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THE VERY BEST OF BRITAIN



Discover over 30 hotels set in  
Britain's most beautiful locations

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## Facilities Key



No. of bedrooms



Restaurant



Bar



Swimming pool



On-site parking



The Coast & Country Hotel Collection is a family of over 30 hotels in wonderful UK locations – the kind that are on everyone's list of must-visit places.

We're by the seaside. We're in the heart of the countryside. We're in pretty villages and bustling towns. The very best of British – fun, busy, vibrant and historic – close to home and close to the heart.

We want you to enjoy great experiences, create wonderful memories and feel confident that, whenever... wherever you book into a Coast & Country Hotel, you will be guaranteed the warmest of welcomes.

The Coast & Country Hotel Collection is dedicated to you, our guests. We always recognise that this is your holiday, your getaway, your hard-earned break.

Enjoy exploring the very heart of Britain!



## Explore the UK's best destinations...

This year, why not stay and explore the UK and discover some of the incredible towns and villages on our very own stunning coastline, or in our magical countryside!

And it's even better when you're completely in control of when and where you go, the route you take and the stops you make. Book a couple of nights here and a weekend there. Pick out some attractions that you've always meant to visit. Jump in the car and go.

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## ...& Stay in the best locations

Each hotel in the Coast & Country Hotel Collection is located in one of the UK's gems – a picturesque village, a vibrant market town, a coastal community. These fantastic locations are what make us unique.

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- Full hot buffet breakfast
- Late checkout\*
- Booking flexibility

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## Like being abroad... in England

With a slightly milder climate than the rest of Britain and some of the sandiest beaches, a trip to Cornwall really is like going abroad and holidaying at home all wrapped up in one friendly, sunny, convenient package.

It's no surprise that many of our favourite stories are set here – from Poldark to Rebecca, from the Camomile Lawn to Jamaica Inn, given the ruggedly romantic coastlines and the richness of the natural scenery.

There are also incredible modern attractions such as the world-class Tate art gallery at St Ives and one of Britain's most impressive eco-attractions, the Eden Project. And, of course, it's always a thrill to visit the furthest southerly point of the country at Land's End, the amazing, open-air Minack Theatre overlooking the sea, or one of the many castles such as Tintagel and St Michael's Mount.

A **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** break will ensure that Cornwall stays in your heart forever.



Polperro, Cornwall

### ST IVES

## 1 St Ives Bay Hotel

Fabulous views from an elevated position above Porthminster Beach, close to St Ives town centre, make this a perfect base from which to explore North Cornwall. You'll need plenty of time here though, because St Ives itself is so packed with things to do – the famous Tate art gallery, the fascinating, independent shops and a full programme of festivals, events and watersports to keep you entertained. It's no surprise that St Ives is one of Cornwall's most popular holiday destinations. It combines the best of British with a Mediterranean atmosphere and it's perfectly placed to explore parts of the South West Coastal Path too. And we have the perfect bar and terrace where you can relax after a busy day discovering all of this.



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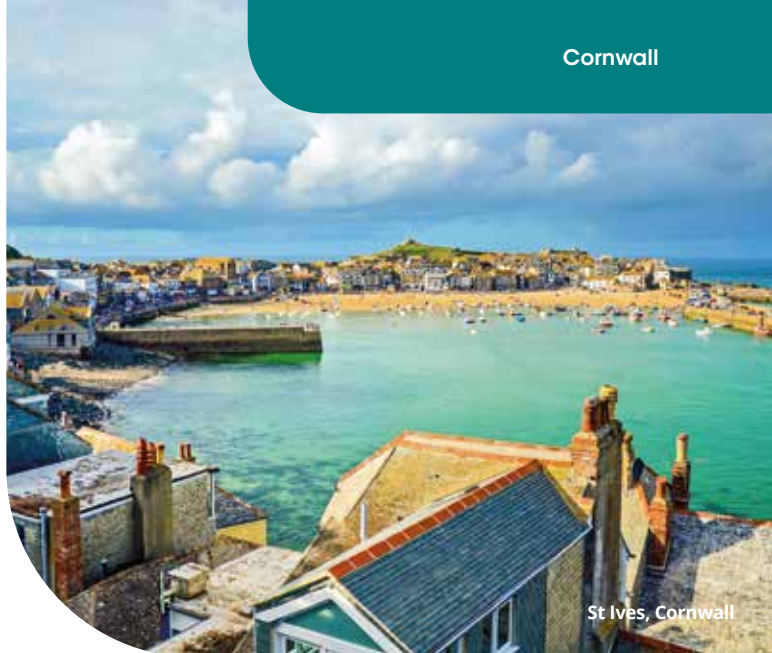
## Things to explore

**The Eden Project:** Described as a 'global garden' and dubbed the 'eighth wonder of the world'.

**The South West Coastal Path:** One of the world's great walking routes.

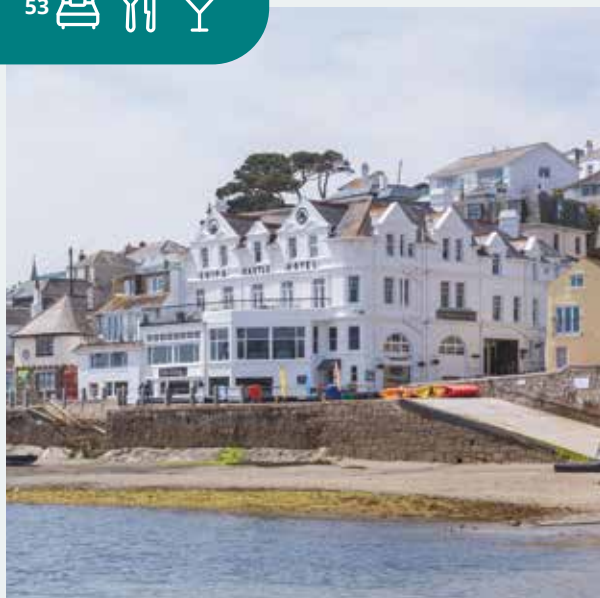
**Mevagissey:** Just one of many quaint Cornish fishing villages.

**Lost Gardens of Heligan:** A magical experience, 200 acres of woodland walks and farmland.



St Ives, Cornwall

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### ST MAWES

## 2 Ship & Castle Hotel

St Mawes is a classic South Cornwall fishing village, bustling with waterfront activities and the excitement of a ferry trip to Falmouth, Trelissick Gardens, Malpas or Truro. Or, you can put your feet up and watch it all from the elegant, white, Victorian seafront Ship & Castle Hotel, a few metres from the water's edge. There's a treasure trove of beaches, coves and creeks all along the Roseland Heritage Coast and a lovely bar, lounge and restaurant to retire to when you return after a day's sightseeing. The dining menu in our own pub includes both traditional and modern dishes, while the home-made cream tea is always a big hit, especially when you're sitting overlooking the bay in our lovely View Café!

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### NEWQUAY

## 3 Beresford Hotel

Newquay's popularity just continues to rise, and rightly so. The town has a whole range of family attractions and activities; you will be spoiled for choice when it comes to sandy beaches, golf courses, sea trips, and heritage houses and gardens.

The Beresford Hotel has a bar, ballroom with regular live entertainment and two comfortable lounges. From the conservatory, you can watch Tolcarne Beach and all of the bustle of this amazing little holiday town. The hotel has single, twin, double and family bedrooms to suit all families and groups, plus every amenity you could wish for.

# The locals call it 'Mother Nature's Playground'

Two coastlines. Five National Parks. Five official Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Beaches, castles, stately homes. Pretty market towns. Coves, countryside and cream teas. Devon has the lot. Plus, there are six hotels in the **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** dotted across the county, so you're never too far from a comfortable place to stay.

If you're looking for family adventures, you'll find attractions as diverse as treetop rope courses, watersports and horse riding or, if you prefer to keep your feet firmly on the ground, the amazing model village at Babbacombe. Why not explore the coastline in a kayak and get up close to the amazing coastal wildlife, or take a gentle walk along the South West Coastal Path.

Just bring a bundle of energy and a sense of wonder, because Devon is the county that keeps on giving.



Cliff Railway, Lynton and Lynmouth



## Things to **explore**

**Lynton & Lynmouth:** Known as 'England's little Switzerland' – the views are Alpine!

**Haldon Forest Park:** 3,500 acres of woodland, perfect for picnics.

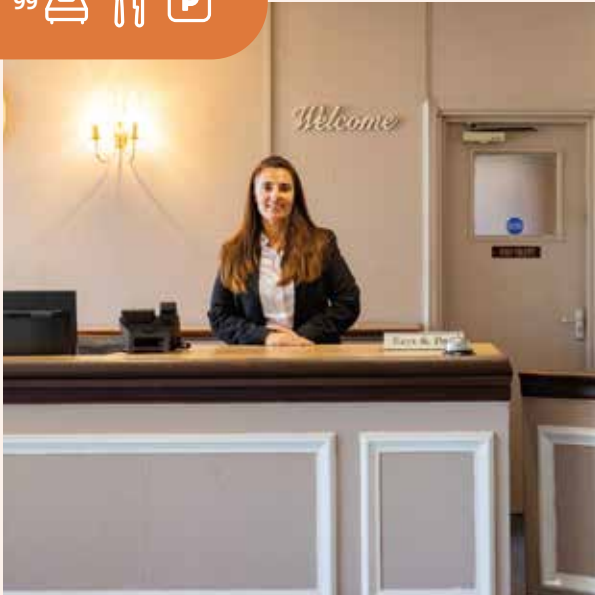
**Exeter Sculpture Walk:** A 2-hour discovery of 36 sculptures at the University of Exeter.

