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- Please be at your selected pick-up point & return point at least 5 mins prior to your given time, so the coach can depart at the scheduled time.
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- Customer cancellations are non-refundable.
- We will endeavour to operate all excursions with Executive coaches fitted with a toilet, but can only guarantee it on the excursions marked "Executive Coach". Toilet stops are scheduled into most of our excursions.
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January

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Sat 10th	Bury Market	£21.00	£19.00	F (CH) S (L)
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Sat 31st	Skipton & Blackburn (NEW)	£25.00	£23.00	D
Discover Skipton and explore the incredible charm of this historic Dales market town. The famous market adds a whole new level of amazing shopping opportunities to the beautiful, cobbled streets. Traders set up their stalls along either side of the spacious High Street with a range of produce, clothing and crafts. Be sure to explore the many side streets to see all that the town has to offer. Enjoying pride of place at the top of the High Street is the iconic castle. Then onto Blackburn , The Mall has all your high street stores under one roof, and the bright contemporary Blackburn Market offers everything you'd expect from a traditional market & more! Look out for the specialist independent shops. Blackburn Museum & Art Gallery houses a rich and fascinating collection covering fine art, decorative art, Egyptology, coins, manuscripts, natural history, social history and South Asia. With over 1000 Japanese prints, 5000 examples of coins and money, 500 books and manuscripts and the largest icon collection outside London, you certainly won't be short of things to see. (Return 17:00)				

February

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Sat 07th	York "Ice Trail"	£28.00	£26.00	C
York's city centre will be transformed into An Enchanted City, where a mysterious spell has taken hold. Wander through the historic streets and discover dazzling ice sculptures inspired by magic, mystery, and the weird and wonderful. Each corner reveals something new - from curious creatures to mythical marvels - in a trail bursting with enchantment. But beware who cast the spell, and why? Follow the trail with the whole family to uncover the truth, before the magic melts away. New for 2026! Step into the Ice Village - a brand-new addition filled with family-friendly fun and themed traders offering magical delights. Just around the corner, warm up with delicious street food at Shambles Food Court. (Return 16:45)				
Sat 14th	Bury Market	£21.00	£19.00	F (CH) S (L)
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Sun 15th	Birmingham International Tattoo	£55.00	£53.00	F (CH) S (L)
A parade like no other, the Birmingham International Tattoo is Britain's biggest indoor tattoo (a type of military tournament) featuring military and other marching bands, pipes & drums, field gun racing, dog racing, standard bearers, dance teams and much more, including a spectacular Grand Finale with over 1,000 performers. (Return 17:30)				

