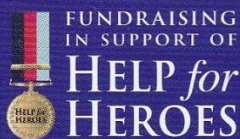
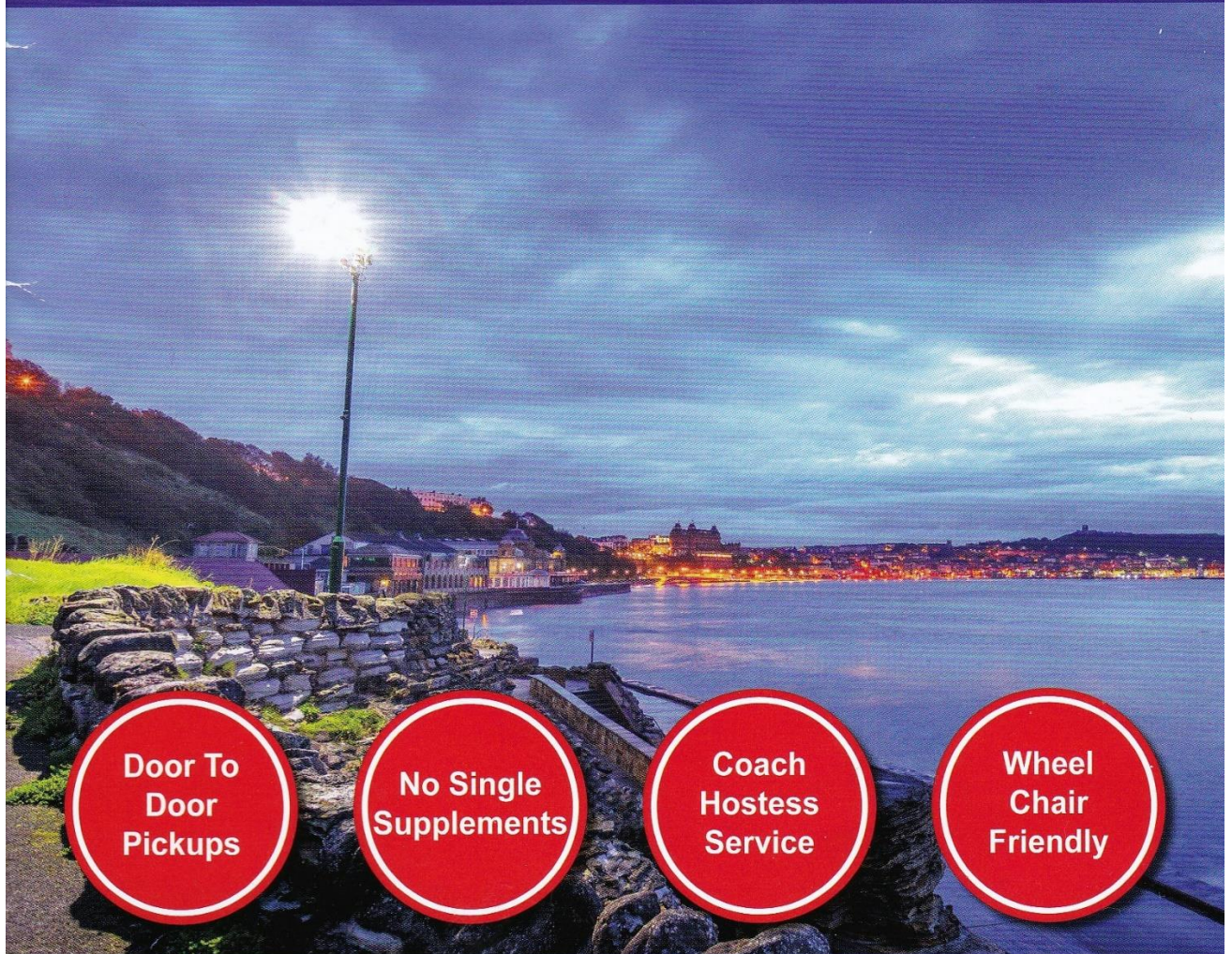


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Welcome to Carol's Travel Tour Package for 2024

To All Our Travellers & Friends,

May we welcome back friends, old & new to welcome in 2024!

We have been super busy finding some little gems to visit in 2024. We have our usual favourites and some new destinations to widen your horizons and tickle your travelling appetite.

As usual, your family travel agents are back! Carol will be on-board all our tours serving beverages & snacks with her welcoming nature alongside her husband Mark, our lovely tour driver. As always Gayle will be running our office team and all your booking needs.

As customary you will benefit from Door-to-Door service. Please note as our passenger areas widen there may be a surcharge applicable for pick-up's outside of our designated areas. Call our office for more information.

We also offer executive coach travel. All our coaches as usual are supplied by Ross Travel Group as we will continue to work closely alongside their team moving forward. We are also walking aid friendly. Due to space restrictions these have to be pre-booked and are limited to three small walkers per tour. We do however have our own 3 wheeled walkers on-board for your use, but please state at time of booking if you would like the use of these facilities.

Very important for our solo travelers; we have no single supplements. As with many of our tours the single rooms are limited so we advise booking early as these are allocated on a first come first served basis. Some of our hotels do offer a 'double room for sole use' and also 'Seaview Rooms' but these will be charged accordingly.