**Canonteign Falls:** Spectacular waterfalls, wonderful woodlands and fun for kids.





Valley of Rocks, Exmoor

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## ILFRACOMBE

## 4 Dilkhusa Grand Hotel

'Dilkhusa' means 'House of the Happy Heart' in Hindustani, named by a Raj and bought as a gift for his wife in about 1900! The hotel overlooks one of North Devon's most popular seaside resorts where you'll find the Landmark Theatre and Ilfracombe Museum. The lovely Wildersmouth, Tunnels and Ilfracombe beaches are all within walking distance and, if you are feeling energetic, stride up to Ilfracombe Observatory on Capstone Hill where you can enjoy spectacular views over the bay. The hotel restaurant is open for breakfast, lunch and dinner. There is a regular programme of entertainment for all the family, and a lounge if you are more in the mood to relax with a drink.

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## LYNTON

## 5 Valley of Rocks Hotel

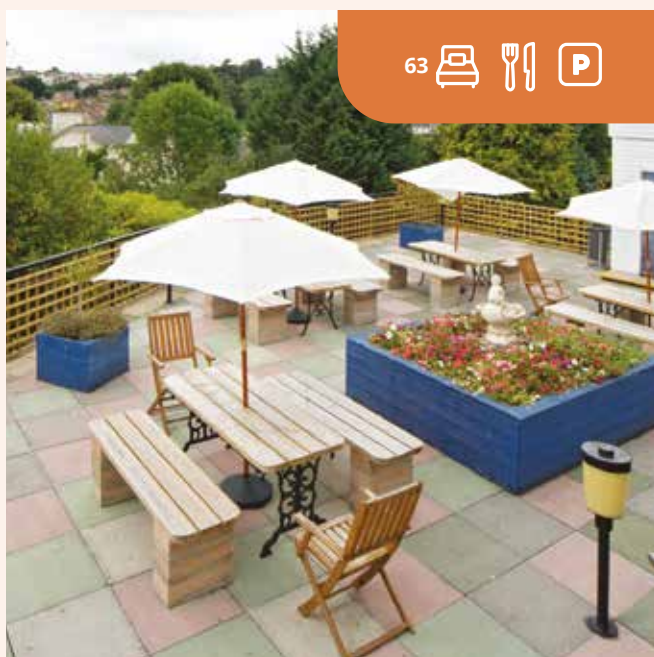
This grand, Grade II listed building sits on a clifftop location in Lynton from which you can descend the hill down to Lynmouth and its beaches in the Cliff Railway funicular train, built in 1890. It's a lovely, traditional way to arrive at the seafront at the start of a day exploring this spectacularly beautiful corner of England. Boat trips depart regularly from Lynmouth Quay and there are beautiful National Trust properties to explore along the coast and the gorges as well as endless family adventures and activities. The Valley of Rocks Hotel is just perfect for a cosy getaway, family beach trip or a walking holiday exploring the South West Coastal Path.

Torquay is a thriving seaside town on the English Riviera, with sandy beaches, an international marina and many cafés, restaurants and bars. Check out the English Riviera Wheel, offering a bird's-eye view of the harbour, take a boat trip to Brixham and Paignton, learn a new watersport or venture inland to the wonders of Dartmoor National Park.

## TORQUAY

## 6 Tor Park Hotel

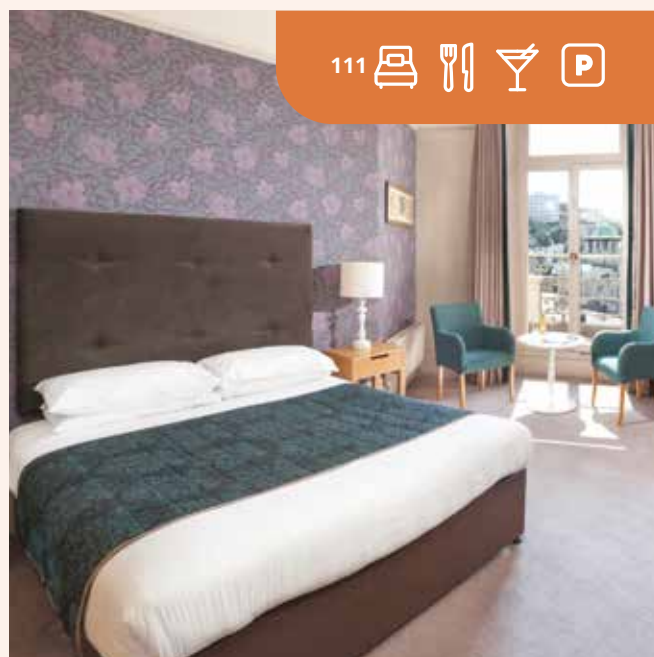
If you prefer that extra bit of peace and tranquility, the Tor Park Hotel is in a quiet residential area, a mile from the seafront, but still perfectly placed to explore the English Riviera. The hotel has a bar and sun terrace as well as a dancefloor and regular live entertainment.



## TORQUAY

## 7 Torbay Hotel

The Torbay Hotel is right next to the marina and harbour; bustling with activities evening and day. There is live entertainment during the holiday season, bars and lounges and a range of bedroom types to suit individuals, couples and families.







Torquay Marina

## Reasons to **stay**

**Treat yourself** to a delicious Devon cream tea.

**Experience** the stunning beaches.

**Explore** the beautiful open spaces of the moors.

**Try** the amazing local fish dishes.

**Enjoy** a relaxing drink while admiring the views

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### PAIGNTON

## 8 Esplanade Hotel

A diamond in the English Riviera's crown, Paignton has a lovely mild climate and a continental atmosphere with sandy beaches, promenade, traditional pier and colourful beach huts. There's so much to do during a stay here, for guests of any age – the magical, historical Paignton Harbour, Paignton Zoo, Compton Castle and the Dartmouth Steam Railway are just a few of the family attractions on our doorstep. After a busy day exploring these local attractions you'll welcome the quiet and comfort of the Harbour Bar Lounge or the Sun Lounge. But if you've got energy to spare, there's a regular programme of live entertainment in the Riviera Suite too.

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### EXMOUTH

## 9 Imperial Hotel

This imposing Exmouth landmark is stunningly located looking out towards the sea and has extensive terraces and gardens where you can relax after a day exploring Dartmoor or any of the wonderful, sandy beaches, coves and bays that punctuate this coastline. Within a few miles of the Imperial Hotel you could be rambling along the South West Coastal Path, teeing off at East Devon Golf Club, exploring the Bicton Park Botanical Gardens or enjoying a boat trip along the Exe River or out to sea. Our 57 bedrooms include some with a private balcony, and there are quiet areas throughout the hotel to sit and relax for a quiet drink or meal.



Gateway to the West  
and Wales:

# seaside towns and surprising beaches

Somerset is so rich in attractions and day trips in its own right.

From the incredible landscapes of the Mendips, Cheddar Gorge and Wookey Hole, to the mystical attractions of Glastonbury Tor; from the regency towns of Bath and Bristol to the traditional seaside towns of Nailsea, Clevedon and Weston-super-Mare that are dotted along the North Somerset coastline with piers, beaches and freshwater swimming pools.

It's also the gateway to the West Country and Wales, making it the perfect stopping place on your **Explore & Stay** tour.



## WESTON-SUPER-MARE

### 10 Grand Atlantic Hotel

Just metres from the beach and the Grand Pier, the Atlantic is as grand as its name suggests and the perfect place to stay for a seaside holiday or short break. Families will love the array of attractions and the buzz of the beachfront. The imposing front of the Grand Atlantic Hotel – all limestone turrets and wrought-iron details – will take you back in time. This is a lively town, but you're also close to stunning beaches and peaceful countryside. If your dream is to throw open your curtains and look out to the ocean, make sure to book one of our sea view bedrooms. The Grand is a dog-friendly hotel and there are lots of pet-friendly beaches nearby, such as Sand Bay.



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# Tails

WILL WAG



With hotels in such wonderful seaside and countryside locations, it would be a shame not to bring your cherished dog with you to enjoy the great outdoors too.

All **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** properties are happy to accommodate well-behaved dogs (though do please remember to tell us in advance), allowing up to two domestic dogs per room at a small charge of £10 per dog, per night. Many of our hotels keep drinking bowls, biscuit treats and dog blankets – please just ask when you make your reservation.