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Sun 15th	Manchester “Chinese New Year Dragon Parade”	£18.00	£16.00	E
<p>Join us to celebrate the Chinese Year of the Horse at Manchester's spectacular Dragon Parade. The showstopping highlight of Manchester's Chinese New Year celebrations see Chinatown and the city centre erupt with colour, music, performance and the legendary Dragon Parade. Gather from 12 noon to follow the dazzling 175-foot Dragon as it makes its dramatic way to Chinatown. Celebrations continue in Chinatown itself with wonderful street food, Chinese lion dances, martial arts, music, acrobatics and more dancing. (Return 16:45)</p>				
Mon 16th	Cheshire Choice	£21.00	£19.00	E
<p>The choice is yours. You can either visit Cheshire Oaks Designer Outlet where you can indulge in 145 luxury and high street brands, Chester with its bewitching beauty and unique atmosphere, Chester Zoo, the UK's leading Zoo, home to 500 species or Blue Planet Aquarium with over 50 exhibits where you can get close to sharks and loads more. (Return 16:30 - 17:00) Note: Any admission charges are not included.</p>				
Tue 17th	Chorley Market	£20.00	£18.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>On Tuesdays, stalls line the streets of Chorley town centre and together with the covered Market, over 100 stalls sell everything from fresh fruit and vegetables to cosmetics and clothes. Lining the streets of Fazakerley Street, Chapel Street, New Market Street, Cleveland Street and the bottom half of High Street. Chorley's covered Market thrives with local produce including food, drink, materials, fashion and much more. If you fancy taking a break from the shopping then don't worry, you can do just that in the covered Market as there are plenty of places you can grab some great food and drink. (Return 15:45)</p>				
Wed 18th	Ludlow & Shrewsbury	£22.00	£20.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>Ludlow has a well deserved reputation for quality food and drink and you will find a selection of small family owned businesses that sell quality products. Then onto Shrewsbury which is full of higgledy piggledy streets and a river that scoops the town, its all a mix of the very old with the very quirky. (Return 17:00)</p>				
Thu 19th	Oswaldtwistle Mill & Ribble Valley Tour	£22.00	£20.00	D
<p>We travel to multi award-winning Oswaldtwistle Mills which has something to amaze, charm and intrigue visitors of all ages. The former Weaving Mill has over 100 retailers all under one roof, 4 Restaurants, Garden, Fashion, Giftware, Food Court and much more. In the afternoon you will enjoy a guided tour of the beautiful Ribble Valley. You will visit Ribchester, one of Roman Britain's largest ports and forts, Longridge, in the fells of Bowland, and Chipping, the stunning medieval gateway to one of Queen Elizabeth II's residential homes. Enjoy a 360° panoramic view of the valley on Jeffrey Hill before you will descend passing Stonyhurst, the breathtaking Tudor Hall of the Shireburns and now a leading Jesuit College. Famous former residents include Arthur Conan Doyle and JRR Tolkien. You will continue through Great Mitton where we see the 1000 year old Mitton before our final destination of England's largest village, Whalley. You will arrive back and have free time at Oswaldtwistle. (Return 17:00) Note: Guided Tour of The Ribble Valley is included in the price.</p>				
Fri 20th	Dudley Zoo	£19.00	£17.00	E
<p>Get closer to the world's rarest animals. The Zoo is home to more than 1300 animals and nearly 200 species, including some of the rarest creatures in the world. (Return 16:30) Note: Admission to Dudley Zoo is not Included.</p>				
Fri 20th	Black Country Museum	£19.00	£17.00	E
<p>Discover a fascinating and different world where an old-fashioned village has been created by the canal. Wander around original shops and houses, ride on a tramcar or fairground swing boat, chat by the coal-fired kitchen ranges, go down the mine or just soak up the atmosphere. (Return 16:30) Note: Admission to Black Country Museum is not included</p>				

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Sat 21st	Wakefield "Rhubarb Festival"	£25.00	£23.00	Q (U)
<p>Are you after a trip that is different? The famous Wakefield Rhubarb Festival celebrations are back, and we are giving you the chance to join in the celebrations, therefore you Rhubarb lovers rejoice. Wakefield's most famous vegetable, join in as they paint the city 'Pink'. This exciting fun packed festival features over 50 chalets of food, jams, pickles, cheese, baked goods, finest gins, Rhubarb flavour of- course, where you can sample and purchase local and regional delights. There's also lively street entertainment and music, traditional Morris Dancers as well as a wide variety of workshops. Also cookery demo's for you to enjoy including surprise celebrity chefs from Great British Bake Off & Masterchef. Plus, street food vendors, the Rhu-Bar, restaurants, cafes, The Rhubarb food & drink trail, with many more venues all over Wakefield of course showcasing their best rhubarb themed tasty treats. There's arts and crafts, gardening, growing, foraging, the rhubarb trail, family fun activities and so much more. The Rhubarb Festival centres around the historic gem of Wakefield Cathedral, The Precinct & the Bull Ring in Wakefield. This is a day excursion with a difference, there's also Wakefield Museum well worth a visit, if you wish to take a break from rhubarb. (Return 16:45)</p>				
Sat 21st	Penkridge Market & Lichfield	£16.00	£14.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>Penkridge Market is your traditional local market which hosts up to 100 stalls selling 100's of products. Then onto Lichfield, a vibrant and historic city. Its streets lined with museums, independent shops and mouth watering restaurants. (Return 16:00)</p>				
Sun 22nd	Llandudno via Betws-y-Coed	£25.00	£23.00	D
<p>We travel to Betws-y-coed where you will spend an hour with time to eat locally sourced and award winning food and drink or browse the independent shops. Then onto Llandudno, and in a nutshell everyone enjoys Llandudno. (Return 16:45)</p>				
Sat 28th	Bury Market	£21.00	£19.00	F (CH) S (L)
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Sat 07th	Lincoln	£25.00	£23.00	P (U)
<p>Brimming with history and heritage, Lincoln is one of England's finest cities. From the tip of the Cathedral to the depths of the Roman waterways, Lincoln is a destination that everyone can enjoy with great shopping and a wealth of places to eat and drink. As Lincoln is a compact city, you can easily explore on foot. Have a coffee in the stylish Cornhill Quarter before hitting the shops on the High Street. After some retail therapy, you can take a relaxing stroll along the Brayford Waterfront, home to the award-winning University of Lincoln. Tackle the famous Steep Hill and you will discover an array of independent shops, eye-catching buildings and photo-worthy moments. Follow the cobbles and you'll find Lincoln Cathedral, the Medieval Bishop's Palace and Lincoln Castle. (Return 17:00)</p>				
Sun 08th	Blackpool	£25.00	£23.00	E
<p>Still one of Britain's most loved destinations (Return 17:15)</p>				