If you have any questions or queries please contact our Emergency Contact Number on 07870 623802 or our office on 01274 851477. We will be happy to help in any way we can....

We welcome all of our new clients and thank all of our regulars and previous travelling friends for all your loyal support during 2023...

We are looking forward to seeing you all!

Love & Best wishes From Gayle, Carol & Mark xxx

Tour Plan 2024

<u>Destination</u>	<u>Tour Dates</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>Price</u>
All-Inc Burns, Scotland	Monday 29 th Jan – Friday 2 nd Feb 2024	5 Days	£565.00p/p
Mystery Tour	Monday 12 th – Friday 16 th February 2024	5 Days	£480.00p/p
Scarborough	Monday 26 th Feb – Friday 1 st March 2024	5 Days	£470.00p/p
Criccieth	Monday 11 th – Friday 15 th March 2024	5 Days	£490.00p/p
Morecambe & The Lakes	Monday 25 th – Friday 29 th March 2024	5 Days	£550.00p/p
Luxury St Anne's	Monday 1 st – Friday 5 th April 2024	5 Days	£655.00p/p
Weston-Super-Mare	Monday 15 th – Friday 19 th April 2024	5 Days	£565.00p/p
Bournemouth Rivera	Monday 29 th April – Friday 3 rd May 2024	5 Days	£535.00p/p
Dracula's Whitby	Monday 27 th – Friday 31 st May 2024	5 Days	£660.00p/p
Llandudno	Wednesday 12 th – Sunday 16 th June 2024	5 Days	£650.00p/p
Bletchley Codebreakers	Thursday 27 th June – Monday 1 st July 2024	5 Days	£660.0p/p
Southend-on-Sea	Sunday 7 th – Thursday 11 th July 2024	5 Days	£575.00p/p
Eastbourne	Monday 5 th – Friday 9 th August 2024	5 Days	£675.00p/p
Weymouth	Monday 19 th – Friday 23 rd August 2024	5 Days	£640.00p/p
Scotland Weekender	Friday 13 th – Monday 16 th September 2024	4 Days	£470.00p/p
Porthcawl, Wales	Wed 16 th – Sunday 20 th October 2024	5 Days	£550.00p/p
Tenby	Monday 28 th Oct – Friday 1 st Nov 2024	5 Days	£620.00p/p
Ilfracombe	Monday 4 th – Friday 8 th November 2024	5 Days	£510.00p/p
Torquay Turkey & Tinsel	Monday 25 th – Friday 29 th November 2024	5 Days	£510.00p/p
Exmouth	Monday 2 nd – Friday 6 th December 2024	5 Days	£535.00p/p
Blackpool	Monday 9 th – Friday 13 th December 2024	5 Days	£535.00p/p
Christmas Mystery	Monday 23 rd – Friday 27 th December 2024	5 Days	£TBC

WHAT DO OUR CUSTOMER'S HAVE TO SAY???

Had many lovely trips with Carols Travel. Very caring & helpful. Looking forward to our next trip!

Paul & Linda, Cleckheaton

Travel on my own, picked up from the door and brought back to my door. I've enjoyed every trip I've been on, 16 years travelling & still counting, I've also made many friends along the way!

Jacqueline Talbot, Dewsbury

Carols Travel is wonderful & I wouldn't go with anyone else, lovely holidays always. Gayle, Carol & Mark go above & beyond to make sure we are all looked after from start to finish!

Olive Seymour, Bradford

Every time I've been I've had a laugh, I've made lots of friends with Carols Travel, & I look forward to going!

Allan Holmes, Dewsbury

Smashing family company, excellent care & thoroughly enjoyable every trip!

Beryl & Phillip Cheyne, Lincoln

I moved to Yorkshire 2 and half years ago, my new neighbour recommended Carols Travel. I am so glad she did because I have been on more than 10 holidays with this company & have enjoyed them all. Mark is an excellent driver, Carol is a very caring hostess and no one ever needs to be anxious about travelling alone as everyone is so friendly!

Judith Hulley, Huddersfield

Excellent experience! Friendly People, drinks served on coach, good atmosphere. Highly recommended!

Brian & Annette, Halifax

Fantastic, friendly, good company, like a family travelling together!

Val & Terry, Lincoln

Door to Door travel is so rare these days, or charged at a premium, but with Carols Travel it's all in one price. Every trip includes hostess on the coach and excursions. The team are fun to be with and take excellent care of you and all the arrangements. All you need to do is pack your case and wait at the door. We have enjoyed some great trips and have more booked this year.... Highly recommended to everyone!

John & Kathy Barker, Lincoln

Carols Travel has become a very important part of my life & I wouldn't want Carol Travel to not be part of it!

John Rayment, Lincoln

The company is fabulous, I wouldn't go on any other coaches now, Excellent Company, I found lots of good friends and happy with the service I get!

Gordon Bradshaw, Heckmondwike

Very easy to book, straight forward. Brilliant with Sheena, great drinks service, everybody is welcome, we love it!