## Pocket-sized but perfect

'Pocket-sized, but perfect' is how the Isle of Wight is described. It's big enough to accommodate everything you could possibly want to do on a short break or holiday – family activities, historic houses, golf courses, amazing sandy beaches, cycle and walking trails to name just a few. And it's sufficiently different from mainland England to almost feel as though you're abroad.

You can see the island's most famous landmark – the Needles rock formation – from an incredible chair-lift that takes you soaring to a height of 50 metres on its 250-metre course from the beach to the top of the cliff! One of England's most exhilarating new attractions.



Mermaid Rock, Freshwater Bay

### SANDOWN

## 11 Broadway Park Hotel

Broadway Park is a Victorian mansion in four acres of grounds on the Isle of Wight. There are wood-panelled lounges, grand staircases and quiet elegance all around you. The BBC Countryfile 'Beach of the Year 2019' – Sandown Beach – is the shortest of walks from the hotel's door, with its pier, esplanade, cafés and watersports. While the Shanklin & Sandown Golf Club is just a mile from the hotel. The hotel itself offers a full range of bedroom types including family bedrooms and some with direct access to the terrace. There is a restaurant, lounge and bar and a full programme of entertainment in the main holiday season. Well-behaved dogs are always welcome.



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# Full-on

FAMILY FUN

**Coast & Country Hotel Collection** properties are in the UK's very best holiday and short-break destinations and all of our hotels have a great range of twin, double and family bedrooms.

Our hotels range from 40 bedrooms upwards, which means we'll always be able to accommodate your family – any number, any age. Many of the hotels also put on a great programme of entertainment in the holiday season to add to the attractions of our amazing locations.



# From Dorset's Durdle Door to Sussex's Seven Sisters

England's South Coast encompasses Dorset, Hampshire, Sussex and Kent, a 200-mile stretch of holiday towns, national parks, coves and bays, sandy beaches, piers, clifftop walks and historic sites, and all of it within a couple of hours of London.

If you were to stay a night or two at one of our hotels in Weymouth, then travel East to another **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** property in Eastbourne, you could pass through Lulworth Cove, Corfe Castle, Sandbanks, the New Forest, Arundel, Chichester, Brighton – a roll call of some of the country's prettiest sights.

Whether your idea of a relaxing break is to pack your walking shoes or your wetsuit, your golf clubs or just a good book and a picnic blanket, you'll find it easy to fill every day with something interesting, exciting and new.

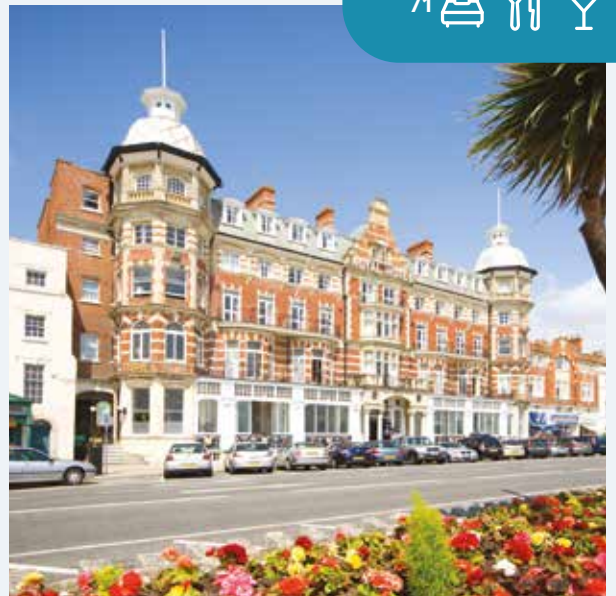


Durdle Door, Dorset

## WEYMOUTH

### 12 Royal Hotel

This elegant, Grade II listed building is right on the seafront – ensuring that you sleep well, with your lungs full of fresh, sea-air, and you awake to the soothing ocean sounds. Your days in Weymouth will be filled with every kind of activity – exploring the West Dorset Heritage Coast and Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, or enjoying seaside resort attractions such as the harbour and marina. There's plenty for all ages, from the Sea Life Centre to the Pavilion with regular family entertainment and shows. The Royal Hotel offers a full range of bedrooms from single to family-sized, and a fun games room which will keep kids and adults entertained.



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## Things to **explore**

**Chesil Beach:** One of the most famous beaches in all of England.

**The piers at Weymouth & Eastbourne:** Shows, events and a bracing sea breeze!

**Corfe Castle:** National Trust castle, village, and coastal walks.

**Seven Sisters Chalk Cliffs:** One of the very best sights in the whole South Downs National Park.

## Reasons to **stay**

**Jump** into the sea at Durdle Door.

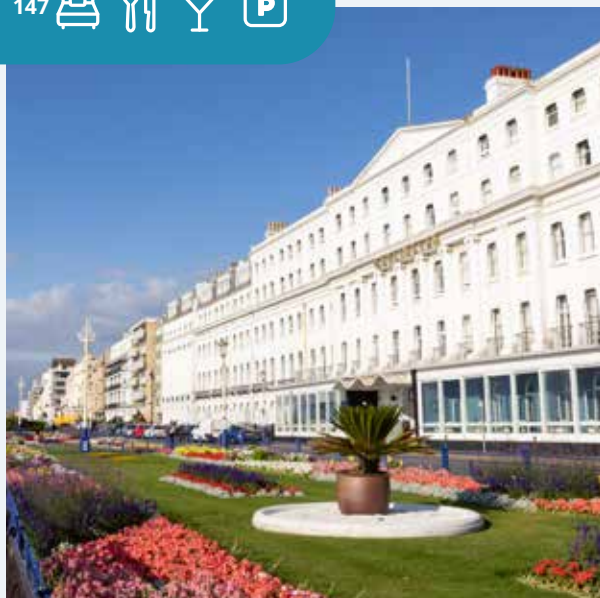
**Meet** the New Forest ponies.

**Treat** yourself to afternoon tea in a village teashop.

**Explore** miles of coastal walks.

**Browse** one of the many antique shops.

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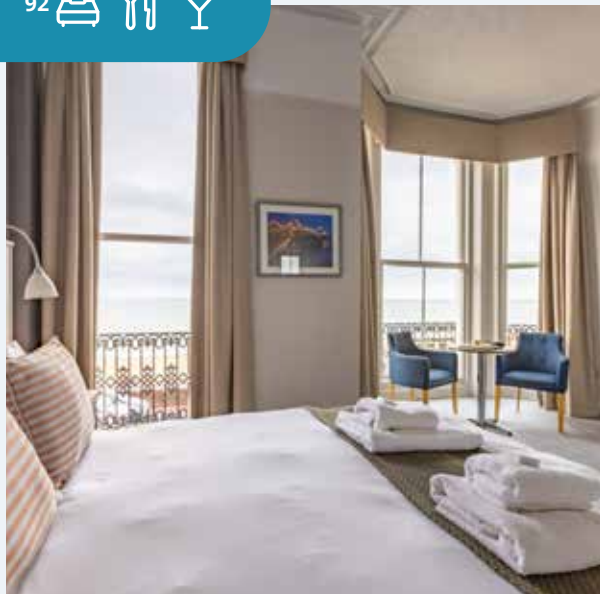


### EASTBOURNE

## 13 Burlington Hotel

The Burlington Hotel is a resplendent white, listed Victorian building, literally on the promenade. Walk out of our front door, take a seat and enjoy the sea air. With a restaurant, bar and lounge also overlooking the sea, you can relax and plan your day of walking, sightseeing, swimming and shopping while contemplating the loveliest of views. Eastbourne is a classic seaside town and offers a wide range of activities that are perfect for your **Explore & Stay** adventure. There's a full Blue Plaque Heritage Trail, a miniature steam railway adventure park, harbour, traditional pier, sandy beach, theatre, fortress, galleries and shops, while the South Downs National Park is nearby. For a real treat, why not book one of our rooms with a sea view!

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### EASTBOURNE

## 14 Majestic Hotel

The Majestic Hotel is a slightly more modern building, also set right on the front looking out over the sea. There is a sun terrace at the front of the hotel where you can order a drink and something to eat and enjoy the views of Eastbourne pier and the sea. And when you are ready to get busy, Sovereign Harbour, Paradise Park, Eastbourne Theatres and the famous Carpet Gardens are all within a short walk. All of our bedrooms have en suite bathrooms, flatscreen TV and free WiFi. After a full day of exploring the town, the coast and the countryside, you'll be ready to kick back and relax in your comfortable bedroom, or one of our lounge areas.



# A wizard way to while a week away

Our hotels in Wales are at opposite ends of the Principality in two famous seaside resorts – Tenby on the south coast of Wales and Llandudno on the north.

Wales is so rich in history, culture and landscape, but it also offers the kind of adventurous days out that keep the kids (large and small) entertained all day long. You could be hurtling through the air on the UK's longest and fastest zip-wire, or you may prefer the old-school charm of a steam railway journey through the mountain passes of Snowdonia – but you will never, ever be bored here.

