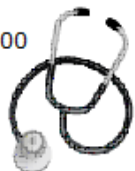


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IF YOU REQUIRE ASSISTANCE,  
IF THE ELECTRICITY GOES OFF OR  
THE GAS RUNS OUT, GO TO RECEPTION.**

**LOCAL DOCTORS, 8.30am – 6 pm**

Greenswood Medical  
1 Greenswood Road  
Brixham, TQ5 9HN  
Tel: 01803 853153  
Out of hours, 111 1800-0800

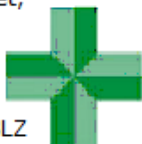
St. Lukes Medical Centre  
17 New Road  
Brixham TQ5 8NA  
Tel: 01803 852731



**CHEMISTS**

Boots Pharmacy,  
6 Bolton Street, Brixham TQ5 9DE.  
Tel: 01803 854973

Bay Pharmacy, 52 Fore Street,  
Brixham TQ5 8DZ.  
Tel: 01803 853368



Well Pharmacy,  
9 New Road, Brixham TQ5 8LZ  
Tel: 01803 883318

Well Pharmacy, Churchill Court,  
2-3 Bolton Street, Brixham TQ5 9DW.  
Tel: 01803 858142

Day Lewis Pharmacy, Compass House  
Medical Centre, King Street, Brixham TQ5  
9TF. Tel: 01803 883903

Compass House Medical Centre,  
King Street, Brixham TQ5 9TF  
Tel: 01803 855897

**OUT OF HOURS**  
Devon Doctors, tel 111

**DENTISTS**

Apex Dental Care,  
13 Holwell Road,  
Brixham TQ5 9NE.  
Tel: 01803 855292

Oasis Dental Care,  
128 New Road,  
Brixham, TQ5 8DA.  
Tel: 01803 858392



Brixham Dental Practice,  
19 New Road, Brixham  
TQ5 8NB Tel: 01803 853980

**BRIXHAM TAXIS**

01803 853000

**ACE TAXIS**

01803 882121

**MAINLAND TAXI**

07970 121466



# **Caravan B4**

## **South Bay Holiday Park**

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# General Information

## Telephones

Public telephones can be found outside reception.

## Emergencies

In the case of an emergency please contact the site's duty manager at reception or in the Bay View Club if reception is closed. In cases of EXTREME EMERGENCY when all facilities are closed site managers can be contacted up to 12 midnight on 01803 853 004. Information on emergency assistance after midnight is displayed at reception.

## Car Parking

For the safety of visiting children please abide by the speed limits and drive carefully. Please park in marked bays around the site. There are parking bays opposite this caravan. Please do not park your car on the grass verges.

## Fire

On arrival at the caravan it is recommended that you test the smoke alarms that are provided in each room. This can be done by pressing the test button on each device for approx 5 seconds. The alarm will emit a loud warning sound. Please do not remove the battery from the smoke alarm; it is provided for your safety. Before leaving the caravan for the day, in the interest of safety, please switch off all appliances. It is a fire hazard to leave a lit gas fire unattended for long periods of time. In the event of a fire, please leave the caravan quickly. Do not stop to collect personal belongings. Dial 999 stating the address as South Bay Holiday Park, St Mary's Road, Brixham, Devon TQ5 9QW.

## Security

We advise that you do not leave valuables in unattended cars. Secure the caravan, checking all windows are closed and both doors locked before venturing out. We cannot be held responsible for any lost or stolen items.

## Keys

The caravan keys will be found in the KeySafe outside the caravan. **The code is 3304.** Keys must be returned to the box as you leave to go home.

## Pets

It is strictly forbidden to have pets in this caravan. If you disregard this rule you will be asked to leave the caravan. **No refund will be given.** Also charges will be made for a deep clean of the caravan.

## Smoking

It is a condition of your hire of this caravan that you **will not** smoke inside the caravan at any time. If you disregard this rule will be asked to leave the caravan. **No refund will be given.** Please smoke outside on the deck.

# General Terms and Conditions

Our caravan will generally be available from 4pm on the day of arrival and should be vacated by 10am on the day of departure.

Please leave the caravan and equipment in an excellent condition for other holiday makers to enjoy their holiday. If we are notified that you have not left the caravan in a respectable condition we have the right to refuse future bookings by you.

The caravan you have hired is classed as 6 berth for fire regulations, which means it can be occupied by a maximum of 6 people (including children of any age). At no time must this number be exceeded. If you are found to be exceeding the maximum number of 6 persons you will be required to reduce the amount of occupants to the maximum level immediately. Brixham Caravans will not be responsible for the provision or cost of any extra accommodation required.

Strictly NO PETS allowed.

You must NOT smoke inside the caravan. If you do so, we will terminate your booking without refund and require you to leave the caravan immediately. You will be required to pay any costs we incur if you smoke inside the caravan including costs for specialist cleaning (to make the caravan fit for hire as a non smoking environment) and the cost of the caravan for any time period it is unusable. We will send you a breakdown of these charges within 10 working days. However you are allowed to smoke on the outside deck area. Please discard cigarette stubs carefully.

Children under the age of 12 must not be left in the caravan at any time unsupervised by a responsible adult.

All damages and breakages must be reported as soon as possible to the Park's Housekeeping Department and at the discretion of Brixham Caravans be paid for in full.

