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2025
DAY EXCURSIONS

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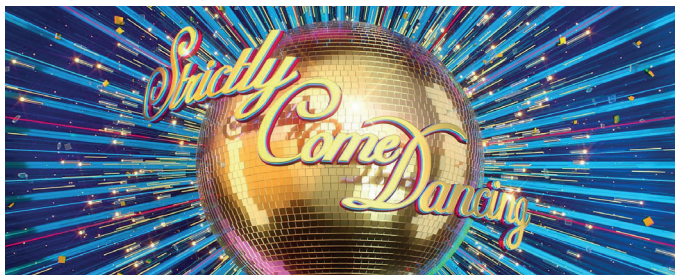
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2025 DAY EXCURSIONS

Depending on your destination, we may be able to pick up in Leek Bus Station and Cheadle B&M, please enquire at your time of booking.

STRICTLY COME DANCING LIVE

Sunday 19th January 2025



Hold on to your sequins, shine up those dance shoes, and prepare for a show of pure glitz, glamour, and jaw-dropping excitement – because the Strictly Come Dancing Live Tour is back, and it promises to be bigger, brighter, and more brilliant than ever!!

Coming to the Birmingham Utilita Arena, be swept away into a world of dance, dazzle, and live music and pre fun-filled entertainment.

The tour sparkle has been turned up with a truly glittering line up for 2025! For the first time ever, the sensational Motsi Mabuse will be joining the fabulous Shirley Ballas, the ever charming Anton Du Beke and the unforgettable Craig Revel-Horwood. If that wasn't enough, the tour will be hosted by the delightful and dynamic Janette Manrara.

Performance starts at 13:30 (Block 3 Lower)

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Utilita Arena after the show

Only £99 per person

THE BIRMINGHAM INTERNATIONAL TATTOO

Sunday 9th February 2025

The Birmingham International Tattoo is Britain's biggest indoor tattoo featuring military and other marching bands, pipes & drums, field gun racing, dog racing, standard bearers, dance teams and much more including a spectacular Grand Finale with over 1,000 performers.

With free time prior to the performance to purchase lunch or a sneaky cocktail!

(Performance start time: 2:00pm, Duration: 3 hours including interval)

Departing Highway Garage at 09:30

Departing after the performance

Only £54 per person

CANNON HALL FARM

Sunday 13th April 2025

Visit the Farm made famous by "This Week on the Farm" and "Spring time on the farm" the family owned farm in the rolling Pennine foothills. Spend the day admiring the scenery and visiting the animals (there is even a reptile house). Enjoy a bite to eat in the White Bull Restaurant and why not pick up your fresh meat from the farm shop before you leave.

(If you have children with you, there is an outdoor adventure playground and Hungry Llama café with indoor soft play) With exotic breeds, play areas, sheep racing and plenty of places it is a fun day out for the whole family. (We are hoping it is lambing season when we visit)

Or why not make the short walk across to Cannon Hall Park and Museum to view the collection of fine and decorative arts.

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30am

Departing Cannon Hall Farm at 16:00pm

Only £31 per person

CHESTER OR CHESTER ZOO

Wednesday 16th April 2025



Founded as a Roman Fortress in the first century AD, Chester is known for its extensive walls made of local red stone. Spend the day shopping, walking the walls (stopping off at restaurants on the way round) or enjoy a boat trip on the river.

Or stay on board the coach for the short transfer to Chester Zoo, treat the children (or grandparents) to a day out. With over 31,000 animals and 128 acres to explore. (You must purchase your own tickets for Chester Zoo in advance)

Only £22 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Chester Zoo at 16:45 / Chester at 17:00

HARROGATE OR THE HARROGATE SPRING FLOWER SHOW

Saturday 26th April 2025

Discover Harrogate – The Victorian Spa town and area of outstanding natural beauty.

Whether you prefer to pack your walking boots and head further afield by foot, sample the many food and drink establishments or make the most of the local shopping.

The Harrogate Spring Flower show is on during our visit – so why not hop on a shuttle bus from Harrogate Bus Station and spend the day at the show.

