to cancel your confirmed Package before departure without paying a cancellation charge in the event of "unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances" occurring at your holiday destination or its immediate vicinity and significantly affecting the performance of the Package or significantly affecting transport to the destination. In these circumstances, we shall provide you with a full refund of the monies you have paid but we will not be liable to pay you any compensation.

Please note that your right to cancel in these circumstances will only apply where the Government or Foreign and Commonwealth Office advises against travel to your destination or its immediate vicinity. For the purposes of this clause, "unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances" means warfare, acts of terrorism, significant risks to human health such as the outbreak of serious disease at the travel destination or natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weather conditions which make it impossible to travel safely to the travel destination.

31. Our Responsibilities in Respect of Packages

31. Our responsibility of the arrangements we agree to provide or arrange for you as an "organiser" under the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018, as set out below and as such, we are responsible for the proper provision of all travel services included in your package, as set out in your confirmation invoice. Subject to these Booking Conditions, if we or our suppliers negligently perform or arrange those services and we don't remedy or resolve your complaint within a reasonable period of time, and this has affected the enjoyment of your package holiday you may be entitled to an appropriate price reduction or compensation or both You must inform us without undue delay of any failure to perform or improper performance of the travel

You must inform us without undue delay of any failure to perform or improper performance of the travel services included in this package. The level of any such price reduction or compensation will be calculated taking into consideration all relevant factors such as but not limited to: following the complaints procedure as described in these Booking Conditions and the extent to which ours or our employees' or suppliers' negligence affected the overall engoyment of your holiday. Please note that it is your responsibility to show that we or our supplier(s) have been negligent if you wish to make a claim against us.

a) We will not be responsible or pay you compensation for any injury, illness, death, loss, damage, expense, cost or other claim of any description if it results from:
a. the acts and/or omissions of the person affected; or
b. the acts and/or omissions of a third party unconnected with the provision of the services contracted for and which were unavoidable and extraordinary; or
c. Force Majeure (as defined in clause 14).

- 3) We limit the amount of compensation we may have to pay you if we are found liable under this clause: Loss of and/or damage to any luggage or personal possessions and money: the maximum amount we will have to pay you in respect of these claims is an amount equivalent to the excess on your
 - we win have to pay you in respect of uses claims a an anouncequivalent to the excess on your insurance policy which applies to this type of loss per person in total because you are required to have adequate insurance in place to cover any losses of this kind. b. Claims not falling under (a) above and which do not involve injury, illness or death: the maximum
 - amount we will have to pay you in respect of these claims is up to three times the price paid by or on behalf of the person(s) affected in total. This maximum amount will only be payable where everything has gone wrong and you or your party has not received any benefit at all from your booking. c. Claims in respect of international travel by air, sea and rail, or any stay in a hotel:
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 The extent of our liability will in all cases be limited as if we were carriers under the appropriate Conventions such as The Paris Convention (with respect to hotel arrangements). You can ask for a copy of this Convention from our offices. Please contact us. In addition, you agree that the operating carrier or transport company's own 'Conditions of Carriage' will apply to you on that journey. When arranging transportation for you, we rely on the terms and conditions contained within these international conventions and those 'Conditions of Carriage' you acknowledge that all of the terms and conditions contained in those 'Conditions of Carriage' form part of your contract with us, as well as with the transport company and that those 'Conditions of Carriage' shall be deemed to be included by reference into this contract.
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- When making any payment, we are entitled to deduct any money which you have received or are entitled to receive from the transport provider or hotelier for the complaint or claim in question.

4) It is a condition of our acceptance of liability under this clause that you notify any claim to us and our supplier(s) strictly in accordance with the complaints procedure set out in these conditions. 5) Where any payment is made, the person(s) receiving it (and their parent or guardian if under 18 years) must also assign to us or our insurers any rights they may have to pursue any third party and must provide ourselves and our insurers with all assistance we may reasonably require.

6) Please note: we cannot accept any liability for any damage, loss or expense or other sum(s) of any description:

- which on the basis of the information given to us by you concerning your booking prior to our accepting it, we could not have foreseen you would suffer or incur if we breached our contract with you; or
- b. relate to any business; or c. indirect or consequential loss of any kind.

7) We will not accept responsibility for services or facilities which do not form part of our agreement or where they are not advertised on our website. For example any excursion you book whilst away, or any service or facility which your hotel or any other supplier agrees to provide for you.

service or facility which your hotel or any other supplier agrees to provide for you. 8) Where it is impossible for you to return to your departure point as per the agreed return date of your package, due to "unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances", we shall provide you with any necessary accommodation (where possible, of a comparable standard) for a period not exceeding three nights per person. Please note that the 3 night cap does not apply to persons with reduced mobility, pregnant women or unaccompanied minors, nor to persons needing specific medical assistance, provided we have been notified of these particular needs at least 48 hours before the start of your holiday. For the purposes of this clause, "unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances" mean warfare, acts of terrorism, significant risks to human health such as the outbreak of serious disease at the travel destination or natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weather conditions which make it impossible to travel safely back to your releast up noint earthquakes or weather conditions which make it impossible to travel safely back to your departure point.

32. Cutting your holiday short

If you are forced to return home early, we cannot refund the cost of any travel arrangements you have not used. If you cut short your holiday and return home early in circumstances where you have no reasonable cause for complaint about the standard of accommodation and services provided, we will not offer you any refund for that part of your holiday not completed, or be liable for any associated costs you may incur. Depending on the circumstances, your travel insurance may offer cover for curtailment and we suggest that any claim is made directly with them.

33. Prompt Assistance for Packages

If you have booked a Package and whilst you are on holiday, you find yourself in difficulty for any reason we will offer you such prompt assistance as is appropriate in the circumstances. In particular, we will provide you with appropriate information on health services, local authorities and consular assistance, and provide you with appropriate information on health services, local authorities and consular assistance, and with distance communications and finding alternative travel arrangements. Where you require assistance that is not owing to any failure by us, our employees or sub-contractors, we will not be liable for the costs of any alternative travel arrangements or other such assistance you require. Any Supplier/Principal, or other transport supplier may however pay for or provide refreshments and/or appropriate accommodation and you should make a claim directly to them. Subject to the other terms of these Booking Conditions, we will not be liable for any costs, fees or charges you incur in the above circumstances, if you fail to obtain our prior authorisation before making your own travel arrangements. Furthermore, we reserve the right to charge you a fee for our assistance in the event that the difficulty is caused intentionally by you or a member of your party, or otherwise through your or your party's negligence.

34. What is included in your Package

Holiday price includes coach travel, accommodation, excursions and meals as specified in the holiday description. Some hotels make a small additional charge for tear or coffee taken after meals. Personal items and other food and beverages are not included in the price of the holiday.

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