



WATERWAY HOLIDAYS

on the canals and rivers of England and Wales



Anglo-Welsh Waterway Holidays 1997

Magic of the Waterways

An Anglo-Welsh waterway holiday is magic – it really is. Floating through the countryside surrounded by wild flowers and perhaps catching a glimpse of the flashing blue flight of a kingfisher; seeing our towns and villages in all their splendour; away from the pressure of work, car and phone, and with a warm, welcoming pub just round the next bend. A real adventure, safe yet exciting, exploring a new world and helping with locks, mooring, steering and visiting places of interest en route.

In the 200 years since they were built the waterways still retain their charm and character. The surroundings – locks, steps, bridges, wharfs and towpaths blend well with all the modern architecture. You can visit theatres, restaurants, stately houses, castles, leisure centres and the local village pub – all yours to savour and enjoy on your Anglo-Welsh holiday.

A boating holiday is a lot of fun – whether with your family or your friends you can choose a tranquil relaxing cruise or a holiday

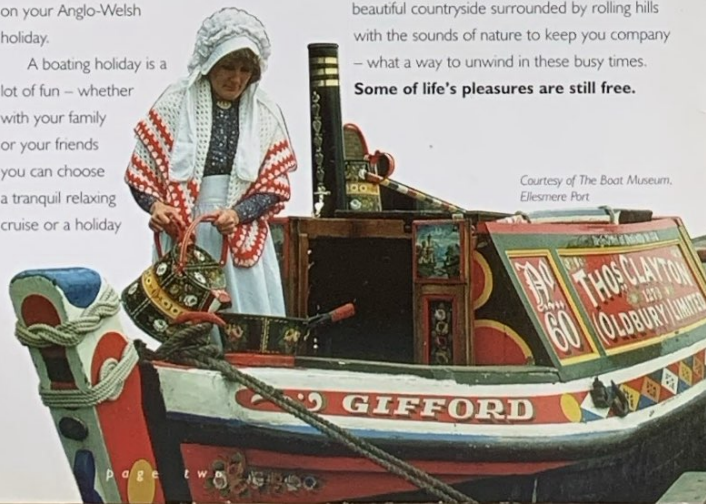
of adventure and exploration. Why not have a few hours fishing, read a book, set up the barbecue and catch up on time together.

A canalside pub makes a welcoming visit for your evening meal or just to talk to fellow travellers about your many waterway experiences.

The young navigator enjoys helping Mum and Dad with the locks, steering the boat and planning the route, maybe to pass through a major town or city, so they can sample the local facilities, cinemas, leisure centres and lots lots more.

If you want peace and quiet, moor in the beautiful countryside surrounded by rolling hills with the sounds of nature to keep you company – what a way to unwind in these busy times.

Some of life's pleasures are still free.



Courtesy of The Boat Museum, Ellesmere Port



View from the Pontcysyllte Aqueduct, Llangollen Canal.



Working boats.

What's special about Anglo-Welsh

- Established over 30 years
- Quality service
- Quality boats
- Friendly family run bases
- Attractive pricing
- Extra help for beginners



Lift bridge

As you read through our brochure watch out for our  &  stamps.

They will help you to choose the top value holidays and enjoy our best possible service.

Planning your holiday is all part of the fun and to make it easier we have included a FREE holiday route planner (in the back cover) – showing all our bases and many of the popular cruises.

Your holiday is as important to us as it is to you. All Anglo-Welsh staff care a great deal about their customers and work very hard to get it just right for you so we may welcome you time and time again.

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IN POCKET
INSIDE BACK COVER
OF BROCHURE

Discounts and . . .



Early Booking Family Discount



Book for a week or more before the 31st January 1997 and we will give you £25.00 off every child under the age of 14, be sure to put the date of birth on the Booking Form to qualify. (maximum child discount £100 per boat).



SPRINGTIME CRUISES

With an extra holiday bonus

Book for 1 week's holiday in March, April or May before the 31st January 1997 and we will give you a **£50** voucher to use on a holiday in Medium or High season or a **£100** voucher to use on a Peak season holiday in 1997.



FREE COACH TRANSFER

See more canal for your money

This is where you cruise from one base to another and again we will be offering these cruises between Trevor and Great Haywood bases and Trevor and New Mills and as a real special deal your transfer by coach between the bases is absolutely **FREE!!** that's right! a One Way Trip costs no more than any other cruise.

MULTI WEEK DISCOUNTS

For that longer cruise

For all holidays two weeks and over we are giving the following discounts off the last week of your holiday.

- 2 week holidays **10%** discount off 2nd week
- 3 week holidays **25%** discount off 3rd week
- 4 week holidays **35%** discount off 4th week
- 5 week holidays **50%** discount off 5th week
- 6 week holidays **75%** discount off 6th week



FLOTILLA BOOKINGS

Float away with family and friends

All you have to do is book more than one boat in the same name/date/base and duration and we will give you a **10%** discount off each boat. This is on top of any other discounts – fun afloat.



Matthew, Joseph and James.



. . . Extra Value Holidays



CHILDREN'S BONUS

Don't you just love them.

Here's something really special – We welcome children and to prove it we will give children aged from 3 years to 13 years a special 'towpath pack', together with £10 pocket money in cash on arrival at your holiday centre all we ask is for you to book a minimum of one week's holiday.



FREE PLACES

FREE EXTRA places for children under 14 on certain boats – See boats with this symbol

please note that these places do not qualify for early booking discount, but still get the children's bonus above.

OCTOBER HALF TERM

No surcharges

To help the family party we are not raising our prices for the October half term – as this is a very popular week we would urge you to book early.



Winter cruising.



Party time.



SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Let us help you celebrate

If you are celebrating a birthday, wedding anniversary or something really special let us know and we will provide the cake.



Spring cruising on a Silver 2.



Family picnic.

SPECIAL BASE PROMOTIONS – lots and lots more value

Our bases have some great value offers – FREE licences, vouchers to places of interest and many more. See pages 14 - 17.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

Winter Wonderland



For that extra special treat we will be giving you a FREE Christmas hamper when you book for Christmas 1997 – Cosy cruising in our fully heated boats. Enjoy a Christmas adventure for 1997.



Reflections.

Customer Care



OVERSEAS VISITORS

Let us make it easy for you.

We welcome all our customers from overseas and

hopefully we can smooth the passage to your holiday boat. Details of the service we can provide will be included with your holiday confirmation or telephone the booking office for further information – we can organise groceries for your trip – we will put on all your hand and shower towels free of charge.



FIRST TIMERS

Don't worry, you will take to it like a duck to water.

We will help you all the way. When you arrive for your boat our staff will give you full tuition and will even accompany you a short while if you wish. All you have to do is let us know on the booking form that you have never been canalling before and we will send you a FREE instructional video (UK system, not compatible with USA and Canadian equipment) and Towpath Tips guide.



FREE transfer of booking – if your party changes or you wish to change your location we will transfer you free of charge – subject to availability.



FREE grocery service – let us order your groceries, we will send you a list with your paperwork.



FREE advice – the team in the booking office have extensive cruising knowledge and can help you with planning your route just phone us for friendly advice.

EXTRA SERVICE – For your convenience we will put a free B.T.Charge Card on every boat so you can ring your boatyard if you need to while on holiday.



Tuition time.



Stirling class dining area.



Your Holiday Boat



Chester

Choosing the right boat

Explore the next few pages and you will find the layouts of all our boats to help you choose the right one for you.

Here are a few points worth remembering.