Violet & Sheena, Ossett

All Inclusive Burns, Scotland Mon 29th Jan – Fri 2nd Feb 2024 5 Days £565.00p/p

A warm welcome awaits us for our first tour of 2024. This takes us to Drymen in Scotland on this All-Inclusive tour. Your tour will include 2 excursions, Your first day will be an excursion to Loch Lomond for a relaxing boat trip then on to Helensburgh. Your second excursion day will be a full day in Glasgow, giving you chance to explore this iconic city, maybe do a little shopping and grab some lunch. You will also have a free day.

Includes

- ❖ Welcome Drinks reception
- ❖ Full Scottish Evening
- ❖ Live Music
- ❖ Packed lunches included on excursion days
- ❖ Soup & Sandwich Lunch on Free Day
- ❖ Free Bar on Selected Drinks 7.30pm – 10.30pm Each Evening
- ❖ Glass of wine with Dinner
- ❖ Farewell 'Hot Toddy' on Departure

Enjoy the spectacular Piping of the Haggis, cosy around the large open coal & log fires while you enjoy a wee dram!



Our Recommend a Friend Scheme..... Our most successful way to grow our business is by word of mouth. If you have travelled with Carols Travel previously and recommend us to your friends you could get £10.00 off your holiday final balance when they book. Also to welcome your friends to Carols Travel we will give them £10.00 off their final balance too! There is no limit to the amount of friends you can recommend, more friends more discounts.....

Mystery Tour Monday 12th – Friday 16th February 2024 5 Days £480.00p/p

Our 5 day Mystery Tour..... Great Hotel, Great Location, Lovely Food & Great Company! There's no telling where you could end up..... Let us take you away! Included are excursions, entertainment and half board accommodation. Who's up for a little mystery road trip?



Could it be City?

Could it be Seaside?

Maybe Rural?

You'll have to wait and see!



Scarborough Mon 26th Feb – Fri 1st March 2024 5 Days £470.00p/p

Staying at The Cumberland Hotel, well situated on Scarborough's South Cliff just a few minutes' walk from the spa complex, beach front and town centre, with views over the resort and town. With plenty to see and do there is something for everyone; Visit Scarborough Castle or Peaseholme Park, with its Japanese Gardens and boating lake, take a ride on the North Bay Railway or on one of the many local boats, from which you can enjoy panoramic views of the Scarborough.



You will have 2 excursion days included on this tour. Your first excursion day will be York. York is a walled city that was founded by the ancient Romans. Plenty on offer here, from its huge 13th-Century Gothic Cathedral, York Minster, with medieval stained glass and 2 functioning bell towers to name a few, so plenty to keep you entertained for the full day. Your second excursion will be the seaside town of Whitby. Made famous by its connection to Dracula, its whale arches and Whitby Abbey, truly a unique place to visit.

Criccieth Mon 11th – Fri 15th March 2024 5 Days £490.00p/p

The George IV Hotel is situated on the High Street in the centre of Criccieth with magnificent views towards the sea and castle. This iconic hotel with its ideal location is a popular choice for visitors to Criccieth. This area of Wales is ideal for walking, scenery or relaxation, from the gentle rolling hills of the Lyn Peninsula in the West, to the soaring majesty of Snowdonia in the East with delightful gardens and castles at every turn.



Criccieth boasts two Blue Flag beaches which are clean and safe for everyone. There is a range of activities..... sailing, boating, fishing and some picturesque walking routes around town. The area is also renowned for its spectacular sunsets, varied selection of family run shops, good pubs and restaurants. Due to its temperate climate, the town is awash with floral colour almost all year round.

Your first excursion is to Portmadog & Caernarfon. Porthmadog offers a wealth of cultural experiences, vibrant craft shops, and delightful restaurants. Caernarfon is a royal town, community and port. Your second excursion is a coastal trip through the Snowdonia National Park to Barmouth. You then be given free time to explore the small seaside resort and grab some lunch.



Morecambe & The Lakes Mon 25th – Fri 29th March 2024 5 Days £550.00p/p

Staying at The Auckland Hotel, located in the heart of Morecambe and close to shops and restaurants. The Auckland hotel is the place for holidays. From the comfort of your hotel you can enjoy this outstanding setting of Morecambe Bay and spectacular views over the bay to the Lake District hills, and outstanding sunsets. A family run hotel for nearly 40 years they offer great food, friendly staff and a good night's sleep after all the sea air!



Your first excursion day will take you for a trip through the Lake District and its beautiful sights, with comfort stops and a break for lunch. Known for its glacial ribbon lakes, rugged fell mountains and historic literary associations. Market towns such as Kendal, Ambleside and Keswick on scenic Derwent water are bases for exploring the area, home to traditional inns and galleries of local art.

Your second excursion will be to Lancaster. Lancaster is one of England's Heritage Cities. It's as vibrant as it is quirky with a captivating past and a cultured present. A creative city. An independent city.

Luxury St Anne's Monday 1st – Friday 5th April 2024 5 Days £655.00p/p

Wake up with sea air, widespread beach, glorious sea and the wafting smell of breakfast.... Sound good? Come and join us for our spring tour to this beautiful Hotel on Half-Board Basis. Clifton Park Hotel is renowned for its timeless elegance, superior quality and exemplary service. Centrally located in the stylish seaside town of St Anne's-on-Sea.



