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Are you ready to fall head over heels in love? In Argyll & The Isles, you’ll find gorgeous scenery, irresistible history and tranquil islands. This beautiful region is Scotland’s birthplace and you’ll see castles where ancient kings were crowned and monuments that are among the oldest in the UK. You should also be ready to be amazed by our incredibly varied natural wonders, from beavers and otters to minke whales and sea eagles. Once you've started exploring our fascinating coast and hopping around our dozens of islands you might never want to stop. It’s time to be smitten!
Free your spirit in the place where the mighty Highland mountains wash their feet in the western ocean... Here in Argyll & The Isles, you can enjoy relaxing strolls on white sandy beaches or take on rugged and dramatic mountains such as Ben More on the Isle of Mull.

Cowal Peninsula
Hop on a ferry at Gourock for a trip to Dunoon, the main town on the beautiful Cowal Peninsula. While you’re there, head north to explore Argyll Forest Park with its ancient trees and tranquil lochs. Stop off at Benmore Botanic Garden to see the rhododendrons and wander up the spectacular avenue of giant redwoods.

Isle of Bute
There’s something special about travelling by boat – even when it’s a short trip like the ferry crossing to the Isle of Bute. Start your adventure at Colintraive on the Cowal Peninsula or from Wemyss Bay, west of Glasgow.
The Isle of Bute is a natural sanctuary where you can enjoy walking, cycling, fishing and spotting wildlife. You can also visit historic Rothesay Castle and the gothic mansion Mount Stuart. In 2016, it was announced that a very rare Shakespeare first folio had been discovered in the library.

Kintyre Peninsula and Gigha
If you want to get away from it all, there are some wonderfully remote spots on the Kintyre Peninsula. You can reach this delightful corner of the country by plane, car or a ferry from Ardrossan, the Isle of Arran or Cowal.
Kick off your shoes and feel the sand between your toes on over 40 miles of stunning beaches, as you gaze out over crystal-clear water to island views.
Discover a very different lifestyle on the small community-owned island of Gigha off the west coast of Kintyre. This island has beautiful white beaches and is also home to Achamore Gardens, which displays bright and exotic flowers.

Islay, Jura and Colonsay
You’ll find these glorious Atlantic islands are easy to reach by ferry from Oban and from Kennacraig for sailings to Islay.
Explore Jura, the mountainous island where red deer outnumber the human residents 30 to 1! See the remote farmhouse where George Orwell wrote his classic novel *1984*. Take a boat trip to see the impressive Corryvreckan Whirlpool, the third largest in the world.
Islay is whisky heaven – there are eight distilleries on the island. The peat from Islay’s landscape gives a unique flavour to world-
famous whiskies such as Bowmore, Laphroaig and Ardbeg.

**Mull, Iona, Coll and Tiree**
The cheerful colours of the waterfront buildings in Tobermory harbour on Mull always raise a smile. Stop for a coffee and a bite to eat and watch the yachts bobbing peacefully at their moorings.

Take the ferry from the west tip of Mull to the sacred Isle of Iona. Its beautiful restored abbey was founded in 563 AD by St Columba and still retains its spiritual atmosphere.

You’ll find Coll has a character of its own. Here you can stroll along unspoiled deserted beaches and take to the rugged moors to go bird-spotting. Surfers and windsurfers flock to the neighbouring isle of Tiree – it’s the most westerly island of the Inner Hebrides and one of the windiest, and is ringed with beautiful beaches.

**Oban and Lorn**
Stop for a sensational lunch in Oban – the seafood capital of Scotland and a bustling coastal town known as the ‘Gateway to the Isles’.

For an unforgettable forest walk, head to Sutherland’s Grove and stretch your legs through the forest, leading up through a fine gorge. Or head up the hill from the foot of Beinn Lora for a stunning panorama of coast, islands and mountains.

**Mid Argyll**
Inveraray, on the shores of Loch Fyne, packs a lot of history into its few small streets. Step into Inveraray Jail & County Court and imagine what it was like in a 19th-century prison. Admire the town’s fine Georgian architecture then walk along the shore to fabulous, neo-gothic Inveraray Castle and its extensive grounds.

Visit the Auchindrain Museum to step back in time and discover Scotland’s rural history at the most complete and well preserved example of a Highland farm township.

Kilmartin Glen is home to over 800 prehistoric and early historic sites and monuments – reach out and touch the stones and you are stepping back 6,000 years in time. No wonder it’s mainland Scotland’s most important archaeological landscape.

Sail, stroll or cycle along the winding Crinan Canal between Crinan and Ardrishaig and you’ll see why it’s known as one of the UK’s prettiest shortcuts.

**Helensburgh**
A beautiful building in a beautiful location – Hill House, Helensburgh was designed by one of Scotland’s best loved architects, Charles Rennie Mackintosh, and has sublime views of the Clyde Estuary.

**MORE TO EXPLORE**
- **Isle of Bute** – imagine being Marquess of Bute and being able to call the gothic masterpiece of Mount Stuart your home! This remarkable building was inspired by art, history, mythology and astrology – see if you can spot the fish fossils on the marble staircase.
- **Colonsay** – arrive there in style on a flight from Connel, near Oban, or take a ferry from Oban to this small island. Stretch your legs climbing the Macphies (hills over 300 ft) or playing golf, then reward yourself with a visit to the brewery or a meal of oysters.
- **Staffa** – enjoy a geology lesson courtesy of the island’s striking basaltic columns and the enchanting Fingal’s Cave. Then climb up to the grassy summit and watch the puffins diving for their lunch.
- **Wander round Lochbuie** in the south of Mull to discover a Bronze-Age standing stone circle. Watch out for eagles, red deer and otters.
- **Explore the Clyde Sea Lochs Trail**, a 65km route linking the coastal communities that fringe the south western edge of Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park and into Argyll.
- **Puck’s Glen**, Cowal Peninsula, is a magical experience full of tumbling burns that are criss-crossed by bridges and enclosed by rocky walls heavily hung with mosses and overshadowed by trees. The steep and narrow gorge is interwoven with waterfalls and shallow rock pools spanned by arched wooden bridges.
As you explore the 800 archaeological and ancient monuments of Crinan, Knapdale and Kilmartin, it’s easy to imagine you’re the ruler of the Kingdom of Dalriada, an island realm of the 6th and 7th century.

Pilgrims have been making their way to Iona Abbey for over 1,500 years. Follow in their footsteps to discover one of Scotland’s most historic and sacred sites.

It’s a miracle that Rothesay Castle has survived – it was attacked not once but twice by a rampaging army of Norsemen. But the castle proved to be a tough old place and today you can see its grand great hall, moat and immense circular curtain wall, which is unique in Scotland.

Kilmartin Glen is home to ancient monuments and 6,000 years of history. Explore the exhibition, numerous monuments, or attend an educational event.