- It is better to sort out which boat suits your party before you choose the base – if you are happy with the boat you will be happy with your holiday.
- If you don't want to make up beds then choose a boat 2 berths larger than your party – having said that, it is always fun making up beds after a visit to the pub!
- Wide beam boats are only available from our Adelaide base.
- On page 13 you will find a grid which shows which boats are available at each base.
- We are happy to help you so a quick call to the booking office will answer all your questions.



Silver 6 at Westford locks.



Young navigator



Avon class.

On your boat you will find a full compliment of cutlery, crockery, kitchen equipment and bedding. (If you would like a full list of the equipment on board, please ask and we'll send you a copy).

We have duvets (complete with covers), two pillows with

pillowcases and a fitted bottom sheet on all berths. Extra bedding is always available on request.

For the younger travellers (aged 2 or less), we have cots or cotsides available (but please bring your own bedding). These are free of charge, please order where shown on the booking form (in pocket inside back cover).

Many firms say that their boats are the best. We think ours are! Over 75% of our customers have either been with us before or have been recommended to us and that says it all.





Our Wide Beam Fleet

Nene class

Spacious Saloons - Large Decks

These boats are just like narrow boats, but 3ft wider. They enjoy all the usual comforts, central heating, large showers and toilets, fully fitted kitchen and the extra width allows a wonderful large saloon area with wicker chairs at the front. Both the fore and aft decks benefit enormously from the extra space.

These easy to drive boats can only cruise on the wider canals and rivers and are only available from our Adelaide base.

Chiltern class



Dining on a wide beam boat.



Bedtime story.



SYMBOLS USED IN BOAT ILLUSTRATIONS	
	TABLE
	BERTHS/SETTEE
	2 BERTHS
	1 UPPER, 1 LOWER
	SETTEE
	SEAT
	1/2 EXTRA PASSENGERS
	SINK
	WASHBASIN
	COOKER
	FRIDGE

BOAT ILLUSTRATIONS	
	MICROWAVE
	FREEZER
	AIRING
	CUPBOARD
	SHOWER
	WARDROBE
	DRAWERS
	SHELVES
	DRESSING TABLE
	LARDER
	TOILET

For Prices see inside of back cover

	STORT class SIZE: 33ft x 9ft 10ins (10m x 3m) 1 double & 2 single bunks in 2 cabins
	NENE class SIZE: 37ft x 9ft 10ins (11.3m x 3m) 1 double & 2 singles (or 2 doubles) in 2 cabins
	CHILTERN class SIZE: 41ft x 9ft 10ins (12.4m x 3m) 1 double, 2 singles & 2 single bunks (or 2 doubles & 2 single bunks) in 3 cabins
	THAMES class SIZE: 44ft x 9ft 10ins (13.3m x 3m) 3 doubles (or 2 doubles & 2 singles) in 3 cabins
	REGENT class SIZE: 46ft x 9ft 10ins (13.9m x 3m) 1 double & 8 large bunks in 3 cabins

PLEASE NOTE: The boat descriptions, photos and plans should only be used as a guide - details may vary from boat to boat.



Galley on a Silver class.



Rosie and Jim on a Silver 6.

Silver 4 lounge.



Note: The Silver 6 at New Mills is 62ft long.

Our Silver Fleet

Look at the extra luxury

- COLOUR TV
- ARMCHAIRS
- CARPETS
- FREEZER (Silver 6)
- MICROWAVE (Silver 6)
- PERMANENT DOUBLE BEDS WITH INTERIOR SPRUNG MATTRESSES
- ROOMY LOUNGE
- HAND & SHOWER TOWELS

More Space - More Comfort



Silver 4 class.

Our spacious Silver class boats have been designed for those discerning customers who seek that little extra comfort. All have an open plan lounge with armchairs, carpets, colour TV, coffee table and all have been upgraded to the popular water flush toilets.

There is a mock four poster double bed on the Silver 2s. You can leave the double bed on the Silver 4s permanently made up.

The centre cabin of the Silver 6 has a permanent double bed and there are two toilets. To assist the larger party, every Silver 6 has a freezer and microwave.

A modern livery distinguishes these excellent, spacious craft from the standard fleet, so why not spoil yourself.



For Prices see inside of back cover

	SILVER 2 class SIZE: 48ft x 6ft 10ins (14.6m x 2.1m) 1 fixed double
	SILVER 4 class SIZE: 58ft x 6ft 10ins (17.7m x 2.1m) 1 double & 2 singles (or 2 doubles) in 2 cabins
	SILVER 6 class SIZE: 65ft x 6ft 10ins (19.7m x 2.1m) 1 fixed double, 1 dinette double & 2 singles (or 3 doubles) in 3 cabins

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Our Cruising Fleet



Tea time on a Kingfisher class.



Royal class.

Economic Cruising - A Good Family Boat

These boats offer good value economy cruising and all boats have central heating, shower, toilet, hot and cold water, electric fridge, full size cooker and stainless steel sink, with more bunk berths on board, making a real 'boaty' feel to bedtime for the children. Forward and aft cockpits are roomy, have good seating areas and all boats have raised helmsman's seats.

WHAT ABOUT EXTRA CHILDREN?

Some boats have provision for fitting temporary pipe cot berths for one, or sometimes two, extra children. These are free of charge for children under 14, no person over the age of 14 is permitted in these pipe cots. Only boats with this symbol can carry extra children.

SYMBOLS USED IN

- TABLE
- BERTHS/SETTEE
- 2 BERTHS
- 1 UPPER, 1 LOWER SETTEE
- SEAT
- 1/2 EXTRA PASSENGERS
- SINK
- WASHBASIN
- COOKER
- FRIDGE

BOAT ILLUSTRATIONS

- MICROWAVE
- FREEZER
- AIRING
- CUPBOARD
- SHOWER
- WARDROBE
- DRAWERS
- SHELVES
- DRESSING TABLE
- LARDER
- TOILET

For Prices see inside of back cover

CLOVER class
SIZE: 37ft x 6ft 10ins
(11.3m x 2.1m)
1 double & 1 single in 2 cabins

HENLEY class
SIZE: 42ft x 6ft 10ins
(12.8m x 2.1m)
1 double & 2 single bunks in 2 cabins

WELLAND class
SIZE: 42ft x 6ft 10ins
(12.8m x 2.1m)
1 double & 2 singles (or 2 doubles) in 2 cabins

CRINAN class
SIZE: 49ft x 6ft 10ins
(14.9m x 2.1m)
1 double & 4 single bunks in 3 cabins

STIRLING class
SIZE: 56ft x 6ft 10ins
(17.1m x 2.1m)
1 double & 6 single bunks in 4 cabins

ROYAL class
SIZE: 69ft x 6ft 10ins
(21.1m x 2.1m) 1 double, 2 singles & 6 single bunks (or 2 doubles & 6 single bunks) in 4 cabins



Bedtime in a bunk.



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Our Super Fleet

Popular Choice - Backbone of the fleet

All our boats have been designed with your comfort in mind. Each has central heating, shower, toilet, hot and cold water, electric fridge, full size cooker and stainless steel sink. Forward and aft cockpits are roomy, have good seating areas and all boats have raised helmsman's seats. We would suggest all adult parties may find the additional space on these boats beneficial.



Avon class.



Two berths on Super classes.

For Prices see inside of back cover

KINGFISHER class
SIZE: 37ft x 6ft 10ins
(11.3m x 2.1m)
1 double & 1 single in 2 cabins

WEY class
SIZE: 45ft x 6ft 10ins
(13.6m x 2.1m)
1 fixed double & 1 single in 2 cabins

KENNET class
SIZE: 48ft x 6ft 10ins
(14.6m x 2.1m) 1 double & 2 singles (or 2 doubles) in 2 cabins

AVON class
SIZE: 56ft x 6ft 10ins
(17.1m x 2.1m) 1 double, 2 single bunks & 2 singles (or 2 doubles & 2 single bunks) in 3 cabins

TRENT class
SIZE: 62ft x 6ft 10ins
(18.9m x 2.1m) 1 double, 4 single bunks & 2 singles (or 2 doubles & 4 single bunks) in 3 cabins

HUMBER class
SIZE: 64ft x 6ft 10ins
(19.7m x 2.1m) 1 double, 4 singles & 4 single bunks (or 2 doubles, 2 singles & 4 single bunks) in 4 cabins



Dining on a Super class.