Also on offer, a tranquil Leisure Centre which boasts a luxurious heated indoor swimming pool and spa area, or if you just want to enjoy some peace and quiet, there is a comfortable lounge overlooking the pool and private garden. With all the fun of the seaside on offer all we have to wish for is good weather!

Your first excursion is the Pendle Witches with a guided tour. In the shadow of Pendle Hill lie pretty villages, which tell a story of intrigue and witchcraft nearly 400 years old. Start your journey and follow the route the Pendle Witches took through the Ribble Valley to Lancaster Castle where they stood trial. Then on to Oswaldtwistle Mills for some shopping time.

Your second excursion day is to Southport, a fun loving seaside town with attractions for all the family. When it comes to beaches, you're spoilt for choice with 22 miles of coastline with stunning views and coastal walks. Southport also has an abundance of independent restaurants and bars making it a foodie's haven. Full of culture, whether it's their historic Victorian architecture, Iron Pier, spectacular series of year around events, shops or boutique crafts, there's plenty to do year round!

Weston-Super-Mare Mon 15th – Fri 19th April 2024 5 Days £565.00p/p

Nestled on the shelter bay of the Mendip Hills, Weston-Super-Mare has magnificent views
Staying at The Smiths Hotel on Half-board Basis,



You might know Weston for it's traditional donkey rides, amusements, the Grand Pier, Ice-cream on the beach and Fish & Chips. But they have lots more to offer..... Not one, but two theatres, two cinemas, a free museum.... Youll be plesently surprised at the amount of things to do! The newest addition is the Mairne Lake. Renovated in 2022, it offers the perfect spot with its own sandy beach for sea water swimming and paddling even when the tide is out.



This tour includes 2 Excursions

Your first excursion is Bristol with a Blue Badge Guide. Bristol is a thriving port city with a fascinating history and culture. From the comings and goings of ships at the harbour to unique shops and restaurants & free time to explore at your leisure.

Your second excursion is Taunton, the county town of Somerset in the heart of the West Country.

Taunton is a bustling, forward-looking town with excellent amenities, a good selection of independent and high street shops, distinctive restaurants, cafes and attractions, and a wealth of history, all whilst being surrounded by picturesque countryside.

Bournemouth Riviera Mon 29th April – Fri 3rd May 2024 5 Days £535.00p/p

Staying at The Riviera Hotel at Alum Chine, with panoramic sea views across Bournemouth Bay. They have an award winning Cunarder conservatory restaurant serving delicious food. This hotel has an indoor swimming pool available for use, or relax and unwind in their Spa Bath, feeling a little more energetic, take advantage of their studio gym!



Your first full day excursion will be Salisbury. Salisbury is a beautiful Cathedral city in the historic county of Wiltshire, known as the Cathedral Church of the Blessed Virgin Mary and also Home to the likes of Old Sarum, Stonehenge, and even a rare copy of the Magna Carta.



Your second full day excursion is Southampton, owning its own distinctive character with a rich maritime heritage and a focus on water sports, sailing and ocean racing, as well as being one of the most important ports in the UK. Southampton is also the major port for cruise ships and was one of the 4 shortlisted locations for the 2025 UK City of Culture.

NEW!!! Dracula's Whitby Mon 27th – Fri 31st May 2024 5 Days £660.00p/p

Our seaside favourite of Whitby. Massively requested by our clients! There is no other place like it

On the East Cliff, overlooking the North Sea, the ruined Gothic Whitby Abbey was Bram Stoker's inspiration for "Dracula". Nearby is the Church of St. Mary, reached by the 199 steps. But Whitby keeps on giving..... The Captain Cook Memorial Museum, the house where Cook once lived, displays paintings and maps. Then, West of town is West Cliff Beach, lined with beach huts..... picturesque to say the least.....Simply spectacular!



Our accommodation for 5 days is The Royal Hotel on Dinner, Bed & Breakfast basis. Overlooking Whitby Harbour, The Royal Hotel is situated opposite the famous Whalebone Arch in the West Cliff area of Whitby. With breath-taking views of Whitby Abbey.

Your first full day excursion will be Pickering & Steam Train ride back to Whitby. Your second will be Guisborough & Saltburn-on-Sea. The delightful coastal town Saltburn-by-the-sea bestows plenty of Victorian charm and thrills. From the water balanced cliff lifts to the last remaining pier in Yorkshire, Saltburn promises its visitors an authentic seaside experience!

Llandudno Wed 12th – Sun 16th June 2024 5 Days £650.00p/p

Lovely, large seafront hotel, perfectly situated in the centre of Llandudno ideal for exploring the local town or taking a stroll on the pier, front or beach. Wake up to stunning view of the Sea!

Staying at The Hydro Hotel, located on the Seafront. Close in proximity to the theatre..... Prime position for a stroll along the front and in perfect position for shopping or exploring Llandudno. The hotel provides tasty traditional home-cooked food with plenty of choice to suit everyone's needs. You will enjoy 2 excursion days included. While in resort why not take the tram to the top of the Orme and enjoy its magnificent views?