Please try to keep the area surrounding the caravan clean and tidy at all times.

Please keep noise to a minimum and show consideration to other caravan owners and occupants at all times.

Litter and refuse must be disposed of in the designated bins provided by the Park.

Ball games should be played in designated areas and not between caravans.

Please try to clean or remove all dirty footwear on entering the caravan.

The use of barbecues is permitted, however, please keep well away from the caravan. It is strictly forbidden to use portable barbecues inside the caravan.

Do not disarm smoke alarms. Press the hush or mute button located on the alarms, should they be activated during cooking.

All electrical and gas appliances should be switched off when leaving the caravan.

Please use the parking bays provided at all times. Use designated overflow car parks provided by the Park if necessary. Please do not park cars on any grassy areas.

We cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage to personal property including motor vehicles whether malicious or accidental during your stay. A safe is provided for the storage of valuables during your stay. However we will not be held responsible for any loss if the safe is used or not.

It is an express condition of booking that we cannot be held responsible for any personal injury, damage to property or non-availability of amenities due to circumstances beyond our control. In the interest of safety it might become necessary for the site's Management Team to limit the opening times of the swimming pool.

Should you or any member of your party cause problems or inconvenience to other guests or to a member of the South Bay Holiday Park staff, the Park Management Team reserve the right to ask you or any of your party to leave the Park and our caravan without refund.

**The Site Manager's decision in this and all other site related matters will be final.**

## Local Bus Service

South Bay Holiday park is served by a regular bus service. The bus stop is just outside the gate by reception. Below is the published time tables for the no 15 and no 16 buses, both will take you into the centre of Brixham.

**15 Brixham Bank Lane – South Bay Holiday Park via Summercourt**  
Monday to Saturday (except Public Holidays)

Brixham Bank Lane	09:30	10:30	11:30	13:30	14:30	SSH 15:30	16:30
Bolton Street	09:32	10:32	11:32	13:32	14:32	15:32	16:32
Greenover Road	09:35	10:35	11:35	13:35	14:35	15:35	16:35
Summercourt Way Shops	09:38	10:38	11:38	13:38	14:38	15:38	16:38
Chestnut Drive	09:40	10:40	11:40	13:40	14:40	15:40	16:40
Upton Manor Road	09:42	10:42	11:42	13:42	14:42	15:42	16:42
South Bay Holiday Park	09:45	10:45	11:45	13:45	14:45	15:45	16:45
Castor Road	09:48	10:48	11:48	13:48	14:48	15:48	16:48
Brixham Bank Lane	09:53	10:53	11:53	13:53	14:53	15:53	16:53

Key: Saturdays and School Holidays only



**Country Bus**  
King Charles Business Park, Old Nelson Road, Reafield, Newton Abbot, Devon, TQ13 6PZ.  
www.countrybusdevon.co.uk or 01434 330000 (toll-free) or 01434 330000  
Telephone: 01434 330000 Fax: 01434 330000

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**0800 954 8975**  
Freephone

**16**  
Monday to Saturday  
(except Public Holidays)  
From 11<sup>th</sup> May 2009

**Brixham Bank Lane - South Bay Holiday Park via Higher Ranscombe**

	MF				SSH				MF
Brixham Bank Lane dep.	09:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	14:00	15:00	16:00	17:00	
Brixham The Quay	09:03	10:03	11:03	12:03	14:03	15:03	16:03	17:03	
Higher Ranscombe Road	08:30	09:07	10:07	11:07	12:07	14:07	15:07	16:07	17:07
Penn Lane	08:33	09:10	10:10	11:10	12:10	14:10	15:10	16:10	17:10
Briseham Road	08:35	09:12	10:12	11:12	12:12	14:12	15:12	16:12	17:12
South Bay Holiday Park	08:38	09:15	10:15	11:15	12:15	13:15	14:15	15:15	16:15
Castor Road	08:41	09:18	10:18	11:18	13:18	14:18	15:18	16:18	--
Brixham Bank Lane arr.	08:46	09:23	10:23	11:23	13:23	14:23	15:23	16:23	--
Chestnut Drive									17:20
Summercourt Way Shops									17:22

MF - Monday to Friday Only

SSH - Sat and School Holidays Only

### Route Description

Bank Lane, Middle Street, The Strand, King Street, Ranscombe Road, Higher Ranscombe Road, Rea Barn Road, Barnfield Road, Penn Meadows, Briseham Road, Castor Road, St. Marys Road, South Bay Holiday Park, St. Marys Road, Castor Road, Greenswood Road, Bolton Street, Market Street, Bank Lane.



## Your Guide to the Caravan Room By Room.

### Living area



**Television / DVD player:** This television is Freeview. Turn on and off with the red power button on the remote. To change channels or volume, use the buttons on the remote. **To play a DVD** insert a DVD into the slot located at the top right on the righthand side of the TV. (Please do not force the DVD into the TV). The TV will automatically play the DVD. Use the remote control to stop/pause etc. To remove the DVD press the top button on the TV next to the DVD slot, or press the button marked TV Audio on the remote control.



**HiFi CD/Radio.** The unit is turned on by pressing the power button, (bottom right hand corner of the unit). Once turned on it will glow blue.

