ANY TIME IS WILTSHIRE TIME



Today life is hectic. Too hectic, 24/7 this. 4G that. Sometimes you just need to press pause and let time stand still. Wiltshire's towns with the nest whilet enjoying the present

Friendly, relaxed and welcoming - and set within a glorique natural landecane - each has something unique to offer. Stylish independent shops and colourful markets, for example, Fascinating history and heritage. Great entertainment. Or tempting pubs and restaurants.

So step off the world for a while, escape to Wiltshire, and let our gentler pace of life put back what the rest of the week takes out. It's time to write your chanter in our never-ending story For more inspiration so to visitwittshire on uk

YOU'LL BE HERE IN NO TIME

here in 1835, railways have played an important part in Wittmire's prosperity. Today, thanks to fast and frought the rail network links 14 towns and villages right across the county, including Melksham and Warminster.

Meliosham evolved at a ford across the River Avon and is well located for accessing Witshire's sturning countrysid and many attractions. The historic quarter is where you will find St Michael and All Angel's Church, Canon Squar is served by excellent has mades and the friendly town rubs and restaurants. Malksham is renowned for its

variety of independent shops, callés, restaurants and inns take children's playeround putting green calé and skatelynard nark. Nearby Smallbrook Mearlows Nature the Were and Wylye rivers. The surrounding countryside horse riding while I englant - with its historic house sefari perk and more - is within easy reach. Annua awants include the Warminster Worlde (June), Income Ive

Other timeless frome and villades connected by the rai network include Avonciff, Bedwin, Bradford on Avon. Swindon, Tisbury, Trowbridge and Westbury.

HERE YOU CAN TOUCH AND FEEL THE PAST

gone by and the Kennet & Avon Canal runs right across the centre of the county, During the Industrial Revolution it was a key means of transport for goods and materials; today timeless scenery. Walk or cycle along the townath. Relax on board a parmetost. Or take to the water in a cannel

In the east of the county the Canal runs through the lust adows of the Vale of Pewsey which lies on the wester edge of the North Wessex Downs Area of Outstanding makes a great hase for walking curting and horse riding Here you'll find charming thatched cottages, peaceful villating and a wide rande of places to est shock and shoe At the heart of the blate is the vibers of Dawsey with its Heritage Centre, statue of Alfred the Great and wharf on the take part in the oldest carnival in Witshire. Witten Windmill

and Crofton Beam Engines can be visited nearby - the latter runs regular steaming weekends and its apprual steam

The historic market town of Devizes also stands on the Kennet & Avon Canal near the top of Caen Hill Locks Rising 237 feet over two miles, this continuous flight of 26 locks is one of the longest in the country. Devizes has a ouses. Home of the Wiltshire Museum and Wadworth Brewery, this is a town that has kept its character. Here you'll find many small, family-run businesses and a good ditional market filled with fresh food, crafts and curios With colourful events such as the Dirnic in the Dark Cordat Battle and Carnival Parade, the town's Festival Fortnight which also offers food and drink events, an archaeolog conference and even an eisteddfod



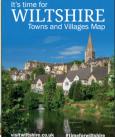
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RURAL ENGLAND AT ITS VERY BEST

There's always

time for Wiltshire













a relating pageout pat trip on the Kennet & Iwon Canal With events taking place all year round you can drop in on the Day of Dance (May), check out the Food & Drink Festival ne) or enjoy an outstanding performance at Wittshire Thanks to the wool trade and the quarrying of golder Bath stone, Corsham developed from Saxon origins into properties from the 16th, 17th and 18th centuries, many of

drink, as well as attractions including the 350-year-old Almshouses and stately Corsham Court: Popular events fame thanks to its stamps role - as Truto - in the first senes.

Troubridge - Witshire's county town and a Magna Carta baron town - has a history of weaving dating back over 1,000 years. The result is a rich architectural legacy render Museum (currently closed for repression but repressing highlights include the Active Festival (July). Country Favre







SALISBURY: THE PERFECT HISTORIC CITY









SAVOUR THE TASTE OF

feed the soul. And when it comes to local produce, our the Harris family invented the traditional English technique the 'Witshire Cure' and is now recomised countrywide. Its story is one of drovers' trails and coach roads... the rise and fall of canal and rail travel... and the legacy of discovery, too. Joseph Priestley 'discovered' oxygen here whilst working at nearly Rowand House and shortly fter that Jan Ingenhousz 'discovered' photosynthesis

ach chapter of its past, browse the town's range of independent shops, and stop for refreshments at a cosy raté. Explore Castlefields Canal and River Park and the For the ultimate white-knuckle ride, sign up for a tandem outstanding Atwell-Wilson Motor Museum. Or enjoy Festival and Carnival (June).

ESCAPE THE EVERYDAY

refreshing, or bursting with high octane excitement, Wiltshire is the perfect antidote to overcrowded citie

the production of wooten broadcroth in centuries past. With the exception of Wilton Carpets, the tradile industry

is the charming honey-coloured sem of Bradford on Avon its testile heritage can be found in the 19th century cloth.

liging the hill above. Visit the Saxon Church, the 14th

ary Tithe Barn and the ancient Town Bridge. Then take

Our breathtaking countryside might well have been invented with outdoor pursuits in mind. If you fancy a stroll you can follow in the footsteps of the ancient drovers.

