



▪ **BRISTOL**

Blaise Hamlet

Henbury, Bristol BA1 2QH

Tel: 01275 461900

A hamlet of nine different picturesque cottages built in 1809 to accommodate Blaise Estate pensioners.

Westbury College Gatehouse

College Road, Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol BS9 3EH

Tel: 01275 461900

15th Century medieval gatehouse of the College of Priests.

▪ **CORNWALL**

Antony

Torpoint, Plymouth, Cornwall PL11 2QA

Tel: 01752 812191

One of Cornwall's finest early 18th century houses, faced in silvery-grey Pentewan stone, offset by colonnaded wings of red brick and set within extensive grounds.

Boscastle

nr Cornwall Countryside, Cornwall

Tel: 01840 250353

Much of the land in and around this picturesque north Cornish harbour and village is owned by the NT; including the cliffs of Penally Point and Willapark, Forrabury Common, above the village and divided into ancient 'stitchmeal' cultivation plots, and areas of woodland in Valency Valley.

Carnewas & Bedruthan Steps

Nr Bedruthan, St Eval, Wadebridge, Cornwall PL27 7UW

Tel: 01637 860563 (Shop)

One of the most popular destinations on the Cornish coast, by virtue of the spectacular clifftop view of massive rock stacks marching into the distance across the sweep of Bedruthan beach (not NT). There are magnificent walks along the coast path between Carnewas and Park Head. The Trust has rebuilt the cliff staircase down to the beach, but it is unsafe to bathe at any time and visitors need to be aware of the risk of being cut off by the tide

Cornish Mines & Engines

Pool, nr Redruth, Cornwall TR15 3NP

Tel: 01209 315027

Two great beam engines used for pumping water from over 566 metres deep and for winding men and ore. The engines exemplify the use of high pressure steam patented in 1802.

Cotehele

St Dominick, nr Saltash, Cornwall PL12 6TA

Tel: 01579 351346

The house has original furniture, armour and a remarkable set of tapestries and other textiles. There is a series of formal gardens near the house and a valley garden including a medieval dovecote.

Cotehele Mill

St Dominick, nr Saltash, Cornwall PL12 6TA

Tel: 01579 350606

Tucked away in dense woodland, this water mill, restored to working order, is a fine reminder of the recent past when corn was ground here for the local community. Nearby, a range of agricultural outbuildings contains a collection of a blacksmiths', carpenters', wheelwrights' and saddlers' tools and are presented as workshops, giving an insight into the working life of local craftsmen.

Glendurgan Garden

Mawnan Smith, nr Falmouth, Cornwall TR11 5JZ

Tel: 01326 250906

A beautiful valley garden with fine trees, rare and exotic plants and water gardens (house is privately occupied).

Godolphin

Godolphin Cross, Helston, Cornwall TR13 9RE

Tel: 0844 8001895 (Infoline) 01736 763194

Medieval garden with remains of walkways and compartments. The Estate has more than 400 archaeological features and mine ruins. Godolphin Hill provides wonderful views over west Cornwall.

Godrevy

Gwithian, nr Hayle, Cornwall

Tel: 01872 552412 (Area Warden)

Sandy beaches, high cliffs and smugglers coves with a superb coast walking path.

Lawrence House

9 Castle St, Launceston, Cornwall PL15 8DA

Tel: 01566 773277

A Georgian house given to the Trust to help preserve the character of the street and now leased as a museum and civic centre.

Levant Mine and Beam Engine

Trewellard, Pendeen, nr St Just, Cornwall TR19 7SX

Tel: 01736 786156

In its tiny engine house perched on the edge of a cliff is the Levant steam engine which has been restored after 60 years of being idle.

Lanhydrock

Bodmin, Cornwall PL30 5AD

Tel: 01208 265950

A fascinating late 19th century house with parts surviving from the 17th century. Note: allow at least 1.5 hours to tour house.

The Lizard & Kynance Cove

Cornwall

Tel: 01326 561407

The most southerly point of mainland Britain and the turning point of one of the busiest shipping lanes in the world. The coastline offers dramatic cliff walks, rare wild flowers and unique geology. Kynance Cove offers white sand, turquoise water and multi-coloured serpentine islands, with stacks and arches hidden amongst the cliffs.

