

May

**STOKE BRUERNE TOUR - Canals & Darlingsons**

Wednesday 5th May Pick up Group H \*nh/nB

A chance to explore somewhere you've probably not been before. Stoke Bruerne and Blisworth Tunnel hold the nostalgia and stories of the waterways. There's the Canal Museum on four floors too if you wish. We make a stop at Darlingsons Craft Village and Tea Rooms on the way home. Adult £18.95 Concessions £17.95 Travel Club £15.95 coach fare only

**Hatton Country World & Royal Leamington Spa**

Tuesday 11th May Pick up Group H \*nh/\*nB

Our trip today goes first to The Hatton Country World Complex deep in the Warwickshire Countryside. This rural shopping centre has lots of designer labels at discount prices plus candlemakers, booksellers, handmade cards, glass goods, toys, gifts and antiques. And a café for a cuppa too! Then its off via the historic County town of Warwick to fashionable Royal Leamington Spa, where you can visit the free art gallery in the Royal Pump Rooms, see the Victorian Jephson Gardens, the Parade, Royal Priors Shopping Centre, and don't forget Regent Street—great selection of places to eat. Adult £13.90 Concessions £12.90 Travel Club £11.90 Coach fare

**TRENTHAM for the SHOPS and Gardens**

Thursday 13th May Pick up Group C \*nh

This is the all new Trentham - a great new wooden shopping village with lots of specialist and unusual outlets. The nearby new Monkey Forest, the most brilliant Italian gardens in the UK, a new 400 acres of woodland opened up to roam. And there's a whole choice of places to wine and dine, especially in the massive garden centre complex to while-away the time. Fun for all. Adult £18.50 Senior £17.50 Child £15.95

**DOBBIES Garden World - at Mancetter**

Tuesday 18th May Pick up Group E \*nt

A trip to one of the largest garden centres. There are plants, garden tools & furniture, conservatories, indoor shops, countryside shop, food store, Massive Maze, and a great Restaurant. And still at our lowest fare! Adult £5.95 Concessions £5.95 Travel Club £3.50\*special\* coach fare

**BLETCHLEY PARK SECRETS - Enigma**

Wednesday 26th May Pick up Group H \*nh/\*nB

Seeing an Enigma Machine is one highlight of a day at Bletchley Park, but there is more than machines in a visit to this historic site. Check out the spies and deception too. You can also eat in the wartime huts. There are wartime toys to working computers, and an outstanding Churchill collection. Look through the ornate Victorian Mansion that was headquarters to intelligence staff during the War. Wander by the Lake, relax and observe the wildlife. Learn more about the local Tamworth connection! Adult £24.90 Concessions £23.90 Travel Club £19.95 coach and adm

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June

**BLACK COUNTRY LIVING MUSEUM Half-Term**

Wednesday 2nd June Pick up Group H \*nh

You can enjoy Fish and Chips out of paper and cooked the old fashioned way, as you walk around this vast site of recreated original industrial buildings, cottages and houses. See the Tram and characters in period dress as you wander around. It's half term - but pop into the school for a reminder of what it was like in times gone by. Fun for all. Adult £24.00 Concessions £21.50 Travel Club £19.50 coach & Adm

**BOUNDARY MILLS - The Shops, The Prices \*tc9.95**

Tuesday 15th June Pick up Group I \*nh

82,000 square feet of retail accommodation over two adjoining buildings with 200 outlets including M&S! Fun for everyone! Adult £11.95 Concessions £10.95 Travel Club £9.95 coach fare

**TEWKESBURY & Webbs of Wychbold**

Thursday 17th June Pick up Group H \*nh

A ride along via Evesham to the beautiful Town of Tewkesbury with its wonderful Abbey and old buildings where history has stood still for over 150 years! We then go on to Webbs of Wychbold (where the seeds come from) - the area's biggest garden centre, great café, deli, and chocolate counter too! Enjoy a relaxing day all round on this tour. Adult £18.95 Concessions £17.95 Travel Club £16.50 coach fare

