

TISSINGTON FORD BARN GUEST INFORMATION PACK

Tissington Ford Barn, Bradbourne Mill, Bradbourne, Ashbourne, Derbyshire. DE6 1NP

Arrival Information

A week prior to your holiday we will be sending out an arrival letter detailing the location of the cottage and the key code to enter the property. We will also require a response from you regarding your desired bedroom layout, should you have not already provided us with said details, and any extras you may have booked or wish to organise.

Local Food and Shops

Ashbourne town centre is a convenient 10 -minute drive away, with many food shops available to you:

• *Aldi:* Carnation way, Ashbourne. DE6 1AY.

Monday-Saturday: 8am to 10pm Sunday: 10am to 4pm

• <u>Co-op:</u> Shawcroft Centre, Ashbourne, DE6 1GF.

Monday-Saturday: 7.30am to 8pm Sunday: 10am to 4pm

• Marks and Spencers: Unit B1 and B2, Waterside Retail Park, Ashbourne. DE6

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Monday-Saturday: 8am to 8pm Sunday: 10am to 4pm Sainsbury's: Coopers Mill, King Edward Street, Ashbourne. DE6

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Monday-Saturday: 8am to 10pm Sunday: 10am to 4pm

• *Waitrose*: Dig Street, Ashbourne. DE6 1GF.

Monday-Thursday & Saturday: 8am to 8pm Friday: 8am to 9pm Sunday: 10am to 4pm

• <u>Peak District Deli:</u> Peak District Deli provide an online shop and delivery service to our cottage's front door. Take a look at their website for the wide range of products; they can offer you, craft gin, award-winning beer, grass fed beef, organic vegetables, artisan cheese and incredible breads, including their weekend starter hamper.

Order by midnight on Tuesday and chose your delivery slot between 9am and 8pm the following Friday or Saturday. If your preferred slot is not available, get in touch and we'll try to help. To visit their shop and book a delivery, please follow the link: **www.peakdistrictdeli.com**

Within Ashbourne, there are many other shops consisting of gifts, clothes, artwork, antiques and cafes. The tourist information centre is further location behind the town hall in the market square.

Food Deliveries

Food deliveries are available to our guests at Tissington Ford Barn. The following shops will deliver directly to the front door of our holiday cottage: Ocado, Tesco, Sainsburys, Peak District Deli, Waitrose and more. Just provide the shop with the address listed at the top of this pack and ensure the delivery is at a time after your check-in time!

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Here at Tissington Ford Barn we seek to provide you with the ultimate Peak District Experience with ensuring you have all the entertainment, facilities and experiences at your fingertips. Please find a selection of optional extras for your stay. Should you wish to book any of these experiences, please let us know and we can assist you in the booking; ensuring your celebration and stay is perfect for all your guests.

Wedding Accommodation and/or Special Occasions

We accommodate many wedding parties at Tissington Ford Barn from local wedding venues including: Tissington Hall and Callow Hall. We also understand many visits to our properties involve birthday celebrations and wedding anniversaries.

<u>Please inform Sandy and Sophie of any celebrations you are holding whilst at Tissington Ford Barn so she may make your stay extra special.</u>

Would you like a Hot Tub for your stay?

We do have the facilities to hold and run a hot tub in the grounds of the property, however, this will need to be organised directly between yourselves and our recommended hot tub company. Costs tend to be around £180 to £250 for a long weekend depending on the type of hot tub you choose. Payment is direct with the hot tub company by credit card.

Ian and Lynn from Midlands Hot Tub Company

Facilities: Ian and Lynn provide seated hot tubs and weighted gazebos https://www.midlandhottubhire.co.uk | 07973 298345 / 07990 572025

Please ask your guests to bring their own beach towels, as these are not supplied, in addition to flat shoes so to avoid any falls. Please adhere to the hot tub company's regulations as we do not cover any injuries from the use of this facility on the cottage grounds. Finally, please confirm to us whether you have ordered a hot tub, so we can ensure it arrives on time.

Would you like a private chef/ catering for your stay?



We are extremely proud to be working with **Peak District Deli**; a local business from Rowsley, near Bakewell, who support and promote incredible producers which live and work in the Peak District. They offer many services including, private dining, pop-up dining and an online shop and delivery service.

Private Dining

Whatever type of celebration you're planning, Peak District Deli's private dining service will create an event to remember whether it is a more formal special occasion, a relaxed family gathering or party. This amazing company help you create a menu around your budget, special occasion, desired tastes, dietary requirements and needs. Their delicious and honest food, with its focus on fresh, local and seasonal produce, ensures you are truly experiencing the best of Derbyshire during your stay in the Peak District all served in the comfort of our cottage.