Penrose Estate: Gunwalloe and Loe Pool

Nr Helston, Cornwall TR13 0RD

Tel: 01326 561407

Loe Pool is Cornwall's largest freshwater lake, separated from the sea by a great shingle bar. There are many birds and mammals including the otter. The estate offers a variety of walks including a circular route around Loe. Gunwalloe has sandy beaches and a Medieval church in the dunes.

St Anthony Head

Cornwall

Tel: 01872 862945

St Anthony Head overlooks the entrance to one of the world's largest natural harbours. The starting point for a number of excellent coastal and sheltered creekside walks also bears newly revealed remains of a century of defensive fortifications.

St Michael's Mount

Marazion, nr Penzance, Cornwall TR17 0HS

Tel: 01736 710507 / 01736 710265

Originally the site of a Benedictine chapel the spectacular castle on top of this famous rock island dates from the 12th century.

Tintagel Old Post Office

Fore Street, Tintagel, Cornwall PL34 0DB

Tel: 01840 770024

A 14th century stone house built to the plan of a medieval manor house. Used in the 19th century for nearly 50 years as a letter-receiving office, it is now restored to that period and function.

Trelissick Garden

Feock, nr Truro, Cornwall TR20 8RZ

Tel: 01872 862090

A large garden with exotic plants making it attractive all year. There are also extensive park and woodland walks beside the river with views of the Fal Estuary and Falmouth harbour.

Trengwainton Garden

Madron, nr Penzance, Cornwall TR20 8RZ

Tel: 01736 363148

This garden is renowned for the cultivation of exotic trees and shrubs. The walled garden has many plants which cannot be grown in the open anywhere else in the country.

Trerice

Kestle Mill, nr Newquay, Cornwall TR8 4PG

Tel: 01637 875404

A small Elizabethan manor house (built 1571) with an early gabled facade, fine fireplaces, and oak and walnut furniture and clocks.

▪ DEVON

A La Ronde

Summer Lane, Exmouth, Devon EX8 5BD

Tel: 01395 265514

A unique 16-sided house built on the instructions of two spinster cousins, Jane and Mary Parminter. Completed c.1796, the house has many of the Parminter's 18th century contents and collections.

Ashleworth Tithe Barn

Ashleworth, Gloucestershire GL19 4JA

Tel: 04152 813213

A 15th-century tithe barn, picturesquely located on the banks of the Severn and with an immense stone-tiled roof.

Bideford Bay and Hartland

North Devon Coast, west of Bidford, Devon

Tel: 01237 441976 (Estate Office) 01271 850887 (Property Manager)

A beautiful stretch of rugged cliffs, sheltered valleys and ancient woodlands with miles of South West Coast Path to explore. Flourishing wildlife with seals offshore and rare butterflies and birds on the cliffs. Includes Brownsham and Hartland coastline, the historic fishing village of Clovelly, Mount Pleasant Park, Peppercombe beach, Kipling Tors, Burrough Farm and South Hole.

Bradley

Newton Abbot, Devon TQ12 6BN

Tel: 01803 843235

A small medieval manor house set in woodland and meadows.

Branscombe - The Old Bakery, Manor Mill & Forge

Branscombe, Seaton, Devon EX12 3DB

Tel: 01392 881691

A traditional stone-built and partially-rendered building with a thatched roof which was until 1987 the last traditional bakery in use in Devon: baking room and equipment have been preserved. Manor Mill, a water-powered mill, is still in working order.

Buckland Abbey

Yelverton, Devon PL20 6EY

Tel: 01822 853607

In a secluded valley above the River Tavy, the Abbey holds the secret to over 700 years of history; from Cistercian monastery to home of Sir Richard Grenville and Sir Francis Drake. Note: small fee may apply when special events are in progress.

Castle Drogo

Drewsteignton, nr Exeter, Devon EX6 6PB

Tel: 01647 433306

A granite castle built between 1910 and 1930, one of the most remarkable works of Sir Edwin Lutyens. It stands at over 300 metres above sea level and includes a delightful garden and walks.