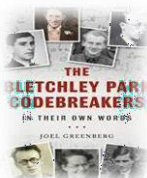


Your first excursion on this tour will be a Puffin Island Cruise. Puffin Island is not accessible to the public without the permission of the landowner, however there are boat trips around the island during the summer months from nearby Beaumaris. So we thought we would take you for a little cruise, hopefully we'll be able to see the Puffin's up close! Followed by Free time in Beaumaris.

Your second excursion is Caernarfon. Caernarfon is one of the most popular destinations for visitors to North Wales and it's not hard to see why. UNESCO World Heritage status, great shopping, an authentic Welsh feel and some great places to eat and drink, and you have all the makings of a memorable day out. Llanberis Pass, An awesome mountainside road that carves through Snowdonia. It is well worth taking a detour through the valley to see the mountain sheep, the various lakes not to mention the spectacular flora and fauna. Followed by a visit to the National Slate Museum. Explore the history of slate, the traditional craft of the quarryman in authentic workshops. Perfect to buy a Wales souvenir!

Bletchley Codebreakers Thurs 27th June – Mon 1st July 2024 5 Days £575.00p/p

Bletchley Park, once the top secret home of the World War 2 codebreakers. Step back in time and experience the stories of the extra ordinary achievements of the men's and women that worked here. Staying at The Huntingdon Marriott Hotel on Half-board Basis.



You have 2 included excursions.....

Cambridge – A university city, punting on the River Cam, explore King's College or may be Trinity College. With greenery galore and beautiful old buildings as far as the eye can see, it's a popular destination.

Ely – a beautiful setting, nestling under the big skies of the Fen countryside, in the shadow of its magnificent Norman cathedral known locally as “The Ship of the Fens”. Ely offers a wealth of attractions and things to do. As the second smallest city in England, it is compact enough to explore on foot. A popular filming location for popular movies such as ‘The Crown’, ‘The King’s Speech’ & ‘Assassin’s Creed’, So you may have seen snippets of Ely.

Southend-on-Sea Sun 7th – Thurs 11th July 2024 5 Days £575.00p/p

Enjoy traditional seaside fun in the shape of award-winning beaches and family attractions from the world famous Pier and its mile long railway, Adventure Island fun park with its range of rides and rollercoasters, Sea life Adventure plus of course all the amusement arcades and the popular fountains on City Beach. Staying at The Park Inn Palace on Half-board basis.



Excursions – A full day excursion to Chatham Historic Dockyard, including a Call The Midwife Tour.

You will have chance to explore the dockyards and get behind the scenes of the official Call The Midwife locations and all the back stage information you don't see on the completed show. Walk in the footsteps of the characters of the drama.

A full day to London is your second excursion day. The capital of England, a 21st-century city steeped in history stretching back to Roman times. At its centre stand the imposing Houses of Parliament, the iconic ‘Big Ben’ clock tower and Westminster Abbey, site of British monarch coronations. Across the

Thames River, the London Eye observation wheel provides panoramic views of the South Bank cultural complex, and the entire city. The perfect place to visit, from iconic arrays of sightseeing spots, to top restaurants, theatres and unmissable events London has it all!



Eastbourne & Chartwell Mon 5th – Fri 9th August 2024 5 Days £675.00p/p



Staying at The Queens Hotel, Eastbourne. In a grand Victorian-style building overlooking Eastbourne Pier, this relaxed hotel is a 7-minute walk from the Eastbourne Bandstand and 11 minutes' walk from Devonshire Park Theatre. Eastbourne, known as 'The UK's sunniest place' this charming location is perfect to relax & re-energise.



Your first excursion will take you to Chartwell House situated in Kent. For over forty years it was the home of Winston Churchill. The historic house and buildings are beautifully restored and maintained, full of Churchill memorabilia and his belongings. It was a playground for the Churchill's children and a family home since they moved in 1924, suited as a treasured private countryside recluse for a public man. There are also the extensive gardens & studio. Perfect for a day of exploring and divulging into a residence steeped in lengthy history!

Worthing is our second excursion for your South Coast break. One of the biggest seaside towns on the South Coast, Worthing is a lively destination for shopping, eating, entertainment and family fun by the seaside! It's perfectly located to explore the award-winning beaches and seafront of the Worthing coast, as well as the stunning landscape of the South Downs. It has three theatres and one of Britain's oldest cinemas, the Dome. Also popularly known for Writers such as Oscar Wilde and Harold Pinter who lived and worked in the town.

Weymouth in Summer Mon 19th – Fri 23rd August 2024 5 Days £640.00p/p

Weymouth! Staying at The Crown Hotel on Half-Board Basis. There is so much to see and do here..... On the doorstep of your hotel you have an array of high street stores as well as smaller boutique shops, beautiful views of the marina and the hundreds of boats moored there, not to mention the beach and all the fun of the seaside within walking distance. Maybe a spot of crabbing, shopping, or sightseeing...whatever takes your fancy Weymouth has it!



What about a lovely steam train ride? Your excursion will be Swanage, with its iconic steam railway, a gorgeous beach in a sweeping bay, and plenty of nearby nature, there's lots to keep visitors busy. It's easy to see why this is one of the most popular towns in Dorset. (Steam Train Included)

You will also have a day excursion to Dorchester. Dorchester is not only Dorset's county town but also the birthplace of famous author and poet Thomas Hardy. The town enjoys a rich history dating back as far as the Iron Age and is home to the Roman Town House, the finest example of its kind in Britain. With its elegant 18th century houses, broad walks and bustling shopping streets, Dorchester has much to offer.