For something slightly more informal their food can be served on large beautiful platters and boards, they are the centre piece for any table, inviting guests to help themselves to the many different elements creating a more social dining space.

Alternatively, you can choose to have a complete service where we will provide friendly and attentive waiting staff, clear away after your meal and leave you with nothing more to do than enjoy and relax.

If you are interested in viewing sample menus from Peak District Deli, please do not hesitate to contact us for seasonal menus, vegetarian and vegan menus.

Pop-up dining

Peak District Deli also organise pop-up dinners at venues all over the Peak District. Their producers get to showcase their fantastic food, communities come together and it's always a great evening with old friends and new ones too. If you're interested in their one-night pop-up dinners, check out their website to see what upcoming events they have during your stay.

https://peakdistrictdeli.com/



Chef Karl Tyler offers premium bespoke dining experiences, completely catered to each client's tastes, budget, theme and any allergies or food intolerances.

The food is British based cuisine, with world-wide influences and unique twists on ordinary dishes; always presented to the highest standards.

Karl is a formally trained chef with over a decade of experience working within restaurant & hotel settings, including Michelin Star & Rosette rated establishments across the East Midlands.

The company offers private chef services, catering for all functions, events and weddings, bespoke menu creation, cookery instruction, corporate events and dinner party services for any size group.

We are proud to utilise fresh, local, free range, and organic ingredients wherever possible, and work with a select group of trusted suppliers to source any additional items that may be required to complete your dining experience.

Karl is passionate about preparing and serving extraordinary dishes and enjoys experimenting with seasonal ingredients and unique flavour profiles to create something truly special. Our company is highly recommended and takes great pride, not only in the food, but in the overall experience we provide to our clients; ensuring that each and every dining experience is perfect.

Whatever type of dining experience you are looking for, we will work with you to create YOUR perfect menu!

www.chefkarltyler.com | 07586440199

Hog Roast Latino provide a selection of Italian styled food, both meat and vegetarian: https://www.hogroastlatino.co.uk/Hog_Roast_Latino.html

Dine Indulge (Derby) provide gourmet meals to your door: https://www.dineindulge.co.uk

Murder Mystery?

Recent guests have used a company to organise and run a murder mystery night. The cost is around £25 per person. If you are interested, please contact Steve on one of the following:

sales@murder-mystery.uk.com | www.murder-mystery.uk.com | 08454 900500

Forage and Feast

Totally Wild UK offers a completely unique experience of taking you back to basics and teaching you the skill of foraging within the Derbyshire countryside and tasting the wild edibles made by the company. This is a truly great activity for the family or friends as a bonding activity and to explore the countryside together.

If you wish for further information into either experience, please contact us or Totally Wild UK directly:

https://totallywilduk.co.uk/

Cocktail-making parties

Mint Cocktail Company is a local business from Uttoxeter that provides the art of mixology to corporate events, team building activities, hen parties, birthday parties, weddings and celebrations.

Joe and his team create the following events specific to your celebration, including cocktail masterclasses where you can try your hand at making and tasting cocktails from the comfort of Tissington Ford Barn, or providing mobile cocktail bar services where you can enjoy their bartending services for all occasions.

The Mint Cocktail Company are in high demand so if you wish to book with them, please look to do so as soon as possible to avoid disappointment!

http://mintcocktailcompany.com/ | hello@mintcocktailcompany.com | 07931 205469

Chef Karl Tyler is a local catering and beverage business from Nottingham that can provide cocktail making classes alongside delicious canapes for all occasions. Both services are tailored to your guests, event, dietary requirements and theme.

Karl, like Mint Cocktail Company is in high demand so if you wish to book him for your event or stay at Tissington Ford Barn, we suggest you do so at your earliest convenience.

www.chefkarltyler.com | 07586440199

Beautician/ Spa treatments

Cathy Grange is a fully qualified beauty therapist with over twenty-years' experience. She has previously worked with many different salons and companies including Saks, Virgin Active and Champneys, whilst also running her own successful mobile business.

She offers a wide range of treatments, including pregnancy massage, hot waxing, hand and foot treatments, massages, wedding day packages and pamper parties. In addition to the above, Cathy provides mobile hair and makeup services. If you wish to book Cathy to visit Tissington Ford Barn with her range of services, <u>please contact her directly and confirm to us whether you have requested her to visit the cottage</u>; she will require a deposit:

http://www.cathygrange.biz/ | info@cathygrange.biz | 07769 663 189

Personal Hairstylist

Imogen and her team of professional hair stylists offer professional hair dressing and styling in the comfort of our own cottage. Not only do they provide quality hair services for you and your guests, they also provide wedding packages for the bride to be and bridesmaids, in addition to other occasions including birthday parties and social events. If you wish to book Imogen and her colleagues to visit the cottage, please look to contact us directly and we will organise the appointment for you.