The Church House

Widcombe in the Moor, Newton Abbot, Devon TQ13 7TA

Tel: 01364 621321

Originally a brewhouse dating back to 1537, this former village school is now used as a village hall.

Coleton Fishacre House & Garden

Coleton, Kingswear, Dartmouth, Devon TQ6 0EQ

Tel: 01803 752466

A lovely garden set within the spectacular scenery of National Trust-owned coast. The garden was created by Lady Dorothy D'Oyly Carte between 1925 and 1940 and has a wide variety of rare and exotic trees and shrubs.

Compton Castle

Marldon, Paignton, Devon TQ3 1TA

Tel: 01803 843235

A fortified manor house with a curtain wall, built at three periods (1340, 1450 and 1520) by the Gilbert family. It was the home of Sir Humphrey Gilbert, coloniser of Newfoundland.

Finch Foundry

Sticklepath, Okehampton, Devon EX20 2NW

Tel: 01837 840046

A 19th century water-powered forge which produced agricultural hand tools. Regular demonstrations of working water wheels.

Greenway

Greenway Road, Galmpton, nr Brixham, Devon TQ5 0ES

Tel: 01803 842382 (Infoline); 01803 661903 (Café)

Greenway is a glorious woodland garden on the banks of the River Dart that time seems to have passed by. Renowned for rare half-hardy plants underplanted by native wild flowers, a true 'secret' garden of peace and tranquillity. A unique and important estate on the Dart estuary. Note: To protect the amenities of local people living on the roads leading to Greenway, the Trust is required to restrict the number of visitors' vehicles admitted to the property. All visitors (both members and non-members) intending to arrive by car must telephone 01803 842382 to book a parking space before arriving at this property.

Heddon Valley Shop

Parracombe, Barnstaple Devon

Tel: 01598 763402

Information centre and gift shop set in a wooded valley in Exmoor. Offers many beautiful coastal and woodland walks.

Killerton

Broadclyst, Exeter, Devon EX5 3LE

Tel: 01392 881345

The house, built in 1778, is furnished as a comfortable family home and includes the Paulise de Bush costume collection.

Killerton: Clyston Mill

Broadclyst, Exeter, Devon EX5 3EW

Tel: 01392 462425

A water powered grain mill in working order that still produces flour. Telephone to check dates of milling days.

Knightshayes Court

Bolham, Tiverton, Devon EX16 7RQ

Tel: 01884 254665

Begun in 1869, the house, with its richly-decorated Victorian interior, is a rare survival of the work of William Burges.

Loughwood Meeting House

Dalwood, Axminster, Devon EX13 7DU

Tel: 01392 881691

Built c.1653 by the Baptist congregation of Kilmington who attended services here at the risk of imprisonment.

Lundy

Bristol Channel, Devon EX39 2LY

Tel: 01271 863636 (Infoline)

Unspoilt island home to a huge variety of migratory seabirds, grass and heathland habitats. Includes a Victorian church and 13th century castle.

Lydford Gorge

The Stables, Lydford Gorge nr Okehampton, Devon EX20 4BH

Tel: 01822 820 441/820320

This famous gorge, 1.5 miles long, can be viewed from a circular walk which starts high above the river, passing through the oak woodland before the path drops down to the spectacular White Lady Waterfall.

Killerton Marker's Cottage

Broadclyst, Exeter, Devon EX5 3HR

Tel: 01392 461546

Fascinating medieval cob house with a cross-passage screen decorated with a painting of St Andrew.

Morte

North Devon coastline, between Croyde and Ilfracombe

Tel: 01271 870555 (Estate Office)

A spectacular coastline of cliffs and coves, sandy beaches, dunes and headlands, important for its wildlife, archaeology and geology. Includes Baggy Point headland, Woolacombe Beach Dunes and Down, Morte Point and Torrs Walk to Rockham Bay.

The Old Mill

Wembury Beach, Wembury, Devon PL9 0HP

Tel: 01752 862314

A café housed in a former mill house on a small beach near the Yealm estuary.

Overbecks Museum & Garden

Sharpitor, Salcombe, Devon TQ8 8LW

Tel: 01548 842893

The Edwardian house displays a collection including local photographs, ship building tools, toys and model boats. Beautiful garden with many rare plants.