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing the Harrogate at 16:00

Only £26 per person

NATIONAL MEMORIAL ARBORETUM

Sunday 27th April 2025

The Arboretum is home to over 400 thought-provoking memorials, each with a story to be discovered – explore the memorials, taking in the beautiful backdrop of 25,000 trees and large collection of flora, fauna and wildlife, sit back and enjoy lunch in the restaurant and why not finish your day in the shop.

We aim to arrive in plenty of time for anyone wishing to make their way to the Millennium Chapel of Peace for the 11:00am act of remembrance. (Seats in the chapel are on a first come, first served basis).

Only £21 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing the Arboretum at 15:00

SANDRINGHAM ESTATE

Friday 2nd May 2025

Sandringham is the much-loved country retreat of Their Majesties The King Charles III and Queen Camilla. Enjoy a self-guided visit, including the main eight ground floor rooms inside Sandringham House and 60 acre garden. With Jacobean style exterior built by King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra, the house has a collection of treasures ranging from the pre-Victorian-era to present day and is surrounded by glorious gardens. Your visit also includes St Mary Magdalene Church. When you have seen everything head to the Old Stables Café – why not treat yourself to a piece of cake!

Only £51 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:00

Departing Sandringham at 16:00

LLANDUDNO VICTORIAN EXTRAVAGANZA

Saturday 3rd or Sunday 4th May 2025



Every May Day Bank Holiday weekend, Llandudno plays host to a Victorian Extravaganza featuring a Victorian street fair, old time fair rides, fun stalls, steam engines, people dressed in Victorian costume and street entertainment.

A free day to explore the Victorian Extravaganza, brave a paddle in the sea or enjoy an ice cream on the prom.

If one day isn't enough for you – why not book in to one of the many hotels or B&B's and make use of the coach travelling to Llandudno over two days.

Departing Highway Garage at 07:00

Departing Llandudno at 16:30

Only £26 or £42 per person for the two day return

HIGHCLERE CASTLE, EGYPTIAN EXHIBITION AND GARDEN

Sunday 4th May 2025

More famously known as Downton Abbey.... If you've watched every episode and seen the films, then why not explore the home of the Earl and Countess of Carnarvon, on a self-guided tour. Step in to the rooms from 'Downton Abbey' scenes, visit the Egyptian Exhibition, or stroll through the beautiful castle gardens and woodlands.



Motorway comfort stops will be made on each journey. There is a tea room at Highclere Castle or you are welcome to enjoy a picnic on the lawn –

Only £53 per person

Includes transport and Entrance in to Castle, Gardens and Egyptian Exhibition.

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30

Departing Highclere Castle at 17:00

ANDRE RIEU

Saturday 10th May 2025

The King of Waltz is back in Birmingham with a brand new show!! Together with his 60-piece Johann Strauss Orchestra, many soloist and special guests André Rieu will give you what you've come to expect from his performances: the maestro conducting his Orchestra and playing his world-famous Stradivarius violin to create a colourful concert full of surprises. The repertoire ranges from romantic, emotional ballads to the most gorgeous and celebrated waltzes.

Experience the magic of André Rieu at a festive and memorable evening and see why he is one of the most popular live acts in the world!

Departing Highway Garage at 14:30, we make our way direct to Resorts World, Birmingham, allowing time to purchase food and drinks in one of the many eateries before the 19:30 performance.

(Upper Block 8. Rows Y/YE/YG –

Please be aware there are stairs/steps in The Arena and a short walk from the coach)

Departing Highway Garage at 14:30

Departing Resorts World approx. 23:00

Only £115 per person

RHS MALVERN SPRING FESTIVAL

Sunday 11th May 2025

Set against the magnificent Malvern Hills, the Spring Festival is packed with flowers, foods, crafts and family fun. Be inspired by planting combinations, innovative design elements and thoughtful design. The show gardens are a real treat for any garden lover.

(Admission included).