Keep Fit with Katie

Our very own personal trainer, Katie, provides a huge range of activities for you and your guests within the cottage grounds and local countryside. Katie specialises in Pilates, Combat training including kick boxing, Running and HIIT sessions. Using the countryside environment to get your heart pumping and providing a fun way to explore the local area; this is the perfect extra for a friend and family gathering; providing group bonding and team building opportunities.

If you wish to book Katie for your stay, please look to contact us directly to book a specific date and time.

Arts & Crafts for the Kids

A local arts and crafts business can visit the cottage and host a party. They will bring all the materials, set up the craft activity and oversee the party, as well as tidy up any mess at the end!

Don't need our help? Just want the craft materials? Want to paint a pot in the comfort of your own home?

Simply speak to one of our staff to arrange a party basket. They will provide all the craft materials and instructions, you arrange a time to collect the basket and away you go! Please find their contact details below:

01335 418001 | enquiries@stickyfingersashbourne.co.uk

Art Lessons

Do you love art or wish to learn a new skill? We can offer you a local artist who delivers painting classes at the cottage or in the Derbyshire countryside; focussing on mediums including oils and watercolours. Our artist, Ron Britton, will create and run his art classes in local idyllic Derbyshire villages, weather permitting. Should the weather be limiting, our experienced artist will run still life classes within the cottage.

If you are interested in art classes with Ron, please give us a call and we can organise a quote dependant on the number of guests and materials required. Please note midweek breaks for small groups will receive discounted prices.

Peak District 'Hunted', Treasure Hunts and Guided Walks

'Hunted' and Treasures Hunts

Compete in teams to find hidden items in some of the most spectacular locations in the Peak District. If you decide to pick the 'Hunted' package, you will experience the above but with a 30-minute head start before Hunters are hot on your trail. If you get caught by a Hunter, you lose points for your team's final score. Please note there is a minimum of 10 people per group.

Guided Walks

PeaksGo can provided guided walks around any location of your choice! A group of 10 persons is required.

Please contact us or the company directly to find out more: https://www.peaksgo.com/

Local Spa

Winners of the Luxury Emerging Spa in Northern Europe at the World Luxury Spa Awards 2017, named as Professional Beauty's Day Spa of the Year in 2016 and shortlisted for the same award for 2017, it's the perfect place to recharge, relax and revitalise for an unforgettable experience. Click on the link below to discover the facilities and treatments available to you in the nearby town of Buxton:

www.devonshiredome.co.uk/devonshire-spa/

Archery

We can offer you additional land to enjoy the art of archery. With an experienced team at the ready you'll be hitting the target in no time!

Contact us for further details

Flowers and Balloons

Sarah Nimmo is our florist to the cottage and will be able to deliver your flowers and balloons to the property. Please see her website and choose your arrangement and contact us and we will organise the flowers and/or balloons to be there on your arrival day. We can add this to your final payment or you can leave cash on departure.

https://www.claycrossflowershop.co.uk/

ACTIVITES IN THE LOCAL AREA

Cycling and Local walks around Tissington Ford Barn

Please find the below links for your viewing, including cycle hire locations and prices, and cycle routes:

http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/visiting/cycle/cycle-hire-centres http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/visiting/cycle/cycle-routes

Local Walks: Links to find the correct maps:

- Dovedales: http://snapthepeaks.co.uk/peak-district-walks/dovedale-circular-walk/
- ❖ <u>Milldale</u>: http://www.derbyshire-peakdistrict.co.uk/milldalewalk.htm
- Alstonefield: http://www.derbyshire-peakdistrict.co.uk/alstonefieldwalk.htm
- Carsington: http://www.derbyshirepeakdistrict.co.uk/carsingtonwaterwalk.htm
- ❖ <u>Tissington Trail</u>: http://snapthepeaks.co.uk/peak-district-walks/tissington-and-the-tissington-trail-walk/
- ❖ <u>Lathkill Dale</u>: https://www.walkingenglishman.com/peakdistrict11.htm
- ❖ <u>Bradford Dale</u>: https://www.walkingenglishman.com/peakdistrict11.htm

Electric app

You can now discover local walks across Derbyshire and the Peak District with the **Discover Derbyshire & Peak District app**, which can be downloaded from the app store on your phone.

Please note if you do not find the time to look at the above or do not wish to download the electronic app, ordnance surveys will be provided at the cottage.