**Radio Operation:** Use the tune up/tune down button to tune in to the the desired station. Adjust the volume to the desired level.

**CD Operation:** Insert an audio CD by pressing the CD button. then press the open/close button. Once the CD door is closed, the unit will immediately read the disc and display the number of tracks available. Choose the required track and press play.

**The gas fire** is operated by the control at the bottom right hand corner.



Push in the control and turn anticlockwise until it clicks. You will then see the fire light. Keep the control depressed for 10 seconds, release and turn it to the desired heat.

*If the fire fails to light repeat above.*

**The fan** can be operated by the twist button on the side of the fan head. Twist to desired speed level.

**Sofa Bed:** Under the sofa directly under the lounge window is a **double bed**, the bedding for which is normal kept in the master bedroom wardrobe.

**Do not extend the sofa bed when the gas fire is in use**



**The Key Safe.** Please remember to leave the caravan key in the keysafe outside when you leave to go home. **The code is 3304**

**For your safety there is a smoke alarm in each room and a CO detector which covers the whole caravan. Please do not remove or tamper with these devices as they are provided for your safety.**



## Kitchen



**The microwave.** To microwave food, the easiest way is to press the quick cook button once for every 30 seconds you need i.e press twice for 1 min.



**The refrigerator & freezer.** Turn up to required degree of coldness when you arrive and turn them down to **one** at the end of your holiday please.

In the kitchen there is a **Kettle, Toaster**, and in the boiler room an **Ironing board**. The **Iron** is normally kept in the cupboard above the cooker.

## Bathroom



**Heated towel rail.** This is connected to the central heating system and does not have a heat control. The rail does get quite hot, so please be careful and warn children not to touch it, whilst using the bathroom. Please open the window to let out the steam after using the shower.

## The bedrooms



**Main Bedroom – The television:** Turn on and off with the remote, the red button at the top. Also there is a clock radio. Under the pull up bed (lifts up from the bottom) there are four chairs for use on the outside deck. Please replace after use. Please don't leave out overnight or when it's raining. There is a **Safe** in the cupboard above the bed in the master bedroom. The current code to open the safe is '**3357B**'. Normally the vacuum cleaner is stored under the bed. There are 2 **USB** charging sockets in this bedroom.



**The second bedroom:** There is a clock radio and a TV. (Please don't let children jump on the beds.)

## Central Heating



Central Heating Control

The central heating boiler is located in a cupboard in the hallway, by the door. The central heating is turned on by turning the knob, as marked in red in the picture, to the right. To turn off, turn the knob to the left. Please do not alter any of the other boiler controls. Each radiator has a temp control. Please turn off heating when not required. As you would expect the radiators get very hot. For safety reasons please warn children not to touch them.



**The Breakwater Coffee Shop & Bistro** English Restaurant. Beachfront coffee shop, bistro and bar with a terrace, for steaks, seafood and sandwiches. Casual - Good for kids - Groups.. *Berry Head Road, Brixham, TQ5 9AF.* (01803 611347)

**Claws Indoors** Not only is it a lovely place to sit and watch the harbour, but the staff are very friendly and the food is first class. The mussels, the crab sandwiches and salad recommended. Good coffee too. *The Harbourside, Brixham.*

**Rockfish**, perhaps the closest restaurant to the source of fish in the UK. The seafood restaurant sits in the world famous fish market overlooking the boats as they land their catch which is in the kitchen an hour or so later. *New Fish Quay, Brixham.* (01803 850872)

**The Montpellier**, A contemporary cafe/tea room offering great food at reasonable prices in a fabulous location. *5-7 The Quay, TQ5 8AW*

**The Lusty Wench.** Locally sourced fish and meats served in a laid-back, beamed dining room above a harbourside shop. *13a The Quay, Brixham TQ5 8AW* (01803 853131)

**The Guardhouse Café.** Breakfasts, light lunches and cream teas in the clifftop cafe in former guardhouse, with sea views. Casual, good for kids and groups. *Berry Head Nature Reserve, TQ5 9AW* (01803 855778)

**Shoals Café on the Lido** Seafood, vegetarian friendly. *Berry Head Road, Shoalstone Pool, Brixham TQ5 9AH*

### Poopdeck Restaurant

Cosy fish eatery overlooking Brixham harbour

14 The Quay, Brixham.  
(01803 858681)

### Old Market House

The perfect Coastal Devon location for a seaside lunch or a relaxing evening meal.  
The Quay, Brixham,  
(01803 856891)

### Weary Ploughman

A warm and friendly West Country dining pub.  
Dartmouth Road, Brixham.  
(01803 844702)

## Take Away Restaurants

### Vindaloo Indian

52 Torquay Road,  
Paignton, TQ3 3AA

### Brixham Grill

27 Fore Street  
Brixham TQ5 8AA

### Doughy's

4 Churchill Court  
Brixham, TQ5 9DN

### David's Fish & Chips

64 Bolton Street  
Brixham TQ5 9DH

### Honeymoon Restaurant

31 Church Street,  
Paignton TQ3 3Aj





**The Bay View Club** located in the on-site clubhouse serves food all day and into the evening which we found to be good value for money. Children's meals are available.