Only £50 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Malvern Show at 17:00

HALIFAX

Saturday 17th May 2025

Halifax is Calderdale's largest town, with stunning Victorian architecture and a strong industrial heritage. It is home to the unique Piece Hall, Eureka! The National Children's Museum, and the Halifax Minster. (You're even within walking distance of Shibden Hall – famously known for Gentleman Jack). You will also find markets, independent and high street shops, theatres and many great places to eat and drink.

Only £22 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Halifax at 16:30

NATIONAL TRUST BODNANT GARDENS

Sunday 25th May 2025



With intimate corners, sweeping lawns, grand terraces and a verdant woodlands, there are many gardens in one at Bodnant. Created over 150 years ago, with plants collected and brought to Britain from far afield, and the incredible vision of generations of the McLaren family and Puddle head gardeners, this haven of rarity and beauty with a stunning backdrop of the Carneddau mountains of Eryri (Snowdonia) is a delight for the senses. One of the highlights of spring at Bodnant Gardens is the flowering of the famous Laburnum Arch – the 55 metre flowering feature was created by the garden's Victorian founder Henry Pochin in 1880.

NT Members £25 per person – Non Members £TBC

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30

Departing the Bodnant Gardens at 15:00

BIRMINGHAM

Wednesday 28th May 2025

'A city beating at the heart of the country with a quiet confidence like no other.' With so many attractions to see – including Birmingham Science Museum, National Sea Life Centre, Coffin Works and so much more. A good choice of restaurants and coffee shops, and a huge selection of shops including the World's biggest Primark!!! If you're in charge of the Children/Grandchildren over half term or just fancy a day out why not book an attraction.

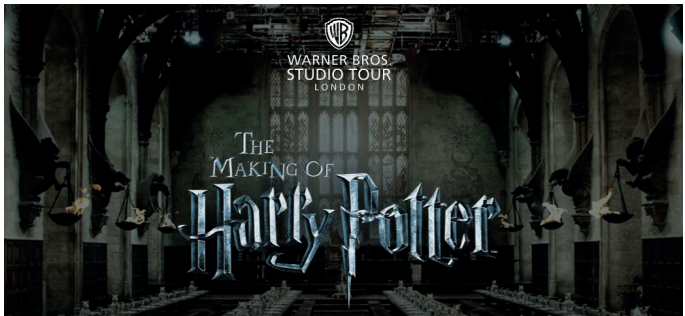
Only £22 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30

Departing Birmingham at 17:00

THE MAKING OF HARRY POTTER

Friday 30th May 2025



Discover the film making magic at The Warner Bros studios in Leavesden. Go behind the scenes and step in to the iconic sets; the Great Hall and Diagon Alley. Wander through the Forbidden Forest to Aragogs Lair, hop in to a train carriage on Platform 93/4, take a photo of the Goblin tellers' desk in Gringotts bank, pull a mandrake in Professor Sprout's greenhouse, finishing in Ollivanders wand shop – oh and don't forget to leave time for the gift shop!!

Only £82 per person

(Age 5-15 £71/ Under 5's FOC)

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing The Studios at 16:30

SHREWSBURY AND NT POWIS CASTLE

Friday 6th June 2025

Enjoy a morning wander around Shrewsbury, with endless independent and big name shops, tastebud tingling eateries and bars all set in a picturesque market town with over 1000 years of history. We then transfer to Powis Castle – built in the 13th century as a medieval fortress, the castle and garden you see today reflects the changing ambitions and visions of the Herbert family, who occupied the castle from the 1570's. With views across the Severn Valley, the world famous garden retains many of its original features including 17th century Italianite terraces lined with vibrant herbaceous borders.

NT Members £25 per person - Non Members £TBC

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30

(Departing Shrewsbury at 12:30 for transfer to Powis Castle)

Departing Powis Castle at 17:00

COSFORD AIR SHOW

Sunday 8th June 2025

The aircraft on display are the undoubted stars of the show, but there's a lot more to the RAF Cosford Air Show than that! Whether you're looking to inspire and entertain the whole family or you're an avid aviation enthusiast, you've got a non-stop day of excitement ahead of you. The RAF Cosford Air Show will include an action packed-six hour flying display including powerful demonstrations of modern military and vintage aircrafts. Throughout the airfield, there will be a huge assortment of fascinating things to see and do and why not head to the RAF museum to see the unrivalled collection of historic aircraft.

