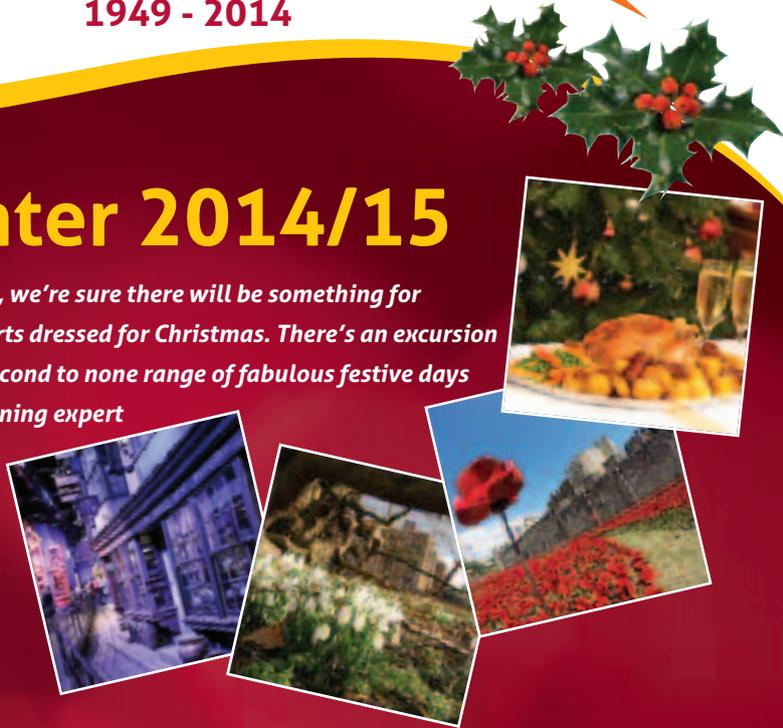




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Day Excursions Winter 2014/15

From Christmas markets to stately homes dressed for Christmas, we're sure there will be something for everyone. Don't miss our festive Harry Potter tour to see Hogwarts dressed for Christmas. There's an excursion to view 'Poppies in the Moat' at the Tower of London. We've a second to none range of fabulous festive days away from traditional markets to special events, plus our gardening expert Sarah Hopps will also be hosting a couple of excursions in this brochure - the Christmas magic at Arley Hall and Doddington Hall Snowdrops - catching the first signs of Spring! We've also our great range of Supersaver days out. Great local destinations all at one bargain price of £9.99 each! Why not let one of our excursions brighten up those winter days!



AT A GLANCE DIARY GREAT DAYS OUT - November 2014 - February 2015

November

Sat 8	Imperial War Museum London	■ ■
Sat 8	Poppies in the Moat - Tower of London	■ ■
Sun 9	Blackpool Illuminations	■ ■
Fri 14	Supersaver Helmsley	■ ■
Sat 15	Trafford Centre	■ ■
Sat 15	Salford Quays/Lowry /Imperial War Museum	■ ■
Sat 15	Ideal Homes Show Christmas, EventCity	■ ■
Mon 17	Supersaver Skipton	■ ■
Thurs 20	Newcastle/Metrocentre	■ ■
Fri 21	Supersaver Wakefield	■ ■
Fri 21	Supersaver Hepworth Gallery	■ ■
Sat 22	Meadowhall	■ ■
Sat 22	Sheffield Christmas Market	■ ■
Sat 22	Burton Agnes Hall	■ ■
Tues 25	Flamborough Christmas Lunch	■ ■
Wed 26	Lion Inn Blakey Ridge	■ ■
Thurs 27	Chatsworth	■ ■
Sat 29	Good Food Show @ The NEC	■ ■
Sat 29	Motorcycle Live @ The NEC	■ ■
Sat 29	Grassington Dickensian Festival	■ ■
Sun 30	Hogwarts Christmas Special	■ ■
Sun 30	Newcastle/Metrocentre	■ ■
Sun 30	Tatton Park Nutcracker Mansion	■ ■