Scotland Weekender

Fri 13th – Mon 16th Sept 2024

4 Days

£470.00p/p

A lovely Hotel with beautiful views of the surrounding areas, exquisite food which is locally sourced and entertainment is included. Aberfoyle is a charming village on the banks of the River Forth, stunning views and magnificent scenery which include the Queen Elizabeth Forest Park. It is situated on the Southern Gateway of the Trossach's and boasts traditional Victorian architecture. It is a popular holiday village with an attractive main street served well by shops, cafes and restaurants.



Stirling is one of our chosen excursion for this weekender, renowned as the Gateway to the Highlands and is generally regarded as occupying a strategic position at the point where the flatter, largely undulating Scottish Lowlands meet the rugged slopes of the Highlands along the Highland Boundary Fault. Steeped in rich history, and is home to many historical sites and landmarks, including Stirling Castle and the Wallace Monument.

Your second day visit is Perth. Once upon a time, Perth was the capital of Scotland and a picturesque playground for kings and queens. It was a primary residence for monarchs, and it was where the Royal Court was held.

It was tradition for the monarchs of Scotland to be crowned in Perth for hundreds of years. Today, the city is laced with gorgeous city architecture, unrivalled surrounding landscapes and an intriguing royal history.

Porthcawl, Wales

Mon 16th – Fri 20th Oct 2024

5 Days

£550.00p/p

Porthcawl is a bustling seaside resort on the South Coast of Wales, with all the best traditions that we know and love — a promenade, safe sandy beaches fringed by rocks, craggy cliffs, a World Famous Golf course, and the Coney Beach Amusement Park for all the fun of the fair.... appealing to visitors of all ages and interests. It was a new tour in 2021 and all our visitors wanted a return so here it is!



Staying at The Seabank Hotel. Situated a short walk from The Grand Pavilion and the shops on John Street.

It hosts beautiful views of Bristol Channel & Southern Wales... Perfect to sit and have a coffee!

For your full day excursion we have something a little different for you this time. The Royal Mint Experience. With thrilling tours, exciting exhibitions, cracking coin hunts and more, there's something for everyone at The Royal Mint Experience. (Admission Included) Don't forget to pop to the extensive gift shop for a little momentum of your visit!

Your second full day excursion takes you to the eleventh largest city in the UK and the capital of Wales.

Cardiff, widely regarded as being the city with the most castles in the world. The most famous amongst these is Cardiff Castle, which has stood for nearly 2,000 years at the heart of the city. Cardiff is a city full of culture. National Museum Cardiff houses the largest collection of Impressionist art outside Paris as well as works spanning over 500 years of art history. The Museum of Cardiff tells the tale of the city from its 1300s origins to present day.



Tenby in Wintertime Mon 28th Oct – Fri 1st Nov 2024 5 Days £620.00p/p

Tenby is a harbour town and resort in South Wales. Well known for its 13th-century town walls and its stretches of sandy shoreline, including Castle Beach. The ruins of Tenby Castle are on a headland overlooking the harbour. Tenby is the perfect place to relax and enjoy the views!



Staying at The Clarence House Hotel on half-board Basis. This host is a wonderful family run hotel, offering Good Company and Great home cooked food using locally sourced produce. Join us overlooking the sea, with scenery and views towards caldy island!

We are taking you to what some say is the oldest town in Wales, Carmarthen. It has a rich and colourful history. Situated proudly above the River Tywi alongside is Carmarthen Castle. A visit to the town is something all visitors to the county should experience. In the afternoon we will visit The National Botanic Garden of Wales is a botanical garden located in Llanarthney in the River Tywi Valley. The garden is both a visitor attraction and a centre for botanical research and conservation, and features the world's largest single-span glasshouse, measuring 110m long by 60m wide.

Your second excursion will be to Pendine, translated in Welsh as 'End of the Dunne's' and renowned for its land speed record history. The seaside resort is best known for adjacent Pendine Sands. Then on to St David's. Many travel to visit St David's Cathedral, the most impressive church in Wales. On the famous Pembrokeshire Coast Path and Wales Coast Path. It is home to some of the best beaches in Wales and best coastal walks in the UK. St David's, named after the founder of a strict monastic order and was the most influential clergyman in all Wales during the "Age of Saints."

Ilfracombe Mon 4th – Fri 8th November 2024 5 Days £510.00p/p



Staying at The Imperial Hotel on half-board basis. This lovely hotel is situated right on the seafront just 80 metres from the beach, it benefits from a prime location opposite the Landmark Theatre. It is only a short walk to the shops and harbour. The coastline of the area is surrounded by scenic cliffs and is popular with surfers. The region is known for its areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty.

Your excursions for this tour are....

Barnstaple, a thriving market town with a traditional Pannier Market at its heart that often, sometimes daily, plays host to events. The town lies at the River Taw's lowest crossing point before the Bristol Channel. From the 14th century, it was licensed to export wool from which it earned great wealth. Maybe locally sourced and made products are for you so spot of shopping may be on the cards?