You’d have to be a very brave attacker to take on Kilchurn Castle. It was built to show the power of Clan Campbell and its sheer walls dominate a rocky headland on Loch Awe. You can climb to the tower house’s battlements and feel what it was like to be a medieval clan chieftain.

Viking battles, submarine training, rowdy music hall shows – there always seems to have been something fascinating happening in Rothesay. Unlock the town’s unusual past at the Isle of Bute Discovery Centre, then relax by watching a film in the cinema!

Wander round the grounds of Inveraray Castle to admire its fairytale facade then explore its enchanting interior. This magnificent residence is the family home of the Duke of Argyll, Chief of the Clan Campbell, whose family have been here since the early 15th century.

Learn about the farming and mining heritage of Kintyre at Campbeltown Heritage Museum, and find out about the area’s well-known landscape painter, William McTaggart.
CASTLE DISCOVERIES

- Skipness Castle, Kintyre – it’s free to enter the ruins of this castle which was founded in the 12th century, when this area was ruled by Norway, not Scotland.

- Duart Castle, Isle of Mull – clinging to the sheer cliffs, this 13th-century fortress is one of the oldest inhabited castles in Scotland.

- Visit Dunollie Castle on Oban’s picturesque coastline to unearth the fascinating life of the MacDougall clan. Explore the house museum, nearby woodlands, the ruined castle, the weaving shed and more, all with stunning views across the islands. Ivy-clad and perched on a hill looking out to the island of Mull, it’s hard to imagine a more picturesque ruin than little Dunollie Castle. Go back 1,000 years in the museum and walk round the wooded grounds overlooking Oban.

- Dunstaffnage Castle, Dunbeg by Oban – this mighty stronghold has been scaring away raiders for a very long time. Its curtain wall is one of the oldest standing castle remains in Scotland, and Jacobite heroine Flora MacDonald was believed to have been held prisoner within its walls.

- Discover the magnificent ruin of Carnasserie Castle, a great example of 16th century architecture, and enjoy views over Kilmartin Glen.

DON’T MISS...

Historic Kilmun near Dunoon and learn about remarkable lives that shaped Scottish history.
What a first impression! The entrance to Benmore Botanic Garden near Dunoon is one of the finest in the world – it’s a spectacular avenue of giant redwoods. This dramatic mountainside garden is home to an eye-popping collection of local and overseas plants, including over 300 species of rhododendron. Climb to the ancient hill fort at Dunadd for the best view of the raised lowland bog of Moine Mhor. This ‘great moss’ is a wilderness of natural hollows and pools and a remnant of Scotland’s ancient landscapes. It has justly been declared a National Nature Reserve (NNR).

Relax with tea and cake in the café at Colonsay House on the Isle of Colonsay. Then stroll round the walled garden, which houses one of the finest rhododendron collections in Scotland.

Picnic under the boughs of some champion trees in Ardkinglas Woodland Garden, including ‘the mightiest conifer in Europe’ – a remarkable European silver fir with a girth of nearly 10 m.

Do you dare approach the Linn Botanic Gardens’ collection of insect catching plants? Find out more in the gardens at the head of Cove Bay near Helensburgh.

Today, you’ll find Glenan Forest Nature Reserve, near Portavadie is a relaxing place for a walk, with coastal views and lichen-clad trees. But it’s also a poignant place where the remains of the abandoned village of Glenan tell the sad tale of the Highland Clearances.

Don’t forget your binoculars – you could glimpse rare butterflies among the trees and maybe even an otter down at the loch at Glasdrum Woods NNR.
Did you know?
Bananas grow outside on the Isle of Gigha thanks to its mild climate.

The woods are a carpet of colour – come to Glenbranter Forest in early summer and you’ll see swathes of bluebells. It’s also a great place to begin a walk or bike ride to Loch Eck.

Admire the amazing hydrangea – climbing to 60 ft – at Ardmaddy Castle Garden, near Oban. Then wander down to the water gardens, a riot of colour in summer with candelabra primulas, irises, rodgersias and other damp loving plants and grasses.

Plants, insects, birds and mammals all love the haven of Glen Nant NNR near Taynuilt, and you will too. The forest once supplied wood to the nearby Bonawe Iron Furnace, the UK’s best preserved charcoal burning iron furnace.
There’s a stunning unspoilt beach just waiting for you and your loved ones to wander along it – whichever island you go to. Each isle has its own distinct character, geography and wildlife. You can reach all of the 25 inhabited islands by ferry all year round, and you can also fly to a few. From the brightly coloured cottages of Tobermory on Mull, to Islay’s eight distilleries and the quiet tranquillity of Easdale and Luing, the isles are ready for you to explore. We guarantee that when you’ve visited one, you’ll want to visit them all.

Peace, perfect peace. That’s what you can expect to feel on entering the historic Iona Abbey. It’s a sacred, humble building in an extraordinary natural setting. Remember to visit St Martin’s Cross, an intact carved stone cross from the 8th century.

Flutter over to an RSPB reserve to see rare birds in their ideal environment. Take a windy walk along the sea cliffs of the Mull of Oa on Islay and watch choughs feeding their young, and watch out for eagles wherever you go. Islay is also home to Dunyvaig Castle, the Round Church in Bowmore and Machrie Golf Course.

Saddle up and test your cycling skills on the hilly roads on Mull. Or escape for a family cycle to the flatter trails on Coll, Tiree and Iona.

Tiree enjoys some very high levels of sunshine, and it’s one of the windiest places in Britain too – no wonder it’s a windsurfing mecca. Try your surfing skills on the crashing waves that play host to the annual Tiree Wave Classic.

Walk, paddle or sail in these islands and before long you are sure to meet some rare wildlife. On Coll, keep your eyes peeled for white-tailed sea eagles, basking sharks, dolphins and puffins.

Pack a hearty lunch, lace up your boots and scale the famous Paps of Jura. Then reward yourself with a tour – and sampling session – at the famous Jura Distillery.

For a perfect picnic spot, stop off at the Eas Fors waterfalls on Mull. These three spectacular falls and pools are north of the Ulva Ferry, just off the B8073.

Beautiful bays
Clear your mind with a stroll along the shore of Ettrick Bay on the Isle of Bute. Paddle in the crystal water and then warm your toes in the Ettrick Tearoom, which serves homemade meals and cakes.

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against the scenic backdrop of the Isle of Arran.

Next stop America – Colonsay is one of Britain’s most remote islands and here you can stand and face the crashing Atlantic. Or while away an afternoon on the sheltered, honey-gold beach of Kiloran Bay. You can also explore Colonsay’s heather-clad hills, Iron Age forts – and play golf.

**Creative places**

Skilled artists, potters and jewellers have all found their muse on the sacred Isle of Iona.

At Tormisdale Croft Crafts on Islay, you can purchase handspun and handmade designer knitwear.