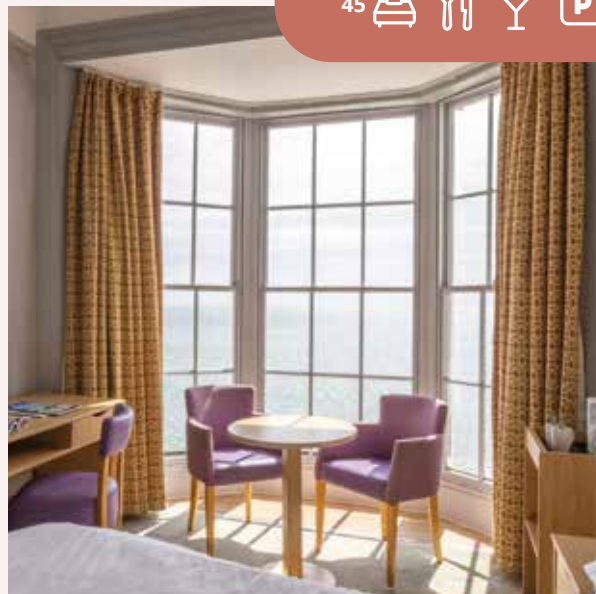


Tŷr Mawr Lighthouse, Anglesey

## TENBY

### 15 Imperial Hotel

The Imperial Hotel is built into the ancient stone walls of Tenby, overlooking the beautiful South Beach. This is a truly comfortable and charming place to unwind and relax. From the Terrace Restaurant and Ocean View bedrooms you can enjoy a stunning clifftop view of this seaside resort, famed for gorgeous beaches, pretty harbours and imposing cliffs. The town of Tenby is the very best of Pembrokeshire with cobbled streets, ancient stone walls, independent craft shops, boat trips and festivals. A trip to Caldey Island is a really special day out with its Monastery, Abbey Church, amazing beaches, picnic areas, thriving wildlife, and fascinating archaeological sites.



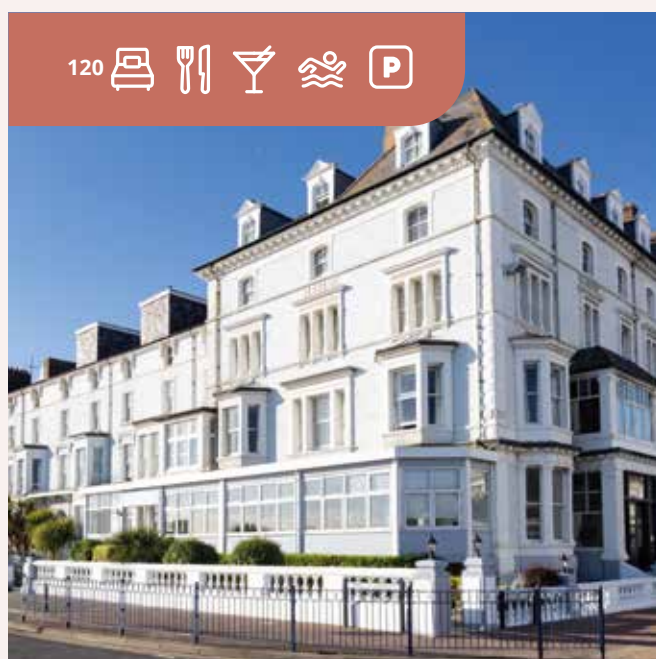
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There are two **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** properties in Llandudno, just half a mile apart in the heart of the Victorian seafront. Pack your swimming costume, your walking boots, a picnic basket and a bundle of energy, because wherever you turn in this part of North Wales there are fun things to try and new adventures to be experienced.

## LLANDUDNO

### 16 Marine Hotel

The County Hotel is a lovely Victorian hotel, offering superb views over the Great Orme. It's on Llandudno's promenade, close to the beach and pier, and has easy access to the natural beauty spots and activities of North Wales – from boat trips and beaches to coasteering and castles.

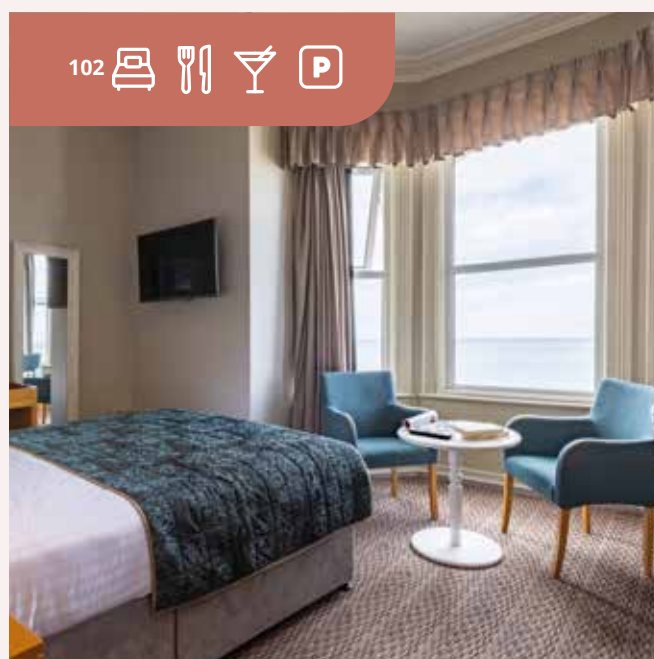


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## LLANDUDNO

### 17 County Hotel

The stunning seafront location of the Marine Hotel will greet you upon arrival. There is so much to see and do; catch the tram up the Great Orme for one of the best views in Wales, or the Ffestiniog Railway to see more of Snowdonia, relax on the beach and stroll along the pier.



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Caernarfon Castle



## Things to explore

**Castles:** Conwy, Harlech, Caernarfon, Pembroke, Gwrych, Powis – so many to choose from.

**Wales by rail:** the Ffestiniog Railway is the most famous, but there are others such as Bala Lake, Brecon Mountain and Llanberis.

**Portmeirion:** Uniquely beautiful resort built in the style of an Italian fishing village.



## The broadest of smiles

The Broads is perhaps Norfolk's most famous feature and this network of navigable rivers and lakes is truly magical.

The county also boasts 90 miles of unspoilt coastline and our two Norfolk hotels are placed at the start and the finishing points, from Great Yarmouth at one end to Hunstanton at the other. What a wonderful trip that would be – following the coast to take in little seaside towns such as Mundesley, Cromer, Cley and Wells. Enjoy the fabulous sandy beaches and several national parks and nature reserves such as Blakeney Point.



Hunstanton, Norfolk



### Things to **explore**

**Norwich Cathedral:** Consistently voted 'Norfolk's favourite building' – a sanctuary in the heart of the city.

**Norfolk Coast Path:** Follow it for its full length, or just for a mile or two.

**Oxburgh Hall:** Amazing moated mansion house and one of Norfolk's finest National Trust properties.

**Cromer Pier:** Enjoy the famous Cromer Crab salad and the most incredible views.

## Reasons to **stay**

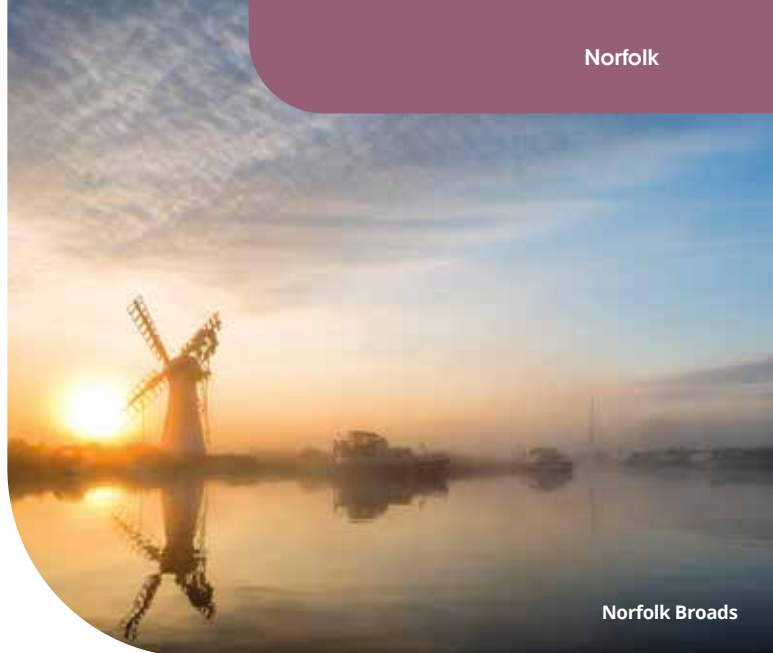
**Eat** Stewkey Blues (cockles), Cromer Crab or Brancaster Mussels.

**Watch** the seals all-year round (a boat trip from Morston is best).

**Have a thrill** on the Great Yarmouth roller coaster.

**Gaze** at the stars in North Norfolk.

**Shop** at a market. Diss, Harleston, Wymondham and Attleborough are some of the best.



Norfolk Broads

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### HUNSTANTON

## 18 Golden Lion Hotel

Imagine the joy of a warm day on Hunstanton's sandy beach or exploring the famous striped cliffs, followed by a drink and something to eat in the hotel's own on-site pub, the Lion Inn. There are so many ways to work up an appetite and a thirst in this gorgeous little corner of England. Why not book some sailing lessons, horse riding or plot a walking route along the Norfolk coastline? Sandringham Royal Estate is just 10 minutes away and Hunstanton Sea Life Sanctuary is another great day out. The Golden Lion has just 29 bedrooms, including twins, doubles and family rooms, so you'll always be cosy here. For an extra-special experience, treat yourself to a room with a sea view.