Only £TBC

Departing Highway Garage at 07:00

Departing BRAF Cosford at 17:30

BBC GOOD FOOD SHOW AND GARDENERS WORLD LIVE

Sunday 15th June 2025

Eat and Drink your way around the Birmingham NEC, picking up tips and new recipes before heading to the Gardeners World Live area, view the show gardens, listen to a TV gardener or purchase from the variety of hundreds of plants for sale.

A seat in the Super Theatre to watch a TV Chef will be confirmed early 2025.

Please note there is a short walk from the coach park to the NEC.

Only £TBC

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing the NEC at 17:00

SEZINCOTE HOUSE

Friday 20th June 2025



Stopping at Moreton in Marsh for the morning; a modern town with a good selection of small independent shops, tearooms, restaurants and antique shops. With time to purchase a drink or light snack before the short transfer to Sezincote House.

Sezincote is unique, at the heart of a traditional, family-run estate covering 3,500 acres of rolling Cotswold countryside stands a 200-year-old Mogul Indian palace, set in a romantic landscape of temples, grottoes, waterfalls and canals reminiscent of the Taj Mahal.

Enjoy a guided tour of the house, explore the gardens at leisure (suitable footwear and weather appropriate clothing required) or enjoy tea and cake in the Orangery tearooms.

Only £42 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Sezincote at 16:30

LIVERPOOL BAY CRUISE

Saturday 21st June 2025

Experience breath-taking views from the deck of an iconic Mersey Ferry, as you sail in to Liverpool Bay. During the 3 hour cruise, enjoy incredible scenery and learn more about the fascinating history and geography of the River Mersey and Liverpool Bay with expert commentary from a Blue Badge Guide, or sit back and relax to the sound of the live music playing on board.

The afternoon will be spent in Liverpool, whether you prefer culture, shopping or dining out you'll find plenty to spend your time.

Only £46 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:15

(Liverpool Bay Cruise 10:25 – 13:25)

Departing Liverpool at 17:00

MANCHESTER SHIP CANAL CRUISE

Tuesday 1st July 2025

The fascinating round-trip Cruise sails from Liverpool, along the captivating Manchester Ship Canal to the historic Latchford Locks and back, giving you the opportunity to experience a round-trip in the same day! Taking in spectacular scenery leaving you with an awe-inspiring sense of how the canal's construction shaped the North West of England.

The cruise duration is approximately 6 hours.

(You can take food and non-alcoholic beverages on to the boat, or there is a snack bar selling hot/cold snacks and drinks)

Only £64 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30

Departing Liverpool after cruise at 16:00

KEW GARDENS

Saturday 5th July 2025

Exploding with colour and no less than 50,000 plants, Kew Gardens in London's largest UNESCO World Heritage site and world-leading scientific research centre.

Located just 30 minutes away from Central London, this tranquil oasis is one of the most botanically diverse places on Earth. Wander through beautiful glasshouses, explore different climate zones across multiple floral displays and view the whole garden from an 18 metre high treetop walkway.

Only £60 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:00

Departing Depart Kew Gardens at 17:00

THE GREAT YORKSHIRE SHOW

Thursday 10th July 2025



England's premier agricultural event: The 165th Great Yorkshire show celebrates agriculture, food, farming and countryside, with traditional competitions and favourites.

Only £56 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:00am

Departing Showground at 16:30pm

NT THE WORKHOUSE AND SOUTHWELL

Saturday 12th July 2025

Walking up the paupers' path towards The Workhouse it is easy to imagine how the Victorian poor might have felt as they sought refuge here. This austere building, the most complete workhouse in existence, was built in 1824 as a place of last resort for the destitute. Its architecture was influenced by prison design and its harsh regime became a blueprint for workhouses through the country.

