

Late deals release December 2013

Last-minute deals for a Twixmas break in Wiltshire

With both Christmas Day and New Year's Eve falling in the middle of consecutive weeks, what better way to see out the final weekend of 2013 than a relaxing break in quintessentially English county of Wiltshire. <u>VisitWiltshire</u> has picked out some of the best deals for visitors to make the most of the festive season with a great-value Twixmas break in Wiltshire:

- Escape to <u>Bowood Hotel</u>, <u>Spa and Golf Resort</u> one of Wiltshire's hidden treasures. Available on Sunday 29th December, Bowood's Twixmas break package includes accommodation in a luxury room, a three course meal in the Clubhouse Brasserie and a full Wiltshire breakfast. *Package starts at £99 per person per night*
- <u>Grasmere House Hotel</u> is offering double rooms at special discounted rates for the weekend of 27th-29th December, including dinner and a full English breakfast. Grasmere House is a stone's throw from Salisbury town centre and Cathedral, and offers panoramic views of the Nadder and Avon rivers. *Room* £45.50 per person with reference 'XMAS WEEKEND'; call 01722 338388 to book
- <u>Salisbury Playhouse</u> is offering an evening of great food and entertainment, with dinner followed by London Calling; a musical journey through the streets of London. With a stellar cast including Glyn Kerslake, formerly of Phantom of the Opera, London Calling is a perfect celebration of the festive season. *Dinner and two course meal, £32; call 01722 320 333 to book*
- The iconic <u>Salisbury Cathedral</u> is a magnificent sight all year round, and never more so than during the festive season. Join one of their special Twilight Christmas Tower Tours; visitors can climb the 332 steps to the base of the spire, where they can enjoy the wonderful view of Salisbury's Christmas

lights. *Tickets, to include tower tour and cream tea, cost* £13.50 (adults), £11.50 (concessions), £40 (family ticket, 2+3)

- For a Twixtmas of luxury and relaxation, <u>Church Farm</u> in Bradford on Avon is offering country cottages for two or four people at special rates. Guests can make full use of the heated indoor swimming pool, and will be greeted by mince pies and a real decorated Christmas tree in their cottage on arrival. *Cottage for two, £365 or cottage for four, £595 both for four nights*
- <u>STEAM Museum of the Great Western Railway</u> in Swindon is open between Boxing Day and New Year. With a reconstructed station platform, workshop and locomotives, Steam is a 'must visit' for visitors to the north of the county. *Adults £8, Children £6, Seniors £6.50*
- For a relaxing break in the Wiltshire Cotswolds, visit <u>Fosse Farmhouse</u>. Surrounded by traditional pubs and walks, the Farmhouse is offering accommodation for 2-16 guests at special reduced rates over the festive period. *Call 01249 782286 for the best last-minute rates*

All offers subject to availability. For all of these offers and many more visit: <u>www.visitwiltshire.co.uk</u>

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Images of all the above attractions and events are available on request.For further information please contact:Sophy Norris01392 248 934Callum McCaig0207 886 8457Josh Voulters0207 886 8452visitwiltshire@flagshipconsulting.co.uk

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