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Sat 14th	Barnsley Market & Lakeside Village Outlet	£24.00	£22.00	Q (U)
<p>Brimming with fruit, vegetables and fresh produce, Barnsley Market is at the beating heart of the town centre. Alongside traditional greengrocers, butchers, fishmongers, delicatessens selling fresh olives and sweet pastries, you will also find florists, quality clothing and footwear and essential services such as cobblers and technology specialists. Then onto Lakeside Village Shopping Outlet with over 45 famous named stores you will find everything you need at amazingly low prices. Lakeside Village has a great selection of restaurants and food outlets to re-charge or unwind after a full day shopping. (Return 16:45)</p>				
Sun 15th	Mother's Day Special with Cream Tea	£55.00	£53.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>A really special day, you will enjoy all forms of transport from Coach to Train to Boat. We take you to Corwen where you will board the train for a 45 minute train journey to Llangollen, renowned for the surrounding hills and the River Dee. You will have free time to enjoy Llangollen which has something for every visitor. This small town also has a wealth of independent shops to browse and interesting places to visit. Take a stroll along the Victoria Promenade or watch the river tumble down beneath the bridge. We will then take you to Shrewsbury where you will board the Sabrina Boat. Relax on a 45-minute cruise, take in stunning views along the River Severn, and capture memorable photos on the outward journey. On the return leg, enjoy an engaging live commentary from the knowledgeable captains. Whilst onboard you will be treated to a Cream Tea.(Return 17:00) Note: Train journey, Boat cruise & cream tea are all included in this excursion.</p>				
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Sat 21st	Tetbury & Cirencester	£25.00	£23.00	D
<p>A visit to Tetbury, a Cotswold town of great architectural interest. It remains substantially the same as it was in the 16th and 17th centuries when it reached the height of its prosperity as a wool town. The picturesque Market House in the town centre is an immediate reminder of the history of the town. Tetbury is also well known for its wonderful range of antique shops, attracting many visitors every year. You can easily spend a day or more browsing the collection of shops. Then onto Cirencester, once an important Roman settlement yet still a quintessential Cotswolds market town. Cirencester town centre has a mix of the usual high street names and local independent shops making it a unique shopping destination. (Return 17:00)</p>				
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Sat 28th	Newark & Downtown Grantham (NEW)	£24.00	£22.00	P (U)
<p>Situated on the banks of the River Trent, Newark is a picturesque town steeped in history. The ruins of Newark Castle have had a huge influence on the unique character of the town. Newark is an attractive market town sitting on the A1 in Nottinghamshire. Saint Marks Place is an integral part of Newark town centre retailing, in a busy location adjoining Market Place. Saint Marks Place is an open-air centre mixing historic buildings and quaint courtyards/archways with modern retail units and directly accessed from the historic Market Place. Then onto Downtown Grantham, Downtown is all about shopping for fabulous brands. On the first floor Clarins, Estée Lauder and Lancôme are just a few of the leading brands in the cosmetics department. After a day's shopping, pause a while in the friendly café where a locally made cake and coffee await. (Return 17:00)</p>				