#### **Brixham Fish Restaurant and Takeaway**

Upstairs restaurant licensed with some lovely harbour views. Delicious fish & chips, good choice of menu. Can also eat same delicious food in adjoining downstairs cafe. *22 The Quay, Brixham.*

**Lytehouse Wine Bar and Restaurant.** The head chef, David, is passionate about South-West produce, and uses locally landed fish from Brixham fish market. The menu reflects the seasonal changes in the region. *39 Fore Street, Brixham TQ5 8AA (01803 411677)*

**Simply Fish** Compact modern fish/seafood restaurant with large windows, banquette seating and a laid-back vibe. *72 - 74 Fore Street Brixham. (01803 883858)*

**Beamers Restaurant** lies right on the quayside in Brixham harbour. The dining area has a real nautical flavour running throughout with port holes, fishing nets, ropes and a ship's bell that gives a clue as to what you might expect from the menu. Fish. And very fresh fish at that. This restaurant is child-friendly. *19 The Quay, Brixham. (01803 854777)*

**Verna's Pepper Shack**, Brixham's harbour-side restaurant offers Trinidadian Verna's native Caribbean cuisine alongside great local ribs & home-made steak burgers, local seafood and fun desserts. Carnival favourites Goat Curry, Saltfish & Ackee and Jerk Chicken take pride of place among a number of home-grown recipes - Trinidad Chicken & King Prawn Curry, Pineapple Pork, Legendary Lamb Shank and Shack Scallop & Monkfish Curry. Jerk Pork Skewers, Seafood Tart and San Fernando Spicy Prawns appear amongst the starters along with Patties, Monkfish Goujons, Home-made Samosas and Scallops & Hogs. *1 The Strand, TQ5 8EH*

**The New Quay Inn.** Gastropub. Cosy and casual. *8 King Street, Brixham (01803 883290)*

**Please note that any of the above may be subject to change and availability.**



## **South Bay Holiday Park**

*operated by John Fowler Holidays*

### **Reception**



This is most likely the first place that you will visit on your arrival. The customer service team are excellent sources of local information as to the site and where to find the best things to see and do in Brixham. If you have any problems during your stay, they will be more than willing to help.

### **The On-site shop**



Located around the right hand side of the clubhouse, the site shop sell bread, milk, eggs, newspapers and provides all those things you forgot to bring with you. Prices are not too bad. Check the opening times on the door. See shopping section in this booklet for more places to shop. There is free WiFi in the Clubhouse.

### **Bay View Club**



Why not end the day with a drink in the Bay View Club House located next to reception where you can enjoy the nightly entertainment? Children are welcome – they even have there own entertainers. Drinks are reasonably priced. Check the list of entertainment located inside the main club house door.

### **Free Heated Indoor and Outdoor Pools**



Enjoy a refreshing dip in the fabulous heated indoor pool or swim through to the outdoor area with toddlers pool, flume and sunbathing decks. Check the opening times as the pool is normally closed at lunch times. Children should be supervised by a responsible adult.

**Children's Games Room** Located just inside the Bay View Club House, the games room contains game machines for the kids to enjoy any weather.

**Chef's Corner** Located just inside the Bay View Club House provides fast food that can be eaten in the Club House or can be taken back to your caravan to enjoy.

**On-site launderette** Located just above the outdoor swimming pool, the site provides a launderette. Washing machines and dryers are provided as well as ironing boards.

# The Foxy Club

A holiday wouldn't be a holiday if the kids weren't just as happy and entertained as we're sure you'll be. To make sure this doesn't become a chore that distracts from your own enjoyment, John Fowler Holidays has designed their holiday parks to include all the fun and excitement your children could possibly want.

Apart from exciting play areas, supervised heated swimming pools and games rooms, this also includes the special Foxy Club where Freddy T. Fox takes your children off your hands and leads them through hours of supervised fun and games.

Accompanied by experienced and trained staff, your children will experience enough fun and excitement to have them chatting about it for many months to come. They will have great fun playing treasure hunt and other exciting games as well as enjoying sing-alongs and making cool stuff to take home and show.

When you first arrive at South Bay, pop along to the Foxy Club to find out more about the fun in store for your children. Foxy Club times are at 10 in the morning and again at 6 in the evening when they also sit down to a supervised Foxy Club meal. These are special half-priced children's meals presented in Foxy Fun Boxes with a FREE gift for them to collect and treasure. If your children are under 8, you should accompany them and join in the fun.

**Also for Children: Adventure Run; Basket Ball; Water Walkers; Pool Kayaking and Aqua Gliders.**



Please note that any of the above may be subject to change and availability.

## OTHER OUT OF TOWN SHOPPING



Woodland Road  
Torquay TQ2  
8AS  
01803 614500



4 Newton Road  
Kingsteignton,  
Newton Abbot  
TQ12 3RN



Newton Abbot Retail Park  
TQ12 3SB



The Willows  
Scotts Bridge Retail Park  
Torquay TQ2 7XA  
01803 613131

## Churston Traditional Farm Shop

Churston Farm Shop,  
Restaurant and Garden Centre  
Dartmouth Road  
Brixham  
TQ5 0LL  
01803 845837

**Torquay** has a large variety of shops and things to do. With sailing times of approx 30 mins, one of the best ways of visiting Torquay for the day is by the Brixham to Torquay ferry. Leave the car behind and take a trip to Torquay, the hub of the English Riviera. See the penguins at Living Coasts, enjoy a day at the beach, go shopping or even have a harbour-side drink. Tickets are available from kiosks on the left hand side of the harbour.