Salcombe: Thurlestone to Torcross

South Devon coast, on both side of the Salcombe and Kingsbridge estuary

Tel: 01752 346585

Spectacular coastline of dramatic cliffs, grazed open farmland and small sandy coves, home to rare butterflies, birds and migratory birds. Includes Bolberry Down, Snapes Point, Prawle Point, Bolt Head and Bolt Tail.

Saltram

Plympton, Plymouth, Devon PL7 1UH

Tel: 01752 336546

A remarkable George II mansion with its original contents and set in an attractive park.

Shute Barton

nr Axminster, Devon EX13 7PT

Tel: 01297 34692

An important surviving non-fortified manor house of the middle ages.

Watersmeet House

Watersmeet Rd, Lynmouth, Devon EX35 6NT (Within Exmoor National Park)

Tel: 01271 850887

A fishing lodge (c.1832) set in a picturesque valley. The site has been a tea garden since 1901 from where there are several beautiful walks.

West Exmoor Coast & Heddon Valley Shop

North east Devon, from Combe Martin to Woody Bay, west of Lynton

Tel: 01598 763402 (Shop) 01598 763306 (Estate Office)

Views of the highest cliffs in southern England with coastal and woodland birds as you walk the South West Coast Path and Tarka Trail. Heddon Valley Shop and Information Centre is located at Heddon's Mouth Beach. Includes Hangman Hills, Holdsonete and Trentishoe Down.

▪ DORSET

Brownsea Island

Poole Harbour, Dorset BH13 7EE

Tel: 01202 707744

A 202ha island of heath and woodland with views of the Dorset coast; also includes a nature reserve. Note: boats run from Poole Quay, Swanage, Bournemouth and Sandbanks at all stages of the tide, landing fee applies.

Clouds Hill

Wareham, Dorset BH20 7NQ

Tel: 01929 405616

Lawrence of Arabia bought this cottage in 1925 as a retreat. Rooms are much as he left them.

Corfe Castle

The Square, Corfe Castle, Wareham, Dorset BH20 5EZ

Tel: 01929 481294 (Infoline); 01929 480921 (shop)

One of the most impressive medieval ruins in England this former royal castle was besieged by parliamentary forces in 1646.

Golden Cap

South West Dorset coast, between Lyme Regis and Bridport

Tel: 01297 561900 (Estate Office)

England's only World Heritage Site rich in wildlife, unusual geology, beaches and rock pools with over 25 miles of paths to explore.

Golden Cap is the highest point on the south coast and offers magnificent views. Includes St Gabriel's Beach, Langdon Hill Wood and Thorncombe Beacon.

Hardy Monument

Black Down, Portesham, Dorset

Tel: 01297 561900

A monument erected in 1844 in memory of Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Masterman Hardy, Flag-Captain of HMS Victory at the battle of Trafalgar.

Hardy's Cottage

Higher Bockhampton, nr Dorchester, Dorset DT2 8QJ

Tel: 01305 262366

A small thatched cottage where the novelist/poet Thomas Hardy was born in 1840—built by his great-grandfather. *Note: approach only by 10-min walk through woods.*

Kingston Lacy

Wimborne Minster, Dorset BH212 4EA

Tel: 01202 883402

The house has an outstanding collection of paintings including work by Rubens, Titian, Van Dyck and Lely. The Spanish Room is in gilded leather with a gilded ceiling brought from the Contarini Palace in Venice. Houses a fine collection of Egyptian artefacts.

Max Gate

Alington Ave, Dorchester, Dorset DT1 2AB

Tel: 01305 262538

Poet and novelist Thomas Hardy designed and lived in the house from 1885 until his death in 1928. The house contains several pieces of Hardy's furniture.

Studland Beach & Nature Reserve

Purbeck Estate Office, Studland, Swanage, Dorset BH19 3AX

Tel: 01929 450259

Fine sandy beaches stretch continuously for 3 miles from South Haven Point to the chalk cliffs of Handfast Point and Old Harry Rocks, and include Shell Bay and a designated naturist area. The heathland behind the beach is a National Nature Reserve and a haven for many rare birds and other forms of wildlife. There are several public paths and two nature trails here. Bird hides at Little Sea

White Mill

Sturminster Marshall, nr Wimborne, Dorset BH21 4BX

Tel: 01258 858051

Rebuilt in 1776 on Domesday site, this corn mill has been extensively repaired and contains much of its rare 18th century timber machinery.