For a truly intimate music festival, featuring traditional Scottish music, beach performances and a warm welcome, head to Gigha in June. This inspiring island is just a 20-minute ferry ride from Kintyre.
Wild about Argyll – this is a wonderful land where you’ll soon want to get out and go exploring. In Argyll & The Isles, you can choose from hundreds of woodland walks with thousands of miles of paths, so you’ll never be short of new areas to discover. Pedal through woodland trails that weave through shaded copses and alongside glittering lochs. Take to the seas and lochs with tour operators, or take on the waves by sailing, kayaking and wind surfing. Go really wild with an activity provider to try canyoning, rafting, coasteering and gorge walking. Be sure you keep your eyes peeled for amazing wildlife as you venture through the great outdoors.

Fancy kayaking? The area round Oban is ideal for new paddlers, with its gentle sea lochs and many activity operators offering tuition. If you want adventure you can follow the Argyll Sea Kayak Trail which begins in Oban and takes in Seil, Crinan, and Dunoon en route to Helensburgh and has special facilities for kayakers along the way.

Live the high life on Munros such as Ben Starav at the head of Loch Etive or Ben More on the Isle of Mull. For a gentler pace stroll across our sandy beaches. You can enjoy delightful loch-side walks, such as the Loch Eck Loop near Benmore Botanic Garden. For something unusual, cross the causeway to reach Davaar Island just off Campbeltown and explore sea caves – but watch out for the tide coming back in.

Head to Port Ellen for an exciting kayaking adventure with Kayak Wild Islay where you can explore the coastline of the island on a full or half day expedition.

Quiet island roads are ideal for your family’s cycling adventures. The Isle of Lismore is relatively flat and is just a hop by ferry from Oban and Port Appin. Head through the leafy trails of Sutherland’s Grove and whizz past giant fir trees and crashing waterfalls, or for a challenge, take on the Fire Tower mountain bike trail near Lochgilphead. Explore the region via National Cycle Route 78.

Head to Craobh Marina for a bespoke West Coast Cruise to take in the stunning scenery and for an escape to the west coast islands.

Ardmore Point lies across the water from Helensburgh and you’ll get...
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Cycle or walk along the towpaths of ‘Britain’s prettiest shortcut’, the Crinan Canal. This vital waterway meanders through the Kintyre Peninsula, linking Loch Fyne with the Sound of Jura.

With their twitchy noses, sleek coats and awesome dam-building skills, beavers are wonderful animals to watch. You can see them in aquatic action at the Scottish Beaver Trial in Knapdale, a project which has reintroduced beavers to Mid Argyll after 400 years of extinction. Wander through forest trails which weave past their habitats and keep your eyes peeled for signs of beaver activity.

You won’t find a better place in Europe to spot white-tailed sea eagles than the Isle of Mull. Mull’s growing sea eagle population is the result of a successful re-introduction programme. The island is currently home to 15 pairs of the magnificent birds which nest high up in conifers in the forests. For the best chance of spotting them, go on a tour with a wildlife expert.

Did you know that the basking shark is the second-largest fish in the world? And that the Isle of Coll is one of the best places in the world to spot this elusive and secretive species? Every summer hundreds of basking sharks swim close to the shores of this island to feed off the rich plankton.

Fore! Tee off on a variety of courses in the region, including three of the country’s best links courses. At the first hole on championship course Machrihanish, you have to hit your drive over the Atlantic Ocean. Bute Golf Course offers spectacular views, while the 9 holes of Tiree Golf Course are perfect for a relaxed round.

For a walk that feels more island than mainland, try the Kintyre Way which runs from Tarbert in Mid Argyll to Southend at the south of the Kintyre Peninsula.

The way-marked West Island Way on the Isle of Bute is a relatively flat route without any strenuous climbs. Take in the beautiful views as you pass Kilchattan Bay and Port Bannatyne.

Pssst! Want to know a secret? The 57-mile Cowal Way winds along Argyll’s ‘secret coast’. It’s Scotland’s most diverse long-distance path, and it takes you from Portavadie in the west to Inveruglas on the shores of Loch Lomond.
Do you love good food? Here in Argyll & The Isles we are blessed with an outstanding natural larder. And when you visit, you can sample the very finest local food and drink. Fish and shellfish are freshly caught and organically farmed in seas and lochs, and from the fields tender meats are reared and artisan foods produced. Try local handmade preserves and homebaking and wash it all down with a peaty whisky or craft-brewed beer.

**Fresh seafood**

You see all those fishing boats lined up in the harbour at Oban? That’s why it’s Scotland’s seafood capital. Right on the pier you can try amazing seafood and shellfish landed from the waters beside you. Enjoy lobster in the summer months and be sure to sample a fresh oyster or two – have them served on ice with lemon and Tabasco sauce.

The west coast Seafood Trail is a must for discovering some of the region’s best seafood restaurants including the renowned Loch Fyne Oyster Bar in Cairndow and the Pierhouse Hotel in Appin. Watch the fresh catch being landed by fishermen straight from the boats and savour a huge variety of seafood. Find out more at [www.theseafoodtrail.com](http://www.theseafoodtrail.com)

Enjoy live music, great food and delicious drinks at MacGochans in Tobermory. Located in the picturesque harbour, take in the beautiful views as you have a relaxed afternoon beside the peat-burning fire.

**A wee dram**

For a truly spirited holiday, visit one of (or all of!) the 14 world class distilleries in Argyll & The Isles, the Isle of Islay has eight distilleries! Traditional craftsmen produce two malt whiskies at Tobermory on the Isle of Mull, and you’ll be surprised by the marked difference between the two. The Tobermory Single Malt is light with smooth notes of fruit and spice, while the Ledaig is a deep golden treasure that is both floral and smoky.

The Oban Distillery is one of the oldest sources of single malt whisky in Scotland. Take a guided tour to see how the malt whisky is made and sample a dram with...
Venison from the area is deliciously tender, while Argyll Hill Lamb produces delicious lamb from a long traditional lineage of Blackface sheep.

The range and quality of local produce at farmers’ markets will make your mouth water. You can buy rich Inverloch cheeses, take in the aromas of Homeground Coffee and sample preserves from Fyne Preserves and Puffer Foods.

Three chocolatiers in Argyll are part of Scotland’s Chocolate Trail. Stop by Oban Chocolate Company for a hot chocolate overlooking the bay, or head to Tobermory Handmade Chocolates on Mull. To find out more about this and other foodie trails visit www.visitscotland.com/foodietrails.

Look out for the Taste Our Best logo in restaurants, cafés, hotels and B&Bs. We only give this quality assurance accreditation to establishments that serve the finest fresh and locally sourced Scottish produce.

**Foodie events**

Bring your appetite to the Islay Festival of Music and Malt in the last week of May. At this traditional event, in Gaelic called ‘Fèis Ìle’, immerse yourself in island life and enjoy music, whisky, food, song and poetry and, of course, a warm welcome.

