

# Sim's Travel

2022 Holidays



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and watch the local press for forthcoming day excursions and theatre trips. Alternatively you can contact our office on

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A full day excursion programme is operated throughout the year including shopping, garden festivals, scenic and mystery tours and activity days. You can view the latest dates via our website or by contacting our office.

**Newcastle or Metro Centre**  
*every 1st Saturday of the month*

**Blackpool**  
*all Bank Holiday weekends, during the Summer & Illuminations*



### PASSENGER INFORMATION

For your comfort and safety, all of our holiday coaches are fitted with:



Seat belts



Overhead temperature control



Reclining seats

# Welcome to our 2022 Holiday Brochure

For 2022 we are offering a number of new destinations and some favourites from previous years.

Our holidays are all in the UK offering short and longer breaks. Our carefully selected hotels are offered on a Dinner Bed and Breakfast basis (except where indicated) and all have en-suite facilities.

All the coaches used on our tours are fully air conditioned and are fitted with reclining seats, seatbelts (which must be worn in accordance to current legislation), double glazing, and toilet with washroom.

All coaches are fully fitted with Eco3 Air Purifiers which help remove all odours, bacteria, and viruses from circulating air. We also use robust cleaning regimes making sure that all grab handles, seat back tables and seatbelts etc are cleaned before departure and at regular intervals. We are also 'we're good to go' accredited through Visit England.

Our holidays include all day excursions and entrance fees to attractions where indicated. With a number of departure points available throughout West Cumbria, you can be sure that one will be located within easy reach of your home. Contact the office for further information on coach joining points.

Sims travel gift vouchers which are available to purchase throughout the year are accepted for all excursions and holidays.

To book a holiday or theatre trip, simply fill in the booking form and return it with the required deposit. Please note: the itineraries shown in this brochure are for illustrative purposes only and may be subject to alteration where Sim's Travel require.

***We no longer offer travel insurance for our holidays or short breaks but would advise all customers to have travel insurance cover before travelling.***

## *Included:*

- 4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Alexandra Hotel, Fort William
- 2 nights entertainment
- 3 drinks vouchers per day
- 2 packed lunches
- 2 soup/sandwich lunches

## *Holiday Summary*

Our first holiday of 2022, is this early Spring Break to the Western Highlands, staying in Fort William at the base of the Nevis Mountain Range and Britain's highest mountain – Ben Nevis. We will be staying for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast at The Alexandra Hotel, which is situated within the town of Fort William and only minutes' walk to the nearby shops.

Fort William provides an ideal base to explore the Western Highlands and our days out will include a journey South along Loch Linnhe to the unofficial Capital of the Highlands – Oban, which is also known as the gateway to the Western Isles and the seafood Capital of Scotland.

We will also have a day heading North from Fort William to the Southern shores of Loch Ness, for a visit to Fort Augustus. Here you can see the staircase of locks as the Caledonian Canal joins the Loch.

Included in this holiday package are two days where the hotel will provide a packed lunch and two days where we will return to the hotel for soup & sandwiches.

Twin/Double Room: £280.00 per person  
Single Room: £280.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

3\* accommodation

Free Wi-Fi in public areas

All rooms en suite

Tea & coffee making facilities

Lift access

### Easter in Llandudno

Friday 15th to Monday 18th April 2022

Join us for our Easter break staying in the largest holiday resort in Wales - Llandudno, set on the North Wales Coast. We will have 3 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast at the 3\* St Kilda Hotel, this is a traditional family run hotel where you can expect a uniquely warm welcome. The hotel dates back to 1854 and has 60 bedrooms, it is set on the sea front 5 minutes from the shops and a 5-minute walk to Llandudno Pier.

During our Easter break, days out will be included, these will be made up of Snowdonia National Park, Chester & also free time to explore Llandudno.



#### *Included:*

3 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the  
St Kilda Hotel, Llandudno  
All coach travel  
Easter gift

#### *Price:*

Twin/Double Room: £280 per person  
Single Room: £295 per person  
Booking Deposit: £40 per person

### Llandudno Weekend

Friday 7th to Monday 10th October 2022

This is the second chance of the year to visit the family run hotel - St Kilda Hotel in Llandudno. We will be staying for 3 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. You can expect a uniquely warm welcome at this hotel which is situated in the centre of Llandudno's sweeping promenade.

Our days out will include a journey into Snowdonia, along the Vale of Conwy with a visit to Betws-y-Coed. During the weekend we will also have some free time to relax and enjoy Llandudno and we will also make a stop in the City of Liverpool.



