



September, October, November & December 2018

Dear All,

Things are slow but steady and we are grateful that you are supporting our trips which we provide for you. We are going to carry on offering them for the foreseeable future and hope that we are counting on you to book. We are aware that the Winter is fast approaching and we try to include trips which are undercover for this part of the year, but if there is anywhere which you would like to visit, please let us know and we will be happy to look into putting a trip on to there.

We have extended our office opening hours to 9am-3pm Monday-Friday, however please note that there will be occasions when the opening hours will revert back to 10am-1pm but you can always leave a message.

We have included your new loyalty card: dont forget to get it stamped!

Exciting news! We are re-branding. We are going to be known as Pickme-up.co.uk (operated by Holsworthy Rural Community Transport). Over the course of the next few months you will see our new logo and name on the paperwork, uniform and buses. Bright, fresh, modern and to the point! Keep a look out for the new logo.

I know it is too soon to be talking about the 'C' word, but just early notification of our Christmas opening hours. We will closing at 3pm on Friday 21st December and reopening at 9am on Wednesday 2nd January. During this time we will be monitoring messages left on the answering machine and acting on anything deemed urgent. We ask that you do not call with any non-urgent or routine matters until the office is open again on 2nd January 2019.

Bodmin Moor Drive & Lunch: Take in the stunning scenery of Bodmin National Park and stop for lunch.

Endsleigh Garden Centre: Based at Ivybridge, near Plymouth, the Wyevale garden centre is renowned for its passion for plants which is reflected in the colourful and inspirational displays. The amazing variety of products and bright, airy undercover shopping guarantees you have an enjoyable experience.

Lunch @ Drewsteignton: Drewsteignton is a village within the administrative area of West Devon, also lying within the Dartmoor National Park. It is located in the valley of the River Teign, 13 miles (21 km) west of Exeter and 9 miles (14 km) south east of Okehampton. If it is views that you like, then book this trip. The views from the Fingle Bridge Inn are stunning. Enjoy a home

Darts Farm: From the humble beginnings of the farm shop hut nearly 40 years ago Darts Farm has continually evolved. The farm shop is still at the centre of their success, with the emphasis on food that is locally grown reared, baked or caught. They have an on-site master butcher, fishmonger, baker, deli, cider maker and restaurant. They also have a fantastic lifestyle shopping experience to offer. A compilation of carefully handpicked specialist retailers, such as AGA, Fired Earth and Cotswold Outdoor as well small independent boutiques such as The Orange Tree and The Treatment Loft spa all under one roof. They are still a working farm, selling all of their home-grown produce directly through the farm shop. They have animals to visit, pick-your-own fruit and vegetables, fishing ponds, bird hide, the Maize Maze and a farm walk that will take you around the beautiful vegetable fields.

Ikea, Exeter: A request from a couple of our clients. Take a trip to the newly opened Exeter branch of the iconic store which is Ikea. Much more than flat pack furniture! Enjoy their famous meatballs (or whatever else takes your fancy) for lunch. Please note that we are not able to transport any furniture, flat pack or not on the bus on the way home, so if you are ordering furniture, please make sure you get it delivered!

Lynnton & Lynmouth: A chance to enjoy the twin towns in North Devon, maybe take the cliff railway from one town to the other.

Otter Nurseries, Otter St Mary: Otter Garden Centres is an established family-run garden centre business. Ottery St Mary garden centre has grown to become one of the largest in the UK. They grow over 80% of the plants they sell in their own nurseries. From bedding plants to camellias, roses to poinsettias, their growers are committed to growing the highest quality plants for our customers. They even offer a two-year guarantee on their hardy plants. You can also buy trees, native and exotic. And if you need advice, their expert teams are always on hand to help you. Whether you want to know what grows best in your soil, what to plant when, how to keep your borders or pots looking wonderful for a longer season, which trees are good for the size of your garden, you will receive advice from those that know. The garden centre offers more than plants, with a wide choice of lifestyle purchases including clothing and footwear, cookware, crafts, gifts and much more.

Cockington Court House: Set in an award-winning country park a mile away from the seafront, Cockington Court is an historic manor house with over twenty craft studios, tea rooms, walled art garden, tudor rose garden, contemporary art gallery and a popular children's play area. Entry is free.

The Garden House: Come and explore one of the finest gardens in Britain. Whether you're a keen gardener or just looking for an inspiring day out on Dartmoor, you will love The Garden House. Stay a while, treat yourself to cakes or lunch in the wonderful tea rooms, and pick up a special plant from the well stocked plant centre. Admission is £7.95/8.95 and paid on the gate.

Hannah's @ Seale-Hayne: Hannahs at Seale-Hayne is set within 90 acres of spectacular Devon countryside near Newton Abbot. It boasts shops, a bistro, a pantry and gallery to keep you entertained.



TIMETABLE

September

| Day | Date | Destination | Price |
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| Tuesday | 4th | Lynton & Lynmouth | £6.00 |

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| Tuesday | 11th | Barnstaple | £5.50 |
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| Tuesday | 18th | Cockington Court House | £7.00 |
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| Tuesday | 25th | Lunch @ Drewsteigton | £5.50 |
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November

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| Tuesday | 6th | Trago Mills, Newton Abbot | £6.50 |

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| Tuesday | 13th | Ikea, Exeter | £6.00 |
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| Tuesday | 20th | Launceston, Retail Park & Tesco | £4.50 |
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| Tuesday | 27th | Hannah's @ Seale-Haynes | £6.50 |
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October

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| Tuesday | 2nd | The Garden House | £5.50 |

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| Tuesday | 9th | Darts Farm | £6.50 |
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| Tuesday | 16th | Tavistock & Supermarket | £5.00 |
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| Tuesday | 23rd | Endsleigh Garden Centre | £6.50 |
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| Tuesday | 30th | Bodmin Moor Drive | £5.50 |
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December

| Day | Date | Destination | Price |
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| Tuesday | 4th | Atlantic Village or Bideford | £4.50 |

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| Tuesday | 11th | Barnstaple | £5.50 |
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| Tuesday | 18th | Otter Nurseries | £7.00 |
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