▪ GLOUCESTIRSHIRE

Chedworth Roman Villa

Yanworth, nr Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL54 3LJ

Tel: 01242 890256

The remains of one of the largest Romano-British villas in the country, set in a wooded Cotswold combe. Over one mile of walls survive and there are several fine mosaics, two bathhouses, hypocausts, a water-shrine and latrine. Excavated in 1864, the site still has a Victorian atmosphere and the site museum houses objects from the villa. A 15-minute audiovisual presentation gives visitors an insight into the history of this fascinating place.

Dyrham Park

Dyrham, nr Bath, Gloucestershire SN14 8ER

Tel: 01179 372501

Built between 1691 and 1710 the rooms of this property have been little changed since they were furnished by Blathwayt (William III's Secretary of State). Surrounded by parkland with herd of fallow deer.

Hailes Abbey

Nr Winchcombe, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL54 5PB

Tel: 01242 602398

13th century Cistercian abbey ruins with dramatic cloister arches and a small museum. NT members are required to pay the entrance fee.

Hidcote Manor Garden

Hidcote Bartrim, nr Chipping Campden, Gloucestershire GL55 6LR

Tel: 01386 438333

One of England's great gardens, an 'Arts & Crafts' masterpiece created by the horticulturist Major Lawrence Johnston. A series of outdoor rooms, each with a different character and separated by walls and hedges of many different species, the garden is famous for its rare shrubs and trees, outstanding herbaceous borders and unusual plant species from all over the world. The varied styles of the outdoor rooms peak at different times of year, making for an interesting visit at any time.

Little Fleece Bookshop

Bisley Street, Painswick, Gloucestershire GL6 6QQ

Tel: 01452 812264

A 17th-century building, originally part of a former inn and restored in an exemplary 'Arts & Crafts' style in 1935. Now open as a bookshop, with the ground-floor room only on view.

Lodge Park & Sherborne Estate

Lodge Park, Aldsworth, nr Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL54 3PP
Tel: 01451 844130

Situated on the picturesque Sherborne Estate in the Cotswolds, Lodge Park was created in 1634 by John 'Crump' Dutton. Inspired by his passion for gambling and banqueting it is a unique survival of a grandstand, deer course and park. It was the home of Charles Dutton, 7th Lord Sherborne, until 1982 when he bequeathed his family's estate to the National Trust. The grandstand has been reconstructed to its original form and is the first project of its kind undertaken by the Trust that relies totally on archaeological evidence. The park behind was designed by Charles Bridgeman in 1725. The Sherborne Estate is 1650ha (4000 acres) of rolling Cotswold countryside with sweeping views down to the River Windrush. Much of the village of Sherborne is owned by the Trust, including the post office and shop, school and social club. There are walks for all ages around the estate, which include the restored and working water meadows.

Newark Park

Ozleworth, Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire GL12 7PZ
Tel: 01793 817666 (Infoline); 01453 842644

A former Tudor hunting lodge converted into a Georgian home, perched on a 40ft cliff.

Snowhill Manor

Snowhill, nr Broadway, Gloucestershire WR12 7JU
Tel: 01386 852410

A Cotswold manor house containing Charles Paget Wade's extraordinary collection of craftsmanship and design, including musical instruments, clocks, toys, bicycles, weavers' and spinners' tools and Japanese armour. There is a delightful organic garden, and Mr Wade's cottage can also be visited.

Westbury Court Garden

Westbury-on-Severn, Gloucestershire GL4 1PD
Tel: (01452) 760461

A rare and beautiful survival: the only restored Dutch water garden in the country, laid out 1696–1705. The National Trust's first garden restoration, it was restored in 1971 and is planted with species dating from before 1700.

Woodchester Park

Nymphsfield, nr Stroud, Gloucestershire GL10 3TS

Tel: 01452 814213

Secluded Cotswold valley containing a 'lost garden' and a chain of 5 lakes within an 18th and 19th century landscape park.