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Sun 29th	York	£28.00	£26.00	C
<p>Best known for its deep history and iconic city walls. Look up and be awestruck by the Gothic architecture of York Minster. Make sure to visit the cobbled streets and overhanging buildings that frame York Shambles, one of England's most iconic shopping destinations. Take a cruise down the River Ouse and get a new perspective on the city, or visit the family-friendly National Railway Museum to learn all about England's rail history. Whether you're visiting York with the whole family or taking a couple's retreat, you're bound to find plenty of fun and unique things to do. (Return 16:45). Note: Any admission charges are not included.</p>				

Mon 30th	Stratford upon Avon	£25.00	£23.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>The market town of Stratford-upon-Avon is well known for being the birthplace of the world's greatest playwright, William Shakespeare. The picturesque town steeped in culture and more than 800 years of history. You only need to wander the streets to get a taste of Olde England. Many of the historic timber buildings found within the town have been around since the 12th century, and some even longer with the town's famous streets dating back to medieval times. You can follow in the footsteps of Shakespeare, from his Birthplace in Henley Street, to Holy Trinity Church where he is buried. There's plenty of other things to discover too, from the many unique attractions, the Royal Shakespeare Theatre, to the diverse range of shops and restaurants. A visit to Stratford-upon-Avon will not leave you disappointed. (Return 16:30)</p>				

Tue 31st	Moreton in Marsh & Cheltenham	£25.00	£23.00	D
<p>Moreton in Marsh is a thriving market town. Moreton's High Street is lined with elegant Cotswolds stone buildings which house many specialist shops, antique emporiums, tea rooms and delis. Every Tuesday Moreton in Marsh hosts the largest open-air street market in the Cotswolds. Then onto Cheltenham which has been a spa town resort since the discovery of mineral springs in the early 1700s. It is also known for its stylish shopping districts. The Promenade offers an elegant mix of high-end retailers and independent boutiques. Keep an eye out for Sophie Ryder's "The Minotaur and The Hare" sculpture. The nearby Montpellier area charms visitors with its Regency architecture and unique selection of shops, cafés, and galleries. Just a short walk away, The Suffolks boasts a village-like atmosphere with a vibrant collection of artisan stores and antiques. (Return 17:00)</p>				

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Wed 01st	Oswestry & Shrewsbury (NEW)	£20.00	£18.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>Nestled beside the Welsh border in northwest Shropshire, Oswestry is a thriving market town that blends the best of England and Wales. Where ancient history and industrial heritage live on beside eclectic markets, indie bookshops and friendly cafes. Be inspired by the Old Oswestry Hillfort, or just slow down and soak up the beauty of Cae Glas Park. Then onto Shrewsbury, tucked in a loop of the River Severn near the Welsh border, a medieval market town with a beating modern heart. Well-loved for its cobbled streets and Tudor centre, it has a growing reputation for quirky independent shops and culinary excellence. (Return 16:45)</p>				

Thu 02nd	Southport via Ormskirk	£22.00	£20.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>We stop at Ormskirk, with up to 100 stalls every market day on the pedestrianised areas of Moor Street, Aughton Street and Church Street, there really is something for everyone. If you haven't been for a while, then there is bound to be something new you haven't seen or tried before. From here we continue to the popular seaside resort of Southport, surrounded by natural beauty, making it a great place to escape to and Lord Street with its wrought iron canopies, where high street chains mingle with designer boutiques. (Return 17:00)</p>				

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Fri 03rd	West Midlands Safari Park	£44.00	£42.00	F (CH) S (L)
<p>Want a fun filled day out for all the family? Then look no further. Join us on the 4 mile drive around the Safari and come face to face with some of the fastest, tallest and cutest animals around. Have a wander around the Discovery Trail visiting Mark O'Shea's Reptile World, Twilight Cave, Creepy Crawlies, SeaQuarium, Sea lion Theatre, Penguin Cove and the noisy Lorikeet Landing exhibit. You'll be astounded as you go back in time through the Land of the Living Dinosaurs exhibit, or amble around the African Village. See the cheeky meerkats and pet the African sheep and goats. Keep an eye out for the playful ring-tailed lemurs, small white-fronted brown lemurs, and fluffy, red-bellied lemurs in Lemur Woods, believed to be the largest walk-through lemur wood in the UK. (Return 16:30)</p>				