#### *Included:*

3 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the  
St Kilda Hotel, Llandudno  
Evening entertainment  
All coach travel

#### *Price:*

Twin/Double Room: £290 per person  
Single Room: £305 per person  
Booking Deposit: £40 per person

# Dumfries & The Solway Coast

Sunday 22nd to Thursday 26th May 2022

Days: 5

## *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Full Scottish Breakfast at the Cairndale Hotel & Leisure Club, Dumfries  
Drumlanrig Castle and Gardens  
Logan Botanic Garden  
All coach travel  
Use of leisure facilities

## *Holiday Summary*

This is a 5-day tour heading across the Border to stop in Southern Scotland, at the Cairndale Hotel and Leisure Club for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. The hotel is one of Dumfries' largest privately owned hotels with 91 en-suite rooms. The hotel is home to the Baracuda Club, which is the hotels owns private leisure club. Here there is a 14m indoor swimming pool, gym, sauna, spa and steam room which guests have use of. The spa also offers a range of treatments at an additional cost.

Our days out will include a journey across Dumfries & Galloway to the Atlantic Coast, here we will cross The Peninsular onto The Rhins. Here we will make a visit to Logan Botanic Garden – this is Scotland's most exotic garden where you can see plants that are rarely seen anywhere else in the UK! The area is warmed by the Gulf Stream which allow these plants to survive. The garden originally dates from 1869 and in 1969 became the Logan Botanic Gardens, part of the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh.

We will also make a visit to Drumlanrig Castle, where a guided tour is included as well as entrance to the Castle gardens. The castle is a 17th century castle and has been seat of the Douglas family for generations.

Twin/Double Room: £360.00 per person  
Single Room: £460.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

3\* accommodation

Wellness Centre

Lift access

Tea & coffee making facilities

Free Wi-Fi

# Paignton

Monday 11th to Friday 15th July 2022

Days: 5

## *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Queens Hotel, Paignton  
All coach travel  
Dartmouth Steam Railway  
Evening entertainment  
Free time in Paignton

## *Holiday Summary*

Join us for this 5-day holiday to the South Coast, where we will be staying at the 3\* Queens Hotel, in Paignton. We will stay here for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast, with a welcome tea & coffee on arrival. The hotel offers nightly entertainment during our stay and portage is included in the cost of this holiday.

During our visit we will have a free day to allow you time to explore Paignton, or perhaps travel further around the Torbay area to explore Torquay & Brixham, or stay close to the hotel and simply enjoy a walk along the sea-front.

We will also have a day travelling across Devon, where we will visit Britain's Ocean City – Plymouth. This modern City is famous for its Naval connections and in 1620 the Pilgrim Fathers departed for their new world, to establish their colony in the USA. The Royal Naval shipyard and docks at Devonport were all merged into the borough of Plymouth and in 1928 became the City of Plymouth. Much of this town was destroyed in the War before being completely re-built in the Second World War.

We will have time to visit the modern city centre or take a journey down to the waterfront and visit Plymouth Hoe before returning to the hotel.

During this holiday we will have a ride on the Dartmouth Steam Railway, from Paignton to Dartmouth.

Twin/Double Room: £390.00 per person  
Single Room: £390.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

3\* accommodation

Sea-view rooms available

Lift access

Welcome tea & coffee

Norfolk

Sunday 31st July to Thursday 4th August 2022

Days: 5

### *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Holiday Inn  
Norwich South  
All coach travel  
Bure Valley Railway  
Sandringham House  
Norfolk Broads

## *Holiday Summary*

Join us for this mid-summer break to the ever-popular county of Norfolk, we will be staying for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Full English Breakfast at the Holiday Inn Norwich South. All rooms at the hotel are En-Suite and air-conditioned and the hotel is situated on the Southern outskirts of the City. The hotel has a fitness centre which is available to all guests, as well as jacuzzi and steam room.

Our day excursions will include a visit to the Sandringham Estate; the country retreat of The Queen which has been the private home of four generations of British Monarchs since 1862. The estate is 8000 hectares and the house is set in 240 hectares of garden. We will spend time here to visit the house, church, gardens and museum.

We will also have a day excursion which will take us through the Norfolk countryside with a visit to the Bure Valley Railway. We will also have a ride on the Norfolk Broads from Wroxham, where you can enjoy the commentary from the Captain on the history of the Broads and any points of interest.

Also included will be some free time to visit Norwich, the home of Colmans Mustard.

Twin/Double Room: £390.00 per person  
Single Room: £510.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

3\* accommodation

Tea & coffee making facilities

Free Wi-Fi

Indoor swimming pool

Wellness Centre

# Heart of England

Sunday 14th to Thursday 18th August 2022

Days: 5

## *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Chesford Grange Hotel, Kenilworth

All coach travel

Kenilworth Castle

Stratford-upon-Avon River Cruise

Coventry

## *Holiday Summary*

This mid-summer break takes us to the Heart of England and Shakespeare Country. We will be staying for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast at The Chesford Grange Hotel which is set in the Warwickshire Countryside and part of the Q Hotel Group. The tudor style manor house is set on the banks of the River Avon and offers a place to relax and enjoy the spa and health club.

