

CRICCIETH

Very appropriately known as “the Pearl of Wales on the Shores of Snowdonia”, the beautiful town of Criccieth has been blessed. Situated on the Llyn peninsula, Criccieth and its two beaches are warmed by the Gulf Stream and dominated by the mountains of glorious Snowdonia.

Closer to home, the town is watched over by the famous castle, built by the Welsh princes and still clinging to its perch on a high rock. Indeed, the history of the town has been closely linked to the development of the castle, which is thought to date from around 1230. This is fabulous country, ideal for sight-seeing, walking or just relaxing.

Further down the coast, for example, we find the amazing Italianate village of Portmeirion, where “The Prisoner” was filmed. There really is something for everyone in this area.



Depart	Coach	Days	Price	Single Supp
22 Mar GOOD OLD DAYS	Exec	5HB	£199	Nil
03 Dec TURKEY AND TINSEL	Exec	4HB	£165	Nil

PRICE INCLUDES:

- 4 nights half-board accommodation in the 2☆ Lion Hotel
- Luxury Coach Travel
- Good Old Days Tour - see excursions included panel
- Turkey & Tinsel - see excursions included panel
- Home pick-up service



LION HOTEL ★★

This lovely hotel occupies a central position on the village green and has views of the castle. Offering excellent accommodation in well-appointed bedrooms, this family owned hotel will provide you with a memorable holiday.

HOTEL:

- Lift
- En suite rooms
- Entertainment
- Colour TV
- Tea/coffee in room

ITINERARY: THE GOOD OLD DAYS:

Day 1 After a pleasant drive through north Wales, with stops en route, we'll receive a warm welcome at the hotel and an old penny to spend on a drink before dinner. After dinner we take a light-hearted look at Music Halls and their acts from the 40s, 50s & 60s. There will be fun, quizzes, competitions, price comparisons and prizes!

Day 2 After breakfast we're off to the beautiful Isle of Anglesey and Llanfairpwll...gogogoch for coffee and the Pringle Woollen Mill. Then we go on to Llandudno, the elegant Victorian resort, to exchange one of your vouchers for a delicious Cadwalader's ice cream...hmm!...and to visit the Home Front museum or Llandudno museum. You'll have a voucher to cover your entrance. After dinner we are treated to an evening 'Time to Remember' with the hugely talented Mr Martin Barry. Sing along if the mood takes you!

Day 3 Spend a leisurely day in Criccieth or take the Cambrian Coast Railway to Pwllheli for market day. This evening you can purchase tickets for seats in the stalls (price 1/6d) to see 'The way we were', a fascinating trip down memory lane to complement your wonderful holiday with Memory Lane!

Day 4 Today we visit Porthmadog for a ride on the Welsh Highland Steam Railway - which will remind us of transport in the 40s - and tea in china cups and scones or Bara Brith in the station café. You'll have to exchange one of your coupons here, of course! Tonight is our 'Black & White' party night: get your glad rags on and enjoy a sumptuous dinner with all the goodies that were in short supply. Then it's good old-fashioned fun, "knees up Mother Brown" etc...

Day 5 Breakfast and home, but today's still part of the holiday so let's think of it as an excursion!



ITINERARY: TURKEY AND TINSEL:

Christmas Eve Breakfast is served between 9 to 9.30am. Evening Dinner is served at 7.30pm After dinner we have carol singers together with the talents of "Mr Tim Hughes" Enjoy the beautiful voice of this talented young man.

Christmas Day Santa Buck Fizz breakfast served between - 9.30am. Guess the weight of the Christmas Cake and win a bottle of buddly! Just before evening Dinner there will be a visit from You know Who... Christmas dinner is served at 7.30 pm followed by our Christmas Cracker Party Night with on and only Stephanie Stevens. Party Hats, crackers and lots of fun.

New Years Eve Take a leisurely breakfast and then enjoy a scenic drive. Arrive back at the hotel in time to prepare for this evening New Years Celebrations Dinner is served at 7.30pm then dance the night away to Steve Nicholas before we bring in the New Year at midnight.

New Years Day Time to say goodbye and a safe journey home.