

MARLOW NATIONAL TRUST

Presents

YORKSHIRE COAST & COUNTRY



WHAT'S INCLUDED

5 days / 4 nights' duration
Monday 21st—Friday 25th September 2026
Return Executive Coach Travel
4 nights half board
4* Parsonage Hotel & Spa near York + 1 lunch
Excursion package as detailed overleaf

PRICES & SUPPLEMENTS

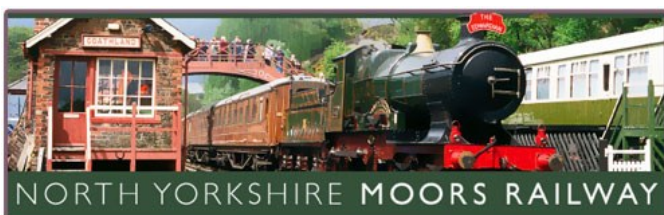
Minimum **35+** persons **£799pp**—Two share
Single supplement **£109** (4 nights) - max. 17 rooms
Deposit **£150pp** (non-refundable/ non-transferable)
Balance due in full by the **20.07.26**
Insurance premium tbc for 2026

HIGHLIGHTS

- Belton Estate (NT)
- Nunnington Hall (NT)
- Beningbrough Hall (NT)
- City of York + River Cruise
- Whitby
- North York Moors Railway
- Renishaw Hall & Gardens + Lunch

HOW TO BOOK

Complete the attached booking form and return with your non-refundable deposit + Insurance premium if required to: **Simply Groups, Dalton House, 1 Hawskworth Street, Ilkley, LS29 9DU**
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Proposed itinerary

Day 1 – Departing Marlow **approx. 8.30am** we journey north making a comfort stop en route at the **Belton Estate (NT)** in Lincolnshire. Generations of the Brownlow family made their mark here, commissioning the finest designers and craftsmen of their age to shape the Estate. The house and gardens showcase cutting edge design and innovation. The House contains impressive art, silver, and porcelain collections as well as a world-renowned library. Lunch can be purchased in the Stables Café before continuing on to your hotel near York, where dinner is included.

Day 2 – Breakfast included. Today begins with a visit to **Nunnington Hall (NT)**. Enjoy the atmosphere of this beautiful Yorkshire manor house, nestled on the quiet banks of the River Rye. Explore the period rooms whilst learning about the Hall's many tales and discover one of the world's finest collections of miniature rooms in the attic. It is famous for its picturesque location, organic walled garden, flamboyant resident peacocks and a changing programme of exclusive, high-profile art and photography exhibitions. Lunch can be purchased here or at this afternoon's visit, **Beningbrough Hall (NT)**. From the teenager who inherited it, to its time as an RAF billet, Beningbrough has been shaped for more than 300 years by the people who lived here. The architecture and collections on the ground floor tell the story of a country house, while the Reddihough Galleries on the first-floor host changing exhibitions of contemporary and traditional artwork. Andy Sturgeon the award-winning international garden designer has created a long-term vision. Returning to the hotel, a **welcome drink** is included before tonight's evening meal.

Day 3– Breakfast included. Today is dedicated to the medieval city of **York**, a walled city founded by the ancient Romans. We begin with an included **45-minute River Ouse cruise with commentary**, during which you will hear about the city's history and the impact the river had on its development. It was once an inland port where goods arrived from around the globe, including the humble cocoa bean that super-charged York's world-famous chocolate industry. The remainder of the day is then at your leisure to **freely explore** the city during which you might choose to visit the **Castle Museum, Yorkshire Museum** or the **Railway Museum**, just three of the many attractions in the city, along with the famous **Jorvik Centre (all entrances payable locally)**. Take a stroll around and along York's unique '**Shambles**' (alleys and passages) linking up the medieval streets. Spot some of the famous landmarks including the breath-taking **gothic Minster**, a masterpiece in stained glass & stone. Clifford's Tower, the serene Museum Gardens, the medieval Guildhall and much more. Returning to the hotel dinner is included.

Day 4 – Breakfast included. Today's leisurely excursion is to the seaside resort of **Whitby**, whose skyline is dominated by the ruins of **St. Hilda's Abbey (EH)**. The town of Whitby is a maze of alleyways and narrow streets running down to the quayside. From the old town, 199 steps lead to the parish church of St. Mary, whose churchyard on Whitby's East Cliff gave Bram Stoker the inspiration to write his world-famous book, Dracula. Whitby has produced its own famous sons amongst which is Captain James Cook, the 18th century explorer and voyager who sailed in the Bark Endeavour from Whitby. This afternoon you will board the **North York Moors Railway** for a one-way journey to the historic market town of **Pickering**. Re-joining your coach, you will be returned to the hotel where dinner is included.

Day 5 – Checking out of the hotel after breakfast we retrace our steps, making a final included visit to **Renishaw Hall** in South Yorkshire. This has been home to the Sitwell family for nearly 400 years and is still very much a family home, which adds to its unique atmosphere. The famous literary trio, Edith, Osbert, and Sacheverell Sitwell were all patrons of the arts and played a significant part in the artistic and literary world at the beginning of the 20th century. Following a guided tour of the Hall there will be time to **explore the gardens** before an included **private lunch**. Continuing homeward a comfort break will be made before returning to your original departure point(s) later today.

Simply Groups reserve the right to make minor changes to this itinerary due to circumstances beyond our control.

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