In high season, the Western Lady ferry departs every 45 minutes approximately and in low season around 6 trips daily.

<b>Brixham</b>	Returns daily from:
10.00 to 17:35	<b>Princess Pier, Torquay</b>
from April - October.	10.00 to 17:35
	from April - October.

**Price £3 return.**





## SHOPPING DIRECTIONS

### ON SITE

There is a small convenience shop on site close to the Crazy Golf and Children's Play Area. This shop is open from 7am - 8 pm during high season. Times for low season times can be obtained from reception.



The nearest off-site shop is the SPAR on Castor Road, open 8 am to 10 pm 7 days a week. Out of gate, turn LEFT (St. Mary's Road) and follow the road to the tree in the middle of the road. Bear RIGHT on to Castor Road. The SPAR is about 400 metres down on the RIGHT hand side.

### Brixham Town Centre



Out of gate, turn LEFT (St. Mary's Road) and follow the road to the tree in the middle of the road. Bear RIGHT on to Castor Road. At the end of the road turn RIGHT on to Greenswood Road. Go over the first set of traffic lights into Bolton Street. At the next set of traffic lights go straight over and follow the road to the Car Park. As you walk through from the harbour to Fore Street, the Co-op the Post Office is to your LEFT, Tesco is further up to your RIGHT.



Out of gate, turn LEFT (St. Mary's Road) and follow the road to the tree in the middle of the road. Bear RIGHT on to Castor Road. At the end of the road go straight across to Doctors Road (be careful of traffic from the left – blind bend). At the top of Doctors Road turn LEFT into Burton Street and follow the road to the mini roundabout. At the mini roundabout turn RIGHT on to Monksbridge Road – follow this road to the traffic lights (no right turn at these lights – ahead only).

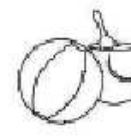
You are now on the A3022 to Paignton. Follow this road – passing Churston Golf Course on the right. At the next set of traffic lights, bear LEFT on to the Ring Road. Follow this road passing straight through the first set of traffic lights. Along this road you will find Sainsbury's, Asda, Aldi, Kentucky Fried Chicken and McDonalds.



After passing the above, continue down the hill to a major set of traffic lights. Turn RIGHT (towards Paignton Town Centre and Zoo). At the next set of traffic lights turn RIGHT.



St Mary's Bay



St Mary's Bay is one of South Devon's harder to reach beaches offering picturesque surroundings for more able-bodied beach lovers. Located below South Bay Holiday Park, St. Mary's Bay is not easy to get to, so it's fairly quiet even in the peak of summer. The beach is flanked by steep cliffs which provide the scenic outlook and also means the bay is sheltered.

### Access to the Beach from the caravan.

Follow St. Mary's Road down hill until you find a steep footpath going off to the left. This will take you to the top of the cliff. The new wooden carving of St. Mary is situated there. One hundred and twelve steps will take you down to the beach. These steps can be tricky and slippery in places especially for young children, the elderly or if you are carrying beach goods. Coming back up the steps after visiting the beach is, of course, the hard bit.

The beach is a mixture of sand and shingle, with interesting rock formations and surrounding cliffs. As mentioned above, St. Mary's Bay is flanked on both sides by hillside creating sheltered waters for swimming. There is no lifeguard.

As the beach is remote to access, there are no facilities on the beach or above on the coastal path, so remember take everything you need as you won't want to do the steps again unnecessarily!



# History of Brixham

Brixham has a fascinating maritime history stretching back a thousand years and more.

The ancient Britons may have launched their coracles from the sheltered beaches and the Romans are thought to have had a watch-tower on Berry Head overlooking the sea route from Lyme Bay to the Southwest.

There are many thrilling stories of smuggling in Brixham with evidence as early as 1645 when the Customs House Officer reported a find of tobacco.

In the 1850s Brixham's enterprising smugglers took advantage of a cholera epidemic to smuggle out a booty of tobacco and brandy in coffins!

Fishing since Medieval times! It is fishing, however, that has been the lifeblood of the community since the fourteen hundreds and Brixham fishermen were known to be supplying the London markets in the 18th century.

In 1688, Brixham was the cradle of the Bloodless Revolution. Prince William of Orange landed at the port and went on to claim the throne as King William III. You can't miss the statue which commemorates the site in both English and Dutch, by the harbour.

Roman artefacts found at Berry Head suggest a long history of sea defence on the headland, but the first evidence of a battery and camp on the site dates from the 1780s. In 1803 work on three substantial forts began, which held a total of 40 canons - interestingly, these were never fired in anger. Many of the remains of these Napoleonic fortifications can be seen today and the guardhouse is now a busy café.

Coastal defence and preservation: In World War Two, many Brixham trawlers were requisitioned for the evacuation of the British Expeditionary Force from France and in 1944 the harbour was one of many along the south coast to be used by the US Army for embarking prior to the invasion of Normandy. The town's Battery Gardens were an important part of the area's coastal defences and housed guns manned first by troops but subsequently taken over by the Home Guard. Of the 116 of these emergency sites set up during the war years, only 7 remain today and Brixham's is the most important and well preserved of these.