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Choose the cruise – one to suit everybody

Short Break Holidays

WEEKENDER

Friday 3.00pm – Monday 10.00am

MIDWEEKER

Monday 3.00pm – Friday 10.00am

Weekly Holidays

START DAYS – Choice of

Friday, Saturday, Monday –

Arrive 3.00pm Finish 10.00am

The very first thing is to take out the **FREE Route Planner** from the pocket on the inside back cover – this will help you with planning your cruise, it shows how many hours and locks there are between towns and junctions, where our boats are based and most of the popular circuits. Planning is fun, but if you do want help the team in the booking office will be happy to advise you.

Circular Trips

WEEKLY + All bases

Many round trips can be achieved in a week for example, The Avon Ring, Four Counties

Ring and Cheshire Ring but of course if you have 2 weeks you will be able to spend more time with on shore activities.

For the East Midland Circuit, The Warwickshire Ring and South of England Circuit we would recommend 2 weeks.

The giant of them all is the Pennine Circuit which needs a full 3 weeks.

ALL THE ABOVE ARE TRULY WONDERFUL ADVENTURES.

SHORT BREAKS from Adelaide Dock

The ultimate short break ring is the London Circuit – Magnificent in so many ways. Moor in Little Venice, visit Regents Park Zoo and cruise under Tower Bridge, past the Houses of Parliament.

Out & Back Cruises

SHORT BREAKS & WEEKLY + All bases

This is very leisurely you can stop and start where you want, spend time looking round places of interest, moor outside a pub for lunch and if it's really good call again on your return.

One Way Trips

WEEKLY + Trevor / Great Haywood and Trevor / New Mills.

Why not try a one way trip – where you start at one base and finish at another. A real adventure with no turning back. You need at least a week's holiday, but if you have longer there are lots of other canals you can explore.

The boats shuttle between Trevor and Great Haywood or Trevor and New Mills or vice versa. Whichever route you take you will enjoy the stunning Llangollen Canal and the magnificent Pontcysyllte Aqueduct. We provide FREE transport to transfer you between bases so that your car is waiting for you at the end of your holiday.



Autumn cruising



BOAT, BASE AVAILABILITY and STARTING DAYS

CRUISING CLASS	GREAT HAYWOOD	NEW MILLS	NORTH KILWORTH	WOOTTON WAWEN	TREVOR	ONE WAY TREV/GT.HAY	ONE WAY TREV/NEW.M	LOWER HAYFORD	WELSHPOOL	ADELAIDE DOCK	BRISTOL
CLOVER											
HENLEY											
WELLAND											
CRINAN											
STIRLING											
ROYAL											
SUPER CLASS											
KINGFISH'R											
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TRENT											
HUMBER											
WIDE BEAM BOATS											
STORT											
NENE											
CHILTERN											
THAMES											
REGENT											
SILVER CLASS											
SILVER 2											
SILVER 4											
SILVER 6											

SATURDAY START
Weekly holidays

FRIDAY or MONDAY START
Short Break, Weekly, 10 or 11 day holidays

BOATS AVAILABLE
in either combination

Licence Information

All our boats are licensed for the waterways on which they are based. You will need to buy a licence ONLY if you wish to visit other waterways.

1996 prices shown –

River Avon (Warwickshire) £29.00 for 7 days
Stratford – Evesham

Evesham – Tewkesbury £25.00 for 7 days

*Stratford – Tewkesbury £42.00 for 7 days

(Combined Licence)

*River Thames £10 - £16 per day
(depending on length and width of boat)

*Rochdale Licence £30.00 per passage

*PLEASE NOTE These licence fees are reduced or free from some of our bases, so check the special offers on pages 14 - 17.



River Dee.



Our base at Bristol

River Avon - Kennet & Avon Canal - Bath & Bristol

Our base in Bristol is ideally suited to take advantage of the heritage of Bath and Bristol. Start your holiday in the wide smooth waters of Bristol's floating Harbour and cruise gently past the SS Great Britain and through the heart of Bristol. Follow the winding River Avon to Bath

where the Kennet and Avon canal leaves the river near the centre of Bath.

The attractions of Bath are too numerous to detail but what better way to visit than from a boat moored close to the city centre.

When you leave Bath the canal climbs gently up the Avon valley into rolling farmland. You can visit the Claverton Pumping Station or marvel at John Rennie's Dundas Aqueduct before returning to Bristol and perhaps a final

meal in one of the many excellent restaurants available around the harbour. With river and canal, lock and tunnel, aqueduct and swing bridge there is something for everyone in holidaying from Bristol.

Our team at Bristol will do all they can to ensure your holiday is long remembered.



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE Bristol Waterways Licence on all holidays from this base.

FREE transfer from Bristol Temple Meads Station.

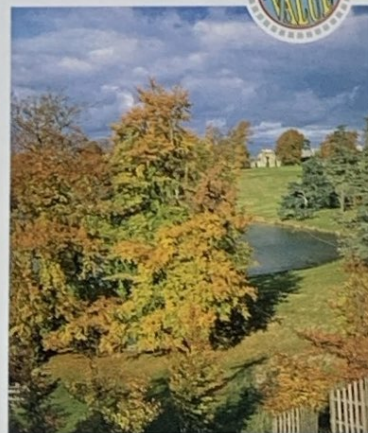


The base is adjacent to Heyford Railway Station. We will help you with your luggage



SPECIAL OFFER

FREE Thames licence if you book for 2 weeks or more (refund on return).



River Thames

Our base at Lower Heyford

canal meanders through beautiful rural landscapes.

Travel north from Lower Heyford to Napton Junction on the Grand Union visiting Banbury and the thatched and stone villages, many of which have good pubs serving food for all the family. The centre of Oxford, with all its famous sights, is only a day's cruise south of Lower Heyford. From Oxford you can turn upstream to the upper reaches of the Thames and Letchlade.

You will receive a warm welcome from Bob, Ann and Lawrence at this new Anglo-Welsh base. They will ensure that you have a terrific holiday. These boats are fully licenced for the canals.

If you visit the River Thames, however, you will need to buy a licence which costs approximately £15 per day. See next column for Special Offer.



South Oxford Canal - Upper Thames - Oxford - Banbury

Located halfway between Oxford and Banbury. Our Lower Heyford base is the ideal starting point to enjoy the peace and tranquility of the South Oxford Canal, famous for its lift bridges, many of which are permanently raised for the benefit of boaters. Designed by James Brindley to minimise the number of locks, the

Our base at Trevor



Trevor base



Pontcysyllte aqueduct

Mid Wales - Powis Castle - Newly Restored Section

MORE 'MONTY' THAN EVER!

In 1996, a further five and a half miles of the Montgomery Canal was re-opened. The main navigable stretch now extends from Burgedin locks, 9 miles north of Welshpool to Berriew, without doubt one of the most picturesque villages in Mid Wales.

We hope that Burgedin locks will be restored by the time this brochure reaches you, giving another three quarters of a mile of as yet unexplored navigation.

Our base at Welshpool can provide 4, 6 or 8 berth boats this year, giving you the opportunity to reach parts of the system that no other narrowboat can reach.