In the afternoon the coach will make the short transfer to Southwell, arguably one of the prettiest towns in Nottinghamshire. The stunning Southwell Minster is a splendid cathedral with one of the finest Norman naves in Europe and only a stone's throw from the narrow high street and beautiful pubs. The town is internationally renowned for its Bramley Apple heritage. It is here that the apple was first propagated more than 200 years ago from the garden of a cottage on Church Street.

NT Members £24 per person - Non Members £TBC

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30am

(Departing The Workhouse at 13:00pm for transfer to Southwell)

Departing Southwell at 16:30pm

ELTON HALL AND GARDENS AND STAMFORD

Monday 14th July 2025



Elton Hall is enchanting and there is something romantic and magical about the building with its gothic south elevation set at a right angle to the classical, French inspired, entrance wing. Successive generations have embellished both the house and collection, which contains many Old Masters and fine examples of English portraiture by Reynolds, Gainsborough and Romney.

The coach will drop off at Bosworth Garden Centre, where a cup of tea or coffee will be ready waiting for us – before the guides greet us and walk the 300metres to the house. Enjoy a guided tour of the house and wander through the gardens at leisure. (Bosworth Garden Centre will be open if you wanted to relax and purchase a bite to eat.)

We then make the short transfer to the bustling prosperous market town of Stamford with quaint streets and delicious food, explore passageways and market squares.

Please note that it is not possible to access the house with mobility aids

(Transferring from Elton Hall to Stamford at 13:30)

Only £48 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing the Stamford at 16:30

RHS FLOWER SHOW WENTWORTH WOODHOUSE

Sunday 20th July 2025

The Royal Horticultural Society has chosen Wentworth Woodhouse to be a new Flower Show venue for 2025 – previously held at Tatton Park. Celebrating the best of UK horticulture, design and talent the 2025 show will be heading to Rotherham, South Yorkshire. The fifty acre gardens at Wentworth Woodhouse are a special place, the flower show will be set in a beautiful location with historic gardens.

Only £52 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Flower Show at 17:00

LLANDUDNO

Saturday 26th or Sunday 27th July 2025



Llandudno is Wales' largest resort with a multitude of hotels and traditional B&Bs, uniquely situated between the Great and Little Ormes with two wonderful beaches, the award winning North Shore and the quiet, sand-dune West Shore. Llandudno has kept its Victorian and Edwardian Elegance and splendour, despite it's modern attractions. If one day isn't enough for you – why not book in to one of the many hotels or B&B's and make use of the coach travelling to Llandudno over two days.

Only £26 or £42 per person for the two day return

Saturday Departing Highway Garage at 07:30.

Departing Llandudno at 17:00

Sunday Departing Highway Garage at 08:00.

Departing Llandudno at 16:30

CHESTER OR CHESHIRE OAKS

Saturday 2nd August 2025

Founded as a Roman Fortress in the first century AD, Chester is known for its extensive walls made of local red stone. Spend the day shopping, walking the walls (stopping off at restaurants on the way round) or enjoy a boat trip on the river.

If you prefer to shop shop shop, the coach will be dropping first at Cheshire Oaks – well known for its discounted designer stores, food outlets and our personal favourite: Lindt chocolate shop.

Why not pre-book in at The Blue Planet Aquarium, only a short walking distance from the coach drop off point.

Only £22 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Cheshire Oaks at 16:45 / Chester at 17:00

BLACK COUNTRY LIVING MUSEUM

Monday 4th August 2025



See history brought to life and discover the story of the Black Country at the open-air living museum. Meet historic characters who will show you what it was like to live and work in one of the first industrialised landscapes in Britain as you explore 26 acres of reconstructed shops, pubs and houses. Oh and don't forget to try the Fish and Chips!!

(Admission included)

Only £39 per person

(Under 3 FOC / Age 3-16 £30)

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing BCLM at 16:00

BLUEBIRD K7 AND LAKELAND MOTOR MUSEUM

Thursday 7th August 2025

Arriving at The Ruskin Museum browse the Museum at leisure. Set in the heart of Coniston Village, The Ruskin Museum tells the fascinating story of Coniston and the many heroes that lived and worked there. The highlight of the museum is the Bluebird wing to see Donald Campbell's Bluebird K7 hydroplane.

