


**ACTIVITIES and EXCURSIONS**

DATE	DESTINATION		TIMES
<p><u>WEEK No. 1</u> Sunday</p>	<h1>ARRIVAL DAY</h1>		
<p>Monday (afternoon)  Included</p>	<p><b>INTRODUCTORY TOUR of Paignton</b> Meet at the “Old Vicarage” school. A general orientation tour combining history with practical information and tips about where to go and what to see, finishing up in Oldway gardens.</p>		<p>Start <b>13.30</b>  Finish <b>15.30</b></p>
<p>Tuesday (afternoon)  <u>Optional trip</u></p>	<p><b>DARTMOUTH, via Kingswear</b> <i>Visit the historic town of Dartmouth by steam train &amp; ferry. The town is known for its steep narrow streets, ancient buildings, quaint shops, and, of course the River Dart.</i></p>		<p>Start 13.45 Finish 17.45 Price £ 15.00</p>
<p>Tuesday (evening)  Included</p>	<p><b>COUNTRY PUB TOUR (part 1)</b> A chance to get out of Torbay and into the real Devon countryside. Sample the olde-worlde atmosphere in a couple of typical Devon inns.</p>		<p>Start <b>19.30</b>  Finish <b>23.30</b></p>
<p>Wednesday (afternoon)  Included</p>	<p><b>DARTMOOR NATIONAL PARK</b> with stops at Haytor &amp; Hound Tor Rocks for short walks, plus the famous old village of Widecombe-in-the-Moor.</p>		<p>Start <b>13.00</b>  Finish <b>18.30</b></p>
<p>Thursday (afternoon)  <u>Optional trip</u></p>	<p><b>BERRY HEAD &amp; BRIXHAM</b> <i>Drive to the fishing port of Brixham &amp; the Berry Head Country Park. Walk around the cliffs to see the ruins of the Napoleonic forts. Berry Head is also famous for its lighthouse &amp; its birds. Followed by some free time in BRIXHAM town.</i></p>		<p>Start 13.30 Finish 17.30 Price £ 10.00</p>

<p><b>Thursday (evening)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>The Hollow – By Agatha Christie</b> <i>Bijour Theatre Productions, present this intriguing play written by the Queen of Crime at The Palace Theatre, Paignton.</i></p>		<p><b>Start 19.15</b> <b>Finish 20.00</b></p>
<p><b>Friday (afternoon)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>EXETER</b> Visit this beautiful city, with one of England's finest Cathedrals, fine architecture, an historic quay, the River Exe &amp; excellent shopping. With guided walk.</p>		<p><b>Start 13.00</b> <b>Finish 18.30</b></p>
<p><b>Saturday (all day)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>The SOUTH HAMS</b> Ferry over the River Dart, then a drive through along the coast of this outstanding area. Stopping to visit the village of TORCROSS, the port of SALCOMBE &amp; BURGH ISLAND.</p>		<p><b>Start 08.30</b> <b>Finish 18.30</b></p>
<p><b>WEEK 2</b> Sunday (all day) Optional trip</p>	<p><b>TINTAGEL - North CORNWALL</b> Visit the historic fishing village of BOSCASTLE and TINTAGEL, famous for the legend of King Arthur. With a chance to walk on the spectacular cliffs, high above the wild Atlantic Ocean. <i>Please book before 13.00 Thursday</i></p>		<p><b>Start 08.00</b> <b>Finish 18.30</b> <b>Price £ 30.00</b></p>
<p><b>Monday (afternoon)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>TORQUAY</b> - the largest town in Torbay, the "Queen of the English Riviera". A walk around the town, famous as the being the birthplace of Agatha Christie, incl. museum.</p>		<p><b>Start 13.30</b> <b>Finish 17.30</b></p>
<p><b>Monday (evening)</b> <b>Included</b> Please bring a bottle</p>	<p><b>Murder Mystery Evening</b> You are invited to join the fun, laughter and murder, as a character in <b>The School Reunion!</b> Just remember to bring your detective head to help solve the crime.....(Buffet included)</p>		<p><b>Start 18.30</b> <b>Finish 20.30</b></p>

<p><i>Tuesday</i> <i>(afternoon)</i> <u><i>Optional trip</i></u></p>	<p><b><i>DAWLISH, TEIGNMOUTH &amp; SHALDON</i></b> Drive along the River Teign to the lovely Victorian seaside resorts of Dawlish, Teignmouth &amp; Shaldon. Stopping for short walks by the beach &amp; through the town in all three places. <u><i>Please book before 13.00 Thursday</i></u></p>		<p><i>Start</i> 13.00 <i>Finish</i> 18.30 <i>Price</i> £ 12.00</p>
<p><b>Wednesday</b> <b>(Lesson Time)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>“Trust Me I’m a Volunteer”</b> Comical true stories, by <b>Brenda Loosemore</b>. Brenda is an actress in a murder mystery company and is also a trusty volunteer at Agatha Christie’s home, Greenway.</p>		<p><b>Start</b> 11.00 <b>Finish</b> 12.00</p>
<p><i>Wednesday</i> <i>(afternoon)</i> <u><i>Optional trip</i></u></p>	<p><b><i>TOTNES &amp; DARTINGTON</i></b> The ancient Roman town of Totnes is famous for its tea-rooms, bookshops, craft shops &amp; alternative lifestyle. We will also stop to visit the beautiful gardens at Dartington.</p>		<p><i>Start</i> 13.00 <i>Finish</i> 17.30 <i>Price</i> £ 12.00</p>
<p><b>Wednesday</b> <b>(evening)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>COUNTRY PUB TOUR (part 2)</b> A chance to get out of Torbay and into the real Devon countryside. Sample the olde-worlde atmosphere in a couple of typical Devon traditional old inns.</p>		<p><b>Start</b> 19.30 <b>Finish</b> 23.30</p>
<p><b>Thursday</b> <b>(afternoon)</b> <b>Included</b></p>	<p><b>GREENWAY House &amp; Gardens</b> An afternoon in the peaceful surroundings of GREENWAY, on the banks of the River Dart; the idyllic Summer home of Agatha Christie.</p>		<p><b>Start</b> 13.30 <b>Finish</b> 17.30</p>
<p><i>Friday</i> <i>(afternoon)</i> <u><i>Optional trip</i></u></p>	<p><b><i>PLYMOUTH</i></b> - Devon’s largest city <i>Famous for its maritime heritage - (Sir Francis Drake, Sir Walter Raleigh, the Pilgrim Fathers, etc.) Guided walk around the “old town” (the harbour, the Barbican, the Hoe), followed by some free time.</i></p>		<p><i>Start</i> 13.00 <i>Finish</i> 18.30 <i>Price</i> £ 12.00</p>

**TRIPS IN BOLD TYPE ARE INCLUDED.** *Optional extra trips are in ITALICS*