Visit the Montgomery canal, it may well be the last chance of having an entire canal almost to yourself!

You can be assured of a warm and friendly welcome from Ann and Dave Tucker at our Welshpool base.

1-WAY TRIPS from TREVOR

We offer one-way cruises between our TREVOR base and either GREAT HAYWOOD via the Shropshire Union Canal or the Trent and Mersey Canal or NEW MILLS via the Macclesfield Canal or the Bridgewater and Peak Forest Canals.

DAY BOAT AVAILABLE FROM TREVOR

Phone direct on 01978 821749



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE coach transfer on One-Way trips.

FREE Rochdale

licence on One-Way trips. (refund on return).

FREE collection from local B.R. Station



Our base at Welshpool



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE child admission to Moors Bird Collection when accompanied by an adult.

DISCOUNT VOUCHER for Welshpool and Llanfair Light Railway.

FREE black and white television when you book a boat from this base.

DAY BOAT & RESTAURANT BOAT AT WELSHPOOL

Phone direct on 01938 553271

Llangollen Canal - North Wales - Pontcysyllte Aqueduct

Considered by many to be the most beautiful waterway in the country - perhaps in the world - the Llangollen Canal was originally planned to link the Mersey to the Severn. This ambitious project was never achieved, but despite this it remains a superbly engineered waterway and boasts 2 of the finest aqueducts in the country. On the edge of the Welsh mountains, our Trevor base is just 2 days cruising from the popular Four Counties and Cheshire Rings and guarantees a cruise full of contrasts, from the staircase locks at Grindley Brook to Shropshire's mini lakes around Ellesmere; from the rolling plains of Cheshire to the quiet beauty of Wrenbury village.

Whether it's a one way trip or there and back again, a warm welcome awaits you from Mike and Rebecca, who will ensure you are well looked after on your arrival at the base.



Montgomery Canal



River Thames

Our base at North Kilworth

Leicester Canal - Rural England - Foxton Locks - Heart of the Waterways

Your holiday from North Kilworth offers a great choice of cruising routes right in the centre of the canal network. With its easy access from the motorways, it's a natural choice if you are travelling from the Eastern Counties and for visitors arriving at Harwich.

The Leicester section of the Grand Union is one of the most rural of our waterways. Its location on a lock free 22 mile summit, makes it ideal for novices who would like a little time to get used to their floating home before tackling the locks.

Heading North are the Foxton locks; a feat of engineering and further on the City of Leicester, with many attractions for the teenage crew. Travelling South there is the canal museum at Stoke Bruerne and the busy Braunston junction, hub of the canal network and access to the North Oxford or onto

Warwick with its splendid castle worth making time to visit.

You will get a friendly welcome and plenty of advice from the Sampson family and their staff, who will be happy to spend as much time with you as necessary before setting off on a holiday experience to treasure forever.

DAY BOAT AVAILABLE FROM NORTH KILWORTH
Phone direct on 01858 880484



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE collection from Birmingham airport.

DISCOUNT VOUCHER to Warwick Castle.



Watford locks, Leics. section of The Grand Union Canal



Our base at New Mills

The Upper Peak Forest Canal - Bosley Locks - Cheshire Ring

Set amongst the splendour of the Peak District and the Derbyshire National Park our base at New Mills enjoys a most superb setting. Mosey through the scenic Peak District before joining the five linked canals that form the popular Cheshire Ring. View England's highest plateau, Kinder Scout (2008ft) and marvel at the engineering of the 12 Bosley locks as they lower the canal 118ft on leaving the foothills of the Derbyshire Peaks.

Another plus for choosing to cruise from our New Mills base is the choice of the 26 mile lock free southerly start down the superb Macclesfield Canal to immediately unwind. To the north you have the rolling plains falling gently away giving magnificent views towards

Manchester, Chester and the Mersey.

You will get a friendly welcome and plenty of advice from Neil, Pat, Pauline and the rest of the staff when you arrive at New Mills.

I-WAY TRIPS from NEW MILLS TO TREVOR

via the Macclesfield or the Bridgewater canals.



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE Rochdale licence - minimum for 1 weeks holiday (refund on return)

FREE collection from Manchester airport.



DAY BOAT AVAILABLE FROM NEW MILLS
Phone direct on 01663 745000



Shropshire Union Canal

Our base at Great Haywood

The Staffs. & Wores. Canal - Cannock Chase - Staffordshire Potteries - Four Counties Ring

Situated on the edge of Cannock Chase, Great Haywood is just a stone's throw from Shugborough Hall and the Estate of the Earl of Lichfield. With its unique position on the junction of the Trent and Mersey with the Staffordshire and Worcestershire Canal, you will enjoy an enormous choice of cruising grounds. A short cruise to Stoke-on-Trent and you will find the National Garden Festival arena with access to an entertainments complex second to none and on the way why not visit the Wedgwood Potteries at Barlaston. Travelling South you are just 8 hours from Drayton Manor Theme Park - a must for the kids. With Birmingham's Black Country Museum, Theatres

and Concert Halls there are literally hundreds of options for canal side entertainment and in between you can savour the delights of the open moors, dense woodlands, sandstone cliffs and magnificent scenery.

Dave Stack and his staff will look after you well with careful attention to your every need.

I-WAY TRIPS from GREAT HAYWOOD to TREVOR via the Shropshire Union Canal or the Trent & Mersey Canal.



Avon calling!

DAY BOAT AVAILABLE FROM GREAT HAYWOOD
Phone direct on 01889 881711



Time out for Jim.



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE transfer from local railway station.

FREE entrance to

Mary Arden's Cottage - Wilmslow.

£10 towards FULL AVON

LICENCE (refund on return).



DAY BOAT AVAILABLE FROM WOOTTON WAWEN
Phone direct on 01564 793427

South Stratford Canal.



Our base at Wootton Wawen

South Stratford Canal - Warwick Castle - Shakespeare Country



Silver class at Wootton.

The Wootton Wawen Base lies just 6 miles North of Stratford-on-Avon in the heart of Shakespeare Country. A gentle day's cruise and you can walk in the gardens adjacent to Stratford's Shakespeare theatre from which you can explore the old town, visit Shakespeare's birthplace, the Teddy Bear Museum and many other attractions. Travelling South will then take you through the Cotswolds and the vale of Evesham taking in Tewkesbury with its fine abbey and picturesque buildings. From Tewkesbury you can go North through Upton-on-Severn passing the beautiful Malvern Hills to Worcester. To the North of Wootton Wawen you can travel to Birmingham, Warwick and beyond and here in the heart of England you will find something to suit all tastes, an area of natural beauty, historic sights, orchards and fruit fields. This traditional English countryside makes a superb backdrop to a holiday of a lifetime.

Jim and Maureen West will welcome you to their base and provide all of the assistance and tuition you need to ensure a happy holiday.



Our base at Adelaide

Tower of London, Buckingham Palace. All the sights of London from your inexpensive accommodation.

As an alternative carry on through the capital and visit the splendours of the rivers Lee and Stort or leave the capital far behind and unwind through the countryside visiting the lakes of Rickmansworth, the Aquadrome and Cassiobury Park in beautiful Hertfordshire.

A trip on the Thames is a unique experience and opens up the delights of Windsor on the Kennet and Avon Canal. The experienced may want to cruise the tidal Thames (under Tower Bridge) however special arrangements MUST be made with the base and a check made on tide times.

Peter, Paul, Wendy and Donna are full of friendly helpful advice and are there to ensure you have a great holiday.

DAY BOAT AVAILABLE FROM ADELAIDE
Phone direct on 0181 571 5678



SPECIAL OFFERS

FREE Thames licence if you book for 2 weeks or more (refund on return). Not required on Tidal Thames

FREE collection from Heathrow Airport or local rail station to Adelaide, Norwood Green.