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### GREAT YARMOUTH

## 19 Carlton Hotel

Great Yarmouth is the classic English seaside town, with several piers, amusement parks and nightlife, and great beaches. The Carlton is right at the heart of things, metres from the Pleasure Beach, and with a regular programme of live entertainment in the holiday season. Bedrooms are spacious and comfortable with a full mix of standard, superior and family rooms. Make this your base for a short break or holiday and you can be sure there will be something for all ages, all within walking distance. If you want a slightly quieter day out, you'll find the beautiful Burgh Castle and the amazing Thrigby Hall Wildlife Gardens both within 20 minutes' drive.



# From bustling Blackpool to wonderful Windermere

The range of our hotels couldn't be better illustrated than by a glance at the difference between Liberty's – on the bustling Blackpool seafront, and the Windermere – a classical listed building in the Lake District, a national park of pretty villages, rolling hills and vast stretches of tranquil water. But of course, a 'holiday' means different things to different people. We like to think that there's a hotel within our collection for everyone, and every occasion.

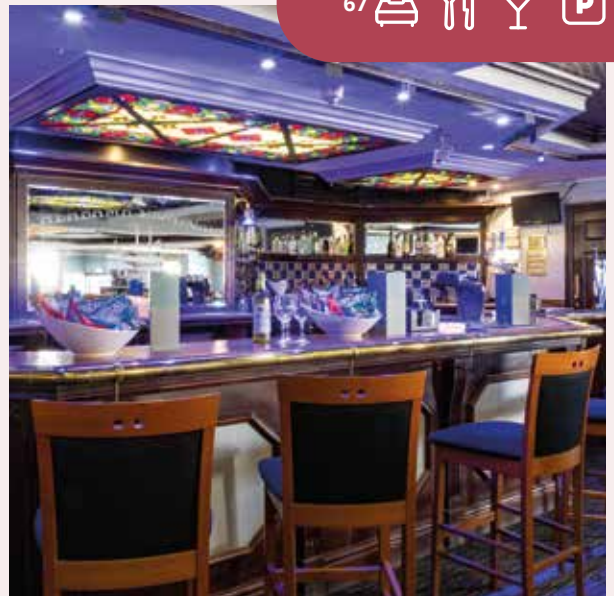
While the Lake District is a haven of tranquility, there is also so much to do. Whatever age you are, you will always return to your hotel feeling inspired and invigorated by this incredible natural environment and its range of cultural, sporting and leisure activities.



## BLACKPOOL

### 20 Liberty's Hotel

There are few places with such a wide range of entertainment and activities as Blackpool, and with a wonderful central location on Blackpool's North Promenade, Liberty's is the perfect base from which to explore the amusements, golden beaches, the iconic Tower, Winter Gardens and Ballroom. Swim with sharks at Sea Life, rub shoulders with the 'stars' at Madame Tussauds, get a taste of paradise at the sub-tropical Sandcastle Waterpark. After a busy day of sightseeing, walking, swimming, browsing, you'll find our comfortable bedrooms perfect to relax in, while you can refuel ready for another day's adventures in the restaurant, lounge or bar.



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## Things to **explore**

**Madame Tussauds, Blackpool:** Mingle with the celebrities.

**The Tern Project:** Set in Morecambe Bay these sculptures along the seafront and promenade make for a fascinating day.

**Views:** Some require a climb, others are at ground level, but wherever you go in the Lake District – there is ALWAYS a view.

## Reasons to **stay**

**Treat** yourself to an ice cream in Blackpool.

**Smile** when you see the statue of Eric Morecambe on Morecambe Bay.

**Try** the world-famous mint cake in Kendal.

**Cruise** out on the water on a lakeland steamer.

**Stargaze** at a Dark Sky Discovery Site such as Low Gillerthwaite.

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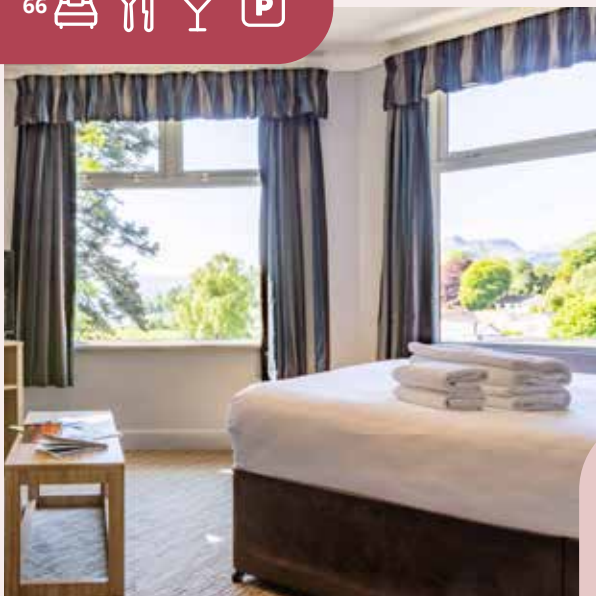


### WINDERMERE

## 21 Windermere Hotel

The grand, English Heritage-listed Windermere Hotel dates back to 1847 and is perfectly located on the edge of the village in an elevated position a few hundred metres back from the Lake. After a day of exploring, walking, boating or just browsing the shops, cafés and museums of local towns such as Bowness or Kendal, you can retire to the Orrest Head Lodge and Bar to enjoy the views, the tranquility and our unmatched service. This really is the perfect **Explore & Stay** destination – cosy, comfortable and welcoming when you just want to sit back and relax, but with an endless array of options for a day of rambling, boating, cycling, bird-watching and boating. Don't forget, well-behaved dogs are also very welcome at all Coast & Country Hotels.

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### KESWICK

## 22 Derwentwater Hotel

Keswick is one of the Lake District's most popular destinations. The beautiful natural scenery is almost endless. The breathtaking Derwentwater Lake offers everything from quiet boating to energetic water sports. The nearby peaks offer some of the most stunning vistas imaginable - make sure you bring hiking boots! The Hotel has 16 acres of grounds and gardens, as well as a restaurant, bar and conservatory.

If you prefer a slightly different style of holiday or short break, consider our adjoining **Derwent Manor Apartments** – 19 self-catering apartments set in their own grounds and with easy access to the hotel's bar and restaurant.