Attractions and Activities

Alton Towers Theme Park: https://www.altontowers.com/
 Abraham Heights https://heightsofabraham.com/
 Gullivers Kingdom: https://www.gulliversfun.co.uk/
 Carsington Water: https://www.carsingtonwater.co.uk/
 Go Ape: https://goape.co.uk/days-out/midlands/

❖ Pooles Cavern and Cave: https://poolescavern.co.uk/

Clay Pigeon Shooting: https://yeaveley-estate.co.uk/shooting

Paint-Balling, Laser-Tag,
 Archery, Quad Biking and

Cross-Bow/Pistol shooting: https://wildparkleisure.co.uk/

❖ Horse Riding:
http://matlockfarmpark.co.uk/home/

❖ Matlock Escape Rooms:
https://www.deceptionescaperooms.com/

Country Homes & Estates

❖ Tissington Hall: https://www.tissingtonhall.co.uk
 ❖ Chatsworth Estate: https://www.chatsworth.org

Haddon Hall: https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/sudbury-hall
 Kedleston Hall: https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/kedleston-hall

UPCOMING EVENTS

March

- 02.03.2019 04.02.2019: Ghost Hunt in Ashbourne Town Hall
- 22.03.2019: Ben Fogle: Tales from the Wilderness
- 30.03.2019: Derwent Edge and Hills around Ladybower, guided walk
- 31.03.2019: Swan Lake Ballet Theatre UK

April

- 13.04.2019: Beauty and the Beast Easter Pantomime
- 19.04.2019 to 22.04.2019: Cadbury Easter Egg Hunt

May

- 06.05.2019: Newborough Well Dressing Day
- 10.05.2019 to 12.05.2019: Dodson & Horrell Chatsworth International Horse Trials
- 10.05.2019 to 12.05.2019: Street Food & Grooves Festival
- 11.05.2019 to 19.05.2019: Chesterfield Area Walking Festival

June

- 05.06.2019 to 09.06.2019: RHS Chatsworth Flower Show
- 15.06.2019: Wildside Festival
- 21.06.2019: Jimmy Carr stand up
- 29.06.2019 to 07.07.2019: Hayfield Well Dressing

July

- 29.06.2019 to 07.07.2019: Hayfield Well Dressing
- 06.07.2019 to 07.07.2019: Dronfield Food and Drink Festival
- 30.07.2019: Chesterfield Medieval Fun Day

For more information please visit the following websites:

- www.visitpeakdistrict.co.uk
- www.visitashbourne.co.uk/whats-on

COUNTRY PUBS, CAFES AND RESTAURANTS

Cafes			
The Flower Café, Ashbourne	(v)(GF)	££-£££	
(01335 344090)			
The Courtyard Café, Ashbourne	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	£	
(01335 347658)			
Cafe Impromptu, Ashbourne	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(07733 242255)			
Herbert's Café, Tissington	(v)	££	
(01335 350501)			
Edensor Tea Cottage, Edensor	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01246 582315)			
Caudwell Café, Rowsley	(v)(ve)(DF)	££-£££	
(01629 734374)			
Peakfeast, Youlgreave	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	£	
(01629 630000)			
Vegan Revelation, Belper	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	£	
Jack Rabbits, Ashbourne	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01335 342285)			
Edensor Tea Cottage	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01246 582315)			

Restaurants			
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The Bridge, Ashbourne	(v)	££-£££	
(01335 418234)			
Carriages Bar & Restaurant, Newhaven	(v)	££-£££	
(01298 84528)			
The Lighthouse, Boyleston		££££	
(01335 330658)			
Lamplight, Ashbourne	(v)	££-£££	
(01335 342279)			
Mercia, Wirksworth	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01629 259342)			
The Cock Inn, Muggington	(v)(GF)	££-£££	
(01773 550703)			
Anayas, Ashbourne	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01335 300021)			

Thai Basement, Ashbourne	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££
(01335 300305)		
Thailand No.1, Matlock	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££
(01522 537000)		
Carriages Restaurant, Newhaven	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	£££
(01298 84528)		
The Ketch, Kniveton	(v)(GF)	££-£££
(01335 347470)		
Chatsworth Estate	(v)(GF)	££££
(01246 565300)		

Pubs			
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Saracens, Shirley	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01335 360330)			
Stepping Stones, Ashbourne	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01335 300800)			
The Bowling Green Inn, Ashbourne	(v)	££-£££	
(01335 342511)			
The Old Dog, Thorpe	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01335 350990)			
The Sycamore Inn, Parwich	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01335 390212)			
Bentley Brook, Fenny Bentley	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££	
(01335 350278)			
The Three Horse Shoes, Long Lane Village	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01332 824625)			
The Knockerdown Inn, Carsington Water	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01629 540209)			
The George, Alstonefield	(v)	££-£££	
(01335 310205)			
Packhorse Inn	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01629 640471)			
The White Lion, Great Longstone	(v)(ve)(GF)(DF)	££-£££	
(01629 640252)			

Should you have any more queries regarding the property or the local area, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind Regards,

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