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**BRISTOL CHANNEL &
SOUTH WEST WALES**

2026 CRUISES



**THE BRISTOL CHANNEL
& SOUTH WEST WALES
BY PADDLE STEAMER**

26 MAY TO 17 JUNE 2026

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BRISTOL CHANNEL & SOUTH WEST WALES CRUISES 2026

TUESDAY MAY 26

FIRST VISIT TO PADSTOW THIS CENTURY

Ilfracombe  Dep 1130
Padstow 1500

CRUISE CORNWALL'S ATLANTIC COAST VIEWING TINTAGEL HEAD, HARTLAND POINT & BULL POINT LIGHTHOUSE

Ilfracombe 1930
Padstow  Arr 2200

THURSDAY MAY 28

Penarth 0900
Clevedon 1015/1035

CRUISE ROUND HOLM ISLANDS

Clevedon 1320/1350
Penarth 1500/1525
Minehead 1710/1730
Penarth 1915
Clevedon 2030
Minehead  Arr 2200

VISIT WEST SOMERSET RAILWAY

Clevedon  Dep 1045
Bishops Lydeard  Arr 1145
Bishops Lydeard  Dep 1225
Minehead  Arr 1350

FRIDAY MAY 29

Penarth 0900
Clevedon 1015
Ilfracombe 1400/1415

CRUISE NORTH DEVON COAST & VIEW BULL POINT LIGHTHOUSE

Ilfracombe 1600/1740
Penarth 2045
Clevedon 2145

There are no public sailings on May 27, June 1 & June 8.

SATURDAY MAY 30

Penarth 1030
Clevedon 1145

VIEW BIRNBECK ISLAND & CRUISE ROUND HOLM ISLANDS

Penarth 1530
Clevedon 1655

SATURDAY MAY 30

EVENING CRUISE

Penarth 1600
Clevedon 1735
Portishead 1820/1830

CRUISE RIVER SEVERN & UNDER THE BRIDGES

Portishead 2030
Clevedon 2130
Penarth 2225

SUNDAY MAY 31

Penarth 0945
Ilfracombe 1245/1300

CRUISE NORTH DEVON COAST, VIEW BULL POINT LIGHTHOUSE & WOOLACOMBE BAY

Ilfracombe 1515/1545

VIA WESTON BAY & HOLM ISLANDS

Penarth 2015

SUNDAY MAY 31

EVENING CRUISE

Weston-super-Mare 1915

CRUISE WESTON BAY, BIRNBECK ISLAND & HOLM ISLANDS

Clevedon 2200
Weston-super-Mare  Arr 2250

★ Go Anywhere Vouchers and Sailing Passes are not valid on these sailings.



Denotes inclusive Coach Connection. Book in advance to guarantee a place on coach connections.

TUESDAY JUNE 2

PSPS MEMBERS NOMINATED CRUISE

Weston-super-Mare 0900
Penarth 1015
Ilfracombe 1300/1330

CRUISE NORTH DEVON COAST, VIEW BULL POINT LIGHTHOUSE & WOOLACOMBE BAY

Ilfracombe 1600/1645
Penarth 1930/1945
Weston-super-Mare 2040

WEDNESDAY JUNE 3

Exeter  Dep 0900
Minehead 0900
Ilfracombe 1100/1120
Lundy Island 1300/1315

CRUISE ROUND LUNDY

Lundy Island 1415/1600
Ilfracombe 1745/1815
Exeter  Arr 2000
Minehead 2015

THURSDAY JUNE 4

Porthcawl 0930
Ilfracombe 1130

VISIT ILFRACOMBE

Ilfracombe 1730
Porthcawl 1930

VISIT LYNTON & BARNSTAPLE RAILWAY

Ilfracombe  Dep 1215
Woody Bay  Arr 1300
Woody Bay  Dep 1450
Ilfracombe  Arr 1530

FRIDAY JUNE 5

Merthyr Tydfil  Dep 0815
Porthcawl  Dep 0815
Swansea P&R  Dep 0845
Swansea 0930
Ilfracombe 1145/1200
Lundy Island 1345

VISIT LUNDY ISLAND

Lundy Island 1615
Ilfracombe 1800/1815
Porthcawl 2015
Swansea P&R  Dep 2115
Merthyr Tydfil  Dep 2130

SATURDAY JUNE 6

Clevedon 0945
Penarth 1100/1130
Ilfracombe 1415/1430

CRUISE NORTH DEVON COAST VIEWING BULL POINT LIGHTHOUSE & WOOLACOMBE BAY

Ilfracombe 1645/1700
Penarth 2030
Clevedon 2130

SUNDAY JUNE 7

Clevedon 0850
Penarth 1010
Ilfracombe 1315/1330
Lundy Island 1510

VISIT LUNDY ISLAND

Lundy Island 1730
Ilfracombe 1915/1930
Penarth 2230
Clevedon 2320

TUESDAY JUNE 9

Bristol  Dep 0800
Clevedon 0915
Penarth 1030
Ilfracombe 1345/1400

CRUISE EXMOOR COAST & VIEW FORELAND LIGHTHOUSE

Ilfracombe 1630/1700
Clevedon 2100
Penarth 2200
Bristol  Arr 2200

DISCOUNTS FOR GROUPS OF 10 OR MORE & NHS STAFF / CARE WORKERS



BRISTOL CHANNEL & SOUTH WEST WALES CRUISES 2026

WEDNESDAY JUNE 10

Clevedon 0950

CRUISE VIA HOLM ISLANDS

Penarth 1130/1200
 Chepstow  Dep 1200
 Clevedon 1300/1330
 Portishead 1415/1430

CRUISE RIVER SEVERN & UNDER THE BRIDGES

Penarth 1800
 Clevedon 1900
 Portishead  Arr 1930
 Chepstow  Arr 2015

VISIT BRECON MOUNTAIN RAILWAY

Penarth  Dep 1200
 Pant Station  Dep 1300
 Pant Station  Dep 1630
 Penarth  Arr 1730

