



Tiverton Canal Horse Drawn Barge



Marlow

## Trains and Canals

### All our Yesterdays

Experience journeys that will take you back in time to memories of yesteryear. Indulge your senses and relax as you travel on a rare Horse-Drawn Barge through the beautiful Devon countryside. In contrast relive your childhood as you travel along one of Britain's best and longest Heritage Railways. The West Somerset Railway is a nostalgic ride back in time where you can witness the industrial heritage the line preserves.



### ITINERARY

- Day 1** Depart South Wales travelling to Tiverton via Cheddar and Wells.
- Day 2** A morning visit to Exeter before we return to Tiverton at 2.00pm to enjoy a 2 1/2 hour return journey on a rare horse drawn barge, now one of only six in Britain. This historic waterway is now a nature reserve, rich in flora and home to many otters, kingfishers, coots, ducks and swans.
- Day 3** We depart after breakfast and travel to Bishops Lydeard to board the West Somerset Railway where you can relive your childhood, or simply sit back and relax as you travel along one of Britain's best and longest Heritage Railways to Minehead. We have arranged a lunch in Minehead before we depart for the return journey to South Wales.



West Somerset Railway

### OUR PRICE INCLUDES

- ✓ Executive coach travel
  - ✓ Limited pick up points
  - ✓ Dinner, bed and full English breakfast
  - ✓ Journey on the Tiverton Canal Horse Drawn Barge
  - ✓ Journey on the West Somerset Railway
  - ✓ Lunch in Minehead
  - ✓ Excursions as described in the itinerary
- Entry fees not included unless otherwise stated



### Best Western Tiverton Hotel ★★★ EEE

Outskirts • En-suite bedroom • Hairdryer • Satellite television • Tea, coffee-making facilities • Trouser press • Restaurant • Bar • No lift • One floor and thirty five ground floor rooms.  
www.bw-tivertonhotel.co.uk

### Departure Dates

Friday	11th May	3 Days	£199
Friday	29th June	3 Days	£199
Friday	3rd Aug	3 Days	£199
Friday	28th Sept	3 Days	£199

Single room supplement £35

## Thames Valley *Half Price Bar*

Throughout history people have tended to live on or near great rivers. This is true of the River Thames and as it flows into the west of the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead it matures and widens on its route to London.

### ITINERARY

- Day 1** Depart South Wales in the morning travelling to Maidenhead for an afternoon river cruise. During the cruise we pass the glorious riverside houses of the many celebrities that live in this area. We continue to the hotel with time to relax before dinner.
- Day 2** Marlow and Henley. We visit the picturesque riverside town of Marlow. The town became a popular riverside resort and new houses reflected this in their Georgian, Victorian and Edwardian exteriors. The afternoon is spent in the historic market town of Henley on Thames, as beautiful and intimately connected as its name suggests with the River Thames, being sited on one of the most majestic stretches of the river with the beech clad hills of The Chilterns acting as a worthy backdrop.
- Day 3** After a leisurely breakfast we travel to Windsor, offering everything from royal history to horse racing. Eton is next door, with its air of tradition, beauty and tranquility. There is excellent shopping and dining, interesting walks and tours, boat trips, open top bus tours and historic gardens.
- Day 4** Depart after breakfast travelling to Oxford where we spend a few hours before completing the journey home travelling via Burford and Gloucester.

### OUR PRICE INCLUDES

- ✓ Executive coach travel
  - ✓ Dinner, bed and full English breakfast
  - ✓ \*Half price bar throughout
  - ✓ Excursions as described in the itinerary
  - ✓ Portage
  - ✓ Maidenhead afternoon tea cruise
- Entry fees not included unless otherwise stated



St Annes Manor

\*Applies to house beers, lagers, spirits, wines and soft drinks

### Hilton St Annes Manor Bracknell ★★★★★ EEE

Situated in 25 acres of grounds • Outskirts • En-suite bedrooms • Television • Hairdryer • Tea, coffee-making facilities • Iron, Ironing board • Telephone • Restaurant • Bar • Conservatory • Indoor pool • Sauna • Jacuzzi • Treatment rooms. www.hilton.co.uk/stannesmanor

### Departure Dates

Monday	2nd April	4 Days	£229
Monday	28th May	4 Days	£229
Friday	13th July	4 Days	£229
Monday	10th Sept	4 Days	£229
Monday	22nd Oct	4 Days	£229

No single room supplement.