



Visiting Dorset and the New Forest?

# Christchurch

The perfect day out

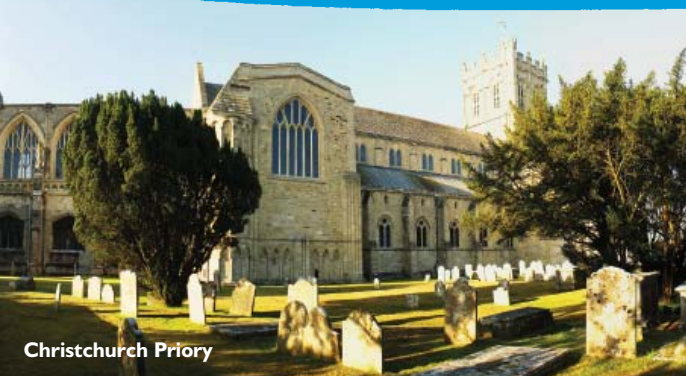
- Fascinating Heritage
- Riverside Walks & Quays
- Large MONDAY Market
- Guided Walks/Tours available
- Excellent Tea Rooms & Cafés

- FREE Coach Parking
- Driver's FREE Refreshment Voucher
- Two Town Centre Drop-off/Pick-up points



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# So much to do and see...



Christchurch Priory



Avon Beach



Place Mill



Castle ruins



Christchurch Quay



Mudford Quay

## HISTORIC CHRISTCHURCH

- Magnificent 11th Century Priory Church
- Christchurch Castle ruins
- Norman Hall ruins
- Highcliffe Castle
- Red House Museum and Gardens
- Place Mill
- Museum of Electricity

## OUT AND ABOUT

- River cruises
- Glorious gardens
- Riverside walks
- Tea Rooms
- Christchurch Quay
- Mudford Quay
- Stewarts GardenLands

Christchurch is the perfect destination for a great day out whatever the time of year. The unique combination of fascinating heritage, attractive coastline, quays and harbour combined with excellent restaurants, tea rooms, unusual shops and award-winning attractions ensures there is something to attract all ages.

A suggested itinerary for your day visit would be to spend half a day in the town centre followed by a visit to Highcliffe Castle.

## GUIDED TOURS

### Christchurch Priory

A fascinating opportunity to learn all about the Priory's amazing history and architecture.

Open Daily (*unless Church Service in progress*)

Tel: 01202 485804

### Highcliffe Castle

Learn all about the Castle's interesting history, architecture and exhibitions.

Tel: 01425 278807 (*booking advisable*)

### Guided Walks and History Cruises

Mike Andrews Tel: 07968 334441 (*booking essential*)

Guided walks and tours can be organised to suit the needs of your group.

For further information contact: Christchurch Tourism

Tel: 01202 495127

Email: A.Simon@christchurch.gov.uk



Medieval Bridge



Highcliffe Castle

Christchurch has a wide programme of exhibitions and events throughout the year which are ideal for group visits. Full details of these can be obtained from the Christchurch Information Centre 01202 471780 or from our website [www.visitchristchurch.info](http://www.visitchristchurch.info)

Highcliffe Castle also has an exciting programme of events and exhibitions and welcomes coaches. The adjacent Castle Tea Rooms, Cliff Hanger Café and Highcliffe Cliff Top car park all welcome coach parties and serve delicious snacks, light lunches and cream teas.

For more information and confirmation of dates telephone 01425 278807 or visit [www.highcliffecastle.co.uk](http://www.highcliffecastle.co.uk)

*Please note that all dates are provisional at the time of going to print. For more information, please contact the Christchurch Information Centre – Tel: 01202 471780  
Email: [enquiries@christchurchtourism.info](mailto:enquiries@christchurchtourism.info)*

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## EVENTS & FESTIVALS 2011

**May**

### International Food Market

A fabulous two day open-air market in Christchurch town centre. Over 100 traders selling quality local, regional and international food and drink. Free demonstrations by top celebrity and local chefs.

**June**

### Big Band Concert – Highcliffe Castle

**French Market – Saxon Square**

**July**

### Mudford Lifeboat Fun Day Tunisian Souk Market – Saxon Square

**August**

### Christchurch Festival Stompin' on the Quomps Free outdoor concert on Christchurch Quay.

**Sicilian Market – Saxon Square**

**September**

### Big Band Concert – Highcliffe Castle



## REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

### Mondays Christchurch Market (all year)

Up to 100 traders selling food, clothes, household goods and bric-a-brac. High Street closed to traffic all day.