Fyne by name, fine by nature – head to Fyne Fest in June for delightful flavours from local ales, seafood delicacies and hearty fare such as meats and stovies. Listen to tunes from local and national folk bands and solo performers.

Bring your dancing shoes to Inveraray’s Best of The West festival. You will not only be treated to foot-stomping music, but also the temptations of the Whisky Tent and a sumptuous food and drink area featuring local produce from across the region, including Inverawe Smokery.

**Local produce**

Our wild hills and lush farms are the ideal source for flavoursome meat.

crystallised ginger to really enhance the flavours.

Springbank in Campbeltown is the oldest independent family-owned distillery in Scotland. It’s also the only site in Scotland where the whole whisky-making process is carried out, from malting to bottling. Or visit the Glen Scotia, one of the finest Scotch Whisky distilleries in Scotland.

A visit to Colonsay should include a visit to Wild Island Gin, sought after by many gin lovers and why not tie in your visit with tasting a local beer produced by the award winning Colonsay Brewery whilst sampling succulent local oysters and the fragrant honey!

**PLACES TO EAT**

- The Isle of Eriska Restaurant, Benderloch – a hotel, restaurant and spa blessed with a beautiful location on its own island in a stunning estate with views across Loch Linnhe.

- Skipness Castle Seafood Cabin, Tarbert – in the summer months you can enjoy grilled kippers and smoked salmon here. Try delicious seafood whilst looking at the Kilbrannan Sound towards the Isle of Arran.

- The waterfront of Rothesay, Isle of Bute – with its beautiful palm trees, is an ideal place to stop for a bite to eat, with bistros, cafés and traditional ice cream shops lining the harbour.

- Ee-usk in Oban, where you can enjoy award-winning succulent seafood while soaking up views to Kerrera, Lismore and the mountains of Mull.

**INSTEAD OF A WEE DRAM**

- Enjoy freshly made Kintyre Gin at Torrisdale Castle which blends together the unique coastal, pasture, and woodland position of the region.

- Sip a beer at Bute Brew Co, a new brewery in Rothesay which produces craft beer, brewed by hand. Visit the Black Bull Inn in Rothesay or the Kingarth Hotel in Kingarth to try it for yourself.

- Bruichladdich Distillery on Islay is known for its whisky, but you can also try its sensational gin – the Botanist, an artisanal gin produced in small batches.
Scotland’s coasts and waters have shaped our history, culture and way of life, from fishing and textiles, to whisky and wave power. Argyll & The Isles boasts a hugely diverse coastal scenery, ranging from dramatic cliffs and sea stacks to gleaming white beaches, and a rich offering of inland waters, rivers, loch and waterfalls.

**Outdoors Adventures**
Embrace the great outdoors and explore the region’s dramatic coastline and natural water features, with an unparalleled range of adventures, from water sports to whale watching and island hopping.

Bag your first Munro (mountain over 3,000 ft) with a walk up Ben Starav, at the head of Loch Etive.

Explore miles of spectacular coastline along the Argyll Sea Kayak Trail or try your hand at windsurfing on the Isle of Tiree, also nicknamed the Hawaii of the North, being the sunniest (and windiest!) place in the UK.

Take a gentle coastal stroll on the dramatic Oa Peninsula on the Isle of Islay, marvel at flower-filled machair and sparkling white shell-sand beaches on the Isle of Coll, take the family cycling on the Isle of Lismore or have fun bodyboarding at breathtaking Kiloran Bay on the Isle of Colonsay.

**Go Wild**
The seas and waters in Argyll & The Isles are teeming with wonderful wildlife.

Spot everything from mischievous red squirrels to seals, dolphins, and even a passing whale, not to mention bird species rarely seen elsewhere in Scotland.
Follow the Seafood Trail and dine in restaurants where you can savour the catch of the day, and witness the art of whisky-making at one of the region’s 14 distilleries.

Visit Oban and see for yourself why it’s known as Scotland’s seafood capital. Enjoy the world renowned Loch Fyne oysters in Cairndow, treat your taste buds to a dish of the award-winning Gigha Halibut and have a wee dram of some of the world’s most famous whiskies including, Oban, Tobermory, Springbank and those from Islay’s eight fine distilleries. Don’t forget the many breweries and gin distilleries including the delicious Colonsay craft ales and WILD Island Gin from the Isle of Colonsay Brewery and Tyree Gin from the Isle of Tiree.

**Stacks to do**
Discover great attractions set amidst stunning seascapes across Argyll & The Isles.

Grab your bucket and spade and explore Argyll’s dramatic coastline, islands and seaside spots. Explore the 23 inhabited islands of the region, each offering tranquil beaches and their own unique island culture. Hop from Jura to Islay to Mull and back to Oban on the mainland to witness iconic wildlife, tour world-famous whisky distilleries and escape to a real island paradise.

Take a boat trip out to see the Corryvreckan Whirlpool, a marvellous natural phenomenon located between the islands of Jura and Scarba, and the third largest of its kind in the world.

Uncover fascinating clan stories at the impressive Duart Castle, the seat of the Macleans, on the Isle of Mull, or visit Dunollie Castle and its enchanting woodlands near Oban – once the formidable stronghold of Clan MacDougall.

Get up close to wonderful species on boat trips to uninhabited islands, in National Nature Reserves and Forest Parks. From mighty sea eagles and seabirds on the Isle of Mull, to playful otters at the Taynish National Nature Reserve and beavers at Knapdale Forest, who knows what you’ll encounter?

Walk around the coast and you’ll see a huge variety of seabirds, from diving gannets to noisy oystercatchers. You might also spot seals, porpoises, otters and even the occasional whale or basking shark.

**From sea to plate**
Thanks to the region’s coastline and many lochs, freshly-caught seafood is never in short supply.

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**DON’T MISS...**

- World-class watersports on the Isle of Tiree, including windsurfing, landyachting, kitesurfing and surfing lessons.
- The eight world-famous distilleries on the Isle of Islay – and you can tour and taste drams at each one!
- The Isle of Mull – known as ‘Eagle Island’ – is one of the best places in Scotland to spot golden eagles and white-tailed sea eagles.
- Pay a visit to Loch Fyne Ales and take a tour with one of their expert brewers to see how they go about producing their outstanding range of ales before sampling them straight from the tap.

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**DID YOU KNOW?**

Porpoises, otters, deer, and red squirrels are often spotted on one of the many islands.
Throughout spring and summer you can tap your feet to traditional music and dance, with unforgettable live performances, children’s events and ceilidhs at the Isle of Mull Music Festival; the Highlands and Islands Music and Dance Festival in Oban; and The Ceòl Cholasa Festival on the Isle of Colonsay.

The Argyll Festival of Performance comes to Inveraray Castle in June to bring unique cars and famous drivers from F1, Le Mans, Indy Cars and more to Scotland.

Enjoy fantastic music in a stunning setting at the Tiree Music Festival in July, winner of best small Scottish festival. This three-day, family-friendly festival offers children’s ceilidhs, campsite accommodation and of course, a great selection of music performances.