Note **Drive through Safari Tour is included, but wristbands for rides are extra.**

Sat 04th	Lancaster & Barton Grange Garden Centre	£26.00	£24.00	C
<p>Visit Lancaster's castle and museums to uncover the city's ancient stories hidden in its walls and buildings, and find out more about the people who shaped its history. Explore the secret paths of Williamson Park and discover its hidden follies and stunning Edwardian designed butterfly house. Discover the open spaces and strong design of the two university campuses and find out how these seats of learning have influenced the city over the years. Shop local in Lancaster's quirky boutiques and independent galleries, or choose from renowned high street brands in Penny Street, St Nic's and Marketgate stores. Then relax in one of Lancaster's wealth of cafés, coffee shops and restaurants. The smell of coffee permeates the air as you wander the streets, and you can sample everything from locally-brewed real ales to delicious home-made soups and cakes. Discover one of England's Heritage Cities. Discover a small city with a big story. Then onto Barton Grange Garden Centre. With inspirational plant and gardening ideas, decorative homeware and gifts, great food and more, Barton Grange Garden Centre has something for the whole family to enjoy. (Return 17:00)</p>				

BANK HOLIDAY

Mon 06th	Bakewell Market	£17.00	£15.00	Q (U)
<p>The town bustles with cafes, pubs, delis and shops. Come along to this traditional market where you can find something for everyone with the diverse range of products on the stalls located on Market Street and Granby Road (Return 16:00)</p>				

Mon 06th	Blackpool	£25.00	£23.00	E
<p>Bursting with both character and atmosphere, Blackpool has been voted the favourite seaside town in the UK. Blackpool is the only town in the United Kingdom with three piers. In 1863 the North Pier was completed, becoming a centre of attraction for visitors. Central pier was completed in 1868 with a theatre and a large open-air dance floor. The town later expanded towards the south shore, creating the South Pier and what is known today as the Golden Mile. Discover the charm and excitement that awaits you in this dynamic coastal town. (Return 17:15)</p>				

Mon 06th	Llandudno	£25.00	£23.00	E
<p>Llandudno, a seaside town and the largest resort in Wales, known for its natural landmarks, beautiful pier and Victorian heritage. Llandudno Pier is one of the most popular attractions in town, with plenty of stalls, arcade games and a Ferris wheel dotting the 700-metre promenade, which is lined with pastel-hued Victorian mansions and runs along North Shore Beach, where you'll find stretches of sand as well as pebbles. There are shops and restaurants all along Victoria Street. If you're looking for a souvenir, a memento or just want something nice to eat, you'll find it here. (Return 17:15)</p>				