**Wythall Bus Museum for Fathers Day**

Sunday 20th June Pick up Group I \*nh

A chance to treat Dads and Grandads to a memorable day at the premier transport museum. See displays of electric vehicles, buses and coaches! Take bus rides too. It's time to go and see the new developments here. Adult £16 Concessions £15 Travel Club £12.95 coach fare, adm, & bus rides,

**Charabanc Tour of South Warwickshire**

Wednesday 23rd June Pick up Group I \*nt

Another rare but great opportunity to board our wooden-framed open-sided Charabanc for a real 1920's experience! Come suitably dressed for the weather and in fancy dress if you wish! Back by teatime. Adult £18.00 Concessions £18 Travel Club £15 coach fare

**MELTON MOWBRAY A great Day out!**

Tuesday 29th June Pick up Group D

Famous for its Stilton Cheese and Pork Pies of course! Market Days are vibrant and go back over 1000 years. Besides shopping there's lots to see too, and some good places to have lunch. Make sure you also see the 'other' undercover market - it has everything - its in the old cattle market! Some nice scenery on the way too. Adult £12.90 Concession £11.90 Travel Club £10.90 coach fare

**Trips to look forward to:**  
August Bank Holiday Monday - Pershore Plum Festival With lots of street entertainment.  
September 26th - Malvern & The Autumn Show Three Counties Showground.  
December - Christmas Fantasia at Belvoir Castle Festivities not to be missed.  
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Join Us in **JANUARY** — Happy New Year!

**WELLESBOURNE Market & Stratford - the Sales&Bargains**

Saturday 9th January Pick up Group I \*nh/\*nB

Checkout the large airfield Market for the Bargains before going on to Stratford town and its small independent shops for something different.  
Adult £10.90 Concession £9.90 Travel Club £7.95 coach fare

**Boundary Mills Shopping**

Wednesday 13th January Pick up Group D \*nh

Checkout the 200 outlets set in two vast adjoining buildings in 82000 feet of retail space, great sale prices, lots of choice from clothes to housewares, pictures and café too!  
Adult £11.90 Concessions £10.90 Travel Club £9.90 Coach fare

**BBC Tour Behind the Scenes Birmingham - NEW!**

Saturday 16th January Pick up Group I \*nt

Marvel at how our local and national TV and radio programmes (like The Archers) are made and broadcast - a behind the scenes look in the new Mailbox studios. With time for shopping in the "Second City" too!  
Adult £15 Concession £14 Travel Club £13 Coach fare & Adm

**Lunchtime Mystery Tour - Hot food included!**

Tuesday 26th January Pick up Group E \*nh

Throw away the Winter blues - come out and join us on our Winter Lunchtime Mystery Tour. Who knows where we'll end up - but we'll have fun on the way!

Adult £18.90 Concessions £17.90 Travel Club £15 Coach fare & food

**FEBRUARY**

**MILITARY MEMORIES - NEW!**

Wednesday 3rd February Pick up Group D \*nh

A day to realise what it is all about - start at the Royal Staffordshire Regiment Museum and a walk down into the Trenches! A guide will be on hand to make sure you get the information you need, then it's to the National War Memorial Arboretum, a truly pleasant and peaceful place - lots to see! It's a vast area, lots of monuments, trees and a Church, Shop, and Café.

Adult £14.90 Concessions £13.90 Travel Club £12.90 Coach fare & Adm

**PORK PIE Making & Cheese Tasting \*NEW!**

Wednesday 10th February Pick up Group D \*nt

Something different at Melton Mowbray - home of the famous Pork Pie and Stilton Cheese. Enjoy a short talk and demo in the Olde Worlde Pork Pie Shop, and on to a talk on Cheese with some tastings too! The only extras are if you want to bring some home.

Adult £12.95 Concessions £11.95 Travel Club £10 Coach fare

**Black Country Living Museum**

Thursday 18th February Pick up Group I \*nh/nB

Its all-aboard a trip set back in time at this fantastic living museum of Victorian and Edwardian properties, gaslit shops and homes, real fires and tram. Try fish and chips or faggots and peas and learn all about the famous people from the Black Country area. See all the latest developments and plans.