Enjoy the Artmap Argyll Open Studio weekends during the summer, and treat yourself to your very own piece of art, inspired by the stunning landscapes and wildlife of the area.

During August, the Coll of the Sharks Festival is the annual basking shark and ocean festival based on the Isle of Coll. With the idyllic Hebridean waters surrounding Coll being the worldwide hotspot for basking sharks, where better to have a shark festival?

Don’t miss the MACH 1 Stages Rally in July for an adrenaline filled motorsport event that’ll have you sitting on the edge of your seat.

Celebrate Scotland’s proud traditions at the Cowal Highland Gathering in Dunoon which holds the World Highland Dancing Championships. You’ll find games taking place across the region in August featuring pipe bands and Highland dancing as well as other fun events.

Get gnarly in the Inner Hebrides in October at the annual BWA Tiree Wave Classic. the exciting windsurfing national championship that attracts windsurfers from across the UK. It’s the longest running professional windsurfing event in the world.
DON'T MISS...
- The Scottish Series in Tarbert in May.
- The 72nd West Highland Yacht Week in July and August with over 750 competitors taking in Craobh, Oban and Tobermory.
- Butefest in July, a three day family friendly music festival.
- The Craggy Island Triathlon in October, or the Oban Sea Kayak Race in August for some water themed adrenaline.
- The Oban Winter Festival in November.

THE GREAT OUTDOORS
- Colonsay Festival of Spring in April/May
- Walk Islay in April
- Isle of Jura Fell Race in May
- Tarbert’s Silvers Marine Scottish Series yacht racing event in May
- Fyne Fest in June for excellent local produce including seafood, ales meats and more. And all the while be entertained by great tunes from folk musicians.
- The Crinan Canal Water Festival in July/August
- Cowalfest in October
If you’re ready to soothe your spirit with some unspoilt beauty, you’ll find Argyll & The Isles is a pleasure to get to and explore. Excellent ferry links mean you’re able to easily hop between all 25 inhabited islands or you can get direct flights from the mainland to Islay, Coll, Colonsay and Tiree as well as Campbeltown on the Kintyre Peninsula. Get right to the heart of the region’s breathtaking scenery by driving its country lanes, where the winding paths are an adventure in themselves.

By road
Our rural roads will give you stunning vista after stunning vista, but may add to your journey time and could involve stopping at passing places on single track roads to allow following vehicles to overtake. Which is part of the fun of our wild and wonderful region!

If you’re planning on driving around the region, it is worth checking in advance with ferry operators which of the isles you can take your car to. Some only allow vehicles owned by residents.

National Tourist Routes
For an even more scenic journey, turn off the main trunk roads and motorways and onto the National Tourist Routes. The Argyll Coastal Route takes you 149 miles from Tarbert to Ballachulish, which is a short drive from Fort William. For more information, visit www.visitscotland.com/touristroutes

By bus
National coach services run to many of the larger towns in the area, from where you can link to local services. For more information, visit www.citylink.co.uk or www.westcoastmotors.co.uk

By rail
There are daily mainline rail links from Glasgow to Oban, which is an excellent way to begin your visit, as you will find connecting ferry and road links to other parts of the region. For more information visit www.nationalrail.co.uk or www.scotrail.co.uk

By ferry
Car and passenger ferries serve the west coast islands as well as many mainland destinations. Caledonian MacBrayne (CalMac) operates ferries from the Isle of Arran to Kintyre with a journey time of 30 minutes. You can also travel from Gourock to Dunoon in 20 minutes aboard Western Ferries and Argyll Ferries or Wemyss Bay to Rothesay in 35 minutes with CalMac.

A summertime ferry route, operated by CalMac, links Ardrossan in Ayrshire with Campbeltown on
the Kintyre Peninsula or you can travel from the Isle of Arran to Kintyre.

The Kintyre Express Ferry Service from Campbeltown to Northern Ireland operates seasonally, generally Easter until September.

The Jura Passenger Ferry takes less than an hour from Tayvallich.


By air
You can take local flights from Glasgow Airport to Tiree, Islay and Campbeltown. Flights are also available from Oban to Coll, Tiree, Colonsay and Islay.

From Tiree Airport you can also fly to the Isle of Coll.

For more information contact Tiree Airport on 01879 220456 and the Isle of Islay Airport on 01496 30236 or visit www.hial.co.uk, www.glasgowairport.com, www.hebrideanair.co.uk, www.gpia.co.uk

Island hopping
Island hopping by ferry lets you unlock the Inner Hebrides’ many treasures. Take your car or bike on board or simply go on foot.

There are a wide range of inter-island services, including the passenger-only service between the Isle of Seil to Easdale, where there are no roads.

Embark on an adventure of your choice while saving money with an Island Hopscotch® ticket from CalMac. These are valid for a month and let you roam freely from island to island.

Did you know?
You can see 100 miles of stunning island scenery in only 40 minutes on a Loch Lomond Seaplanes flight.
PRACTICAL INFORMATION
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The listings within this guide have been split into the following sections:
- Places to visit
- Leisure activities
- Shopping
- Food & drink
- Tours
- Transport
- Events & festivals
- Accommodation

Businesses within these sections are listed in alphabetical order by business location, then by business name. Each entry has a map reference (see example) relating to the map which appears at the back of this guide. Most entries will have a postcode which can be used to pin point locations. Where a business is listed as being ‘By’ a town or village it is wise to check the actual location before making your journey. Some listings may have a distance beside the location; this indicates the approximate road distance in miles from the main location. The mileages are voluntarily provided by the businesses themselves.

Display advertising is placed at the end of each section. Business listings who also have display advertising will have this icon ●.

SAMPLE ENTRY

Location
‘By’ designates that a property is within 10 miles of this location. Mileage in brackets after the location indicates the distance from the named location.

Name of business

Contact details

Business description

Quality Award
Where a Quality Assurance award has been included on an entry, the business has been graded by VisitScotland and provides assurances on quality and standards. Further information on page 23 of this guide. Quality Assurance Awards are correct as at January 2019.

Pricing
Where prices for admission, services and facilities are included in the entries, this is taken from information provided by the advertisers. Please note that prices are for your guidance only and include VAT where applicable (VAT as at December 2018). It is always advisable to check cost prior to booking.

Booking
Accepting a booking by telephone or in writing means you have entered into a legally binding contract with the proprietor of the establishment. If you cancel or fail to turn up, for whatever reason, the proprietor has the right to ask you for compensation. You should always check the cancellation terms in advance and, if you must cancel a booking, advise the business immediately. Online bookings are also subject to terms and conditions, please check direct with the proprietor for these.
**Insurance and cancellations**
Should you have to cancel for whatever reason, it is reassuring to know that you can be insured against any compensation claim. It is advisable you take out cancellation insurance prior to your trip.