▪ NORTH SOMERSET

Brean Down

Brean, North Somerset

Tel: 01934 844518

This coastal headland extending into the Bristol Channel with a rich wildlife habitat can be explored by a network of paths. Also an interesting Fort built in 1865 and rearmed during the Second World War.

Clevedon Court

Tickenham Road, Clevedon, North Somerset BS21 6QU

Tel: 01275 872257

A 14th century manor house with a 12th century tower and 13th century hall. Also houses a collection of Nailsea glass and Eltonware.

▪ SOMERSET

Barrington Court

Barrington nr Ilminster, Somerset TA19 0NQ

Tel: 01460 241938; 01460 242614 (Infoline)

A beautiful garden influenced by Gertrude Jekyll and laid out in a series of rooms, including the White Garden, the Rose and Iris Garden and the Lily Garden. The Tudor manor house was restored in the 1920s.

Bath Assembly Rooms

Bennett Street, Bath, Somerset BA1 2QH

Tel: 01225 477789

Elegant public rooms designed in 1769 and restored to full Georgian splendour after being bombed in 1942.

Coleridge Cottage

35 Lime St, Nether Stowey, Bridgwater, Somerset TA5 1NQ

Tel: 01278 732662

Coleridge's home for three years from 1797. It was here that he wrote *The Rime of the Ancient Mariner*. Only parlour and reading room shown.

Dunster Castle

Dunster, nr Minehead, Somerset TA24 6SL

Tel: 01643 823004 (Infoline): 01643 821314

The fortified home of the Luttrell family for 600 years with a 13th century castle building below a Norman motte. Fine interiors and subtropical garden.

Dunster Working Watermill

Mill Lane, Dunster, nr Minehead, Somerset TA24 6SW

Tel: 01643 821759

This watermill dates from the 18th Century and is fully restored to working order. The mill is a private business and all visitors including NT members pay the admission charge.

Fyne Court

Broomfield, Bridgwater, Somerset TA5 2EQ

Tel: 01823 652400

Headquarters of the Somerset Wildlife Trust and visitor centre for the Quantocks. The former pleasure grounds of the now demolished home of pioneer electrician, Andrew Crosse.

Glastonbury Tor

nr Glastonbury, Somerset

Tel: 01985 843600

The Tor offers spectacular views over Somerset, Dorset and Wiltshire.

Holnicote Estate

Selworthy, Minehead, Somerset TA24 8TJ

Tel: 01643 862452

Covers 12,500 acres of Exmoor National Park and includes the high tors of Dunkery and Selworthy Beacons. Covers four miles of coastline and over 100 miles of footpaths.

King John's Hunting Lodge

The Square, Axbridge, Somerset BS26 2AP

Tel: 01934 732012

An early Tudor merchant's house extensively restored in 1971.

Lytes Cary Manor

nr Charlton Mackrell, Somerton, Somerset TA11 7HU

Tel: 01458 224471

A manor house with a 14th century chapel, 15th century hall and 16th century great chamber. Furnished in period style.

Montacute House

Montacute, Somerset TA15 6XP

Tel: 01935 823289

A magnificent Elizabethan house with many Renaissance features including contemporary plasterwork, chimney pieces and glass.

Priest's House

Mulchelney, Langport, Somerset TA10 0DQ

Tel: 01458 253771

A late-medieval hall house with large Gothic windows, originally the residence of priests serving the parish church across the road.

Prior Park Landscape Garden

Ralph Allen Drive, Bath, Somerset BA2 5AH

Tel: 01225 833422

Beautiful 18th century landscape garden created with advice from 'Capability' Brown. It has magnificent views of Bath.

Stembridge Tower Mill

High Ham, Somerset TA10 9DJ

Tel: 01935 823289

The last thatched windmill in England, dating from 1822 and in use until 1910.

Stoke-sub-Hamdon Priory

North Street, Stoke-sub-Hamdon, Somerset TA4 6QP

Tel: 01985 843600

A complex of buildings begun in the 14th/15th century farm buildings, formerly a preists' residence.