Skipped cruising available from this base to a planned itinerary through London, the tidal Thames and up to Windsor. For costs contact the Booking Office.



Tower Bridge

1997 will be the River Wey and Basingstoke canal.

Tsarina and Tsarevna are based on the narrow canals of England and Wales. Cruise from the heart of England to Llangollen or visit historic Chester. Stop off close to the centre of Oxford or visit the theatre in Stratford.

From the wide waters of the Thames to the intimate canals a choice of holidays to suit all tastes.



to explore the delights of the Monmouthshire and Brecon canal, probably the most beautiful canal scenery in the country with abundant wildlife and historical interest.

If you wish to broaden your horizon then join Tranquil Rose which is a wide beam boat providing specialist cruises on the Thames and Kennet and Avon canal including visits to Bath, Bristol, Reading and Oxford. Also included for

TSARINA & TSAREVNA					
START DATE	PRICE BAND	CRUISING FROM	CRUISING TO	SEE NOTES	CRUISE AREA
26th April	L	Rugby	Stone		3
3rd May	H	Stone	Chester		6
10th May	H	Chester	Llangollen		1
17th May	H	Llangollen	Nantwich		1
24th May	P	Nantwich	Worcester (12)		3
7th June	H	Worcester	Stratford	c	3
14th June	P	Stratford	Oxford (12)		3
28th June	H	Oxford	Reading	j	5
5th July	H	Reading	Pewsey		4
12th July	H	Pewsey	Bath	e	4
19th July	H	Bath	Pewsey	e	4
26th July	H	Pewsey	Reading	e	4
2nd Aug	H	Reading	Banbury		5
9th Aug	H	Banbury	Stoke Bruerne		3
16th Aug	H	Stoke Bruerne	Warwick		3
23rd Aug	H	Warwick	Brewood	d	3
30th Aug	P	Brewood	Llangollen (12)	m	1
13th Sept	H	Llangollen	Chester		1
20th Sept	H	Chester	Stone		6
27th Sept	H	Stone	Rugby	*	3

TRANQUIL ROSE					
START DATE	PRICE BAND	CRUISING FROM	CRUISING TO	SEE NOTES	CRUISE AREA
19th April	L	Stoke Bruerne	Warwick		3
26th April	L	Warwick	Stoke Bruerne		3
3rd May	H	Stoke Bruerne	London		5
10th May	H	London	Guildford	w	5
17th May	H	Guildford	Ash Vale	x	5
24th May	H	Ash Vale	Reading	x	5
31st May	H	Reading	Oxford	j	5
7th June	H	Oxford	Windsor		5
14th June	H	Windsor	London		5
21st June	H	London	London	t	5
28th June	H	London	Windsor	t	5
5th July	H	Windsor	Oxford		5
12th July	H	Oxford	Reading	j	5
19th July	H	Reading	Windsor		5
26th July	H	Windsor	Oxford		5
2nd Aug	H	Oxford	Hungerford		4
9th Aug	H	Hungerford	Bath	e	4
16th Aug	H	Bath	Bath	b.e	4
23rd Aug	H	Bath	Devizes	e	4
30th Aug	H	Devizes	Reading	e	4
6th Sept	H	Reading	Oxford	j	5
13th Sept	H	Oxford	Windsor		5
20th Sept	H	Windsor	London		5
27th Sept	H	London	Stoke Bruerne		5
4th Oct	L	Stoke Bruerne	Stoke Bruerne	*	3



Hotel Boats cruising schedule

ROSE OF BRECON & ABERGAVENNY CASTLE

START DATE	RETURN CRUISE TO	AREA
26th April	Abergavenny	2
3rd May	Abergavenny	2
10th May	Abergavenny	2
17th May	Abergavenny	2
24th May	Abergavenny	2
31st May	Abergavenny	2
7th June	Abergavenny	2
14th June	Abergavenny	2
21st June	Abergavenny	2
28th June	Abergavenny	2
5th July	Abergavenny	2
12th July	Abergavenny	25
19th July	Abergavenny	2
26th July	Abergavenny	2
2nd Aug	Abergavenny	2
9th Aug	Abergavenny	2
16th Aug	Abergavenny	2
23rd Aug	Abergavenny	2
30th Aug	Abergavenny	2
6th Sept	Abergavenny	2
13th Sept	Abergavenny	2
20th Sept	Abergavenny	2
27th Sept	Abergavenny	2
4th Oct	Abergavenny*	2

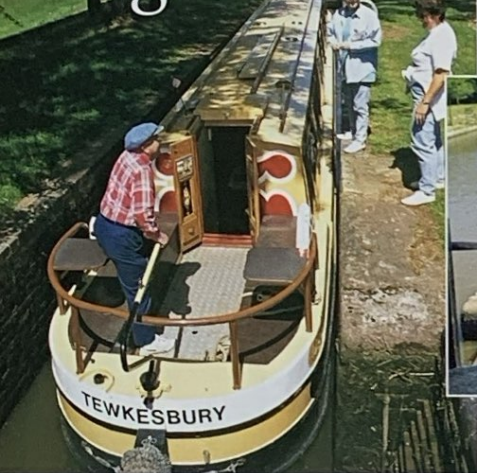


NOTES

b via Bristol Harbour & River Avon
c via Warwickshire River Avon
d via Birmingham Canal Navigations
e embarkation point may vary
j Thames 'upper reaches' special includes Montgomery Canal
t London Ring via Tower Bridge
w via River Wey
x via Basingstoke Canal
* denotes finish point of final cruise
From the cruising schedule opposite you will see that two out of three of our hotel boats follow a different route each week on 'one-way' cruises starting from the place shown as 'cruising from' and travelling leisurely through the week to finish at the 'cruising to' point shown.
Our Abergavenny cruises start and finish at the same point each week. Full details of how to join and leave your holiday cruise will be sent when you book. These include a map locating the boats' position and useful information on local facilities, taxi telephone numbers etc.



Step by step with Anglo-Welsh



Tent class.



Locks are easy.

WHAT WILL MY HOLIDAY COST?

You will find the price list in the pocket on the inside back cover of the brochure and simple instructions to cost your holiday. Almost everything is included in our great value holiday prices which is worth remembering when comparing prices from other operators.

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE HIRE FEE?

Bedding – duvet and cover, undersheet, 2 pillows and cases per berth, Hand and shower towels (Silver class and Overseas visitors only). All kitchen equipment – crockery, cooking utensils, tea towels and washing up liquid, Gas – central heating, constant hot water and cooking, Fuel – unlimited amount, Toilet pump out – refund if you require one during holiday.



Our overseas visitors flying the flag.

Car parking, Pets travel free, Grocery service, Hair dryer, Colour television on Silver classes, Radio/cassette, Buoyancy aids, Steerer's waterproof, Coach transfer on One Way cruises, Cots on request. VAT at current rate.

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE HIRE FEE?

Cancellation and curtailment insurance £25 per week, £15 per Short Break. Personal insurance £15 per booking or £20 to include car cover. Colour television hire £20 per week, £10 per Short Break (FREE on Silver classes). Damage Waiver £20 per holiday. Travel to your base.

WHAT DO YOU SUGGEST WE BRING WITH US?

It is always a good idea to bring enough groceries to keep you going the first couple of days, however, we do offer a grocery service to make sure your order is on the boat for you. A torch is well worth bringing for those late evenings ashore.

IS IT EASY TO NAVIGATE THE CANALS?