December

Tues 2	Fox & Hounds Christmas Lunch	■ ■
Tues 2	Chatsworth	■ ■
Wed 3	Lion Inn Blakey Ridge	■ ■
Wed 3	Countdown	■ ■
Wed 3	Trafford Centre	■ ■
Thurs 4	Chester Christmas Market or Cheshire Oaks	■ ■
Fri 5	Alfie Boe	■ ■
Fri 5	Lincoln Christmas Market	■ ■
Sat 6	Lincoln Christmas Market	■ ■
Sun 7	Durham Christmas Festival	■ ■
Sun 7	Beamish Christmas & Durham	■ ■
Mon 8	Lion Inn Blakey Ridge	■ ■
Tues 9	Fox & Hounds Xmas Lunch	■ ■
Wed 10	Arley Hall with Sarah Hopps	■ ■
Wed 10	Manchester Christmas Markets	■ ■
Fri 12	Boundary Mills Rotherham Christmas Luncheon	■ ■
Fri 12	Meadowhall	■ ■
Sat 13	Andre Rieu	■ ■
Sat 13	Newcastle/Metrocentre	■ ■
Sun 14	Beverley Festival of Christmas	■ ■
Mon 15	Haddon Hall & Bakewell	■ ■
Wed 17	Castle Howard	■ ■
Fri 26	Boxing Day Luncheon	■ ■

January

Wed 21	Supersaver Northallerton	■ ■
Fri 30	Boundary Mills & Skipton	■ ■

February

Mon 2	Supersaver Pickering	■ ■
Tues 3	Supersaver Ikea Leeds	■ ■
Tues 10	Supersaver Doncaster Market	■ ■
Wed 11	Lion King in Manchester	■ ■
Fri 13	Supersaver Stephen Smiths & Otley	■ ■
Mon 16	BBC Media City Tour	■ ■
Mon 16	Trafford Centre	■ ■
Mon 16	Salford Quays	■ ■
Tues 17	Hodsock Snowdrops & Lincoln	■ ■
Wed 18	Fred Dibnah Heritage/ Oswaldtwistle Mills	■ ■
Thurs 19	Doddington Hall & Snowdrops with Sarah Hopps	■ ■
Fri 20	Rhubarb Discovery Day	■ ■
Sat 21	Chester or Chester Zoo	■ ■
Tues 24	Supersaver Meadowhall	■ ■
Wed 25	Supersaver Barnard Castle Town	■ ■
Wed 25	Supersaver Bowes Museum	■ ■

■ from our York area pickup route
■ from our Harrogate area pickup route

(See back page for departure points)

Alfie Boe

Alfie Boe formerly known as 'The Nation's Favourite Tenor' has announced details of his latest UK arena tour and we have secured tickets for his performance at The Leeds Arena
Friday 5th December **£79.95 (inc. ticket)**



André Rieu

Violin master and 3 times Classic Brit Award winner, returns with your chance to see him at the Leeds First Direct arena
Saturday 13th December **£99.95 (inc. ticket)**



Arley Hall Festive Flowers with Sarah Hopps

Experience the magic as this Cheshire stately home is transformed unlike another in the run up to Christmas. The Hall is an impressive example of a Victorian country house built in the Elizabethan style. With a flower theme, the home takes on a true festive feel. Escorted by Sarah Hopps, enjoy this festive day out complete with a visit to the popular Blakemere Craft Centre with an included afternoon tea.
Wednesday 10th December **£44.50 (inc. entry & high tea)**



Beamish Christmas & Durham

Experience Christmas as it used to be. See the Pit Village as it prepares for Christmas. Enjoy Edwardian Christmas festivities, traditional entertainment and much more as you travel 'back in time' to a bygone era along with The Town which takes on a very festive feel. Rounded off with an afternoon visit to explore Durham which is hosting its Christmas festival weekend.
Sunday 7th December **£32.50 (inc. entry)**



Beverley Festival of Christmas

It is arguably the largest Festival of its kind in Yorkshire which includes a Christmas Market with over 100 festive stalls, a fairground, various musical groups and individuals performing a varied programme of music and dance, Victorian street entertainers and last but by no means least – Santa! There's Beverley's superb range of quality shops to explore, or continue for a visit to Hornsea Freeport, the east coast's very own factory outlet centre.
Sunday 14th December **£17.00**



Blackpool Illuminations

Free time in Blackpool, perhaps take time to visit the all new Madame Tussauds prior to a journey through the magical illuminations. Look out for all the new additions for 2014 including Alice in Wonderland!
Sunday 9th November **£27.00**



