

## **ACTIVE DARTMOOR MINI-BREAK**



## Boringdon Hall Hotel

www.visitdartmoor.co.uk/accommodation/boringdon-hall-hotel Colebrook, Plympton, PL7 4DP

Boringdon Hall Hotel and Spa is a  $5^{\mbox{W}}$  dog-friendly, luxury manor house spa hotel in Devon where style and luxury meet the drama of

Elizabethan architecture. Imposing stone towers, secret archways, and curious arrow slits hint at the hotel's rich history. Lavish four-poster suites and idyllic location on the edge of Dartmoor, will make your heart flutter and your mouth water.

Afternoon Tea at Boringdon Hall Hotel and Spa is something of a ritual and traditional and monthly special edition Afternoon Tea experiences can be booked within the majestic Great Hall. Gaia Spa at Boringdon Hall offers staying guests luxury spa and wellness facilities. All guests of Boringdon Hall have access to the Gaia Spa facilities and receive 10% off spa treatments.



## **Dartmoor Zoo**

www.visitdartmoor.co.uk/attraction/dartmoor-zoo Sparkwell, Plymouth PL7 5DG

Set in 33 acres of beautiful woodland just 20 minutes from Plymouth, Dartmoor Zoo features the largest collection of Big Cats in the region

including African Lions, Amur Tigers, Jaguar and Cheetah. Visitors will also find Iberian Wolves, European Brown Bears, South American Tapir, Ostrich, Meerkats, Otters, Monkeys and much more.

Follow the daily timetable of events including public talks at feeding times and animal encounters, with falconry displays and kids activities during the holidays such as quiz-trails and face-painting. And when you need a rest, visit the Jaguar Restaurant for a freshly prepared lunch or a hot drink and delicious cake made right here on site.



## Plym's Old Lines - Walk

www.visitdartmoor.co.uk/plyms Plym Valley Railway, Plymouth, Devon

Distance: 5 miles easy walk. Start/End point: Plym Valley Railway (Grid Ref: SX522568).

This route is quite easy & suitable for all. Along the route there are woodland and riverside paths, and disused railway track. Short road section. One short ascent and descent. This route should take the average walker roughly 2 - 3 hours.

The lower Plym Valley, with its woodland walks and riverside paths, lies right on Plymouth's doorstep. Yet it is hidden from the city, and offers wonderful views of Dartmoor.

This walk includes the industrial remains of the Tavistock Railway and its viaducts, a tramway that used granite sleepers, and a quarry complete with engine house.

It also offers the chance to study peregrine falcons. Choose spring, when the peregrines nest and the woods burst into colour with anemones and bluebells.

Theme: City, Country, Heritage Special Interest: Birdwatching, Nature, Historical, Wildlife

Area: Plymouth, South Devon - South Hams.

Relevant maps/guides: Explorer OL20, Landranger 201.

Facilities along route: There are many refreshment opportunities in Plympton and Plymouth, and also public toilets at the start.

