

# Visit Dartmoor

## For An Active, Happy Holiday!

While the beautiful landscape of Dartmoor is best known for its spectacular scenery, rugged tors and picturesque villages, the jewel in Devon's crown offers even more than first meets the eye.

Visit Devon's famous moor and you will soon discover not only the history and legends that surround this impressive 368 square mile landscape, but, also the vast amount of outdoor activities for all ages and abilities that it is home to.

**Trails, Walks & Rambles** Just being on Dartmoor gives you the desire to get out and explore its many hidden treasures and a walk across the moor is the most easily accessible activity for everyone. From short trails enjoying the extensive wildlife that resides here, to longer circular walks taking in Dartmoor landmarks such as the many tors, ancient Bronze-age stone circles and standing stones - even the famous 'letterboxes' where orienteering clues lead you on a trail from one to another.

For the more adventurous young walker, Dartmoor plays host to the famous Ten Tors challenge. This annual weekend event for 14 - 19 year olds is an opportunity to experience the sometimes harsh all-weather extremities the moor has to offer. Covering distances of up to 55 miles between ten hilltop tors, it isn't for the faint hearted!

**From Gentle To Exhilarating** Dartmoor also offers many other small group activities, suitable for the active and the not so active! Take your pick from a gentle amble or an exhilarating gallop across the moor with one of the many horse riding stables, all catering for every level of experience.

Climbing some of Dartmoor's many tors is an adrenaline-fuelled activity if your nerves are up to it! Rock climbing and bouldering locations are plentiful across the moor, all with varying degrees of difficulty for the beginner and the pro to overcome.

For a more tranquil way to experience the lush Dartmoor scenery, trying your hand at fishing at one of the many rivers and reservoirs could be all the relaxation you need. From waters rich in Brown Trout, Sea Trout and Salmon for the proficient, to specialist Trout farms with easier pickings and tuition for novices.

**Family Days Out** Together with all these fantastic activities, Dartmoor is really a gift to families visiting Devon as well. Voted Devon's top beauty spot, Becky Falls Woodland Park is home to the iconic Dartmoor waterfall as well as hands-on animal shows and feed-the-animal sessions. The River Dart Country Park will give kids of all ages a day out to remember, with its famous adventure playground, mini zip wire and pirate ship. And nearby, you'll also find the Miniature Pony Centre with the cutest ponies you'll ever see along with their furry and feathered friends.

With all kinds of family friendly Dartmoor days out on offer, you could well be spoilt for choice, but stay a while and you'll leave with some unforgettable holiday memories.

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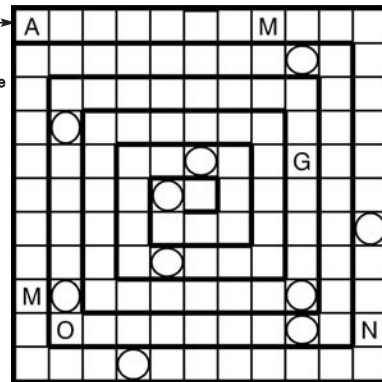
## COMPETITION

Whether you are looking for a holiday fishing set or just starting the sport this set can be used for freshwater fishing for general coarse fish including carp and also light sea fishing too.

For a chance to win, place the words clockwise into the spiral starting at the arrow. Each word shares its last two letters with the first two of the following word. Once complete, **ARRANGE** the marked letters to find the answer.

AERODROME  
AGO  
AMAZE  
ANAGRAM  
ARCHANGEL  
CHICKEN  
DEMERARA  
DOGMA  
DYNAMITE  
EDUCATE  
ELEVENTH  
ENCLOSURE  
ESCAPADE

GOTH  
MACHINIST  
MELODY  
RASP  
REGISTRAR  
RONDO  
SPUN  
STALAG  
TEACH  
TENTACLES  
THAN  
UNCHAINED  
ZERO



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