BBC Media City - Salford

Go behind the scenes at BBC Media City, home of Match of the Day, Blue Peter, BBC Breakfast, Dragons Den and more. Gain a fascinating insight in to how it all works plus the chance to take part in your own production in the interactive studios. With free time also to explore Salford Quays.
Monday 16th February **£35.50 (inc. entry)**



Boundary Mills at Rotherham Christmas Luncheon

Boundary Mill's latest addition to their family of stores, complete with an included 3-course Christmas lunch to enjoy after exploring the store. Later continuing for an afternoon visit to Meadowhall,
Friday 12th December **£29.95 (inc. meal)**



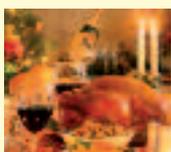
Boundary Mills Colne & Skipton

Our first visit of the year, Skipton on Market day followed by Boundary Mills Flagship store at Colne.
Friday 30th January **£18.50**



Boxing Day Drive & Luncheon

After the rush of Christmas, why not enjoy a relaxing day out with us complete with 3-course Festive Carvery lunch with choices at the popular Fox and Hounds in Cleveland. With complimentary refreshments and a gift for all!
Friday 26th December **£42.50 (inc. meal)**



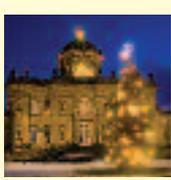
Burton Agnes Hall at Christmas

Famed for their stunning, original decorations and huge tree which dominates the great hall, the original Elizabethan and Jacobean quarters will be decorated traditionally plus visit the courtyard home and garden shop and enjoy seasonal refreshments. Included also a visit to the popular Langlands Garden Centre for their Christmas shop.
Saturday 22nd November **£28.50**



Castle Howard at Christmas

Traditional baubles, trees, wreaths and flickering candles transform the stately home in to a magical place. Enjoy roaring log fires and admire trees decorated with thousands of baubles and lights in every room. Enjoy quality shopping too in the Stable Courtyard with Christmas presents galore in the gift shop.
Wednesday 17th December **£28.50 (inc. entry)**



Chatsworth at Christmas

Stunningly decorated each festive season following a different theme. 2014 is Alice's Wonderland. A true Christmas atmosphere with roaring fires and decorations.
Thursday 27th November
Tuesday 2nd December **£38.50 (inc. entry)**



Chester Christmas Markets or Cheshire Oaks

The city hosts over 70 bespoke timber chalets bursting with local and regional products or head to Cheshire Oaks – the largest Designer Outlet in the UK with over 145 brands.
Thursday 4th December **£26.50**



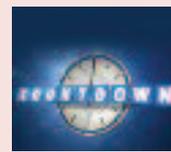
Chester City or Chester Zoo

Whatever time of year, Chester Zoo is a great destination for all! See all the latest arrivals or take time to explore Chester.
Saturday 21st February **£26.50 (Chester)
£43.00 (inc. Zoo entry)**



Countdown

This is your chance to be in the audience and witness the recording of the show in which two contestants engage in a battle of wits, competing against the clock in games of lexical dexterity and numerical agility at its new home at Salford Quays.
Wednesday 3rd December **£24.00**



Doddington Hall Snowdrops Winter Warmer - With Sarah Hopps

A true Lincolnshire treasure just waiting to be discovered. An example of a fine late Elizabethan Mansion, it is still a lived-in and much loved family home, alive with over 400 years of history and interest. Enjoy a stroll to admire their famous snowdrop display, included hall tour plus a warming lunch of Kitchen Garden vegetable soup with home made bread roll with tea/coffee is included.
Thursday 19th February **£47.50 (inc. entry and lunch)**



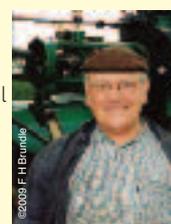
Durham Christmas Festival

A wide range of entertainment and all things Christmas in and around the Cathedral and Castle. Always a popular event!
Sunday 7th December **£18.00**



Fred Dibnah Heritage Centre

A morning visit to the famous Oswaldtwistle Mills, prior to stepping into the world of the famous steeplejack engineer with a visit to his fully restored home and work yard. Capture the essence of industrial Victorian Britain with his collection of steam-powered machinery and reminisce whilst enjoying included refreshments. Visit the quaint gift shop for some unusual gift ideas.
Wednesday 18th February **£36.50 (inc. entry & refreshments)**