### Fridays Dorset Farmers' Market (1st Friday in the month - all year)

**Saxon Square 9am - 1pm**  
Over 20 local food producers selling quality handmade/home grown produce.

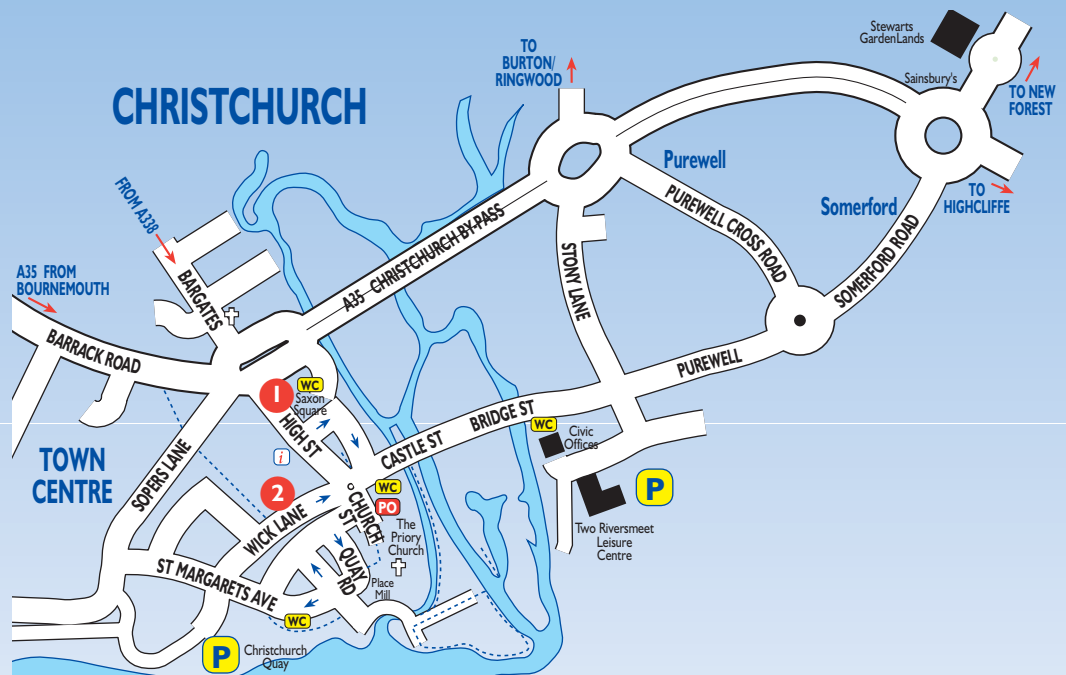
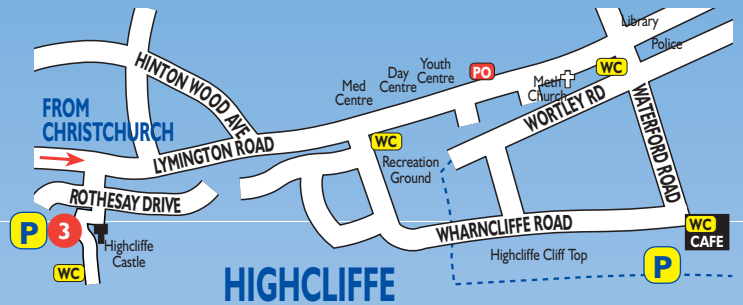
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FREE DRIVERS' REFRESHMENT VOUCHERS



# Welcomes Coaches

Christchurch is delighted to welcome coach parties whatever the time of year and to make your visit easier for you we can provide:

- **DEDICATED FREE COACH PARKING** **P**
  - Stony Lane adjacent to Two Riversmeet Leisure Centre
  - Mayor's Mead Car Park (level walk to Christchurch Priory & the town centre)
  - Highcliffe Cliff Top car park
  
- **DEDICATED COACH DROP-OFF PICK-UP POINTS**
  - 1 High Street outside Barclays Bank
  - 2 Wick Lane opposite the Thomas Tripp Inn
  - 3 Highcliffe Castle – just inside the gates
  
- **FREE REFRESHMENT VOUCHERS FOR DRIVERS**
  
- **DRIVER INCENTIVES AT MOST ATTRACTIONS**
  
- **ADVICE ON ACCESS FOR DISABLED PEOPLE**



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## DRIVERS' REFRESHMENT VOUCHERS



This voucher entitles one coach driver with parties of 35 and over to refreshments to the value of £10.00. Voucher is only redeemable in the Edwards Coffee Shop.

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