It's very easy, as old hands know, but if you are a beginner we will give you full tuition before you start your holiday and will even accompany you a short way should you want it. Mooring is easy and you can moor anywhere on the tow path side away from bridges and locks. Locks are fun! If you have never been on the canals before, we will send you a free instructional video (UK system not suitable for USA and Canada), showing how they work and a copy of Towpath Tips. Please order them on the booking form. We also have a good supply of maps see page 21.

WHAT IF I NEED HELP WHILE ON MY BOAT?

Ring the boatyard you left from and an engineer will answer your query. We operate a FREE 24 hour call out service and we supply a free phone card for your convenience.

CAN I CHARGE MY MOBILE PHONE AND CAMCORDER?

If you can charge your phone and camcorder in your cigarette lighter socket in your car then you can charge them on your boat.

CAN I FISH?

A rod licence is required, they are available from your Post Office.



River Thames.

To book your holiday



HOW DO WE BOOK?

Phone us at **Bristol on 0117 924 1200** and we will help you. You can either hold a boat provisionally for 7 days or we can take a credit card number to immediately confirm your holiday. **PLEASE NOTE IT IS VERY IMPORTANT WE RECEIVE A SIGNED COMPLETED BOOKING FORM.** The booking form is in the pocket on the inside back cover of the brochure.

WHEN IS THE BOOKING OFFICE OPEN?

We are open 8.30am – 6.00pm on weekdays, 9.00am – 4.00pm on Saturdays and 10.00am – 4.00pm on Sundays. Outside these hours we have an answering machine.

HOW MUCH DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED?

The deposit is £20 per person per week £10 per person per Short Break or full payment if holiday is within 6 weeks of booking.

With the deposit we require your cancellation and curtailment insurance £25 per week, £15 per Short Break.

WHEN DO I PAY THE FINAL BALANCE OF MY HOLIDAY?

Please pay the balance of your invoice 6 weeks before your holiday starts. You can either pay by cheque or credit card – Visa, Access, Switch, Mastercard, Eurocard or American Express.

WHEN DO I PAY THE DAMAGE WAIVER?

We will show the £20 damage waiver on your invoice which will be due with your final balance.

WHAT TIME DOES OUR HOLIDAY START AND FINISH?

All our holidays start at 3.00pm and you have to vacate the boat by 10.00am, see pages 12 & 13 for different types of holidays and boat/base availability.

Short Breaks

Our Weekender start Friday 3.00pm finish Monday 10.00am
Our Midweeker start Monday 3.00pm finish Friday 10.00am

Weekly Holidays

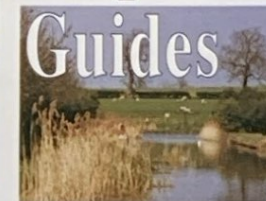
All our Friday, Saturday and Monday start holidays begin at 3.00pm and finish at 10.00am.

WHAT HELP DO YOU GIVE TO OVERSEAS CUSTOMERS?

You can book direct by telephone or fax and we will help you every step of the way with all your travel and accommodation requirements.

All your payments can be made by credit card – Visa, Access, Switch, Mastercard, Eurocard and American Express.

Maps & Guides



WATERWAYS WORLD CRUISING GUIDE

Spiral wire bound and with strong pages, these guides are designed for continuous use while cruising. On a scale of 2" to 1 mile each guide covers a particular waterway – e.g. The Oxford Canal; The Llangollen Canal.

PEARSON'S CANAL COMPANION

Pearson's booklets cover complete routes in one volume (e.g. The Four Counties Ring). The scale is the usual 2" to 1 mile and the information given is particularly detailed.

GEO PROJECTS MAP

These are full colour maps showing boat user information and facilities with detailed plans of important centres and illustrated guides to features of interest.

ORDNANCE SURVEY GUIDES TO THE WATERWAYS

These are detailed spiral wire bound Guides to the waterways of England and Wales using a scale of 2" to 1 mile. Separate volumes cover the North, Central and South of the canal system and the River Thames (Teddington to Lechlade).

"WATERWAYS" VIDEO

Available is the "Waterways" video, narrated by Peter Davidson, providing informative and entertaining viewing for both experienced canal users and those about to book their first Anglo-Welsh canal holiday.

All the different lock mechanisms, swing and lift bridges, mooring, knot tying and even visiting the pub are covered, plus even more set against the background of cruising a peaceful stretch of canal.

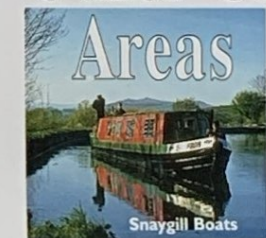
CANAL VIDEOS

These wonderful videos show particular areas of the waterways in all their splendour.

No. WATERWAYS WORLD	
1 Llangollen Canal	£5.00
2 Shropshire Union Canal	£3.90
3 Staffs & Worcs. Canal	£3.70
4 Trent & Mersey & Caldon Canals	£4.90
5 Coventry, Ashby and N. Oxford Canals (incl. Bham & Erewash Canal)	£4.90
6 Oxford Canal	£4.90
7 Grand Union (South) Stoke Bruerne – London (Brentford & Paddington)	£4.90
8 Grand Union (North) Bham-Stoke Bruerne	£3.90
PEARSON	
9 Llangollen, Montgomery & Shropshire Union Canals	£7.70
10 Cheshire Ring & Wigan Pier	£8.70
11 Four Counties Ring, Trent & Mersey & Caldon Canal	£8.25
12 Severn & Avon Canal	£7.70
13 Stourport, Black Country Ring & BCN	£8.70
14 South Midlands & Warwickshire Ring	£8.70
15 Oxford & Grand Union	£8.70
16 Pennine Waters (Wigan & Rochdale via Leeds)	£8.70
GEO	
17 Grand Union Canal map 1 (Bham to Ferry Stratford)	£4.50
18 Grand Union Canal map 2 (Braunstone to K.Langley)	£4.50
19 Grand Union Canal map 3 (Ferry Stratford to Thames)	£4.50
20 Grand Union Canal map 4 (Leics line, Soar Navigation & Erewash Canal)	£4.50
21 Kennet & Avon Canal	£4.50
22 Oxford Canal	£4.50
23 Thames	£4.50
24 Basingstoke Canal	£3.75
25 Llangollen Canal	£4.50
26 Shropshire Union Canal	£4.50
27 The Inland Waterways of Britain	£5.50
NICHOLSON ORDNANCE SURVEY	
28 No.1 South	£11.50
29 No.2 Central	£11.50
30 No.3 North	£11.50
31 No.5 The River Thames	£11.50
VIDEOS	
32 Waterways Video	£5.50
33 Llangollen Canal	£14.25
34 Shropshire Union Canal	£14.25
35 South Oxford Canal	£14.25
36 Seven Wonders of the Waterways	£14.25
37 The Cheshire Ring	£14.25
38 The London Ring	£14.25
39 Grand Union Leics Canal	£14.25
40 Grand Union Southern Section	£14.25
41 The Thames above Reading	£14.25
42 The Thames Reading to Richmond	£14.25
43 Four Counties Ring	£14.25
44 Staffs & Worcs. Canal	£14.25
45 Trent & Mersey Canal	£14.25

Please note: Videos are not compatible with the U.S. or Canadian system. Prices include postage and packing.

Other Cruising Areas



Snaygill Boats

We want to be able to give our customers the widest choice of cruising available. We have negotiated with two companies outside of our areas to extend your choice. They cover the Leeds and Liverpool Canal in the North and the Cambridgeshire Waterways in the East.

Welcome to Anglo-Welsh



Welcome to the 1997 Anglo-Welsh Waterway Holiday Brochure and our revised route planner. 1996 proved to be another very good year and so once again we would like to thank all our regular customers for their continued support. We also welcomed many to the waterways for the first time and trust that they enjoyed the experience. The good weather once again ensured that we were fully booked through the summer so to make sure that you get the holiday that you want from the base you want please book early.