WEDNESDAY JUNE 10

★ CLEVEDON PIER EVENING FUNDRAISING CRUISE

Clevedon 1945

CRUISE ROUND HOLM ISLANDS

Clevedon 2230

THURSDAY JUNE 11

Clevedon 0930

Ilfracombe 1330/1345

CRUISE EXMOOR COAST & VIEW FORELAND LIGHTHOUSE

Ilfracombe 1600/1745

Clevedon 2145

VISIT LYNTON & BARNSTAPLE RAILWAY

Ilfracombe  Dep 1400

Woody Bay  Arr 1440

Woody Bay  Dep 1605

Ilfracombe  Arr 1645

FRIDAY JUNE 12

CAPTAIN'S CHOICE CRUISE

Clevedon 1130

CRUISE BETWEEN FLAT HOLM & STEEP HOLM

Penarth 1330/1345

CRUISE WELSH COAST VIEWING RHOOSE & BREAKSEA POINTS

Penarth 1610/1630

CRUISE RIVER USK & UNDER TRANSPORTER BRIDGE

Clevedon 1900

Penarth 2015/2030

Clevedon 2215

FRIDAY JUNE 12

★ MV BALMORAL EVENING FUNDRAISING CRUISE

Newport  Dep 1500

Penarth 1630

CRUISE RIVER USK & UNDER TRANSPORTER BRIDGE

Clevedon 1915

Penarth 2015

Newport  Arr 2115

CRUISE VIA HOLM ISLANDS

Clevedon 2215



Motor Vessel Balmoral is currently berthed in Bristol City Docks with ongoing maintenance and restoration works underway. For more information on MV Balmoral visit thebalmoral.org.uk

SATURDAY JUNE 13

Penarth 0900

Clevedon 1015/1040

CRUISE HOLM ISLANDS & PORTISHEAD POINT

Clevedon 1350/1420

Penarth 1520/1550

Minehead 1735/1750

Penarth 1935

Clevedon 2045

Minehead  Arr 2215

VISIT WEST SOMERSET RAILWAY

Clevedon  Dep 1045

Bishops Lydeard  Arr 1145

Bishops Lydeard  Dep 1225

Minehead  Arr 1350

SUNDAY JUNE 14

Newport  Dep 0830

Penarth 1000

Ilfracombe 1300/1315

CRUISE NORTH DEVON COAST VIEWING CLOVELLY TO HARTLAND POINT

Ilfracombe 1700/1715

Penarth 2015

Newport  Arr 2115



MONDAY JUNE 15

Clevedon 1000

CRUISE SOMERSET COAST VIEWING BLUE ANCHOR BAY & EXMOOR COAST

Bideford  Dep 1415

Ilfracombe 1430/1550

CRUISE WOOLACOMBE BAY & RIVER TORRIDGE

Bideford 1800/1900

CRUISE RIVER TORRIDGE, NORTH DEVON COAST & VIEW BULL POINT

Ilfracombe 2100

Bideford  Arr 2215

Ilfracombe  Dep 1830

Bideford  Dep 1845

Clevedon  Arr 2100

TUESDAY JUNE 16

Milford Haven 1130

CRUISE ROUND SKOKHOLM, SKOMER, ST BRIDES BAY & RAMSEY ISLAND

Milford Haven 1630

TUESDAY JUNE 16

EVENING CRUISE

Tenby  Dep 1530

Milford Haven 1700

CRUISE ST GOVAN'S HEAD & CALDEY ISLAND

Tenby 1915/1935

CRUISE CALDEY ISLAND & PEMBROKESHIRE COAST

Milford Haven 2150

Tenby  Arr 2250

WEDNESDAY JUNE 17

Fishguard 1815

CRUISE PEMBROKESHIRE COAST TO ST DAVID'S HEAD & VIEW STRUMBLE HEAD LIGHTHOUSE

Fishguard 2115

WAVERLEY'S 2026 NATIONAL TIMETABLE

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Glasgow & Clyde Coast Spring

Friday 8th – Sunday 10th May

Oban & the Inner Hebrides

Tuesday 12th – Tuesday 19th May

South West
Friday 22nd – Monday 25th May, Thur 3rd Sept

Bristol Channel & South West Wales
Tuesday 26th May – Wednesday 17th June



North Wales & the Mersey
Friday 19th – Monday 22nd June

Northern Ireland
Tuesday 23rd & Wednesday 24th June

Glasgow & Clyde Coast Summer
Friday 26th June – Sunday 30th August

South Coast and Isle of Wight
Thursday 3rd – Tuesday 22nd September



London and Thames Estuary
Wednesday 23rd September –
Sunday 11th October

Glasgow & Clyde Coast Autumn
Saturday 17th & Sunday 18th October

All bookings are taken, tickets issued and all passengers and others carried subject to the Conditions of Carriage of Waverley Excursions Ltd. Copies are available on request from the Company office or from the Purser at the gangway before boarding the steamer. Catering offered is subject to availability.

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