Why not wander in to the small village of Coniston before boarding the coach again for the transfer to the Lakeland Motor Museum: feast your eyes on a unique collection of 30,000 exhibits – including 140 classic cars and motorbikes.

(Transfer from Coniston to Lakeland Motor Museum at 12:00)

Only £47 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Llangollen at 15:30

LONDON

Friday 8th August 2025

Spend a day in our Capital City – whether it's spending on Oxford Street, taking in a matinee show, enjoy a tour of Buckingham Palace or relaxing on a Thames River Cruise, the day is yours to explore at leisure.

A short motorway stop will be made each way – The coach will drop and pick up from Park Lane.

Only £39 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:00

Departing London at 18:00

BLACKPOOL AIR SHOW

Sunday 10th August 2025



Arriving in Blackpool mid-morning spend the day riding donkeys, eating candy floss or standing on the glass floor of the Blackpool Tower, maybe catch a tram or a princess horse and carriage, before taking your place on the seafront for the annual Air Show.

The programme showcases the very best in British aviation with a whole host of amazing flying machines and some of the country's most talented pilots.

Only £25 per person

(Under 5 FOC / Under 16 £13)

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Blackpool at 18:30

CONWY AND LLANDUDNO

Wednesday 13th August 2025

Conwy Town a world heritage site with an imposing thirteenth-century castle and walls. Discover Conwy's quaint harbour, revolutionary Telford suspension bridge and the smallest house in Great Britain. We then transfer to Llandudno for the afternoon – paddle in the sea, take a stroll down the promenade or maybe catch the tram up the Great Orme!

(Transfer from Conwy to Llandudno at 12:30)

Only £25 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Llandudno at 17:00

SOUTHPORT

Saturday 16th August 2025



A fun-loving seaside town with an abundance of independent restaurants and bars, and full of culture.

Enjoy a day in Southport; eating ice cream on the promenade, visiting the miniature railway by the lake or paddling in the sea.

Why not while you're in Southport, make the short walk to Victoria Park for the annual flower show. (Admission payable on the gate)

Only £22 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Southport at 17:00

WINDERMERE

Wednesday 20th August 2025



Windermere: The perfect Lakeland visit.

With the shores of the lake so close, you are never short of fantastic scenery or leisure activities. Several local viewpoints offer panoramic views of both the lake and more distant mountains.

Bustling with shops and different dining experiences to suit everyone you will be spoilt for choice. There's plenty of bars in the area, serving 100's of beers from all over the world as well as locally brewed.

Only £25 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Windermere at 16:00

STRATFORD UPON AVON AND "WATERSIDE UPMARKET"

Sunday 24th August 2025



Stratford-upon-Avon: a market town with more than 800 years of history, containing not only many buildings that survive today and would have been familiar to Shakespeare, but also a thriving community offering a wide variety of shopping and sightseeing.

Stratford-upon-Avon's premier Sunday market, known as the Upmarket. Offering top quality products, gift ideas, treats & sweets, handcrafted items, designer jewellery, all types of artwork, wooden toys, clothing, delicious street food and occasional street entertainers and characters to delight the children.

Only £24 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30

Departing Stratford at 16:00

LLANGOLLEN AND AQUEDUCT CRUISE

Wednesday 27th August 2025

Renowned for the surrounding hills and the River Dee, Llangollen has an astonishing range of cafés, bars, restaurants and a wealth of independent shops to browse. Take a stroll along the Promenade, watch the river tumble down beneath the bridge or visit the steam railway line.

In the afternoon we make the short transfer to Froncysyllte to board the Motorised boat for a 2 hour journey to Llangollen Wharf. Cross the mighty Pontcysyllte Aqueduct aboard the canal boat: the Thomas Telford. After that unique excitement, relax and enjoy the most beautiful canal in Great Britain whilst enjoying a Welsh Cream Tea.