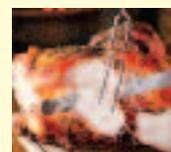
Flamborough Christmas Lunch

A lovely scenic drive across the Wolds to the east coast where a fabulous Christmas Lunch awaits you at the highly recommended North Star Hotel at Flamborough. With a wide choice of main courses, plus a dessert from their famous selection!
Tuesday 25th November **£29.95 (inc. meal)**



Fox & Hounds Carvery Lunch

A 3-course carvery meal with choices at this popular venue near Guisborough. Enjoy a scenic ride out complete with meal, in good company – a great start to the festive season.
Tuesday 2nd December
Tuesday 9th December **£28.95 (inc. meal)**



Good Food Show Winter @ The NEC

A must for every foodie out there! Enjoy fabulous live entertainment, shopping, indulgent eating & drinking and fun! Loads of ideas ready to inspire you for the festive season!
Saturday 29th November **£47.50 (inc. entry)**



Grassington Dickensian Festival

Festival takes over Grassington, street entertainment, Victorian stalls, games, crafts, fun for all the family and all the quaint shops to explore for that special gift.
Saturday 29th November **£16.50**



Haddon Hall & Bakewell

Set in the heart of the Peak District in the valley of the River Wye, a perfect example of Medieval and Tudor architecture, with parts of its 12th century origin still visible today. Enjoy Christmas at Haddon which will be dressed in a traditional manner. With free time also to enjoy Bakewell – home of many quality independent retailers. (Fare only available to Bakewell)
Monday 15th December **£34.50 (inc. entry)**



Hodsock Snowdrops & Lincoln

One of the most famous snowdrop displays to explore and enjoy the first glimpses of Spring before an afternoon visit to the Cathedral city of Lincoln.
Tuesday 17th February **£27.95 (inc. entry)**



Hogwarts Christmas Special – Harry Potter

Experience this special place as it prepares for Christmas! The most magical seasonal makeover of the year will take place at the Studio Tour, see the actual decorations and food props used in the most successful film series of all time. See how Christmas feasts were created and Hogwarts Castle model will also be given a festive snow makeover!
Sunday 30th November **£79.95 (inc. entry)**



Ideal Home Show at Christmas

From festive furnishings to New Year home improvements, sumptuous gifts, finest foods and Christmas tipples! Held at the EventCity adjacent to the Trafford Centre, over 300 exhibitors across 7 sections with everything from technology and gadgets to festive inspiration The latest 'must visit' show!
Saturday 15th November **£32.50 (inc. entry)**



Imperial War Museum, London

Experience the multi-million pound transformation that has taken place at the museum. The WW1 galleries feature collections from artillery guns, weapons and uniforms to letters, photographs and film. See the world's largest collection of Victoria Crosses and learn more about the work of Britain's Special Forces.
Saturday 8th November **£45.00**



Lincoln Christmas Market

One of the UK's longest established markets. Christmas gifts galore complete with all this Cathedral city has to offer.
Friday 5th December
Saturday 6th December **£25.00**



Lion Inn Christmas Lunch

Travelling on to the picturesque North Yorkshire Moors, enjoy a 3-course lunch with choices at the historic Lion Inn. A favourite of many Eddie Brown clients.
Wednesday 26th November
Wednesday 3rd December
Monday 8th December **£25.95 (inc. meal)**



Lion King in Manchester

Your chance to see this award-winning musical when it returns to Manchester. A spectacular visual feast, this adaptation of Disney's classic film transports audiences to a dazzling world of stunning effects and enchanting music. Early booking is essential to confirm our allocation!
Wednesday 11th February **£82.50 (inc. circle/stall ticket evening performance)**



Manchester Christmas Markets

One of the largest with over 300 traders in festive chalets placed over 8 city centre sites offering everything from yuletide gifts to international food and entertainment. Experience the magic of Manchester Christmas Markets, not forgetting the city itself often referred to as the best shopping opportunities outside London.
Wednesday 10th December **£18.50**



Newcastle

Popular city centre shopping or take in the latest exhibitions at the Baltic Art Centre.
Thursday 20th November (Continental Christmas Market)
Sunday 30th November
Saturday 13th December **£18.50**



Meadowhall

Shop the latest high street and designer fashions and let the 280 stores inspire your gift ideas.
Saturday 22nd November
Friday 12th December **£16.50**