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Tue 07th	Cotswolds "A Guided Blossom Tour"	£32.00	£30.00	D
<p>We take you to The Valley Evesham the new destination for shopping, leisure and adventure right in the heart of England. There will be a short break before we take you on a full guided tour of the Cotswolds. There is nothing that quite signals spring like seeing the trees filled with breathtakingly beautiful spring blossom. In the Cotswolds they are lucky enough to have an abundance of spring blossom filled trees each year. You will stop in the quaint, picture-postcard village of Broadway situated at the heart of the Cotswolds. It is a beautiful and historic village ideal for those who love picturesque landscapes, excellent cuisine, and rich cultural heritage. Heralded as the 'heart of the Cotswolds', Broadway boasts a generous offering of unique local attractions, high fashion retail shopping and culturally diverse gastronomic experiences, it's a village to really indulge yourself in. You will go on another guided tour before returning to The Valley Evesham where you will have free time to explore the 125 acres, with all the biggest brands and unique boutiques, right on the River Avon. A mix of retailers, centred in a relaxed retail village, The Valley is home to designer fashion brands, outdoor specialists and local crafts and produce. The Valley offers a range of great places to eat and drink, from relaxed bistro dining to a comforting roast dinner, and with a wide range of fresh local produce, the farm shop is the perfect place to purchase your picnic essentials. The Valley Castle Adventure Playground and the narrow gauge railway mean there's something for the whole family to enjoy. (Return 17:00) Note: <i>The guided tours are all included.</i></p>				
Wed 08th	Hereford & Hop Pocket Shopping Village (NEW)	£26.00	£24.00	D
<p>A visit to Hereford which sits right at the heart of the county on a loop of the River Wye. The golden-stone cathedral, with its medieval Mappa Mundi and Chained Library, is a huge draw. You can also wander among half-timbered houses and stroll along the Wye. Browse independent shops across the city, clustered along quirky Church Street and explore the Old Market, transformed into an open-air destination for shopping, dining and cinema. We then go onto The Hop Pocket Shopping Village which is an unusual place where there is something for everyone. The gift shop is an Aladdin's Cave of gifts, further in you'll find outfits and footwear for ladies and gents, as well as children's clothes, with wonderful furniture and interiors. Up the wooden stairs, or the lift, the room opens into an enormous range of wooden and traditional toys. Around one corner there is books for all ages, in another, wonderful original art and jewellery. When one gets parched the Farmhouse Family Restaurant is at the heart of the site with fresh coffee and tea, freshly made lunches, homemade scrumptious cakes, and a play area. The Foodhall stocks fine and wonderful things to eat and drink, with free samples every day. They have fresh meat and pies, fresh bread and pastries, as well as fruit and vegetables, cheeses, smoked fish and pates. There is also a wonderful garden centre, which is well stocked with good quality plants. (Return 17:00)</p>				
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A visit to Cardiff, the capital city of Wales. A mix of old and new culture, it has a vibrant food scene and beautiful countryside on its doorstep. Weaving through the city is nearly a kilometre of arcades, dating back to Victorian and Edwardian times. Inside you can find independent shops, family-run cafes and cute boutiques. Highlights include Hobo's for vintage clothing, Rules of Play for board game enthusiasts and the world's oldest record shop, Spillers Records. You can find high-end stores and well-known brands in the large modern shopping centre, St David's, just five minutes from the arcades. (Return 17:00) *Executive Coach*				
Sun 12th	Blackpool	£25.00	£23.00	E
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Sat 18th	Whitby	£30.00	£28.00	M (U)
From the atmospheric Abbey towering over winding cobbled streets to the windswept beach and working harbour, Whitby is not your traditional coastal town. No trip to this picturesque ancient seaport would be complete without sampling some award-winning fish and chips, following the footsteps of Bram Stoker's Dracula and English explorer Captain James Cook (Return 17:00) *Executive Travel*				
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Sat 25th	Calderdale Tour	£24.00	£22.00	D
We travel to Hebden Bridge with artisan shops and inspiring galleries to organic pavement cafés and charming picture houses, and great places to eat. The town is justifiably proud of its artistic identity. We then go to Halifax which is Calderdale's largest town, with stunning Victorian architecture and a strong industrial heritage. It is home to the unique Piece Hall, Eureka! The National Children's Museum, and the Halifax Minster. You will also find markets, independent and high street shops and many great places to eat and drink. (Return 17:00)				
Sat 25th	Skegness	£28.00	£26.00	M (U)
A popular Lincolnshire seaside resort with miles of wide blue flag beaches, traditional attractions, entertainments and the bustling promenade. There is everything here to enjoy from amusement arcades, fun fairs and donkey rides to sea food, ice cream and fresh donuts. Why not take a stroll along the pier boardwalk, one of only a few still remaining in the UK, or just visit the variety of shops with something for everyone. (Return 17:00) *Executive Travel*				
Sun 26th	Gloucester Quays	£25.00	£23.00	D
There is lots to discover at Gloucester Quays, just a stone's throw from Gloucester city centre. The perfect place for a family day out, explore Victorian dock buildings, designer outlet shops, cosy cafes and fascinating museums! Shop till you drop at Gloucester Quays with designer goods galore. (Return 17:00)				

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TLH Leisure Resort, Victoria Hotel
5 Days

23rd March - 27th March

Half Board, Excursions

£349.00 per person

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Tenby

Clarence House Hotel

5 Days

13th April - 17th April

Half Board, Excursions

£449.00 per person

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Llandudno

Four Oaks Hotel

5 Days

20th April - 24th April

Half Board, Excursions

£329.00 per person

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Blackpool

Doric Hotel

4 Days

24th April - 27th April

Half Board

£289.00 per person

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Cheadle: Cheadle News The Shopping Centre, Tel: 01538 753266

