

Port of Hull

Visit Lincolnshire & Nottinghamshire

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Port Details

PORT - Hull

The Port of Hull is the UK's leading timber port and handles over one million passengers a year. It is perfectly positioned to access the East Midland Region and many main cities are only a few hours drive away.

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Maximum berth length (LOA): 210 metres



Lincoln Cathedral

Local Guides

Mayflower Pilgrim Tours

Sue Allan is a well-known historical novelist and Mayflower Pilgrim historian who delights in promoting the story of the Pilgrim Fathers and guiding modern day 'pilgrims' around the Mayflower Trail.
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www.mayflowermaid.com

Robin Hood Tours

Ezekial Bone specialises in educational entertainment and character-led heritage tours of Sherwood Forest & Nottingham City Centre.
+44 (0)7941 210986
contact@ezekialbone.com

Pilgrims & Prophets

Christian heritage tours
+44 (0)7470 366689
pilgrimsandprophets.co.uk

Brackenbury's Britain

Specialises in cultural and walking tours
+44 (0)330 660 0389
richard@brackenburysbritain.co.uk

Coach Companies

Sharpes of Nottingham

Sharpes of Nottingham is a family run business and prides itself as being one of the premier executive coach operators serving the East Midlands.
+44 (0)115 989 4466
www.sharpesofnottingham.com

PC Coaches

For groups we have vast experience in the coach travel business.
+44 (0)1522 533605
www.pccoaches.co.uk

An Introduction to Lincolnshire & Nottinghamshire

From the port of Hull, your visitors can explore the nearby counties of Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire.

Lincolnshire is the home of aviation heritage. A stunning county with rolling hills, the historic city of Lincoln with its castle and cathedral coastline. Within easy reach of the port of Hull.

If ever there was a place that has a story to tell, Nottinghamshire is it. There are the legendary tales of Robin Hood – the folklore hero who roamed the ancient oaks of Sherwood Forest. The place where history books were written – the English Civil War began and ended here and the Mayflower Pilgrims started their journey to Provincetown in 1620. In the heart of England, with the thriving city of Nottingham to the south of the county and the grand Ducal estates in the north, you'll be enthralled by the heritage of this great county.



Newstead Abbey, Nottinghamshire

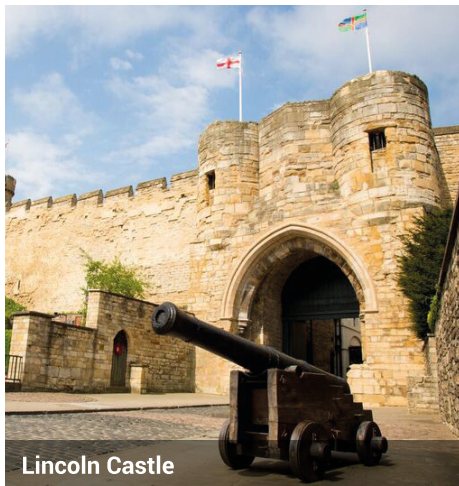
Lincolnshire

Lincoln Castle

(1 hour approx.)

Discover a world of rich history at Lincoln Castle, dating back to 1068 and home to one of only four surviving copies of 1215 Magna Carta.

Built by William the Conqueror in 1068 on a site occupied since Roman times, Lincoln Castle has dominated the Lincoln skyline for almost one thousand years. Inside the Castle walls is also a Victorian prison giving an insight into crime and punishment in the Lincoln of the past.



Lincoln Castle

Doddington Hall and Gardens

(1 hour approx.)

Doddington Hall is a privately owned fine late Elizabethan Mansion with stunning gardens, located just outside Lincoln.

Begun in 1595 by Robert Smythson, one of England's foremost Elizabethan Architects, Doddington Hall was completed in 1600 and has never been sold or cleared out since.



Battle of Britain Memorial Flight

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(1 hour approx.)

Experience Lincolnshire's aviation heritage at close quarters with a guided tour of the RAF's heritage aircraft hangar.

Lincoln Cathedral

(1 hour approx.)

One of Europe's finest Gothic buildings, once the tallest in the world, with stunning views from the roof and tower and intricate design inside.