**Going fishing?** Two hour mackerel fishing trips can be booked from outlets on the left hand side of the harbour. Instruction and rods provided. Children welcome. You can keep your catch. (Our biggest catch was 77).



**Paignton Zoo** - With over 2,000 animals across 80 acres – you're in for a really wild time at Paignton Zoo. Get up close to some of the animal wonders of the world across our specially designed habitats - from the savannah to the wetlands and the tropical forest. Run wild in our play areas or hop aboard our unique Jungle Express train to get even closer to the action. *TQ4 7EU*



**Kents Cavern** - is one of the most significant archaeological and palaeontological sites in Britain. Furthermore, although now a splendid show cave, it is still producing wonders. *89 Ilsham Road, Torquay TQ1 2JF* (01803 294059)



**Bygones** – is a popular Victorian experience with a range of displays and interesting exhibits, taking you back to the Victorian age. *Fore Street, St. Marychurch, Torquay TQ1 4PR* (326108)



**Splashdown Quaywest Waterpark** - Situated on the gorgeous seafront at Goodrington Sands, we boast some of the English Riviera's most spectacular views! Splashdown Quaywest is the UK's BIGGEST outdoor waterpark, and we couldn't think of anywhere better for it! *Goodrington Sands, Paignton TQ4 6LN*



**Babbacombe Model Village** - A miniature world that captures the imagination of all ages. Come and explore. The village portrays English life and culture over the last 5 decades and is sure to bring to life those childhood memories! *TQ1 3LA* (07734 721063)



**Woodlands Family Theme Park**, the largest Family Theme Park in Devon, a fun filled family day out for everyone. From little kids to kidults there's something for everyone! *Dartmouth TQ9 7DQ* (01803 712598)



**Living Coasts** is an all weather attraction, located on Torquay seafront in South Devon, where there's plenty to see and do: mingle with the playful penguins, get up close to the otters, octopus and seals, and much more. Visit Penguin Beach to walk with the African and macaroni penguins and catch our entertaining feeding time talks. *Harbourside TQ1 2BG* (01803 202470)



**Sharpham Vineyard and Cheese Dairy** From a simple, self-guided 'trek & taste', a quick-stop 'flight' through either wine or cheese to the more in depth 'vine to wine' or all inclusive 'Sharpham experience' tours, we offer a good range of options, depending on your time, inclination and budget. *Ashprington, Totnes TQ9 7UT* (01803 732203)



1 mile



5 mile



5 mile



6 miles



2 miles



8 miles



8 miles



8 miles

**Brixham Heritage Museum** A fascinating museum promoting and revealing the complete history of Brixham. *The Old Police Station, New Road, Brixham, Devon, TQ5 8LZ.* (01803 856267)

**Wizz Kidz** - We offer a spacious, light and clean 5,000 square feet venue separated into 2 sections which includes ball pools, climbing walls, slides, indoor football and more. All play areas have thick padded floors for safety. . *Unit 3, Northfields Industrial Estate, Northfields Lane, Brixham, Devon, TQ5 8UA.* (01803 882997)

**Dartmouth Museum** Local museum with hands-on exhibits for big kids and the grown-ups they turn into! Hands on science, learn to tie knots, put your Granny in the stocks! *The Butterwalk, Duke Street, Dartmouth, Devon, TQ6 9PZ* (01803 832923)

**Paignton Pier** Great Amusements, Mega Slide, Crazy Golf, Beach Shop, Orbiter Dodgems, Cafe, Ten Pin Bowling, Trampolines, Bouncy Castle, Seafood Kiosk, Fresh Donuts, Fudge Shop, Shooting Gallery. *Paignton Sands, Paignton, Devon, TQ4 6BW.* (01803 522139)

**Battlefield Live** Awesome outdoor combat game on a purpose built 3 acre battlefield using sophisticated infra red guns with a realistic red dot scope and sensor recognition. *Dartmouth Road, Churston, Brixham TQ5 0JT* (01803 842226)

**Dinosaur World** - is a fun interactive indoor exhibition that brings the world of dinosaurs to life. See amazing full size & scaled dinosaurs, discover incredible fossils, learn about these awesome beasts, enjoy our fun Family Explorer Quiz and even sit on a deadly dinosaur. *3 Victoria Parade, Torquay TQ1 2BB* (01803 298779)

**Waves Leisure Pool** No matter what the weather it's great fun for all the family! With its unique sloping floor, flume and wave machine you are guaranteed an enjoyable time. *Chestnut Avenue, Torquay, Devon, TQ2 5LZ.* (01803 299992)

**Torre Abbey** Imagine the silent prayers of the Abbey's medieval "White Canons". Picture the opulent lifestyle of the Cary family who transformed the Abbey into a fine country home. Today you can experience the many lives of Torre Abbey. Free entry for under 18s. *The King's Drive, Torquay, Devon, TQ2 5JE.* (01803 293593)

## Tourist Information



### Brixham Visitor Information Centre

within Hobb Nobs Gift Shop, *The Quay, Brixham TQ5 8AW* (08444 742233). Open everyday from 10am - 5pm.