Adult £24 Concession £21.50 Travel Club £19.50 Includes Coach & Adm

**BBC Tour Behind the Scenes Birmingham - NEW!**

Saturday 20th February Pick up Group I \*nh / nB

Marvel at how our local TV and radio programmes are made and broadcast - a behind the scenes look in the new Mailbox studios. You will probably see someone you recognise from television or radio. With time for shopping too! A different day out.

Adult £15 Concession £14 Travel Club £13 Coach fare & Adm

**DERBY for the new Shopping Centre - Westfields**

Wednesday 24th February Pick up Group C \*nh

Westfield - the new face of shopping in Derby. With more than 150 new shops. Eat Central creates a food theatre, with delights from all around the world. Besides this new shopping centre, don't forget the rest of the City shops and fantastic Victorian style Markets awaits you. Something for everyone here.

Adult £16.95 Concession £15.95 Travel Club £13.95 coach fare

**MARCH**

**BOUNDARY MILLS - the Shops, the Prices!**

Tuesday 2nd March Pick up Group D \*nh

Checkout the 200 outlets, set in 82000 square feet of adjoining buildings. Housewares, fashion, even an M&S outlet. There's "BB's" Coffee Shop too!  
Adult £11.90 Concession £10.90 Travel Club £9.90 coach fare

**GARDEN CENTRES DAY - gardeners' trip**

Thursday 4th March Pick up Group D \*nt

It's that time of year to start thinking about the garden. Here's your chance to get some great ideas and pick up some bargains to brighten up the garden ready for Summer. First we call at DOBBIES Garden World, and then it's on to WOODLANDS Garden Centre. There are good cafés at both too! And there's room for some plants in the boot.  
Adult £11.95 Concessions £10.95 Travel Club £9.95 coach fare

**PERSHORE & Evesham Country Park**

Thursday 11th March Pick up Group H \*nh / nB

It's Market Day in Pershore today. The market, one of the best in the area, is all under one roof. But don't miss the other quaint shops and wonderful cafés, and take a look at Holy Cross - Pershore Abbey. We then travel on to Evesham Country Park where there's a wealth of leisure retail therapy and a rather nice Country Kitchen Café.

Adult £17.95 Concessions £16.95 Travel Club £15 coach fare

**COSFORD - an extraordinary RAF Air Museum!**

Wednesday 17th March Pick up Group C \*nh

This is a great day out - a modern museum full of nostalgia that you really should visit. Today is a special day as our passengers can get a glimpse of the rarely opened archive Conservation Centre to see the current restorations. See the vast hangers of aircraft hanging in the air, hands on exhibits, great shop and aerial viewing gallery, and two fun cafés too! A fantastic value trip.

Adult £16.95 Concessions £15.95 Travel Club £14 coach fare + free adms

**Uppingham & Market Harborough Markets NEW!**

Friday 19th March Pick up Group H \*nh / nB

A great Friday trip. Visit Uppingham, a lovely rural Leicestershire town on Market Day. The famous Uppingham School was used in the filming of the Harry Potter films. See the Antique Shops too. Then it's off to wonderful Market Harborough! See the Market Hall, Town Square and the Museum too, and lots of small independent shops and cafés.

Adults £14.90 Concession £13.90 Travel Club £12.00 Coach fare

**"GOING POTTY" Denby Pottery Centre NEW!**

Thursday 25th March Pick up Group B

We are off to the famous Denby Pottery Centre in the Amber Valley in Derbyshire. There's a small museum reception area, shopping courtyard, demonstrations area, and Restaurant. There is a factory tour available at a small extra cost, etc. And we return via the lovely town of Ashbourne.