(Transfer from Llangollen to Froncysyllte at 13:30)

Only £46 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing Llangollen at 16:30

WEST MIDLANDS SAFARI PARK

Friday 29th August 2025

Enjoy a safari drive through (from the comfort of our coach) where you can observe rhinos, giraffes, tigers, African wild dogs, lions and so much more, with a live commentary from one of the knowledgeable guides.

Followed by free time in the discovery trail: visit penguin cove, sea lion theatre, Lorikeet landing, Creepy Crawlies, UK's largest Lemur Woods and even a prehistoric journey of life on earth after dinosaurs became extinct.

Why not add a multi-ride wristband for even more excitement in the adventure theme park. (Wristbands can be booked through Robin Hood or on the day at the ticket office)

Only £43 per person

(Under 3 FOC)

Departing Highway Garage at 08:00

Departing WMSP 17:00

LIVERPOOL

Saturday 6th September 2025



With its unique attractions, exciting events, world class sport offerings, unrivalled musical heritage and famously warm welcomes, Liverpool is the ideal destination. Dropping at Albert Docks you are in the ideal position to explore by foot, or jump on an open top bus.

Only £22 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 08:30am

Departing Liverpool 17:00pm

NAFAS: NATIONAL SHOW 2025

“NATURES CHALLENGE”

Saturday 20th September 2025

The 2025 NAFAS (National Association of Flower Arrangement Services) will be held at Gloucester Cathedral. Visitors will be treated to a beautiful array of floral arrangements, workshops, demonstrations and speakers. There will also be the opportunity to shop at one of the many trade stalls selling their goods.

With time to pop in to Gloucester for a bite to eat, or treat yourselves in one of the many shops Gloucester has to offer.

Awaiting prices

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Gloucester Cathedral at 17:00

MALVERN AUTUMN SHOW

Sunday 28th September 2025

Returning for another year of Home grown family fun at The Three Counties Showground, be inspired by Autumn, a celebration of the seasonal food and gardening, quality plants for sale, vintage village and nostalgia at The Malvern Autumn Show.

Awaiting prices

Departing Highway Garage at 07:30

Departing Malvern at 17:00

BLACKPOOL AND THE ILLUMINATIONS

Saturday 1st November 2025



The Blackpool Illuminations have become an iconic part of British Culture. Arriving in Blackpool late morning spend the day riding donkeys, eating candy floss or standing on the glass floor of the Blackpool Tower, before boarding the coach for the return journey home through the famous Illuminations.

Only £25 per person

(Under 5 FOC / Under 16 £13)

Departing Highway Garage at 09:30

Starting back through the Illuminations approx. 17:00

SHORT SHOPPERS

Fancy a few hours out of the house, need a gift or two, or just want to go somewhere different... Why not meet the coach at Highway Garage for a 09:00 departure (Leek Bus Station pickups available on some of the below trips) and enjoy a "Short Shopper" and still be home in time for Tipping Point.

HANDFORTH DEAN

Friday 21st March 2025



Handforth Dean is home to one of the country's largest M&S stores including two M&S Cafes. The shopping destination is also home to Tesco Extra, Boots and JD Sports meaning that it is perfect location to meet all your needs.

Only £15 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Handforth Dean at 14:00

BRIDGEMERE GARDEN CENTRE

Friday 11th April 2025



Bridgemere is one of Britain's largest Garden centres and receives around 1.8 million annual visitors. The Garden centre sells over 3,000 plant varieties, a simply huge range of top-quality plants and gardening products. It is a real destination for gardeners!

The Garden Centre has undergone a multi-million-pound investment and refurbishment. It has one of the largest planterias in the UK, houseplants galore, not forgetting a comprehensive range of garden sundries and everything you will need for outdoor living, from BBQ's to furniture.

Recent additions have been our Blue Diamond ladies fashion department, a new home décor department and a new cards and books department. Lots of fabulous changes at Bridgemere!