Your second visit....Spend your morning in Appledore, a funny little place, fiercely local and has a 'front' but no real beach. For centuries, Appledore was an important shipbuilding centre for the region and the village's large indoor ship yard continues to be a source of employment for many of the residents. Because of its long maritime heritage, the village is now home to the North Devon Maritime Museum. The afternoon will be spent in Bideford. Enjoy some quayside shopping; Bideford is situated on the banks of the River Torridge, the quayside area offers a picturesque shopping experience. Here, you can find a mix of shops, cafes, and restaurants while enjoying beautiful views of the river and the historic Bideford Bridge.

Torquay Turkey & Tinsel Mon 25th – Fri 29th November 2024 5 Days £510.00p/p

Well... we are going to spoil you rotten with this one! We have rolled Christmas & New Year all into 5 fun filled days of entertainment, food and fun!

Staying at The Nethway Hotel you will be looked after by Gary, Julie & their welcoming staff.

While staying at The Nethway you will be fast-forward straight into the Christmas Spirit with an opportunity to visit Babbacombe Theatre for the Christmas spectacular show. The chef will make sure your Christmas Fayre with all the trimmings is excellent plus great entertainment!



The English Riviera as it is commonly known, has some of the most beautiful scenic areas, Torquay Harbour near the town centre offers shops, cafes and a marina. Torre Abbey, a monastery founded in 1196, has art galleries and extensive gardens featuring plants from local writer Agatha Christie's novels. Your excursions on this tour will be Plymouth, Dawlish & Teignmouth.

Exmouth T&T Mon 2nd – Fri 6th December 2024 5 Days £535.00p/p

Staying at The Cavendish Hotel on Half-board Basis. This delightful hotel is perfectly situated overlooking Exmouth's fine golden sands, in close proximity to the shops and beautiful sea views. Perfect for a Christmas Festive break. This Tour includes 2 excursions, 1 free lunch and evening entertainment.



Exmouth is one of the oldest and most picturesque seaside towns in Devon. The town is the gateway to the world heritage Jurassic Coast. Developed as a seaside resort in Georgian Times, Exmouth soon became the most selected seaside resort in Britain. Nowadays it offers a rich mixture of immaculate sands, picturesque gardens, a bustling marina and enough water sport facilities to entice even the most adventurous of people!

Exeter is your full day visit, the scenic setting makes it a great destination all year round and a great place to start a walk, cycle or paddleboard along the river and the Exe Estuary Trail towards Topsham, and neighbouring Rougemont Gardens originally formed part of the defences to Exeter Castle.

Sidmouth is your second excursion, a beautiful seaside town with a regency feel. Perhaps one of the main reasons why people flock to Sidmouth is to explore the region's natural beauty. Being located on the UNESCO World Heritage site of the Jurassic Coast, there are plenty of coastal attractions, such as the beaches and the South West Coast Path to explore.

Includes one free lunch in the hotel on your free day. This is a Turkey & tinsel holiday including all the festive fayre.

Blackpool T&T

Mon 9th – Fri 13th December 2024

5 Days

£535.00p/p

Come join us for a jaunt to the seaside..... Lovely Seafront Hotel, Great food & Evening entertainment.

Blackpool is known for its Pleasure Beach, with its old-school amusement park and wooden rollercoasters, the seafront with its array of arcades, Blackpool Tower, Circus, Tower Ballroom, Glass Viewing Platform, and gift shops. There is plenty to do that will take you back in time to relish the traditional seaside experience. Your stay will be on Half-Board Basis. This tour will include 2 excursions. Careful!!!!If you misbehave you might just get thrown in the dungeons!



You have 2 included excursions, firstly Liverpool with a guided tour. Then your second, Lytham & St Anne's.....

Liverpool has more museums and galleries than any city in Britain except London and is home to two of Britain's largest cathedrals. It has unique and historic architecture. Who better to tour you around than a local Blue Badge Guide, with an array of information coming your way, get the stories and history of the people Liverpool is famous for producing!

Lytham, more upmarket with nice bars and cafes and nice shops. Less touristy and has lovely parks and all the amenities without the arcades. St Anne's is more tourist friendly and has all the usual fun of the seaside included. Fancy a donkey ride or a coffee on the seafront? Whatever takes your fancy St Anne's has it all.... There is also a free lunch included on your free day in Blackpool!

Christmas Mystery

Mon 23rd – Fri 27th December 2024

5 Days

£TBC

Come along and join us for a mystery holiday this Christmas. We may not tell you where you are going but we guarantee all the festive fun & frivolities to keep you entertained. Staying in comfortable hotel accommodation on half-board basis. You will also have a day excursion included.

*NORTH, EAST,
SOUTH OR WEST
ITS ANYONE'S
GUESS!!!*



*If you've been good
you might get a little
prezzie from the big
man in red.....*



CAROLS TRAVELS TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Payment: A **non-returnable deposit of £50 per person per tour is payable on booking**. As we take payments by cheque and Bank transfer we will hold your booking for 21 days from date of telephone or face to face booking to allow adequate time for deposit payments to reach us. After the 21st day your booking will be released. The final balance date will be advised but is usually 8 weeks prior to travel. If you cancel your holiday less than 8 weeks prior to your departure date you will be charged a 100% of your holiday cost please see **cancellations** below.