Once described by Victorian writer John Ruskin as "out and out the most precious piece of architecture in the British Isles and roughly speaking worth any two other cathedral we have", Lincoln Cathedral is not to be missed.



Lincoln Cathedral

Things to do

Lincoln Castle, Lincoln

Built almost 1000 years ago by William the Conqueror, it has been voted the UK's most popular castle and has witnessed some of the most dramatic events in English History.



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www.lincolncastle.com

groups-lincolncastle@lincolnshire.gov.uk

Doddington Hall and Gardens, Lincoln

Doddington Hall is a privately owned fine late Elizabethan Mansion with stunning gardens, farm shop, café and retail units.



+44 (0)1522 812513

www.doddingtonhall.com

info@doddingtonhall.com

Battle of Britain Memorial Flight

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+44 (0)1522 782040

www.raf.mod.uk/bbmf

bbmf@lincolnshire.gov.uk

International Bomber Command Centre

A Memorial Spire, walls, and centre that mark the service and sacrifice of over 57,000 men who lost their lives defending the country during WWII. Visit the Chadwick Visitor Centre to hear stories about the young men who helped win the war.



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Lincoln Cathedral

One of Europe's finest Gothic buildings, it was once the tallest in the world with stunning views from the roof and tower and intricate design inside.



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visitors@lincolncathedral.com

Creswell Crags, Nottinghamshire

Creswell Crags is a limestone gorge honeycombed with caves and smaller fissures.



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www.creswell-crags.org.uk

Clumber Park, Nottinghamshire

Listed Grade 1 on the Register of Historic Parks and Gardens.



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www.nationaltrust.org.uk/clumber-park

Things to do

Sherwood Forest, Nottinghamshire

Legendary home of Robin Hood and an awe inspiring nature reserve of ancient oak trees.



+44 (0)1295 253330

www.visitsherwood.co.uk

Nottingham Castle Cave Tour

The complex network of caves hidden beneath Nottingham's streets have had a firm influence on the fabric of the city's history.



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nottingham.castle@nottinghamcity.gov.uk

www.nottinghamcastle.org.uk

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Lunch and Evening Meals

Petwood Hotel's Squadron Bar, Woodhall Spa

Bursting with character and history.



+44 (0)1526 352411
www.petwood.co.uk

Uncle Henrys Farm Shop, Lincolnshire

A farm to fork experience on a family farm with a passion for local, great tasting produce



+44 (0)1652 640308
www.unclehenrys.co.uk

The Green Room, Lincoln

The Green Room Restaurant at The Lincoln Hotel offers dining in a sophisticated setting.



enquiries@thelincolnhotel.com
www.thelincolnhotel.com/restaurants

The Lincoln Grille, Lincoln

Contemporary and relaxed, The Lincoln Grille is within the White Hart Hotel.



+44 (0)1522 563293
www.whitehart-lincoln.co.uk/restaurant-and-bar

Forest Pines Dining, Lincs

Conveniently located and ideal for groups.



+44 (0)1652 650770
www.qhotels.co.uk

Washingborough Hall Hotel, Lincoln

Stunning hotel with an award-winning restaurant.



+44 (0)1522 790 340
www.washingboroughhall.com

Fox and Hounds

An up to date version of the traditional English country pub



+44 (0)1623 792 383
www.foxblidworth.co.uk

Forest Lodge Pub, Nottinghamshire

Enjoy local produce, cooked to perfection by a talented kitchen team.



+44 (0)1623 824 443
www.forestlodgehotel.co.uk

George's Great British Kitchen, Nottinghamshire

Delicious menu made with locally sourced food.



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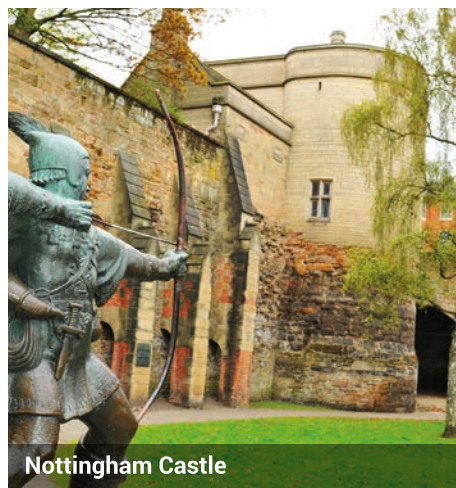
Nottinghamshire

Sherwood Forest

(2-3 hour approx.)