**Accessible and Assistance dogs**
Whether you want a cosmopolitan city break or a relaxing holiday in the countryside, you’ll find a great range of accessible accommodation, attractions and things to see and do, whatever your requirements. You can stay in a bustling city centre, with great access-friendly attractions right on your doorstep, or out in the countryside, where you can enjoy accessible walks or trips to the beach. Look out for facilities such as onsite restaurants, free WiFi, hearing loop, level access and accessible parking or drop off points. It is always advisable to check with each establishment before visiting/booking. Please note that these icons are not verified by VisitScotland as businesses can opt to show these symbols. Find further information at www.visitscotland.com/holidays-breaks/accessible/

**Hearing loop**
Many establishments will be able to cater for those with a sensory impairment but please do check with the business before booking. Please note that this icon is not verified by VisitScotland as businesses can opt to show this symbol.

**Short breaks**
There is a fabulous range of accommodation throughout Scotland. Establishments purchasing advertising within this guide can opt to display the above symbol. Many establishments have offers throughout the year, contact direct for latest special offers.

**Family fun**
There is a wealth of things to see and do that will keep smiles on faces all day. Attractions and establishments which are particularly suitable for children have been highlighted within this guide. Please note that this icon is not verified by VisitScotland as businesses can opt to show this symbol.

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Guest WiFi access is available at this establishment. Please note that this icon is not verified by VisitScotland as businesses can opt to show this symbol.

**Gaelic**
The Gaelic language is rich in tradition, history, music and culture, and will add an interesting dimension and unique sense of place to your holiday. Gaelic is enjoying a revival and can be heard from Lowland pubs to Hebridean hotels. So if you wish to stay with Gaelic speakers please look out for the symbol within listings and ask when you book your accommodation/visit to confirm that this is available. Please note that this icon is not verified by VisitScotland as businesses can opt to show this symbol.

**Wild camping**
Please camp responsibly, in particular by taking away all your litter, removing all traces of your tent pitch and not causing any pollution – for further information see the Scottish Outdoor Access Code www.outdooraccess-scotland.scot

Take extra care and follow any local advice when parking cars or campervans. Please note, these wild camping access rights do not extend to motorised vehicles. If you’re planning to travel in a motorhome or campervan check with the landowner before you stop or book a pitch in a nearby camping park.

**Smoking**
Scotland’s indoor public places, including pubs, restaurants and cafés are smoke-free by law, creating a healthier and fresher environment for residents and visitors to our beautiful country.

**Drinking and driving**
Scotland’s drink drive limit is 50 mg (of alcohol per 100 ml of blood). The Scottish Government recommends the best approach is to have no alcohol at all, if you’re intending to get behind the wheel in Scotland.

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Wherever you are we’re on hand to help you experience the best of Scotland.

Our friendly information experts can offer advice on what’s on, where to go and book tickets for events, activities and transport. Our Shop Local initiative promotes local artisans so we’re sure to help you find the perfect gift from Scotland. Find us on page 19.

Our happy herd of Coo Vans will be on the moo-ve throughout Scotland, with our Coo-visors delivering excellent local advice. Look out for them at events and attractions and discover our top tips to make the most of your Scottish experience.

Our accredited iKnow Partners are based throughout Scotland and can offer tailored advice to help you make the most of your visit. Chat with them for insider tips about the must see attractions in the local area. Find them at visitscotland.com/iknow
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Iona Abbey and Nunnery, Isle of Iona
4 star Historic Attraction

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One way to ensure that you’ll enjoy great quality Scottish food and drink, prepared with care and delivered with passion, is to look for places that are part of Taste Our Best, our food and drink quality scheme.

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- Field Sports
- Ancestral Tourism
- Experiencing Gaelic
- Cyclists
- Bikers
- Golfers
- Children
- Groups
- Pets

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Places to visit

Art Galleries
Also check Visitor attractions

**ACHARACLE, ARGYLL**
Resipole Studios
Loch Sunart, Acharacle, Argyll PH36 4HX
T: 01967 431506 info@resipolestudios.co.uk
www.resipolestudios.co.uk
Resipole Studios and Fine Art Gallery offers changing exhibitions in four gallery rooms, showcasing some of the finest contemporary Scottish art.

Open: 5 Apr-1 Dec: Tue-Sun, 11am-6pm. All other times by appointment.
Admission: Free.

**ISLE OF IONA**
Iona Gallery & Pottery
Burnside Cottage, Isle of Iona PA76 6SW
T: 01681 700439 mail@ionagallery.com
www.ionagallery.com

Open: Easter-Oct: Mon-Sat, 11am-5pm.
Admission: Free.

**BONAWE, By TAYNUILT**
Bonawe Historic Iron Furnace
Historic Scotland Bonawe, By Taynuit PA35 1JQ
T: 01866 822432 customer@hes.scot
www.historicenvironment.scot/daysout
Once a place of fire and fury, the most complete charcoal-fuelled ironworks in Britain. Displays illustrate how iron was made here.

Open: Check website for up-to-date opening times.
Admission: Adult £6, Child £3.60, Concs £4.80.

**BOWMORE, ISLE OF ISLAY**
Round Church
Bowmore, Isle of Islay, Argyll
www.theroundchurch.org.uk
The Kilarrow Parish Church, better known as the Round Church. Building was completed in 1769, the idea of a round church came to Daniel Campbell during a grand European tour, where he was impressed by Italian architecture. Folklore suggests that the circular design was intended to ensure there were no corners in the church where the devil could hide.

Open: TBA
Admission: TBA

**By DALMALLY**
St Conan’s Kirk
Loch Awe, 2 miles west of Dalmally on the A85 www.stconanskirk.org.uk
It is steeped in a family history, unconventional approaches to design and magical and almost unbelievable stories that surprise and delight those of every age. Neither conventional nor slavishly representative of any particular type of architecture, it is larger than the actual needs of the congregation would dictate, and it is in parts elaborate.
DAVAAR ISLAND, by CAMPBELTOWN

Crucifixion Cave Painting
Davaar Island, By Campbeltown

Life-size picture of the Crucifixion on the wall of one of Davaar Island’s seven caves. Painted by local artist Archibald MacKinnon in 1887 after he had awoken from a dream. Davaar Island can be reached on foot by a stony causeway during low tide (please check tide tables locally).

INVERARAY

Inveraray Castle & Gardens
Argyll Estates Office, Cherry Park, Argyll PA32 8XF
T: 01499 302203 F: 01499 302421
enquiries@inveraray-castle.com www.inveraray-castle.com

Ancestral home of Clan Campbell and home to the Duke & Duchess of Argyll. The turreted, fairy tale exterior belies the grandeur of its gracious interior. The spectacular garden has a variety of specimen trees and plants.