Metrocentre Gateshead

Enjoy the famous decorations as you shop in Europe's largest shopping centre. Over 330 shops to discover!
Thursday 20th November
Sunday 30th November
Saturday 13th December **£18.50**



Motorcycle Live at the NEC

Showcasing all that's new in the world of motorbikes, this major exhibition is a must for all motorcycle fans. From the very latest bikes to all the latest accessories, plus examples of classic models, adventure, scooter, moped and electric bikes.
Saturday 29th November **£48.50 (inc. entry)**



Poppies in the Moat – Tower of London

A major artistic installation entitled 'Blood Swept Lands and Seas of Red' sees the Tower of London's famous dry moat filled with over 800,000 ceramic poppies to create a powerful visual commemoration for the First World War Centenary. The scale of the installation intends to reflect the magnitude of such an important centenary.
Saturday 8th November **£45.00**



Rhubarb Discovery Day

Experience the phenomenon of Rhubarb growing! We take a behind the scenes tour at Oldroyd's Rhubarb Triangle Experience and find out more about this plant. Visit the forcing sheds, learn about the history of one of the country's largest producers of rhubarb. Later we continue in to Wakefield visiting the annual Rhubarb festival.
Friday 20th February **£32.50 (inc. entry and refreshments)**



Salford Quays

Visit the latest exhibition's at the Lowry or Imperial War Museum North, or Salford quays very own outlet – The Lowry Outlet Mall awaits you.
Saturday 15th November
Monday 16th February **£18.50**



Sheffield Christmas Markets

Explore this South Yorkshire City, great shopping opportunities or visit the annual Christmas Market.
Saturday 22nd November **£16.50**



Supersaver Days Out

All one price of £9.99, approx. 2 ½ to 3 hours at your destination. (no admissions included) The very best in local destinations, have a ride out, have lunch with friends or enjoy a spot of retail therapy – the choice is yours!

- Friday 14th November **Helmsley**
- Monday 17th November **Skipton**
- Friday 21st November **Wakefield**
- Friday 21st November **The Hepworth Gallery**
- Wednesday 21st January **Northallerton**
- Monday 2nd February **Pickering**
- Tuesday 3rd February **Ikea in Leeds**
- Tuesday 10th February **Doncaster**
- Friday 13th February **Otley & Stephen Smiths**
- Tuesday 24th February **Meadowhall**
- Wednesday 25th February **Bowes Museum**
- Wednesday 25th February **Barnard Castle**



Tatton Park Nutcracker Mansion

18th century Cheshire manor house, this year's theme is The Nutcracker. In addition to the decorations and displays, visitors will be entertained with a changing live music programme including a harpist, string quartet, harpsichordist and choirs. Christmas is not only evident in the grand staterooms, the bustling servants' quarters will also be getting into the festive spirit.
Sunday 30th November **£37.50 (inc. entry)**



Trafford Centre

Three miles of 'all under one roof' shopping with names including Selfridges and Hamleys, over 60 places to eat and an unrivalled collection of leisure attractions.
Saturday 15th November
Wednesday 3rd December
Monday 16th February **£18.50**



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In The Future...Now on Sale!

NEW! **Mrs Browns Boys**
The Award Winning Mrs Brown's Boys will be returning to the live arena in 2015 with their new show 'How Now Mrs Brown Cow'. Mrs Brown's Boys success has been nothing short of incredible. Your chance to see this hit show in Manchester
Saturday 11th April 2015 £69.95 (inc. matinee ticket)



NEW! **Grand National 2015 Aintree**
Enjoy one of the largest and most atmospheric enclosures on a racecourse with greatly improved facilities for racegoers of all ages. Sample the best of Aintree's unique atmosphere during your visit to one of the most prestigious races.
Saturday 11th April 2015 £75.00 (inc. Tattersalls entry)



NEW! **Doctor Who Symphonic Spectacular**
Featuring over 100 performers, the show features a host of the Doctor's famous adversaries including the iconic Daleks and Cybermen, the spine-chilling Silence and many more fan favourites. The live monsters provide a dramatic contrast to the evocative and thrilling music written by Murray Gold, who has been responsible for composing music for the series over the last eight years, including the record-breaking (and BAFTA award-winning) 50th anniversary episode Doctor Who: The Day of the Doctor. A must for all Doctor Who fans!
Wednesday 27th May 2015 £72.50 (inc. ticket)