Our extra value and service offers were very well received in 1996 and we are therefore repeating them again in 1997. The children's bonus and 'towpath pack' also proved popular with family and school groups. Don't forget that to obtain the benefit of our early booking bonus you need to book by the end of January. We have also extended our Springtime Cruise Bonus to make it more flexible. So why not join us for an early season cruise and gain the extra benefit later in the year.

Anglo-Welsh continue to offer more choice than any other narrowboat operator and for 1997 we are operating from the harbour in Bristol giving easy access to the Kennet and Avon Canal. We are also pleased to announce the return of Anglo-Welsh to the South Oxford Canal now at Lower Heyford. We continue to operate the wide beam boats from Adelaide and with the increase in cruising on the Montgomery Canal we have added to our fleet at Welshpool. Finally we can now offer Hotel Boat Holidays through one of the country's leading hotel boat operators.

We offer something for everyone so consult your friends, work out those dates and call us now on 0117 924 1200 to reserve your relaxing waterway holiday for 1997.

Pricing your holiday

The cost of your holiday is the hire cost of your selected boat plus the cancellation insurance, personal insurance if required and damage waiver charge. (For insurance and damage waiver details see page 22).

You will find the hire cost of your holiday

shown against your chosen boat by class for each season; low, medium, high and peak.

The prices are shown per Week and per Short Break. If your holiday is longer than one week just add the individual week prices together. Don't forget to use the appropriate

discount before calculating the total price.

Any difficulty whatsoever please ring the booking office on **0117 924 1200** and the team will help you.

PRICE GUIDE – Cost per person based on full occupancy (1 week holidays).

		LOW		MEDIUM		HIGH		PEAK	
		WEEKLY	SHORT BREAK	WEEKLY	SHORT BREAK	WEEKLY	SHORT BREAK	WEEKLY	SHORT BREAK
2 & 3 BERTH BOATS									
SILVER 2	SILVER 2 CLASS	450	245	540	290	600	320	640	340
CRUISING 3	CLOVER CLASS	360	200	420	230	510	275	570	305
SUPER 3	KINGFR CLASS	400	220	450	245	550	295	600	320
SUPER 3	WEY CLASS	400	220	450	245	550	295	600	320

4 BERTH BOATS									
CRUISING 4	HENLEY CLASS	420	230	480	260	600	320	670	355
WIDE BEAM	STORT CLASS	420	230	480	260	600	320	670	355
CRUISING 4	WELLAND CLASS	420	230	480	260	600	320	670	355
WIDE BEAM	NENE CLASS	490	265	570	305	700	370	800	420
SUPER 4	KENNET CLASS	490	265	570	305	700	370	800	420
SILVER 4	SILVER 4 CLASS	580	310	680	360	800	420	900	470

6 BERTH BOATS									
CRUISING 6	CRINAN CLASS	470	255	550	295	680	360	750	395
WIDE BEAM 6	CHILTERN CLASS	580	310	720	380	870	455	980	510
SUPER 6	AVON CLASS	580	310	720	380	870	455	980	510
WIDE BEAM	THAMES CLASS	580	310	720	380	870	455	980	510
SILVER 6	SILVER 6 CLASS	700	370	850	445	1060	550	1130	585

8 & 10 BERTH BOATS									
CRUISING 8	STIRLING CLASS	520	280	610	325	730	385	820	430
SUPER 8	TRENT CLASS	690	365	840	440	1000	520	1120	580
SUPER 10	HUMBER CLASS	700	370	850	445	1060	550	1130	585
CRUISING 10	ROYAL CLASS	630	335	730	385	890	465	990	515
WIDE BEAM 10	REGENT CLASS	630	335	730	385	890	465	990	515

LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	PEAK
225	270	300	320
120	140	170	190
133.34	150	183.34	200
133.34	150	183.34	200

105	120	150	167.50
105	120	150	167.50
105	120	150	167.50
122.50	142.50	175	200
122.50	142.50	175	200
122.50	142.50	175	200

78.34	91.67	113.34	125
96.67	120	145	163.34
96.67	120	145	163.34
96.67	120	145	163.34
116.67	141.67	176.67	188.34

65	76.25	91.25	102.50
86.25	105	125	140
70	85	106	113
63	73	89	99
63	73	89	99

Deposit Details

£20 per person per week

£10 per person per Short Break

Full payment if holiday is being taken within 6 weeks.

DISCOUNTS

EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNTS

£25 off every child under 14 if booking before 31st January '97
(maximum child discount £100 per boat) see page 4

FLOTILLA BOOKINGS

10% discount off each boat see page 4



DISCOUNTS

MULTI WEEK DISCOUNTS

2 week holidays **10%** discount off 2nd week
3 week holidays **25%** discount off 3rd week
4 week holidays **35%** discount off 4th week
5 week holidays **50%** discount off 5th week
6 week holidays **75%** discount off 6th week
see page 4

FOR FRIDAY and MONDAY DEPARTURES use the nearest SATURDAY												
MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JAN '98		
15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3	10	17

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1997 Booking form



ANGLO-WELSH WATERWAY HOLIDAYS
5 PRITCHARD STREET
BRISTOL BS2 8RH
Tel: 0117 924 1200
Fax: 0117 924 0202

Please complete in CAPITAL LETTERS

NAME MR. MRS. MISS. MS. DR.

ADDRESS

POST CODE

TELEPHONE No.

DAYTIME

EVENING

FOR OFFICE USE

BOOKING No.

CUST. CODE

CHOICE OF BOAT

1st.

2nd.

NUMBER IN PARTY

14 years and over

If One Way trip requested, write in both bases

CHOICE OF BASES

1st.

2nd.

NAMES & AGES OF ALL CHILDREN 0-13

DATE OF BIRTH

CHOICE OF DATES

1st.

2nd.

CHOICE OF DATES

NO OF WEEKS

SHORT BREAK

RETURN TO SAME BASE

ONE WAY TRIP

HOTEL BOAT ACCOMMODATION

PERSON(S) IN SINGLE CABIN(S)

PERSONS IN 2 BERTH CABIN(S)

PERSONS IN DOUBLE CABIN(S)

DO YOU REQUIRE BUOYANCE AIDS?

Large Child 6-11 years

Small Child 2-5 years

DO YOU REQUIRE A COT/ COTSIDE AS AVAILABLE (2 years)

I WILL BE BRINGING MY PET YES NO

YOUR INITIAL PAYMENT

(If your holiday is within 6 weeks the full payment is required). You may pay by cheque (made payable to ANGLO-WELSH), cash or credit card. If paying by credit card please complete section below.

ACCESS

EUROCARD

VISA

MASTERCARD

SWITCH

AMEX

SWITCH ISSUE No.

EXPIRY DATE

CARD NO.

I HAVE USED YOUR BOATS BEFORE

IF SO HOW MANY TIMES?

I SAW YOUR BOATS

I HEARD OF YOU FROM

New Mills

DEPOSIT £20 per person per week £10 per person Short Break (£100 per person Hotel Boat) or full payment if holiday is within six weeks

CANCELLATION INSURANCE - compulsory (£15 per Short Break £25 per week) (£15 per person Hotel Boat)

TOTAL INITIAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED

BOAT HIRE FEE

DAMAGE WAIVER £20 per boat (to be included with final payments only see page 22) NOT HOTEL BOAT

PERSONAL INSURANCE - optional (£10 per booking or £15 to include car cover - see page 22 not overseas customers)

COLOUR TV £20 per week - £10 per Short Break

MAPS & GUIDES

No.

