Norfolk Broads

Following a successful tour to the Norfolk Broads in 2008 we have decided to include it in our brochure once again this year. We will be combining the Broads, the coastal resort of Great Yarmouth and the City of Norwich. The Norfolk Broads is now one of the UK's largest protected wetland areas and is an important area for wildlife. The Broads were formed when people dug for peat in Medieval times and later became flooded. Our base for this tour is in Great Yarmouth which has been a flourishing coastal resort since 1760 and today is still one of the UK's most popular seaside resorts. With over 15 miles of sandy beach, a large shopping centre and two lively piers there is plenty to keep the visitor occupied.

Burlington Palm Hotel

After a successful week at the Burlington Palm Hotel last year we have pleasure in offering it once again to our customers in 2009. Overlooking the sea across Great Yarmouth's famous Golden Sands, this hotel provides a friendly, warm welcome in luxurious, spacious surroundings. Comfortable en-suite accommodation, excellent home cooked food, indoor heated swimming pool and a lift to all floors are offered at the hotel.

Excursions

We will visit Norwich which is the most complete medieval city in Britain. With fascinating museums, a magnificent cathedral, a Norman castle, ancient pubs, cobbled streets, half timbered houses a jumble of medieval lanes and a delighful old Watergate down by the riverside there is more than enough to see and do during your visit to Norwich.

One of the highlights of this tour is a trip to the ancient market town of Aylsham where you will board the Bure Valley Steam Railway for a journey through unspoilt countryside to Wroxham. After dismounting the train, a short stroll brings you to Wroxham bridge where you will board the 'Broads Tours' boats to enjoy a picturesque 90 minute cruise along the Wroxham Broads.

Departure date

May 18th	5 days	£249

Single supplement £24
Sea view supplement £12

Price includes

All coach travel
En-suite accommodation
Dinner, bed & breakfast
2 nights entertainment
A 90 minute cruise on the Norfolk Broads
Bure Valley Steam Railway from Aylsham to Wroxham

North Wales Explorer

Beaches Hotel

We are pleased to offer the 3* Beaches Hotel to our customers for the first time this year. The hotel enjoys a unique location, on the sea front, between Prestatyn's central beach and the protected sand dunes of Barkby beach and the Gronant Nature Reserve. The sea wall forms the edge of the Promenade Lounge Bar's outside seating area, so that it feels like being on the deck of a cruise ship. The hotel offers comfortable en-suite accommodation, a good choice of menu every day and a lift to all floors. The hotel leisure suite consists of an indoor heated swimming pool, spa bath, sauna and steam room.

Excursions

We visit the Roman City of Chester which boasts a unique mix of history, culture, shopping and fun. With its traditional black and white half timbered architecture, unique two tiered Rows, Norman Cathedral and the most complete circuit of walls in the UK, few could question why this city has achieved world wide fame as a place to visit. Chester is a stunning city, filled with elegance and excitement, packed full of designer stores and sumptuous restaurants.

We also visit the ancient market town of Llangollen where you will have time to browse around the shops and have lunch before making our way to Froncysyllte. The highlight of this day is a fantastic two hour canal boat cruise through picturesque Vale of Llangollen and across the famous Pontcysyllte Aqueduct. Known as 'The Stream in the Sky', this masterpiece of engineering towers a massive 126 feet above the River Dee supported by 18 stone piers. The coach will meet you at Llangollen Wharf for your journey back to the hotel.

Departure date

July 6th	5 days	£219

New Year

December 30th	4 days	£275

Single supplement £10 per night

Price includes

All coach travel
En-suite accommodation
Dinner, bed & breakfast
Evening entertainment
Excursions
Afternoon canal cruise from Froncysyllte to Llangollen