Tintinhull Garden

Farm Street, Tintinhull, Yoevil, Somerset BA22 8PZ

Tel: 01935 823289

A 20th century formal garden surrounding a 17th century house. The garden has been divided into areas by walls and hedges.

Treasurer's House

Martock, Somerset TA12 6JL

Tel: 01935 825015

A small medieval house with a two-storey hall that was completed in 1293 and a solar block which is even earlier.

Tyntesfield

Wraxall, North Somerset BS48 1NT

Tel: 0844 8004966 (infoline); 01275 461900

A spectacular Victorian country house and estate. Tyntesfield was saved for the nation by the National Trust in June 2002.

West Pennard Court Barn

West Pennard, nr Glastonbury, Somerset BA6 8LR

Tel: 01985 843600

15th century barn with an unusual roof and the upper floor made of compacted earth, surrounded by grazing meadows.

▪ SOUTH GLOUCESTIRSHIRE

Horton Court

Horton, nr Chipping Sodbury, South Gloucestershire BS37 6QR

Tel: 01179 372501

12th century Norman hall and detached late-perpendicular ambulatory of a limestone manor house.

▪ WILTSHIRE

Avebury

nr Marlborough, Wiltshire SN8 1RF

Tel: 01672 539250

The Avebury Stone Circle surrounds part of the village of Avebury. The investigation of the circle was largely the work of Alexander Keiller in the 1930s. He put together one of the most important archaeological collections in Britain which can be seen in the Museum.

Avebury Manor and Garden

nr Marlborough, Wiltshire SN8 1RF

Tel: 01672 539250

A much-altered house of monastic origin; the present buildings date from the early 16th century. The topiary and flower garden contain medieval walls.

The Courts Garden

Holt, nr Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire BA14 6RR

Tel: 01225 782875

A small 20th century garden in the Hidcote tradition with water features and garden ornaments.

Great Chalfield Manor and Garden

nr Melksham, Wiltshire SN12 8NH

Tel: 01225 782239

Dating from 1480, the manor house is encircled by a moat and defensive wall.

Lacock Abbey, Fox Talbot Museum & Village

Lacock, nr Chippenham, Wiltshire SM5 2LG

Tel: 1249 730459

The Abbey was founded in 1232 and converted into a country house c.1539. It includes medieval cloisters, sacristy, chapter house and a 16th century stable courtyard. A museum of photography commemorates the achievements of William Henry Fox Talbot, the inventor of the modern photographic negative.

Little Clarendon

Dinton, Salisbury, Wiltshire SP3 5DZ

Tel: 01985 843600

A Tudor house, much altered in the 17th century. Note: only the three principle rooms on the ground floor are open to public.

Mompesson House

The Close, Salisbury, Wiltshire SP1 2EL

Tel: 01722 420980 (Infoline); 01722 335659

One of the finest 18th century houses in the Cathedral Close, containing notable plasterwork.

Philipps House & Dinton Park

Dinton, Salisbury, Wiltshire SP3 5HH

Tel: 01722 716663

A neo-Grecian house completed in 1816 and surrounded by a park offering many attractive walks.

Stonehenge Landscape

West of Amesbury on Salisbury Plain in south Wiltshire

Tel: 01980 664780 (Estate Office)

Views of the famous Stonehenge circle and ceremonial landscape of ancient burial mounds, processional walkways and enclosures.

Haven for wildlife such as the brown hare, butterflies and skylark.

Includes Stonehenge Down, King Barrow Ridge, Normanton Down, Durrington Walls and Winterbourne Stoke Barrows.

NB. The Stonehenge stone circle is managed separately by English Heritage, entry charge applies.

Stourhead

Stour Head Estate Office, Stourton, Warminster, Wiltshire BA12

6QD

Tel: 01747 841152

Landscape garden laid out 1741–80 with lakes and temples, rare trees and plants. The house contains furniture by the younger Chippendale. King Alfred's Tower, built in 1772, is a red-brick construction about 50 metres high with fine views.

Westwood Manor

Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire BA15 2AF

Tel: 01225 863374

A 15th century stone manor house with also a modern topiary garden. Collection of period furniture and 17th/18th century tapestries.