No.

No.

No.

VIDEOS

No.

No.

No.

No.

TOTAL AMOUNT

LESS INITIAL PAYMENT

FINAL PAYMENT DUE 6 WEEKS BEFORE HOLIDAY

PLEASE GIVE NAME AND ADDRESSES OF OTHER ADULTS SHARING YOUR HOLIDAY

NAME	ADDRESS	POST CODE

I AM OVER 18 AND I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO BE BOUND BY THE CONDITIONS OF HIRE AS PRINTED IN YOUR BROCHURE

SIGNED

DATE

PLEASE NOTE IT IS VERY IMPORTANT WE RECEIVE A SIGNED COMPLETED BOOKING FORM

Conditions of Hire

1. BOOKING

A holiday is booked when we have received your completed and signed Booking Form, with appropriate payment and sent you an acknowledgement of booking. You can also secure your holiday by giving the Booking Office your credit card number for payment.

2. BALANCE OF HIRE

The hirer is responsible for the whole of the hire fee and the **balance must be paid at least six weeks before the date on which the hire is due to begin**. Should the hirer cancel for reasons other than those covered by the Cancellation Insurance (see page 22) you still remain liable for the full hire fee. In such circumstances we will attempt to re-let the boat on your behalf. If we are successful we charge the hirer 15% of the total hire fee, plus VAT, for obtaining a reletting.

3. VALUE ADDED TAX

Included in the hire fee is VAT (17.5%) where applicable. In the event of changes in Government legislation we reserve the right to invoice any extra charges that arise.

4. CANCELLATION

All Anglo-Welsh customers must take out Cancellation Insurance (see page 22 and Conditions of Hire 2 above).

5. LETTINGS TO PERSONS UNDER 18

We will not let a boat to a person under the age of 18 years of age.

6. VACATING YOUR BOAT

You must return the BOAT in a CLEAN condition to the base by the appointed time. The hirer is responsible for reaching the agreed finishing point on time. We reserve the right to charge up to £50 if the boat is returned dirty or late.

7. DAMAGE WAIVER

A damage waiver of £20 will be shown on your invoice (see page 22). Charges may be made for the cost involved in extra cleaning should the boat be left in a dirty condition. ALL BREAKAGES & DAMAGES MUST BE REPORTED.

8. REPAIRS

Repairs are our responsibility, and should not be put into the hands of others without our authority.

9. DELAYS

We cannot be held responsible for any delays or non-fulfilment of programmes caused by breakdown, unforeseen defects, obstructions, or repairs to either our boats or the Inland Waterways system. We also reserve the right to restrict the cruising area without notice if unusual conditions arise, and we can make no financial adjustments in any of these circumstances.

10. ACCIDENT

The hirer is in complete charge of the boat and is responsible for its safe navigation. In the event of an accident, you must inform us at once with full details and names and addresses of witnesses. IN NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD ANYONE ADMIT LIABILITY.

11. HIRERS'S MOTOR CARS AND PROPERTY

Free parking is provided for the convenience of customers but we must emphasise that WE ACCEPT NO LIABILITY for loss or damage to customer's vehicles or their contents. YOU ARE PARTICULARLY ADVISED not to leave any valuables or readily portable items in your vehicles. Property left on boats

can only be returned after receipt of agreed postage and packaging charge (minimum charge £10).

12. COMPANY'S RESERVATIONS

Please Note:

1. We reserve the right to refuse to hand over a boat to any person who, in our opinion, is not suitable to take charge of it. In this event all money will be refunded in full and the hirer shall have no other claim against us.

2. If, owing to circumstances beyond our control, we are unable to provide the boat booked or a suitable alternative, we will refund in full all money paid and the hirer shall have no further claim against us.

13. COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE

If you have a complaint this should first be reported to your Base Manager. If a complaint cannot be resolved satisfactorily on the spot, you should contact our Head Office in Bristol no later than 72 hours after the commencement of your holiday, to be followed by written confirmation of your complaint within 7 days. On receipt of your telephone call, our representative will arrange to inspect the boat whilst you are on holiday.

Unless this procedure is strictly observed, we cannot entertain any claim arising out of the condition of the boat.

PLEASE DO NOT WAIT UNTIL YOU HAVE RETURNED HOME before complaining, as no inspection can or will be carried out when other holidaymakers are occupying the boat in question.

Booking Form Price List & your complementary Route Planner

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Conditions of hire



1. BOOKING

A holiday is booked when we have received your completed and signed Booking Form, with appropriate payment and sent you an acknowledgement of booking. You can also secure your holiday by giving the Booking Office your credit card number for payment.

2. BALANCE OF HIRE

The hirer is responsible for the whole of the hire fee and the **balance must be paid at least six weeks before the date on which the hire is due to begin**. Should the hirer cancel for reasons other than those covered by the Cancellation Insurance (see page 22) you still remain liable for the full hire fee. In such circumstances we will attempt to re-let the boat on your behalf. If we are successful we charge the hirer 15% of the total hire fee, plus VAT, for obtaining a reletting.

3. VALUE ADDED TAX

Included in the hire fee is VAT (17.5%) where applicable. In the event of changes in Government legislation we reserve the right to invoice any extra charges that arise.

4. CANCELLATION

All Anglo-Welsh customers must take out Cancellation Insurance (see page 22 and Conditions of Hire 2 above).

5. LETTINGS TO PERSONS UNDER 18

We will not let a boat to a person under the age of 18 years of age.

6. VACATING YOUR BOAT

You must return the BOAT in a CLEAN condition to the base by the appointed time. The hirer is responsible for reaching the agreed finishing point on time. We reserve the right to charge up to £50 if the boat is returned dirty or late.

7. DAMAGE WAIVER

A damage waiver of £20 will be shown on your invoice (see page 22). Charges may be made for the cost involved in extra cleaning should the boat be left in a dirty condition. ALL BREAKAGES & DAMAGES MUST BE REPORTED.

8. REPAIRS

Repairs are our responsibility, and should not be put into the hands of others without our authority.

9. DELAYS

We cannot be held responsible for any delays or non-fulfilment of programmes caused by breakdown, unforeseen defects, obstructions, or repairs to either our boats or the Inland Waterways system. We also reserve the right to restrict the cruising area without notice if unusual conditions arise, and we can make no financial adjustments in any of these circumstances.

10. ACCIDENT

The hirer is in complete charge of the boat and is responsible for its safe navigation. In the event of an accident, you must inform us at once with full details and names and addresses of witnesses. IN NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD ANYONE ADMIT LIABILITY.

11. HIRERS'S MOTOR CARS AND PROPERTY

Free parking is provided for the convenience of customers but we must emphasise that WE ACCEPT NO LIABILITY for loss or damage to customer's vehicles or their contents. YOU ARE PARTICULARLY ADVISED not to leave any valuables or readily portable items in your vehicles. Property left on boats can only be returned after receipt of agreed postage and packaging charge (minimum charge £10).

12. COMPANY'S RESERVATIONS

Please Note:

1. We reserve the right to refuse to hand over a boat to any person who, in our opinion, is not suitable to take charge of it. In this event all money will be refunded in full and the hirer shall have no other claim against us.

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It is intended that a prospectus will be published shortly – providing an opportunity for all canal enthusiasts to subscribe for shares. Discounts will be available on the prices of holidays and associated canal boat services for successful subscribers.

If you would like a copy of the prospectus containing an application form and on the basis of which alone applications will be considered, please telephone Anglo-Welsh on 07000 781309 or complete and return the attached coupon to Anglo-Welsh Group Plc, 5 Pritchard Street, Bristol BS2 8RH.

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