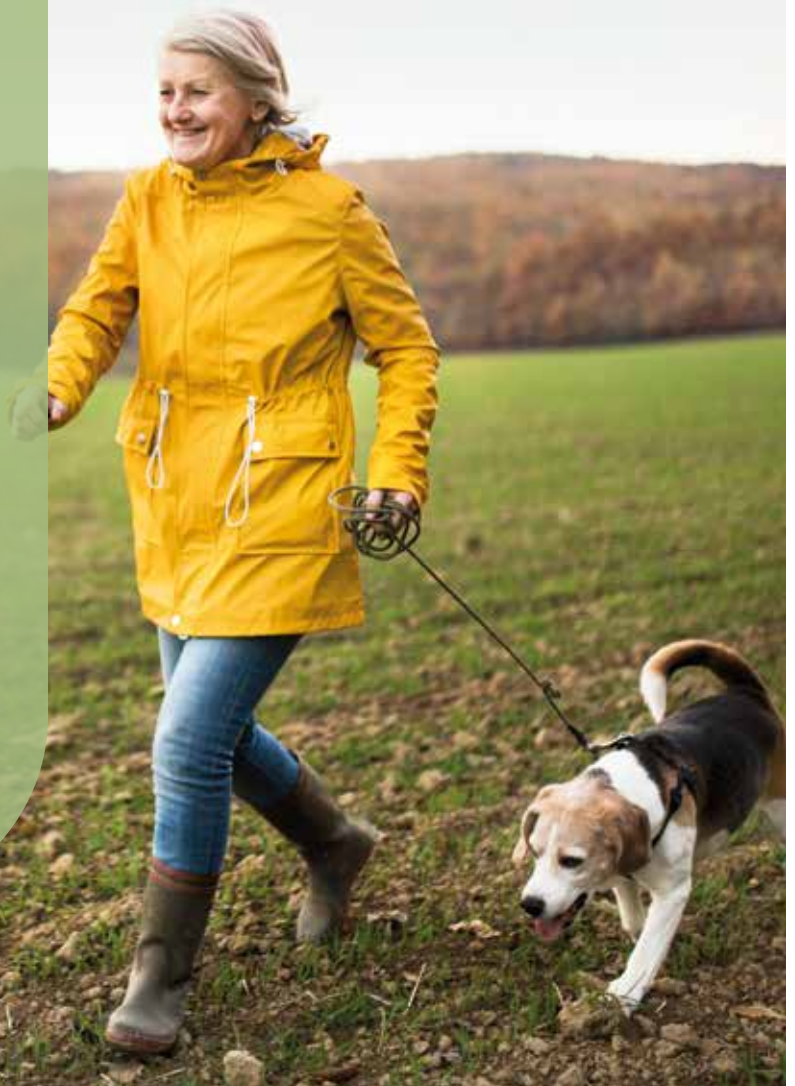


## From the Dales to Durham 'God's own country'

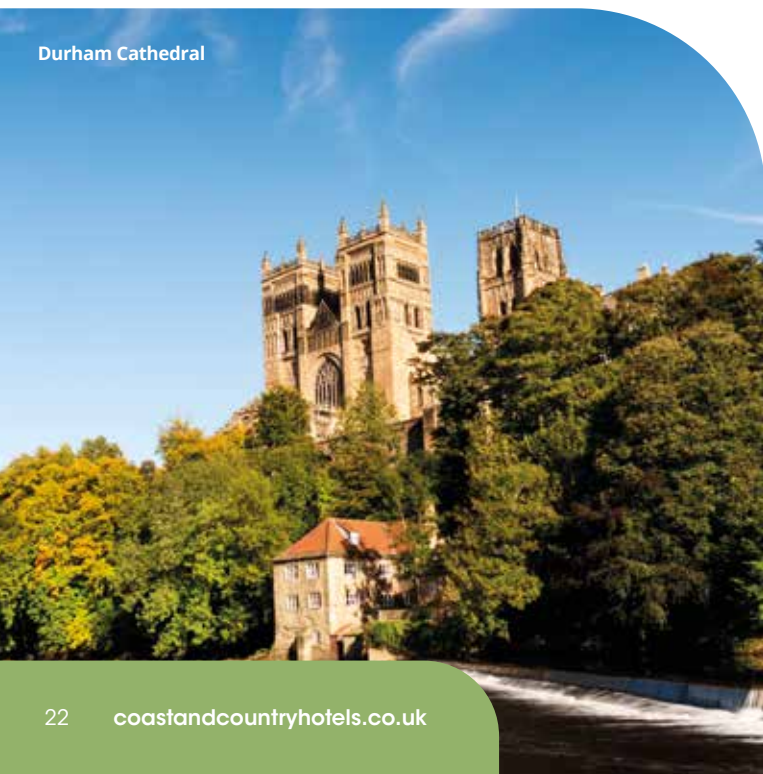
Our four properties in Yorkshire and Durham mean you can tour this part of England safe in the knowledge that you're never too far from a **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** property. There are three on the coast and one in the countryside.

And what a spectacular corner of England this is. No wonder people return here time and again – there are simply too many must-see, must-do, must-experience places, events and attractions to cover off in a single trip.

The Yorkshire Moors deserve a holiday of their own. And then, of course, you simply have to visit a seaside village or two. How about the stately homes, abbeys and castles? Or a world-class sporting event. It's settled then – you'll just have to come to the North-East soon, stay longer, and come back regularly!



Durham Cathedral



### Things to explore

**Fountains Abbey & Studley Royal Water Garden:** A World Heritage Site, deer park and orchard.

**Yorkshire Sculpture Park:** Incredible sculptures in the open air and a lovely café.

**Durham:** The 1,000 year old cathedral and the World Heritage castle are so inspiring.

**Stargazing:** Head to the Grassholme Observatory for an intergalactic experience!



There are two contrasting **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** properties in the North Yorkshire holiday resort of Scarborough. The New Southlands Hotel is set back from the seafront in a quiet residential street within a leisurely stroll of the harbour and Italian Gardens. The Norbreck is the only hotel in Scarborough which looks out over both the North and South Bays, enjoying a truly stunning panoramic sea view from its position on the headland and close to the ancient ruins of Scarborough Castle.

Whichever hotel is your preference, you know that you'll enjoy the warmest of welcomes, comfortable, spacious accommodation and the best of Yorkshire hospitality in the bars and restaurants. Both are perfectly placed to enjoy all the delights of Scarborough, or as stopping-off points on a tour of North East England.

#### SCARBOROUGH

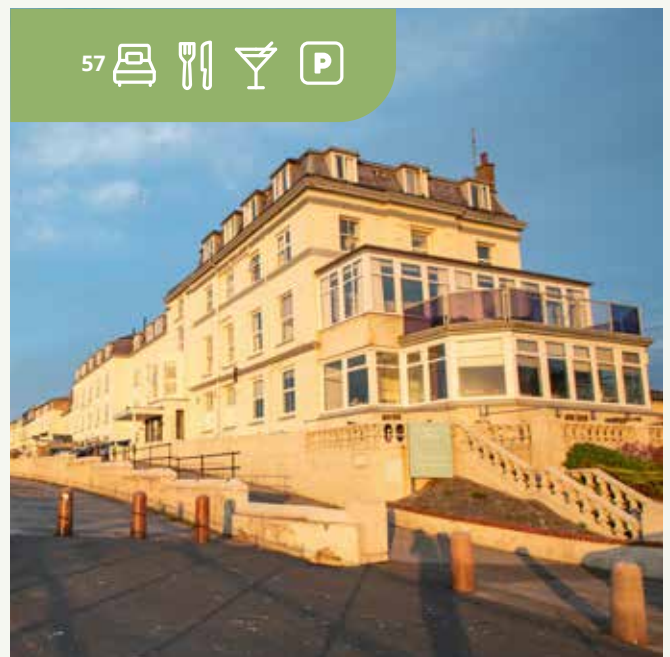
### 23 New Southlands Hotel



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#### SCARBOROUGH

### 24 Norbreck Hotel



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The Yorkshire Moors





Robin Hood's Bay

## Reasons to **stay**

**Try your luck** in the arcades at Scarborough.

**Potter** around the York Shambles - the inspiration for J.K. Rowling's 'Diagon Alley'.

**View** the incredible scenery of the North Yorkshire coastline at Robin Hood's Bay.

**Discover** the monastic ruins of Whitby Abbey on the East Cliff Headland.

**Explore** the Moors with thousands of acres of incredible scenery.

### WHITBY

## 25 Royal Hotel

The Royal Whitby is one of the jewels in the Coast & Country Hotel Collection crown. From a stunning clifftop location, our guests enjoy the most amazing views on all sides – of the beaches, harbour, old town, abbey ruins and headland. With cobbled streets, independent shops, a famous Captain Cook Memorial Museum, sandy Blue Flag beach and a full programme of events in the summer it's not surprising that Whitby is regularly voted one of Britain's favourite holiday resorts. It's also right on the edge of the North York Moors – a treasure-trove of spectacular walks and historic villages. Make the absolute most of your **Explore & Stay** trip to North Yorkshire by booking in to the Royal Hotel.

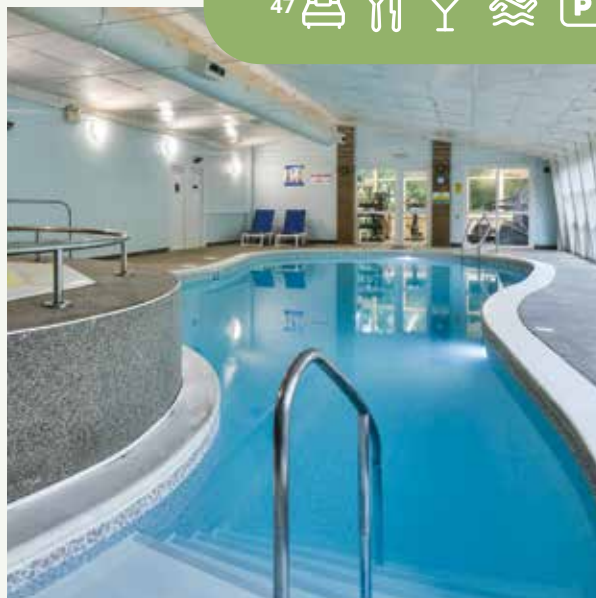


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### HEXHAM

## 26 George Hotel

The George is in a wonderful position on the pretty North Tyne River, near to the walking route for Hadrian's Wall and five minutes' walk to Chesters Roman Fort and Museum. Browse the shops, galleries, theatre and arts centre clustered round the medieval Abbey in nearby Hexham or explore Muckle Moss National Nature Reserve, the North Pennines, Kielder Water and the International Dark Skies Park. And, when you return, there's the luxury of our Jacuzzi, sauna, steam room and swimming pool to ensure you are fully relaxed and refreshed. Or why not take afternoon tea on the terrace overlooking our lovely gardens, where you'll even find a giant chess board!



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# Wonderful

FOR WALKERS

As you'd expect, given our name, the **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** is a great place to start if you're planning a ramble.

That could be a gentle stroll along the beachfront or it could be a serious hike along one of the UK's many designated coastal paths, hill walks and country trails. And it's always a great feeling after your walk to return to a comfy bedroom and a welcoming lounge bar where you can rest your weary feet. Happy rambling!