The centre boasts six acres of award-winning Show Gardens, a shopping village and two restaurants, one of which has been newly reopened in July 2022, as our Kipling Patisserie and Prose Café, where all the food is homemade by our talented chefs.

Only £15 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Bridgemere at 14:00

TRENTHAM GARDENS

Thursday 22nd May 2025



Trentham is a special place. 725 acres of spectacular natural beauty and home to award-winning gardens, glorious ancient woodland and a unique outdoor shopping village.

With 77 timber lodges housing amazing Shops, Cafés and Restaurants and a lovely friendly village atmosphere, you will love the unique shopping experience at Trentham shopping village.

Beware! You'll be tempted by our independent retailers and big brand names.

Trentham is a real foodies destination with an array of eateries catering for ladies who lunch, sumptuous snacks and romantic dinners, with everything from fish and chips to contemporary Mediterranean on offer!

Only £12 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Trentham Gardens at 14:00

WOLSTANTON RETAIL PARK

Monday 16th June 2025



Take your shopping bags for a day at Wolstanton Retail Park: home to M&S, Dunelm, Matalan B&M and Asda. Enjoy a coffee in one of the instore coffee shops or head over to Starbucks before hitting the shops.

Only £12 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:30

Departing Wolstanton Retail Park at 14:00

BAKEWELL ON MARKET DAY

Monday 7th July 2025



Idyllically situated on the banks of the river Wye, Bakewell is the biggest town in the Peak District National Park. Bargains galore are on offer every Monday at the bustling outdoor market, and for an extra buzz, head for the livestock market. Cherry pick choice local produce at one of Britain's best farmers Markets or browse in specialist shops selling everything from high fashion and outdoor clothing to handmade chocolate and rare whiskies. With a host of café's, restaurants, pubs and tea rooms you will be spoiled for choice where to eat!

Only £15 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Bakewell at 14:00

CHATSWORTH FARM SHOP AND PEAK VILLAGE

Wednesday 24th September 2025

Enjoy the morning at Chatsworth Farm Shop – established by Duchess Deborah in 1977, the award winning farm shop sells high quality produce sourced from the estate, and trusted suppliers that share the same commitment to heritage and sustainability.

We then transfer to Peak Village, browse a unique blend of well-known brands, independent shops and makers – make the most of the relaxed setting for shopping and lunch.

Only £16 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Peak Village at 14:00

ASHBOURNE AND FAIRWAYS GARDEN CENTRE

Thursday 23rd October 2025

Known as 'The Gateway to Dovedale' Ashbourne has a plethora of small, family run business and the weekly open air market (on Thursdays). Browse for fine antiques, quality food and drink, designer fashion and much more, relax with a coffee on one of the many café's, inns and tea rooms.

We then make the short transfer to Fairways Garden Centre, an independent family run garden centre – with plants, gardening products and range of gifts and homeware you're sure to find something – Fairways also has a lovely café upstairs, so why not treat yourself to lunch before heading home.

Only £19 per person

Departing Highway Garage at 09:00

Departing Fairways Garden Centre at 14:00

Robin Hood Travel Ltd

Mystery Drive and Dine Tour

**Join us for our monthly day out,
enjoy a scenic drive, comfort stop
and lunch for £48 per trip.**

**All mystery Drive and Dine Tours depart Highway Garage
at 10:00 and arrive back approx. 17:30**

Wednesday 19th March 2025

Wednesday 9th April 2025

Wednesday 14th May 2025

Thursday 19th June 2025

Wednesday 16th July 2025

Thursday 14th August 2025

Wednesday 17th September 2025

Thursday 16th October 2025

Wednesday 19th November 2025

Thursday 18th December 2025

Please note the December Drive and Dine will depart at 09:30

- Book early to avoid disappointment -
£10 per person deposit required to secure your seats!!

We are still awaiting details for the following tours:

- The Making of Harry Potter Studios Tour –
Hogwarts in the snow
- Silverstone
- Windsor and Windsor Castle
- Llangollen and Llangollen Railway
- Highgrove Garden Tour with Lunch

Please leave your details with the office and we
can let you know as soon as we have dates / prices.