Hanley: First Travel Shop, Hanley Bus Station

Leek: TF Travel, Derby Street, ST13 6HP. Tel: 01538 387412

Longton: Travel World, 20 Market Street, Tel; 01782 333868

Meir: Copeland's Tours, 1005 Uttoxeter Road, Tel: 01782 334466

Newcastle: Barrhead Travel, Unit 24 Castle Walk, Newcastle under Lyme, ST5 1AN Tel: 01782 969882

Smallthorne: His & Hers News, 95 Ford Green Road, Tel: 01782 838281

Tunstall: Oasis Travel, 14 Tower Square. Tel: 01782 813539

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Tean High Street						07:35				
Cheadle, Car Park by B&M						07:40				
Forsbrook, Spar Shop						07:50				
Blythe Bridge, Bus Stop opp Blythe Bridge High Sch						07:55				
Meir, Copelands Depot *	06:00	06:30	07:00	07:30	08:00	08:00	09:00	10:00	10:30	11:00
Meir Broadway Bus Stop by KFC	06:05	06:35	07:05	07:35	08:05	08:05	09:05	10:05	10:35	11:05
Longton, The Strand by Old Lidl Store	06:10	06:40	07:10	07:40	08:10	08:10	09:10	10:10	10:40	11:10
Bentilee, Dividy Road Bus Stop M&R News	06:20	06:50	07:20	07:50	08:20	08:20	09:20	10:20	10:50	11:20
Bucknall, Bus Stop opp Finney Gardens	06:23	06:53	07:23	07:53	08:23	08:23	09:23	10:23	10:53	11:23
Hanley, Birch Terrace	06:30	07:00	07:30	08:00	08:30	08:30	09:30	10:30	11:00	11:30
Sneyd Green, Co-op	06:35	07:05	07:35	08:05	08:35	08:35	09:35	10:35	11:05	11:35
Smallthorne, Moorland Inn	06:40	07:10	07:40	08:10	08:40	08:40	09:40	10:40	11:10	11:40
Burslem, opp Queens Theatre	06:43	07:13	07:43	08:13	08:43	08:43	09:43	10:43	11:13	11:43
Tunstall, opp old Police Station	06:45	07:15	07:45	08:15	08:45	08:45	09:45	10:45	11:15	11:45
Newcastle, Brunswick Street by Jubilee 2	07:00	07:30	08:00	08:30	09:00	09:00	10:00	11:00	11:30	12:00
ROUTE 2	M	N	P	Q	R					
Newcastle, Brunswick Street by Jubilee 2	06:00	06:30	07:00	07:30	08:00					
Tunstall, opp old Police Station	06:15	06:45	07:15	07:45	08:15					
Burslem, Market Place Bus Stop	06:17	06:47	07:17	07:47	08:17					
Smallthorne, Nettiebank Bus Stop	06:20	06:50	07:20	07:50	08:20					
Sneyd Green, Sneyd Arms	06:25	06:55	07:25	07:55	08:25					
Hanley, Birch Terrace	06:30	07:00	07:30	08:00	08:30					
Bucknall, Finney Gardens Bus Stop	06:37	07:07	07:37	08:07	08:37					
Dividy Road, Bus Stop opp Arbourfield Drive	06:40	07:10	07:40	08:10	08:40					
Longton, The Strand by Old Lidl Store	06:50	07:20	07:50	08:20	08:50					
Meir, Broadway Bus Stop by Doug Mac	06:55	07:25	07:55	08:25	08:55					
Meir, Copelands Depot *	07:00	07:30	08:00	08:30	09:00					
Uttoxeter, Bus Station	07:15	07:45	08:15	08:45	09:15					
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Cheddleton, The Avenue Bus Stop	08:05									
Leek Bus Station	08:15									
Endon, Bus Stop opp Plough Inn	08:27									
Baddeley Green Cross Roads Bus Stop	08:35									
Newcastle, Brunswick Street by Jubilee 2 ***	09:00									
*** Will only pick up if trip is merged***										
* Free secure parking available *										