Once part of a royal hunting forest, Sherwood Forest National Nature Reserve covers 450 acres and incorporates some truly ancient areas of native woodland where slender birch trees grow alongside more than one thousand veteran oaks, most of which are over 500 years old.

The largest and most famous of these is the Major Oak - linked throughout the world to Sherwoods legendary hero Robin Hood.

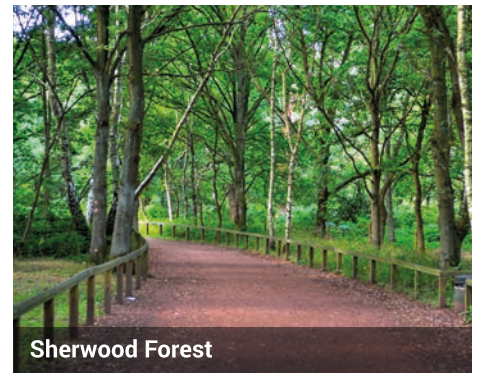


Nottingham Castle

Nottingham Castle Cave Tour

(2-3 hours approx.)

The complex network of caves hidden beneath Nottingham's streets have had a firm influence on the fabric of the city's history. Naturally, some of the most dramatic and well preserved tales were based around the castle quarter, and this fascinating tour lets you in on all the secrets whilst exploring behind the scenes areas of Nottingham Castle. Take a tour to experience the caves for yourself, learning on the way the gruesome tales of Roger Mortimer, King David II of Scotland or you may be able to take a tour with Robin Hood himself...



Sherwood Forest

Clumber Park

(2 hours approx.)

This wide expanse of parkland, farmland and woods covers over 3800-acres (1500 hectares) and was once the seat of the Dukes of Newcastle.

There are over 120 different types of tree at this wonderful National Trust property, offering year-round colour and including the memorable avenue of limes, 2 miles (3km) long, which forms the main approach.

Although the mansion was demolished in 1938, many original Clumber Park estate features survive, including the Victorian chapel, a Gothic Revival 'mini-cathedral', stable yard and garages and ornate entrance lodges. Particularly fascinating are the superb 19th-century glasshouses, which incorporate a palm house, vineries and working apiary, and overlook the walled kitchen garden. An avenue of cedars leads to the pleasure grounds.



Clumber Park

Lunch and Evening Meals

The Curious Tavern, Nottinghamshire

The Curious Tavern, is situated in Nottingham's oldest hotel, constructed in 1822, and formerly known as "The George".



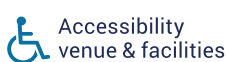
+44 (0)115 988 1252
www.thecurioustavern.co.uk

The Harley Cafe, Nottinghamshire

The Harley Café is run by Welbeck Farm Shop, focusing on local fine foods and the very best ingredients.



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cafe@harleygallery.co.uk



Food and Drink Experiences

Axholme Brewery Tours

Brewery located by Clearwater Lake in Crowle.



+44 (0)1724 781804

www.axholmebrewing.co.uk

Launay's Restaurant, Nottinghamshire

A seasonal menu fusing traditional English and French cuisine.



+44 (0)1623 822266

www.launaysrestaurant.co.uk

Healing Manor

Beautiful manor house for lunch and afternoon teas.



+44 (0)1472 884544

www.healingmanorhotel.co.uk

Stokes Coffee Barista Experience

Training and Coffee Courses for budding baristas and coffee enthusiasts.



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Mayflower Speakers

Please contacts directly to confirm topics, availability and rates.

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Sue Allan: Historian and novelist

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Steering our future,
inspired by the past.



Wollaton Hall, Nottinghamshire



Map Key

- Location of attractions
- Food & drink establishments
- Approx distance from port (miles)

For more information

For more information about things to do, places to eat and events, go to:

www.visitlincoln.com
www.visit-nottinghamshire.co.uk
www.visitdoncaster.com
www.discovernel.co.uk

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