### There's an abundance of things to do and see in Devon

On offer are rugged cliffs, white pebble beaches, stretches of golden sands, quaint fishing ports, hidden wooded estuaries and the Jurassic Coast – England's first natural World Heritage Site. The choice along Devon's dual coastlines is varied and fun, offering something for enthusiasts and beginners of all ages. You can enjoy everything from sailing, surfing and canoeing – to boat trips, fishing and diving. Or you can try some fishing, riding or simply walking the miles of way-marked footpaths and bridleways to discover welcoming country pubs, specialist shops and lively farmers' markets.

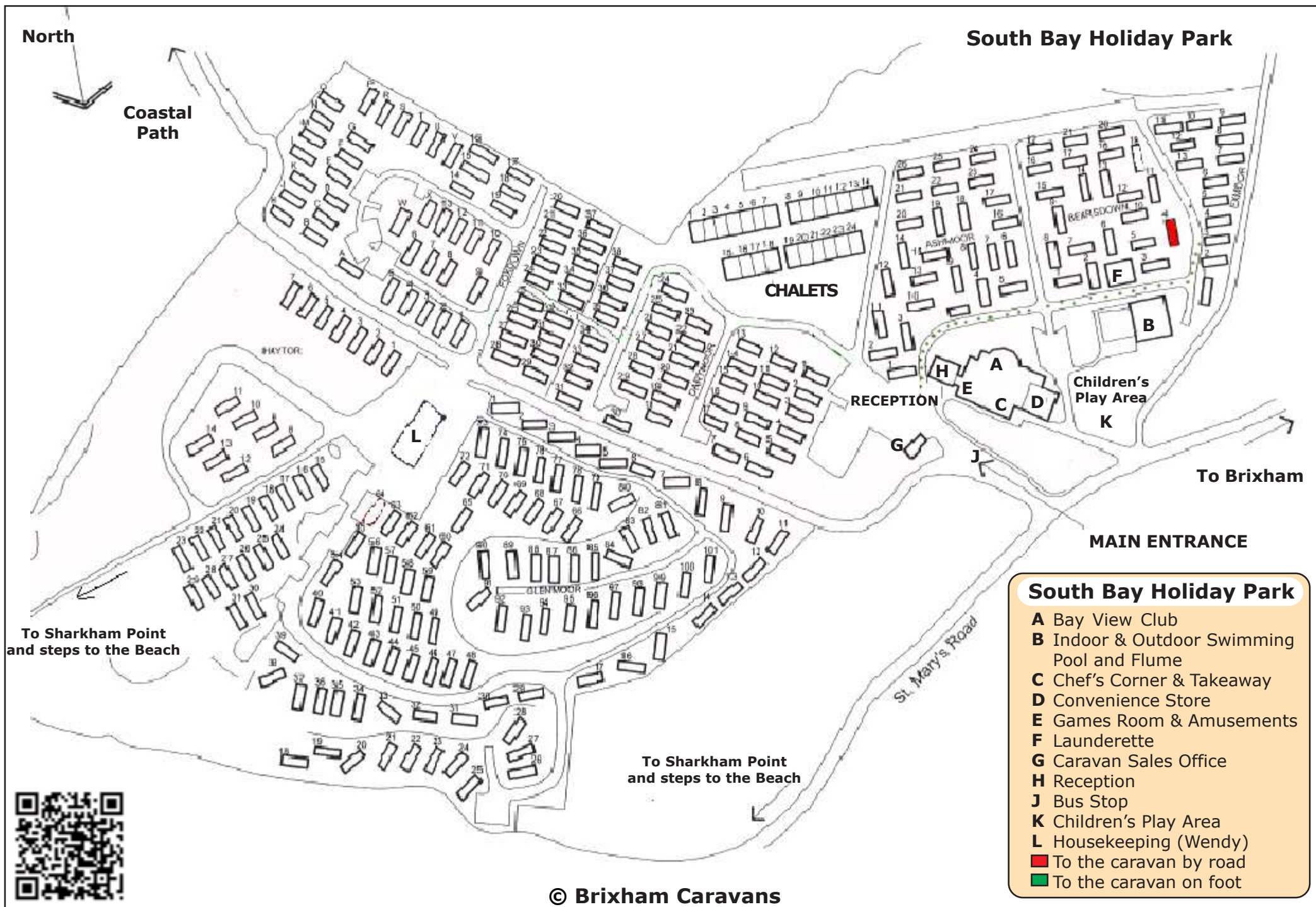
But that's not all this exciting county has to offer. Devon is also rich in history and heritage. You can step back in time and explore historic cities or discover seafaring characters like Drake and Raleigh or the settings for novels by Agatha Christie and Conan Doyle. The county also abounds with ancient cathedrals and churches as well as historic houses and industrial sites that all have their own tale to tell. With such a rich heritage it's not surprising that there is an abundance of heritage centres, events, exhibitions and attractions bringing to life Devon's long and diverse history, such as at Morwellham Quay near Tavistock or Coldharbour Mill near Cullompton.