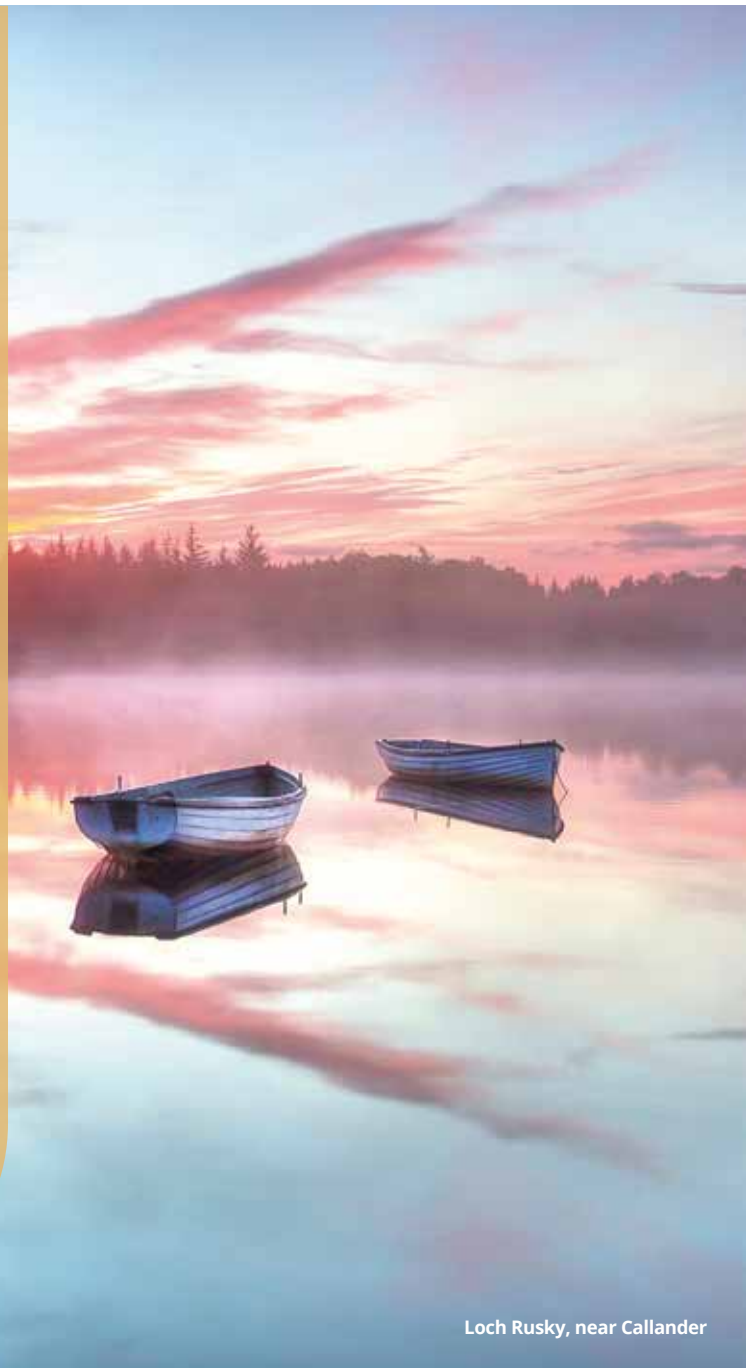


# O flower of Scotland

There are eight **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** properties across Scotland from north to south, east to west – by the sea and by lochs, in fishing villages and towns large and small, some modern, some classical old mansion houses. But the thing is with Scotland, it doesn't matter where you are – you are never more than a few miles from the most exhilarating landscapes – filled with the tallest mountains, the most magical of castles, the deepest lakes, not to mention the most elusive monsters.

Everyone knows about the whisky, the haggis and the salmon, but Scotland also has amazing regional delicacies to try as you tour this unique country.

With so much green space, so many hills, valleys and wide open sand dunes, it's no wonder that the Scots invented golf. You'll find Scottish golf clubs the most friendly and welcoming to visitors in the world. And the history just oozes from every landscape – from ancient monuments to the more recent landmarks and symbols of Scottish ingenuity such as the viaducts and the Forth Road Bridge.



Loch Rusky, near Callander



## Things to explore

**Edinburgh Castle & the Royal Mile:** Magnificent views of the city.

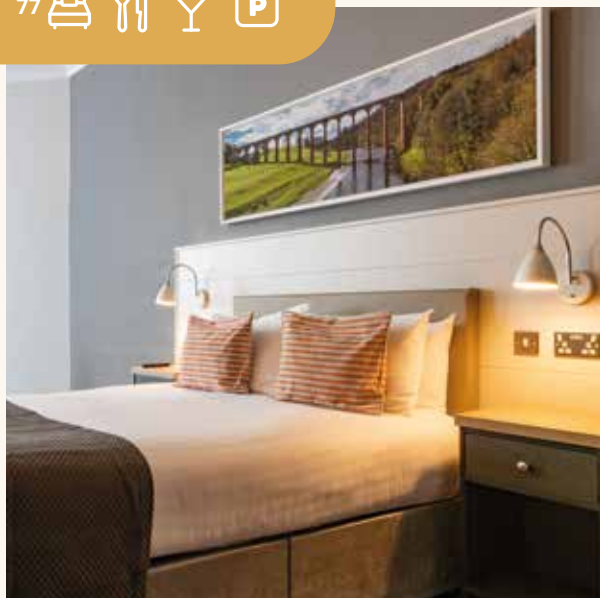
**Stirling Castle:** Superb Palace, Chapel, Kitchens and Gardens.

**The Jacobite Steam Train:** Made even more famous by Harry Potter, the West Highland Line crosses the spectacular Glenfinnan Viaduct.



Edinburgh

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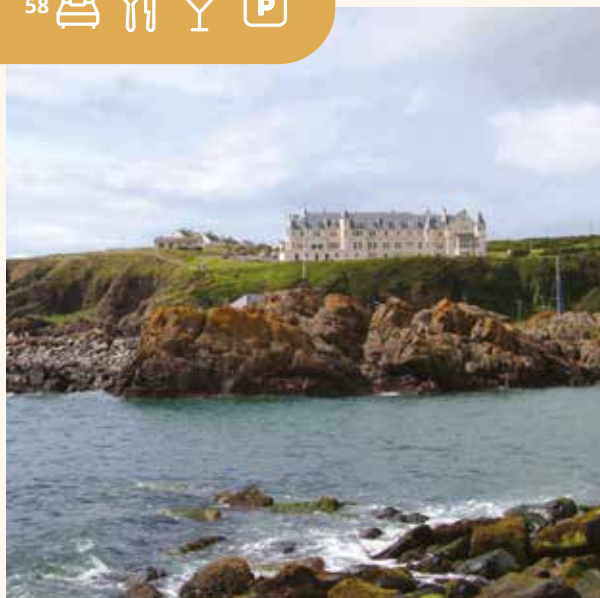


### MELROSE

## 27 Waverley Castle Hotel

The majestic Waverley Castle Hotel is set in five acres of parkland in the Scottish Borders and has wonderful views of the Eildon Hills and walks down to the River Tweed. This is a historic and fascinating area of Scotland, 20 miles south of Edinburgh and close to the border with England. The home of Sir Walter Scott – Abbotsford – is close by, as is the incredible 18th century Floors Castle and Gardens, and the 12th century St Mary's Abbey. The hotel itself is wonderfully comfortable with a full range of room sizes, many of which have stunning views across our five acres of parkland. Breakfast, lunch and dinner are served in the Eildon Restaurant, while there is a bar, lounge and games room if you have a spare moment!

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### PORTPATRICK

## 28 Portpatrick Hotel

From the hotel's clifftop location you can see Portpatrick, a charming fishing village on Galloway's rugged coast. The Portpatrick Hotel is a haven for sports lovers and outdoor types with golf clubs, bird-watching, walking and fishing spots near by. The 12th century Dunskey Castle is just two miles away, and Logan Botanic Garden, famous for its palms, tree ferns, eucalyptus grove and walled garden is 15 minutes' drive from the hotel. There is traditional Scottish cuisine in the hotel restaurant, and a cosy lounge where you can relax after a busy day exploring, rambling, golfing, or just enjoying the views and the serenity from our amazing, elevated position.

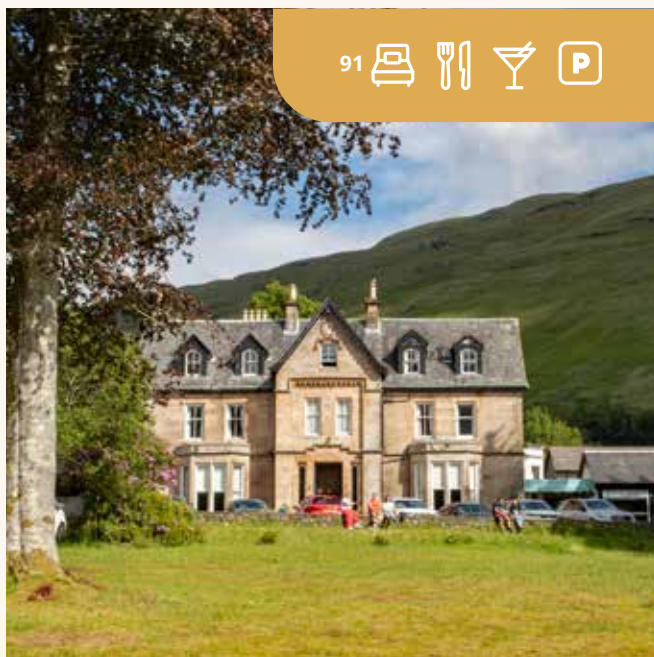


Arrochar, a popular meeting point for mountaineers, bird-watchers and walkers, is on the Argyll Coastal Route winding its way through some of Scotland's most breathtaking scenery. A short boat trip across Loch Lomond takes you to the wonderful Trossachs National Park with an array of walking trails.