Cyclists - seasoned experts, keen amateurs and those Head to the Longical Estate. Keen to test your mettle on

wild? Looking for team building activities or fun group days Whatever you do one thing's for sure - you'll find new

stories around every corner



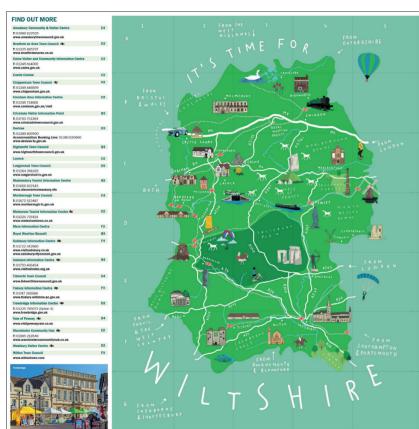
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LET US ENTERTAIN YOU

Plenty to Fire the Imagination

We're a creative lot in Witshire. Here we have space and dance, concerts and exhibitions. Inspirational venues and

You'll find an enormous range of events to enjoy. Around the county and throughout the uper Ourkey, craft and Mon fairs Open days, action and fun days. Pancake races, duck races horse races and cance races. There are river, cycling and walking festivals. Scarecrow and sculpture festivals. His and literature festivals. Not to mention steam and vintage weekends, a confetti battle and a flying monk trail.

With such boardiful and distress countryside as our hardefeet the whole county is a comme for creativity. So exceed the exervites and make the most of our timeless ries Go to visitwiitshire.co.uk/whats-on to find out more.

Thanks to its timeless charm and appeal. Witshire has taken centre stage in a whole host of big screen movies and TV contine stage in a whole host or big screen moves and 1 v
costume dramas. From sweshbuckling adventures to Jane
Austen classics. Dr Delittle to Dr Who, Harry Potter to Wolf Hall. Here are just a few examples - go to visitwittshire.co.uk/film to find out more.

Tomb Raider (2018) / The Crown (2017): Wilton House The White Princess (2017): Bradford on Avon Lacock Poldark (2015 and 2016): Corsham, Great Challield Mi Downton Abbey (2015): Lacock

War Horse (2011) / Dr Dollttle (1967): Castle Combe

Harry Potter (2002 and 2009): Lacock
Lark Rise to Candleford (2008-2011): Corsham Price & Prejudice (2005): Stourhead, Wilton House Sense & Sensibility (1995): Mompesson House, Wilton House Far from the Madding Crowd (1967); Devices

IOURNEY THROUGH TIME

third Tuesday in October) for almost 800 years.

MARKETS IN **ABUNDANCE**

For hustle and bustle you can't beat a good market and Witsh has plenty to choose from Indoor, outdoor and farmers' markets, confinental and Christmas markets, vintage, artisan itom in on offer Ten quality foul and unestables. Most fish First prize for the longest running market goes to Troubridge since the year 1200. These days, it's on a Wednesday. Hot on

Other bustling market towns include Amesbury (Wednesda Bradford on Avon (Thursday), Calne (Friday), Chippenham (Friday and Saturday), Coreany, Carrie (Friday), Crippennam (Friday and Saturday), Corehom (Tuesday), Devizes (Trunsday), Highworth (Saturday), Mariborough (Wednesday and Saturday) Melksham (Tuesday), Pewsey (Tuesday), Royal Wootton Bassett (Wednesday), Swindon (Monday Saturday), Trowbridge (Mintroperture) Whermington (Ericlas) Wilton (Thursday) and

For up-to-date details of these and many other market so to visitwittshire.co.uk/markets





LESS RACING AGAINST THE CLOCK

FIND YOUR IDEAL **HOME FROM HOME**

These days, it seems, you're aways on the go. Someone's always on your case. Luckity. Wittshire offers the perfect What could be more timeless than the English bed and mass round the door. Our pubs, inns and restourants with

For those who like to come and go as they please, or

self-catering properties offer the last word in flexibility. If each, train, air or sea. Wiltshire is easy to get to -

a canony of stars at one of our campailtes. Try a spot of glamping in a canvas lodge or pod. Or get in touch with you cural cooks in a traditional shanhand's but

Details of all our places to stay, as well as the latest offers. Accessibility: Wittshire is here for all to enjoy, including

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WHAT VIEW DID YOU WAKE

UP TO THIS MORNING?

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Wittshire on the Great West Way

Around a quarter of the route runs through Wiltshire, along routes that brought druids to Stonehenge. Drovers to market Piterims to Salisbury Cathedral. Across rolling hillsides in the and past white horse carvings that have watched over the Vale of Pewsey for generations. Discover our Witshire towns and villages as part of a trip along the Great West Way.

Great West Way Discoverer pass

Included in this pass is unlimited off peak train travel with Great Western Railway from London to Bristol and travel on



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