- Heritage
- Garden
- Tearoom
- Giftshop
- Headquarters Clan Campbell
- Variety specimen plants
- Fresh local produce

★★★★ Castle

Open: 1st Apr - 31 Oct: Daily, 10am-5.45pm. Last admission 5pm.
Admission: Adult £12.50, Child £8 (children under 5 free), Concs £11, Family £35. Car parking £3 (non-castle visitors only). Group of 20 or more 20% discount given.

ROTHESAY, ISLE OF BUTE

Rothesay Castle
Historic Scotland, Rothesay, Isle of Bute PA20 0DA
T: 01700 502691 customer@hes.scot www.historicenvironment.scot/daysout

This powerful stronghold, built in 1200s, was twice besieged and captured by the Norse, who battered down the wall with their axes.

★★★★ Castle

Open: Check website for up-to-date opening times.
Admission: Adult £6, Child £3.60, Concs £4.80.

ISLE OF IONA

Iona Abbey and Nunnery
Historic Scotland, Isle of Iona, Argyll PA76 6SQ
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One of Scotland’s most historic and sacred sites, founded by St Columba in 563. Includes stunning representation of the famous high crosses.

★★★★ Historic Attraction

Open: Check website for up-to-date opening times
Admission: Adult £9, Child £5.40, Concs £7.20.

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TOBERMORY, ISLE OF MULL

Tobermory Distillery & Visitor Centre
Tobermory, Isle of Mull, Argyll PA75 6NR
T: 01688 302647 F: 01496 840248
info@tobermorymalt.com www.tobermorymalt.com

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• Distillery tours • Whisky tastings • Great Scotch whisky!
• Whisky shop

Visitor Attraction

Open:
All year. Daily Mon-Fri, 10am-5pm; Sat-Sun, 11am-4pm. Jun-Sep: evening tours available Mon-Sat, 5-8pm. Extended opening times for Easter. Please contact the Visitor Centre for more details.

Admission:
Adult from £9. Child £4. As spaces are limited, booking is advisable to avoid disappointment.

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Places to visit
Gardens, parks and play areas

**Benmore Botanic Garden**
By Dunoon, Argyll PA23 8QU
T: 01369 706261  benmore@rbge.org.uk  www.rbge.org.uk

In a magnificent mountainside setting, Benmore is steeped in history and surrounded by dramatic scenery. The 120 acre garden is home to a world famous collection of plants from Scotland and around the world. On the hillsides, see Chilean rainforest growing close by Bhutanese and Tasmanian displays. Ideal for all the family,
- Four star Garden • Wildlife Hide • Explorer and Guided Tours
- Shop and Café

**Open:** Apr-Sep: Daily, 10am-6pm. Mar & Oct: Daily, 10am-5pm.
**Admission:** Adult £7, Conc £5 (includes small voluntary donation to the garden). Children under 16 free. Regional Garden of the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh (charity no: SC007983).

**CRARAE, by INVERARAY**

**Crarae Garden**
National Trust for Scotland, Crarae, Inveraray, Argyll & Bute, PA32 8YA
T: 01546 886614  craraegarden@nts.org.uk  www.nts.org.uk

This exotic splash of wilderness in the gentle hills of Argyll is a Himalayan-style glen. The sparkling waters of the Crarae Burn form the centrepiece for a paradise of rocky gorges, wooden bridges & thickets of maple, birch and evergreens, blending with colourful sprays of flowers. You may also spot a variety of wildlife whilst walking around the garden, including red squirrels, deer & birds of prey.
- A living horticultural museum • Varied collection of trees
- Tumbling waterfalls • Picnic area • Shop & café

**Open:** Please see our website or call for opening times and admission prices.

**Ardinglas Woodland Garden**
The Estate Office, Ardkinglas, Cairndow, Argyll PA26 8BG
T: 01499 600261  info@ardkinglas.com  www.ardkinglas.com

Champion trees, historic rhododendrons and the famous Gruffalo Trail. A woodland garden for all ages.

**Open:** All year: daylight hours.
**Admission:** £5, £15 per family.

**Arduaine Garden**
National Trust for Scotland, Arduaine, Oban, Argyll & Bute, PA34 4XQ
T: 01852 200366  arduainegarden@nts.org.uk  www.nts.org.uk

An oasis of soft hues, eye-catching textures and striking foliage, Arduaine is the place to come for a deep breath of calm. The garden lies on a rocky promontory and enjoys the warming benefits of the North Atlantic Drift, meaning you can discover a wider range of plants than is usual in this part of the world. Admire species from all across the globe, and enjoy spectacular views over the ocean and islands.
- Plants from around the world • Coastal viewpoint • Picnic area • Scottish wildlife • Shop

**Open:** Please see our website or call for opening times and admission prices.
**Glenarn Garden**  
Mike and Sue Thomley Glenarn, Glenarn Road,  
Rhu, By Helensburgh G84 8LL  
T: 01436 820493 masthome@btinternet.com  
www.gardens-of-argyll.co.uk  
Sheltered woodland glen with burn, famous for rare and tender rhododendrons and magnolias. Hillside rock garden with interest all year. Vegetable garden.

Open: 21 Mar-21 Sep: Daily, dawn to dusk.  
Admission: Adult £5, Child under 16 free.

**Kilmartin Museum**  
Kilmartin, Lochgilphead PA31 8RQ  
T: 01546 510278  
admin@kilmartin.org www.kilmartin.org

Located in the heart of prehistoric Kilmartin Glen, Kilmartin Museum interprets the landscape and displays internationally significant artefacts.

Open: 1st March 2019, please see website for details.  
Admission: Adult £7.00, Child £2.50, Concs £6.50. Full time student - £6.  
Family pass (x2 & 1-4 child) £15.00. Family pass (x1 & 1-4 child) £10.

**Auchindrain**  
Auchindrain, Furnace, Inveraray PA32 8WD  
T: 01499 500235  
info@auchindrain.org.uk www.auchindrain.org.uk

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- Visitor centre  
- Coffee shop  
- Toilets  
- Free parking  
- On the A83 south of Inveraray.

Open: All year. Apr-Oct: Daily, 10am-5pm. Nov-Mar: usually Mon-Fri, 10am-4pm (£1 entry in winter months).  
Admission: Adult £8, Concessions £7, Child £5.50. 20% discount for all adults accompanied by more than one child, and for groups of 20 or more. Winter months phone in advance to check if open.

**Dunollie Museum, Castle and Grounds**  
North Wing, Dunollie House, Oban, Argyll  
PA34 5TT  
T: 01631 570550 info@dunollie.org  
www.dunollie.org

Seat and ancestral home of Clan MacDougall. Exciting exhibitions and displays for all ages. Woodland walks, gardens, stunning views. Café and shop.

Open: Apr-Oct. Open daily during summer (Please check website for seasonal opening hours).  
Admission: Please refer to website for admission details.