## ARROCHAR

### 29 Claymore Hotel

The Claymore is a grand, classical Scottish manor house in the centre of Arrochar, with wood-panelled bar and lounge, two restaurants serving traditional Scottish cuisine, beautiful, peaceful gardens and a regular programme of live entertainment.



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## ARROCHAR

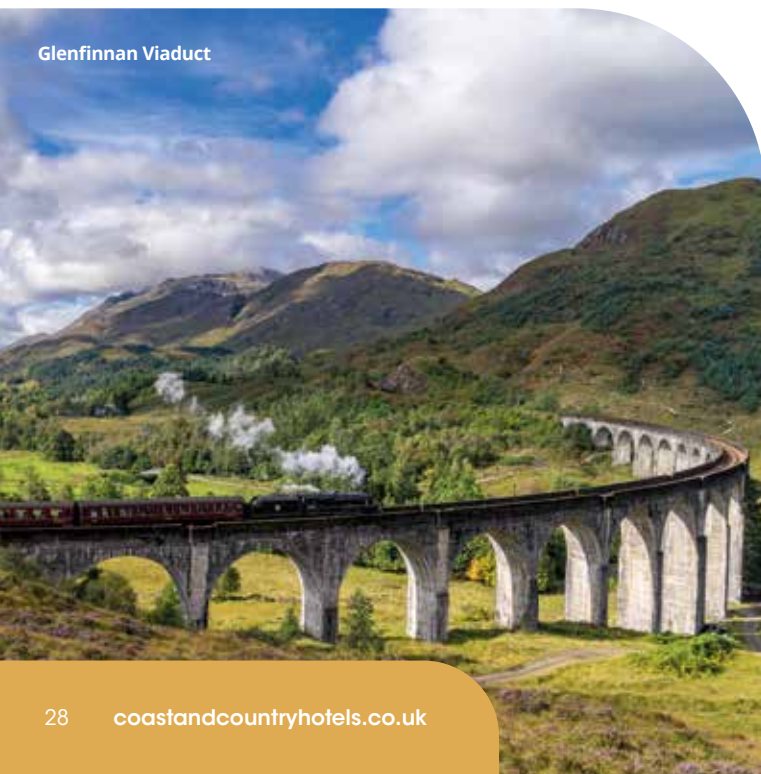
### 30 Tarbet Hotel

The Tarbet Hotel is an impressive, baronial building with a rich history going back four centuries, and now offers the perfect stopping point to enjoy a tour of Scotland's Highlands and Islands, with a programme of live entertainment including Scottish pipers.



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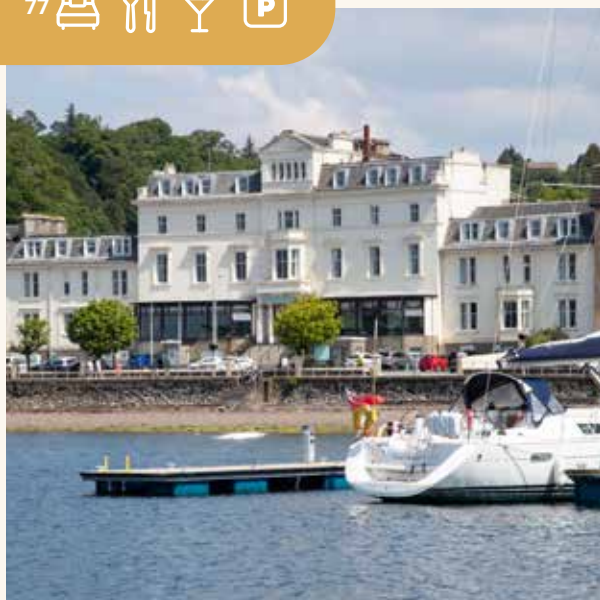
Glenfinnan Viaduct







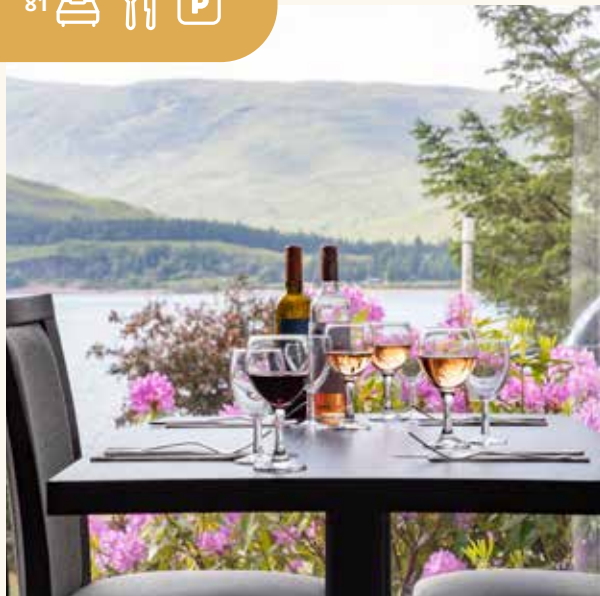
Aonach Eagach Ridge, Glen Coe

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OBAN

31 **Great Western Hotel**

The Great Western Hotel is in a lovely position on the Oban esplanade, looking out over the bay and surrounded by miles of dramatic shoreline, beaches and islands. This is a wonderful base for walking, bird-watching and touring holidays, with boats regularly leaving the harbour for islands such as Mull and Iona. There are castles, gardens, villages and forests to explore and amazing Scottish hospitality and cuisine to enjoy. You may also choose to spend some of your **Explore & Stay** time just relaxing in the hotel itself. There are fabulous views of the water from many of our bedrooms, from the bar and lounge, and the opportunity to sit and watch the world go by.

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FORT WILLIAM

32 **Caledonian Hotel**

With views of Loch Linnhe, the Caledonian Hotel is a perfect base for discovering the iconic Ben Nevis. Learn more about Bonnie Prince Charlie at the West Highland Museum or walk up to the Steall Falls, one of Scotland's highest waterfalls. After a day exploring the magical Scottish landscapes, you can settle into the comfortable lounge where there is a regular programme of entertainment including musicians and comedians with a Scottish Highland flavour. The Caledonian Hotel Restaurant serves traditional, local cuisine with a large picture window offering an amazing view of the Loch while you enjoy your meal.





## Reasons to **stay**

**Treat** yourself to haggis, salmon and Arbroath Smokies!

**Listen** to a Scottish bag-piper in Princes Street, Edinburgh.

**Tour** a distillery and discover more about the 'water of life' from Campbelltown to Speyside.

**Cruise** Loch Ness, the most famous of Scotland's 30,000 lochs.

### PITLOCHRY

## 33 Pitlochry Hydro Hotel

Built in the style of a traditional Scottish hunting lodge, the Pitlochry Hydro Hotel is a 10-minute walk from the scenic town centre on the River Tummel. After a day of taking in the picturesque Perthshire Highlands you can relax in our Hydro centre – an indoor pool, sauna, Jacuzzi and fitness room and then repair to the bar or to The Faskally Restaurant where both traditional and modern cuisine is served. There is so much wonderful outdoor sport to enjoy in this part of Scotland – golf, of course, plus cycling, fishing, water-sports and extreme sports. But you may also simply decide to put your feet up in an armchair and enjoy the view from our lovely gardens.



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### STRATHPEFFER

## 34 Highland Hotel

Nestled in a peaceful glen just to the north of the Cairngorns National Park, the Highland Hotel has its own attractive gardens and retains many of the building's original features such as beautiful, beamed ceilings, wood panelling and a grand staircase. You can relax in the comfortable lounge and bar or enjoy the regular live entertainment during the main holiday season. The Victorian spa village of Strathpeffer is right on our doorstep, and towering over everything is Ben Wyvis – the quintessential Scottish backdrop, leading the way to yet more exciting opportunities for rambling, bird-watching and sight-seeing amongst the most dramatic landscapes imaginable.



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# GET AWAY FOR Christmas

Visiting your family this Christmas and looking for somewhere comfortable to stay? Or maybe you've just decided that you want to get away from home for a few days and let someone else do the cooking and the housework.

The **Coast & Country Hotel Collection** is the perfect answer. Our hotels are simple and unpretentious – a warm welcome, a comfortable bedroom and a lovely location. You get to enjoy Christmas to the full. We take the strain!



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