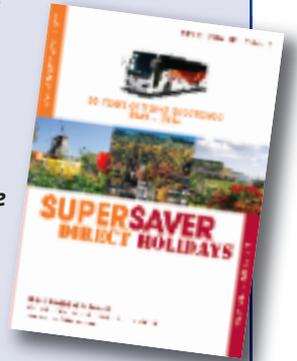
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Making enquiries and booking your excursion

- Call our Thorp Arch Travel Centre on 01423 321246. We can accept payments by cash/cheque/postal order/Debit Card (2.5% charge with credit cards). All travel tickets will either be posted or emailed.
 - Call in and see us at Thorp Arch – We are open Mon-Fri 08:30-17:00 and Saturday 09:00-15:00.
 - Many excursions (excluding supersaver & concerts) can be booked via our network of booking agents. Please enquire for details.
- All excursions are subject to published booking conditions available on request

Our new look Supersaver Direct Holidays brochure has some fantastic value breaks to choose from. From seaside favourites and festive specials to scenic touring around the UK and southern Ireland, we hope you will be spoilt for choice! There's over 30 departures to choose from plus some fantastic early booking special offers! Request your brochure today by calling 01423 321246 or via www.eddiebrowntours.com



October 2014

(Full details of these excursions are in our Summer 2014 leaflet. Call our Travel Centre on 01423 321246 and we'll post you a copy)

Wed 1st	Manchester	£18.50
Thurs 2nd	Ness Botanic Gardens with Sarah Hopps	£55.00
Fri 3rd	Boundary Mills & Skipton	£18.50
Sat 4th	Burghley Flower Festival	£40.00
Sat 4th	Autumn Mystery	£25.00
Sun 5th	Lincolnshire Coast & Country	£28.00
Sun 5th	Judith Mary Canal Cruise & Luncheon	£49.95
Tue 7th	Carlisle via Appleby	£26.95
Sat 11th	Metrocentre	£17.50
Sat 11th	Beverly & Bridlington	£17.00
Sun 12th	Northumberland Coast	£29.95
Wed 15th	Northallerton	£8.95
Sat 18th	Cotswolds Autumn Shades	£33.95
Sat 18th	Blackpool Illuminations	£27.00
Sun 19th	Lake District	£26.95
Tues 21st	Lion Inn Lunch	£29.95
Wed 22nd	Settle/Carlisle Railway	£44.95
Thurs 23rd	Eden Camp	£23.00
Sat 25th	Lincoln/Lincoln Sausage Day	£25.00
Sun 26th	Event City Antiques Fair	£18.00
Sun 26th	Trafford Centre	£18.00
Sun 26th	Salford Quays	£18.00
Mon 27th	Bowes Museum	£25.50
Tues 28th	Blackpool Illuminations	£27.00
Thurs 30th	Bolton & Ena Mill	£18.50
Fri 31st	Whitby via Helmsley	£16.50
Fri 31st	Ilkley & Haworth	£16.00

Pick up points are available from our two pick up areas:-

YORK AREA (ROUTE 1) Helperby • Easingwold • Tollerton • Shipton • Skelton • Wigginton • Haxby • New Earswick • Huntington Road • Rowntrees Theatre • Clarence Street • Heworth Village • Melrosegate • Kent Street • Blossom Street • Acomb • Tadcaster

HARROGATE AREA (ROUTE 2) Boroughbridge • Ripon Coach Park • Ripon Esso • Ripley • Killinghall • New Park • Ripon Road (Hampsthwaite Road End) • Harrogate Montpellier Coach Stand • Kings Road (Betfred) • Devonshire Place • Knarborough Road (Morrisons Local) • Starbeck (Methodist Church) • Knarborough (York Place Coach Park) • Spofforth • Wetherby • *Additional pickups at Helperby on selected Southbound and Thirsk Millgate Coach Park are available on selected northbound departures.*

We have many local points for your convenience. On the date listings, where you see the blue square ■ this excursion departs from the Harrogate area pickup route. Where you see the orange square ■ this excursion departs from our York area pickup route. (Please note on selected departures not all pickup points will be available (including Supersaver) due to operational and logistical factors). Departure times will be confirmed on your travel ticket or contact our Travel Centre. Please note in some cases feeder vehicles may be used to bring you to the main coach. Senior reductions are available on selected excursions where admissions are included and child prices are available on all excursions.

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