### Devon Tourist Attractions

National Marine Aquarium, Plymouth  
South Molton Olde English Fayre  
Dartmoor Wildlife Park, Plymouth  
Dartmoor Railway, Okehampton  
Bickleigh Castle, Tiverton  
Crealy Adventure Park, Exeter  
South Devon Railway, Buckfastleigh  
Becky Falls, Dartmoor  
Dartington Crystal, Great Torrington  
Tavistock Goose Fair  
Lydford Gorge, Nr Okehampton  
Morwellham Quay, Nr Tavistock  
River Dart Country Park, Ashburton  
Buckfast Abbey, Buckfastleigh  
Watermouth Castle, Nr Ilfracombe  
Dartmoor Otter Sanctuary

Dartmoor Forest  
Exmoor Forest  
The Jurassic Coast  
Powderham Castle  
Tiverton Castle  
Knightshayes Court  
South West Coastal Path  
The River Exe  
Bampton Fair  
Woolacombe Bay  
Lundy Island  
Bovey Tracey Craft Fair  
Widcombe Fair  
Coldharbour Mill  
Coleton Fishacre  
Plymouth Dome









## Brixham & Torbay 2017

### JULY continued

- 27th** Brixham Pirate Thursday
- 29th** Marldon Apple Pie Fair
- 29th- 6th August** National Whale & Dolphin Watch
- 30th** Food & Crafts Market, Cockington
- 30th** Totnes & District Show

### AUGUST

- 1st-6th** National Whale & Dolphin Watch
- 1st-31st** Anderton & Rowland Fun Fair, Torquay
- 2nd** Cockington Fayre
- 2nd,9th,16th,23rd & 30th** Brixham Fish Market Tours
- 3rd,10th,17th,24th & 31st** Brixham Pirate Thursdays
- 4th-6th** Torbay Steam Fair, Brixham
- 5th-13th** Paignton Regatta
- 13th** Torbay Lifeboat Seaside Special, Brixham
- 15th-19th** Children's Week, Paignton
- 18th-23rd** Torbay Royal Regatta
- 19th-27th** Dartmouth Royal Regatta
- 27th** Food & Crafts Market, Cockington
- 27th** Cowes-Torquay-Cowes Classic Offshore Powerboat Race

### SEPTEMBER

- 7th** Brixham Pirate Thursday
- 6th,13th,27th** Brixham Fish Market Tours
- 9th** Fishstock Festival, Brixham
- 13th-17th** International Agatha Christie Festival, Torquay
- 24th** Food & Crafts Market, Cockington

### OCTOBER

- 11th** Brixham Fish Market Tour
- 15th** Cockington Apple Day
- 26th** Brixham Pirate Thursday
- 23rd-29th** Cockington Hallowe'en Festival

There are many more events than can be listed here.  
See [www.englishriviera.co.uk/whats-on](http://www.englishriviera.co.uk/whats-on)  
for more details, sailing events, theatre and concert dates, etc.

Whilst every care has been taken to provide you with up-to-date accurate information at the time of printing, details and timings may change without prior notice and this information should be taken as a guide only. (E&OE)



## Brixham & Torbay 2017

### APRIL

- 1st-23rd** Easter Dinosaur Egg Hunt, Torquay
- 6th,13th** Brixham Pirate Thursdays
- 14th-17th** Easter Fun at Cockington
- 19th** Brixham Fish Market Tour
- 19th** Transatlantic Tall Ships Race, Torquay Harbour
- 28th-30th** BMAD Motorbike Festival, Paignton
- 28th-1st May** Powerboat and Water-Ski Racing, Torquay
- 30th** Food & Crafts Market, Cockington
- 29th-1st May** Brixham's Pirate Festival

### MAY

- 1st** Powerboat and Water-Ski Racing, Torquay
- 1st** Pirate Festival, Brixham
- 3rd,31st** Brixham Fish Market Tours
- 11th-12th** West of England Brass Band Championships, Torquay
- 19th-21st** Devon County Show, Exeter
- 21st** Totnes Canoe Festival
- 27th-28th** Brixham Heritage Sailing Regatta
- 27th-31st** Brixfest, Brixham
- 27th-4th June** Geopark Festival, Torquay
- 28th-29th** Dartington Food Fair
- 28th** Food & Crafts Market, Cockington

### JUNE

- 1st** Brixham Pirate Thursday
- 1st-4th** Geopark Festival, Torquay
- 3rd-4th** Torbay Air Show
- 6th** Anniversary of D Day, Torquay
- 14th,28th** Brixham Fish Market Tours
- 17th** Brixham Trawler Race
- 18th-25th** English Riviera Open Bowls Tournament, Torquay
- 24th** Armed Forces Day
- 25th** Classic Motorcycles at Cockington Court
- 25th** Food & Crafts Market, Cockington

### JULY

- 12th,26th** Brixham Fish Market Tours
- 14th-16th** KingsBeer Festival, Kingswear
- 22nd-30th** Paignton Festival

# Brixham Street Map

- 1** Bus stop for 15/ 16 bus to South Bay Holiday Park.
- 2** Ferry to Torquay.
- 3** Town centre car park.
- 4** Brixham Fish Restaurant.
- 5** Co-op / Post Office.
- 6** Tesco.
- 7** Prince William Restaurant Bar and Carvery.
- 8** Simply Fish Restaurant.
- 9** Beamers Restaurant.
- 10** The Poopdeck.
- 11** Quayside Restaurant and Ernie Lister Bar.
- 12** The Breakwater Bistro.
- 13** Sampan Chinese Takeaway.
- 14** Balti Nights Takeaway.
- 15** Rio Fish Cafe.
- 16** David's Fish & Chips.
- 17** Subway.
- B** Banks.



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