



Drymen and Loch Lomond

Popular with our clients, this small village with an attractive village green surrounded by seventeenth century stone houses is a world away from the hustle and bustle of everyday life, one is strongly reminded of the magical romance of 'Brigadoon'. Drymen is situated in the Central Region of Scotland on the edge of Scotland's first national park, it is overlooked by the Campsie Fells and the forest of Loch Ard and nearby is Endrick Water. There are excellent excursion possibilities, not far from the village is Romantic Loch Lomond, one of Scotland's largest, the attractive scenery of the Sound of Bute and the Trossachs is also within easy reach.

WINNOCK HOTEL DRYMEN ★★★ 01360 660245

Overlooking the village green and sensitively extended and refurbished, whilst retaining its traditional bars and log fires, the Winnock offers friendly hospitality, comfortable accommodation and a high standard of cuisine. The Hotel has recently been awarded a green tourism award. The Hotel does not have a Lift. All Bedrooms have Private Facilities, Colour Television, Radio, Hairdryer and Tea/Coffee Making Facilities.



5 DAYS

8th - 12th November £ 276

No Single Room Supplement

Insurance £ 15.00

ITINERARY

Saturday

We travel North and over the border, to arrive at Drymen during the afternoon, tonight there will be a drinks reception and dinner will be followed by a Slide Show with Winter Scenes.

Sunday

A morning visit to Stirling, home of the Stuart Kings, will be followed by a visit to the Trossachs in the scenic Queen Elizabeth Park. After dinner there will be an evening of Song and Dance.

Monday (Christmas Day!)

We follow the shores of Loch Lomond to Tyndrum and

continue to the busy port of Oban, we head on to Inveraray and drive over the "Rest and be Thankful Pass" to Luss and return to our Hotel. Tonight will consist of Christmas Dinner, Christmas Carols and Party Games.

Tuesday (New Year's Eve!)

Today will be a day of rest and relaxation until the evening when we are treated to a traditional Hogmanay Dinner with Auld Lang Syne and the sound of the pipes.

Wednesday

Leaving Drymen in the morning we return to Shropshire, arriving home during the evening.

Look What's Included!

- Attractive Village Centre Situation.
- Evening Entertainment.
- Drinks Reception and Porterage.
- Afternoon Tea and a Farewell Dram.
- Christmas Day Dinner with Carols and Party Games.
- Slide Show with Winter Scenes.
- Hogmanay Dinner with the Pipes.
- Evening of Song and Dance.
- 4 Nights Bed, Breakfast and Choice Evening Meal.
- Included Excursions to Stirling, Trossachs, Oban and Inveraray.



Sandown Isle of Wight

A long standing favourite with Elcock Holidays we are pleased to include this break in our programme. The Island became popular with the Victorians who came to enjoy the sunny climate, long sandy beaches and pretty fishing hamlets. Inland, roads pass through attractive countryside and villages with thatched cottages and colourful gardens. With its Southern position, the Isle of Wight has much to offer at any time of year, fringed with long lazy beaches, where ancient castles and picturesque villages mingle with more modern facilities. Sandown nestles beneath the wide rolling downs, it has level sea-front walks panoramic cliff views and a prime central position from where to explore the rest of the Island.

THE BURLINGTON HOTEL ★★ (Superior) 01983 403702

This Hotel is one of Sandown's most established and reputable Hotels, family owned, it is located conveniently, only two minutes from Sandown's lovely sandy beaches. There's plenty of chance to make new friends, enjoy the evening entertainment in the spacious bar or on the dance floor. It has a reputation for excellent cuisine and the friendly and courteous dining room staff will serve you from a 'choice of menu' each day for your full English Breakfast and 6 course Evening Dinner. The Hotel does not have a Lift but Some Ground Floor Rooms are Available. All Bedrooms have Private Facilities, Colour Television, Radio and Tea/Coffee Making Facilities.



5 DAYS

24th -28th November £ 249

No Single Room Supplement

Insurance £ 15.00

ITINERARY

Monday

Morning departure to Portsmouth and our ferry across the Solent, there will be a pre-dinner Sherry Reception, then the evening meal will be followed by live entertainment in the bar lounge.

Tuesday (Christmas Eve!)

Today we will take an island coach tour, visiting many of the interesting places to be found, upon our return and after dinner a further selection of entertainment will be provided.

Wednesday (Christmas Day!)

After breakfast, a day of leisure, quiz time in the afternoon is followed by

cake and mince pies, then Grand Traditional Christmas Dinner, after which there will be more entertainment in the evening.

Thursday (New Years Eve!)

A further island coach tour, returning in time for evening dinner and a chance to see out the Old and ring in the 'New Year' with fun including Fancy Dress (Optional) and dancing till late.

Friday

Departing the Hotel we join our ferry to the mainland arriving back in Shropshire late afternoon.

Look What's Included!

- Six Course Choice Evening Meals.
- Entertainment Provided During our Stay.
- Indoor Heated Swimming Pool, Spa Bath & Steam Room.
- 4 Nights Bed, Breakfast and Evening Meal.
- Included Excursions around the Isle of Wight.