



Sidmouth Festive Break

An Elcock favourite, we are pleased to be returning to one of the most unspoilt resorts on the South Coast. Elegant Sidmouth was in the 19th century one of the most select seaside resorts in Britain having gained royal patronage. It is ideal for the type of person that likes a quiet relaxing break before the hustle and bustle that accompanies Christmas these days. Sidmouth is surrounded by countryside, with colourful flower gardens, open spaces and tree covered hills. The Esplanade with its dignified Regency buildings enhanced by lovely floral displays, overlooks a sunny bathing and boating beach. The many shops have retained the personal service and friendliness one would expect from a country town.

THE BEDFORD HOTEL ★★★ 01395 578563

The Bedford is family owned and run and is situated on Sidmouth's Esplanade, just yards from the beach and shops. Recently and painstakingly refurbished, the Bedford is the pride of the Pyne family who will ensure you immediately feel at home. Care and attention to detail is something that you'll notice as soon as you arrive for your stay, especially their well deserved reputation for the freshly prepared food. There is a Lift to All Floors. All Bedrooms have Private Facilities, Satellite Television and Tea/Coffee Making Facilities.



5 DAYS

17th - 21st November £ 283
No Single Room Supplement Insurance £ 15.00

ITINERARY

Monday

We travel southwards by Motorway past Bristol, then to Sidmouth, arriving late afternoon.

Tuesday

A morning visit to the cathedral city of Exeter with its long heritage and excellent attractions, later we will visit the English Riviera seaside resort of Teignmouth.

Wednesday

At leisure in Sidmouth, with a chance to enjoy the beauty of this Coastal Town this evening

we will be treated to a meal with a Christmas theme and entertainment.

Thursday

Our first visit today is Honiton, famous for its lace; we then travel to Somerset's county town, Taunton followed by a journey along the vale of Taunton Dean returning to the hotel late afternoon.

Friday

After breakfast we return to Shropshire, arriving home in the late afternoon.

Look What's Included!

- Entertainment Provided During our Stay.
- An Elcock Holiday Favourite.
- Hotel Family Owned and Run.
- 4 Nights Bed, Breakfast and Evening Meal.
- Included Excursions to Exeter, Teignmouth, Honiton and Taunton.



Weymouth Festive Celebration

Fast becoming popular with our clients, Weymouth had long been a port before the Georgians popularised it as a resort. Originally known as Melcombe Regis, it is now the main shopping area and sea front. The real Weymouth lies across the harbour on the Noathe side. The two towns were great rivals until the reign of Elizabeth 1st when they were amalgamated by a charter. The more intimate quayside of the Old Harbour is lined with waterfront pubs from where you can view the passing yachts, trawlers and ferries, whilst Weymouth's most imposing architectural heritage stands along the Esplanade. Weymouth now offers every facility to the holidaymaker, providing for all forms of entertainment and relaxation that you would expect from a modern seaside resort.

BEST WESTERN PRINCE REGENT HOTEL

★★★ 01305 771313

The Hotel is situated on the Weymouth's attractive seafront and has views across the bay as does the Renaissance Restaurant, which serves fresh local produce wherever possible. For a change why not enjoy a choice, pre - Christmas break at the Hotel Prince Regent. Most Floors are accessed by a Lift. All Bedrooms have Private Facilities, Satellite Television, Telephone and Tea/Coffee Making Facilities.



5 DAYS

1st - 5th December £ 289
No Single Room Supplement Insurance £ 15.00
Seaview Supplement £ 24.00 p.p. (On Request).

ITINERARY

Monday (Christmas Eve!)

Departing during the morning we travel to Taunton, then on through Ilminster for a late afternoon arrival. Tonight there will be entertainment after dinner.

Tuesday (Christmas Day!)

At leisure in Weymouth, with time to explore the many narrow streets or visit the busy harbour. Dinner tonight is followed by festive entertainment.

Wednesday (Boxing Day!)

A morning visit to Dorchester, we travel to Bridport an ancient

market town and return past Portland Bill famous for its lighthouse. Tonight we will have a Gala Four Course Dinner.

Thursday (New Years Day!)

A visit to Salisbury, with its historic cathedral, we return through Poole with its natural harbour, to our Hotel in time for dinner followed by entertainment in the Russell Bar.

Friday

Departing from the Hotel we retrace our steps northwards to Shropshire, arriving home late afternoon.

Look What's Included!

- Attractive Sea Front Position.
- Full Festive Programme.
- 4 Nights Bed, Breakfast and Evening Meal.
- Included Excursions to Poole, Portland Bill, Dorchester, Bridport and Salisbury.