Thursford Deposits: **The deposit for this tour will be £100.00 per person & must be paid at the time of booking. This is to cover our normal deposit charge plus the deposit cost of the show ticket. Please note this is a non-refundable amount.**

Payment Methods: We take payments Via Bank Bacs or cheque. We do not take card payments of any kind. We will be happy to take cash payments as long as they are within 14 days of the booking date or before the final payment due date and are agreed by office management prior.

Behaviour & Conduct: We're committed to making sure that all colleagues, including people working on our behalf, demonstrate high standards of professional conduct. We also expect our passengers & Crew to feel safe and to treat our staff & fellow travelers courteously and in a manner to not cause alarm, upset, insult or nuisance. Passengers who in the opinion of the crew appear to behave in an inappropriate manner without limitation, by use of obscene or offensive language or behaving in a manner that is abusive or threatening/Or to be under the influence of alcohol, drugs or solvents may not be permitted to travel. Any person who is refused travel must cover any costs incurred by this.

Passports: Where applicable, valid passports are required for all non UK travel.

Cancellations: If you cancel your holiday you must do this in writing and the cancellation will start on the receipt of this. Cancellations received in writing 56 days or more prior to the departure date of your holiday you will receive 100% of your holiday cost less your £50 deposit.

Cancellations received in writing between 43 to 55 days before the departure date of your holiday you will receive 50% of your holiday cost minus your £50 deposit.

If you cancel 42 days or less prior to the departure date of your holiday you will receive 0% of the cost of your holiday. Your place can be transferred to another person with an administration fee of £20.00 per person. If have an outstanding payment for your holiday and you cancel within the cancellation periods above you will be invoiced for the payment of your holiday in line with our cancellation policy.

Request of Replacement Documentation or Insurance Letters: Please note that Carols Travel will be happy to send out replacement documentation if lost at a cost of £20.00. Carols Travel will also be happy to provide documentation for Insurance claims. This will also be charged at £20.00 per request. This is to cover the cost of staff producing these documents and sending them out to you.

Liability: Carols Travel have no liability for any cancellations or amendments occurring which are beyond the control of Carols Travel due to natural disasters, pandemics, state of emergency, port closures, acts of war, Government Restrictions/Closures, adverse weather or road conditions. Carols Travel accept no liability for belongings or possessions left on-board the coach. They are left solely at the clients own risk. This is due to the coach parking at some resorts being unmonitored council coach parking areas, a distance away from our chosen hotel.

Alterations: Carols Travel reserve the right to alter any tour itinerary due to road or weather conditions etc. Carols Travel reserve the right to change the advertised hotel/excursions for reasons such as closure, change of hotel management or policy, sickness at the hotel/excursions or danger to our clients. There is no liability on Carols Travel for factors beyond our control.

Safety: On every journey advice will be given on safety whilst travelling on the coach, it is in the interest of the passenger to adhere to this advice and information.

Luggage: One medium size case per person (max weight 40lbs / 18kg) and hand luggage that can be safely stored under your seat or in the overhead lockers. We request any tour with more than one hotel you also bring an overnight bag which can be stored at the front of the luggage compartment, this can therefore be unloaded instead of your main suitcase.

Special Needs: Any passenger with any special needs (e.g. diet, medical, accessibility) or special type of room (e.g. shower or wet room etc) it is essential that you inform us whilst booking then we can make the necessary arrangements. We cannot accept any liability for restrictions to your holiday if these needs are not stated to us at time of booking. Special request are on request basis to the hotel and cannot be guaranteed.

Seat and Room Allocation: Every effort will be made to provide precisely the hotel room requested and we will convey this request direct to the hotelier or attraction provider, we must stress however we cannot guarantee any request. With regards to coach seating again we will endeavour to seat you in the area of the coach you request however this can depend on the popularity of the tour and this will be allocated on a first come basis. Your coach seating may be moved or adjusted dependant on the tour coach allocated.

Mobility Aids: Walkers, mobility scooters or any other walking aid must be disclosed at the point of booking and on some tours this may be restricted. If you do not disclose at the time of booking that you need space for a walking aid, you may not be allowed to travel on departure day.

Door-to-Door Service: We operate a door to door service for passenger pick-up's. Although our pick-up areas cover a mass area in West Yorkshire and Lincoln we do have to restrict how far an area we cover. Please note some door to door pick-up's may incur an extra charge if they are outside of our designated areas. These charges can be advised/approximated on request by calling our office.

Excursions: Our excursions are not set into a day-by-day itinerary. This is left to the discretion of the crew on board your tour coach. This is to ensure you get the best from your holiday with Carol Travel; as if you are visiting a destination that is mainly located outdoors/non-covered and the weather is of a wet or snowy nature we can change and amend the days we visit. Please check all excursions with the crew on your tour coach. We also have to address Covid-19 restrictions.

Complaints procedure: Should you have a complaint about any aspect of holiday, kindly notify one of the coach crew while in resort so that the problem can be swiftly resolved, if this cannot be resolved you must send the complaint to our offices in writing within 21 days of your return home. Any complaints received after the allocated time will not be addressed.