Adults £17.90 Concession £16.90 Travel Club £14.90 Coach fare

Pick up Information - see your pick up place and times below

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0820	0850	0930	0950	Brinklow Post Office	—	—
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0935	1005	1035	1105	Nuneaton Bus Stn	0925	0955
1010	1040	1110	1140	Tamworth Corporation St	0840	0910

\*Not all Excursions call at Brinklow, Hinckley and / or Tamworth.

Please see each tour listing.

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**APRIL**

**LICHFIELD - The Farmers Market, the Shops, the Cathedral**

Thursday 1st April Pick up Group C \*nh

Checkout the Farmers Market and the small independent shops for something different. Marvel at the Cathedral and nearby olde worlde streets, and lots of places for a cuppa too! There's Darwin's House, and Dr Johnson's Birthplace & Museum. It's a different day out!  
Adult £12.90 Concession £11.90 Travel Club £10.90 coach fare

**MELTON MOWBRAY - A great Day out!**

Tuesday 13th April Pick up Group D \*nt

Pork Pies, Stilton, and the fabulous indoor and street Markets and lots of local shops here! It's alive on Tuesdays, and lots of bargains.  
Adult £12.90 Concessions £11.90 Travel Club £10.90 coach fare

**Double Decker to The MALVERNs - service 144 - It's famous!**

Sunday 11th April Pick ups Coventry, Meriden, Elmton & Bham

Especially for those that missed the last great trip on this famous route! Picks up locally, then our 44 year old Midland Red D9 double decker travels the 144 from Birmingham to The Malverns, via Bromsgrove, Droitwich and Worcester. There's lovely scenery, and time in beautiful Great Malvern to look around. It's a classic and it's been a 144 since 1928! And Midland Red's longest double decker bus route. Bring your camera.  
Adults £15 Concessions £15 Travel Club £12 bus fare

**Charabanc Tour "SPECIAL"**

Wednesday 14th April Pick up Group D \*nt

Another very special opportunity to take a 1920's style Charabanc Trip around the lanes on this unique bus. There will be opportunities to alight and see places of interest, as well as the chance to get some lunch (optional) More than a few photo's taken too!

A great day out! Come suitably dressed for the weather and in costume if you wish.  
Adult £18.00 Concessions £18.00 Travel Club £15.00 coach fare

**City of LIVERPOOL - a "fab" guided Mid-Weeker New**

Monday 19th April "4-Day CityBreak" Pick up Group C

Recently the European City of Culture, but with a wealth of interesting history, our trip includes a ride around the sights with a local 'author' Guide. Another classic and quality trip. You'll see two Cathedrals, learn a new side to the 'fab four' see Museums and Galleries, and amazing shops of course. Dinner Bed & Breakfast at Liverpool's largest hotel - the famous 1914 Adelphi right in the heart of the City. Rooms with en-suite, hairdryer, trouserpress, TV and Drinks Tray. Leisure, Gym and marble swimming pool available.

Adult £199.95 Concessions £192.95 Travel Club £189.95 coach fare, Hotel Our helpful Driver & two different Guided tours with author and expert Ken Pye. Limited Single Room Accommodation - so please do book early - further singles are available at supplement charged by hotel. A Trip not to be missed!

**The BLOSSOM TRAIL TOUR**

Tuesday 27st April Pick up Group I \*nh/\*nB

Be sure to visit the Vale of Evesham on our 'hunting the blossom' tour, to marvel at this flourishing area. The vale is blessed with shrouded and rich soil and good views. We visit the Wayside Farm Shop featured on BBC Countryfile to see their splendid array of local produce, freshly pressed apple juice and local cakes, breads, jams and chutneys. We then take a break at Evesham Country Park where you can get a wonderful choice of refreshments.  
Adult £17.95 Concessions £16.95 Travel Club £14.50 coach fare

**BLACK COUNTRY LIVING MUSEUM**

Wednesday 28th April Pick up Group H \*nh

You can enjoy Fish and Chips out of paper and cooked the old fashioned way, as you walk around this vast site of recreated original industrial buildings, cottages and houses. See the Tram and characters in period dress as you wander around. Fun for all!  
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