

Barmouth

Barmouth's location on the west coast of North Wales and lying between a mountain range and the sea on the mouth of the river Mawddach is arguably one of the most beautiful locations in Wales. It rests just within the south west corner of the Snowdonia National Park and is seeped in a history with rich connections to the shipping and slate industries. A fascinating web of stairs and alleyways leads from the High Street up to Hen Bermo, the old town, built almost vertically and haphazardly up the cliffs. Eventually you will come to Dinas Oleu ('The Fortress of Light'), donated to the National Trust by the local Talbot family. The harbour is beautiful and you can walk across the spectacular Barmouth Bridge spanning the river which can be an ideal activity for an evening stroll. The sandy beach is large and perfect for sunbathing and games and surfers can often be seen depending on the swells and time of year. Barmouth is also the home of the Fairbourne & Barmouth Railway track which was originally laid in 1895, by Mr. Arthur McDougall of 'McDougalls Flour'. It was built to transport building materials for the construction of Fairbourne Village.

Arbour Hotel

We are pleased to offer the Arbour Hotel to our customers for the first time this year. It is a family run hotel with high standards and personal service. It is superbly situated on the promenade and is the nearest hotel to the golden sands of Barmouth beach. The hotel offers comfortable en-suite accommodation, a resident cocktail bar, large dining room serving excellent food, a lift and indoor heated swimming pool.

Excursion

Our day excursion takes us to Corris Uchaf where we visit King Arthur's Labyrinth. After walking into the mountain, we take a unique boat journey along an underground river, through the great waterfall and sail into a world of mystery, legends and storytelling. Explore a labyrinth of tunnels and spectacular caves, as tales of King Arthur and other ancient Welsh legends unfold in a dramatic subterranean setting. You also have time to visit the Corris Craft Centre home to 10 craft workshops. You will also have a day at leisure to explore Barmouth

Departure date

June 19th 4 days £149
 Single supplement £12

Price includes

- All coach travel
- En-suite accommodation
- Dinner, bed & breakfast
- Some evening entertainment
- 1 excursion



Bournemouth



Bournemouth is a delightful seaside resort boasting one of the cleanest and safest beaches in Britain with its seven miles of golden sands and unspoilt surrounding coast and countryside. There is a fine shopping centre and plenty of restaurants in the town.

Queens Hotel

The Queens Hotel is situated on the prestigious East Cliff, just a few minutes walk from the cosmopolitan town centre. The hotel offers comfortable en-suite accommodation, large dining room and spacious bar/lounge. The hotel boasts its own leisure complex complete with indoor swimming pool, sauna, jacuzzi and steam room. There is a lift to all floors.

Excursions

We start our day in the pretty town of Christchurch with its magnificent Priory Church which is situated between the estuaries of the Rivers Stour and Avon. We continue to Lyndhurst known as the capital of the New Forest where we will stop for lunch before driving through Brockenhurst on our return to Bournemouth.

We spend the day in Poole with its lively waterfront where you have the opportunity of an optional cruise to Brownsea Island if you wish. You will find the famous Poole Pottery on the waterfront and a selection of bars/restaurants. Poole has a large shopping centre with a good variety of shops to suit all tastes.

Our New Year tour will include one excursion to Poole.

Departure dates

April 20th 5 days £199
 July 13th 5 days £218

New Year

December 30th 4 days £279

Price includes

- All coach travel
- En-suite accommodation
- Dinner, bed & breakfast
- Evening entertainment
- Excursions