**Oban War & Peace Museum**  
Old Oban Times Building, Corran Esplanade, Oban PA34 5PX  
T: 01631 570007 obanmuseum@btconnect.com www.obanmuseum.org.uk

Oban War & Peace Museum has an interesting collection depicting the rich heritage of Oban and Lorn through the years including during WWII when Oban Bay was home to RAF Flying Boats.

Open: Mar-Apr & Oct-Nov: Daily, 10am-4pm.  
May-Sep: Mon-Sat, 10am-6pm; Sun, 10am-4pm.  
Admission: Free.
Places to visit

Visitor attractions
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Bunessan, Isle of Mull

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www.ardalanish.com

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Open: Apr-mid Oct: Daily, 10am-5pm. Mid Oct-Apr: Mon-Fri, 10am-4.30pm. Closed mid Dec 2018-mid Jan 2019. For visits outwith these times please phone 01681 700265.
Admission: Free.

Iona Heritage Centre
The Manse, Isle of Iona PA76 6SJ
T: 01681 700576 ionaheritage@outlook.co.uk
www.ionaheritage.co.uk

Fascinating information about the local and natural history of Iona. Plus shop and garden café with outdoor and indoor seating. Homemade soup and baking.

Open: Easter-Oct: Mon-Sat, 10.30am-4.30pm.
Admission: Adult £2.60, Child over 12 £1.50, Concs £1.50.

Oban Chocolate Company
34 Corran Esplanade, Oban PA34 5PS
T: 01631 566099 enquiries@obanchocolate.co.uk
www.obanchocolate.co.uk

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Inverawe Smokery & Fisheries
Tyndrum, by Bridge of Awe PA35 1HU
T: 01866 822808 www.inverawe-fisheries.co.uk

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Admission: £2.50 museum of smoking fish (children free).
Corryvreckan Whirlpool

One of the largest whirlpools on earth and one of the most dangerous stretches of water around the UK. It is said that at certain times the roar is so loud that it can be heard ten miles away. At full strength the currents can reach over 10 knots and produce waves over 9 m high. Visitors will find a number of tour operators in the area offering boat trips to the whirlpool and its surrounding waters.

Open: TBA
Admission: TBA

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Admission: TBA

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**Places to visit**

**Wildlife, nature and natural attractions**

**By BARCALDINE**

**Sutherland’s Grove**
Forestry Commission Scotland, 12 miles from Oban PA371SQ
T: 0300 067 6650 westargyll@forestry.gsi.gov.uk
www.forestry.gov.uk/scotland
Woodland walks through a diverse landscape of gigantic fir trees, crashing waterfalls, ancient oakwood and working forest. Cycle routes which venture deeper into the forest reward the cyclist with peace and quiet and fantastic views.

Open: All year.
Admission: Free.

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**By BRIDGENEDE, ISLE OF ISLAY**

**RSPB Scotland Loch Gruinart**
Isle of Islay PA44 7PR
T: 01496 850505 loch.gruinart@rspb.org.uk
www.rspb.org.uk/lochgruinart
Enjoy the trails through woodland and across open moorland, with panoramic views. Barnacle geese arrive in the winter; wading birds display in the spring.

★★★ Visitor Attraction

Open: Visitor centre: All year, 10am-5pm except Christmas and New Year. Trails and bird hides: All year. Weekly guided walks from Apr-Oct.
Admission: Free admission to the visitor centre, small charges for guided walks.

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**DUNOON**

**Bishop’s Glen**
Main access from Nelson Street, Dunoon

Originally housing Dunoon’s water supply, this area of outstanding natural beauty is a popular trout fishery, and home to many interesting small mammals, including colonies of red squirrels. Bird life abounds, and roe deer can be seen. The area also hosts a rare species of orchid, as well as a host of more unusual fungi. Pleasant walks include the Bishop’s Seat. Car park and picnic areas.

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Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh at Benmore

On the A815, 7 miles north of Dunoon on the Cowal Peninsula, Argyll PA23 8QU
Tel 01369 706261 | www.rbge.org.uk/benmore

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Advanced booking is required.

Address: Achnalarig Farm & Stables, Oban PA34 4QA
Phone: 07748 708141

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Open: As detailed in club leaflet and website.

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T: 0300 067 6600 cowaltrossachs@forestry.gsi.gov.uk www.forestry.gov.uk/argyllforestpark

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www.oban-holiday.co.uk

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★★★★ Small Holiday Park

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Taynuilt, by Bridge of Awe PA35 1HU
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Visitor Attraction

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www.carradalegolf.com
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- **Ensuite bath and/or shower for some bedrooms**
- **Private bath and/or shower for all bedrooms**
- **Private bath and/or shower for some bedrooms**
- **Washbasins in bedrooms/rooms**
- **Hairdryer in bedrooms**
- **Television available**
- **No television**
- **Satellite/cable TV**
- **Broadband**
- **WiFi**
- **DVD player available**
- **CD player available**
- **iPod docking station**
- **Telephone in bedrooms/self catering unit**
- **Tea/coffee making facilities in bedrooms**
- **Restaurant**
- **Evening meal available**
- **Vegetarian diets provided**
- **Special diets provided**
- **Packed lunches by arrangement**
- **Room service**
- **Full alcohol drinks licence/licensed bar**
- **Restricted alcohol drinks licence**
- **Lounge**
- **TV lounge**
- **Smoking rooms available**
- **Porterage**
- **Laundry service**
- **Credit/debit cards accepted**
- **Ground floor bedrooms available**
- **Passenger lift**
- **Four-poster beds**
- **Building of historic/literary/architectural interest**
- **Garden**
- **Open hearth fire**
- **Regular live entertainment**
- **Leisure facilities**
- **Indoor swimming pool**
- **Outdoor swimming pool**
- **Games room**
- **Children’s play area**
- **Private parking**
- **Limited parking**
- **Disabled parking on site**
- **Property on working farm/croft**
- **Pets accepted by arrangement**
- **Gaelic language spoken**
- **Hearing loop**
- **Assistance dogs**
- **Short breaks available**
- **Ensuite bath and/or shower room(s) in self catering unit**
- **Bed linen provided on request – free or for hire**
- **Towels provided on request – free or for hire**
- **Additional charge for power/fuel/heating**
- **Laundry facilities on site**
- **Washing machine**
- **Tumble dryer**
- **Microwave**
- **Dishwasher**
- **Freezer**
- **Domestic help**
- **Payphone available**
- **Non-smoking establishment**
- **Not all properties/caravans have all facilities**
- **Eating out facilities within two miles or meal service available**
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- **Alpine sleeping platform**
- **Pitches for touring caravans**
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St Columba Hotel
Sgl (9) £68-£106 prpn
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Ensuite (27)

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wkathmore@aol.com  www.kathmore.co.uk

Kathmore Guest House
Sgl £50-£72 prpn
Db1 (5) £60-£80 prpn
Twn (3) £60-£80 prpn
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bayviewbute@outlook.com  www.bayviewhotel-bute.co.uk

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Db/twn (6)  £36-£42.50 pppn
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