Our days out will include a visit to the nearby Kenilworth Castle, a medieval fortress with over 900 years of history, where you can walk in the footsteps of Queen Elizabeth I.

We will also pay a visit to Coventry, best known for its medieval cathedral which was left in ruins after World War II, this has since been replaced and we will have free time, so you can go and visit if you wish.

Also included will be a journey through the Warwickshire Countryside, including Henley-in-Arden and onto the home of Shakespeare – Stratford-upon-Avon. In Stratford we will have an afternoon cruise on the River Avon, which will include an afternoon cream tea.

Twin/Double Room: £380.00 per person

Single Room: £472.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

4\* accommodation

Tea & coffee making facilities

Lift access

Indoor swimming pool

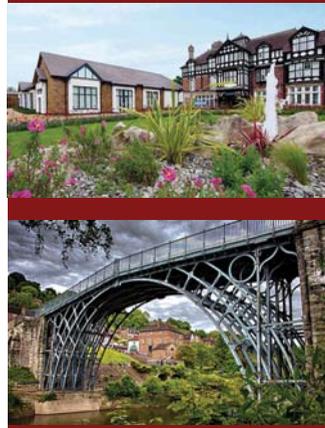
Free Wi-Fi

## Warner Alvaston Hall

Friday 12th to Monday 15th August 2022

Join us for our first visit to a Warner complex of 2022, here we have a weekend break staying at Alvaston Hall for 3 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. The evening entertainment will feature The Counterfeit Quo, as well as all the usual Warner activities and facilities.

Our days out will include a day travelling through the Cheshire & Shropshire Countryside, with a visit to Ironbridge Gorge Museum.



### *Included:*

3 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the  
Warner Leisure Alvaston Hall Hotel  
Warner Entertainment package  
Ironbridge Gorge Museum

### *Price:*

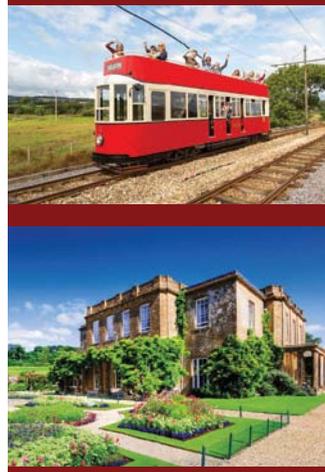
Twin/Double Room: £375 per person  
Single Room: £375 per person  
Booking Deposit: £40 per person

## Warner Cricket St Thomas

Monday 29th August to Friday 2nd September 2022

Join us for this late summer mid-week break, where we will travel down to Somerset, we will have a 4-night break at Cricket St Thomas, this includes 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. This is a Warner Gold break and features evening entertainment, with singers and dancing each evening, plus all the usual Warner activities.

During our break we will have a couple of day excursions down to the South Coast, visiting the seaside resort of Weymouth and also calling in at Seaton, here we will have a ride on the Seaton Tramway – a narrow gauge electric tramway which takes you through the Devon countryside.



### *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the  
Warner Leisure Cricket St Thomas Hotel  
Warner Entertainment package  
Seaton Tramway

### *Price:*

Twin/Double Room: £450 per person  
Single Room: £450 per person  
Booking Deposit: £40 per person

# Inverness All Inclusive

Sunday 16th to Thursday 20th October 2022

Days: 5

## *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Best Western  
Inverness Palace Hotel & Spa  
Diamond All Inclusive package  
All coach travel  
Malt Whisky Distillery visit

## *Holiday Summary*

Join us for this late Autumn All Inclusive break staying at the Best Western Inverness Palace Hotel & Spa. Our break is based on the hotel's diamond all-inclusive package, which includes lots of extras for your holiday – evening entertainment, packed lunch each day and an afternoon tea, full use of the leisure club facilities which include swimming pool and a free bar between 7-10pm.

During our break we will have a circular tour of Loch Ness and some free time in the City of Inverness. We will also have a day excursion into Speyside, where we will travel through Strathspey. We will have a day where we head North across the Black Isle & Cromarty Firth.

Also included is the opportunity to sample one of Scotland's Single Malt Scotch Whiskies.

Twin/Double Room: £430.00 per person  
Single Room: £530.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

4\* accommodation

Wellness Centre

Lift access

Tea & coffee making  
facilities

Swimming pool

# Thursford Spectacular

Friday 11th to Sunday 13th November 2022

Days: 3

## *Included:*

2 nights Accommodation at the Holiday Inn Norwich South

All coach travel

Thursford Spectacular

Free time in Norwich



## *Holiday Summary*

Join us for this weekend break and the opportunity to see the World Famous Thursford Christmas Spectacular Show. This will be the 45th anniversary and it is the largest show in the country. The show is set in the magical surroundings of the Thursford Collection, with a cast of 120 professional singers, dancers, and musicians. The show is an extravaganza of singing, dancing, music and variety.

During our weekend we have reserved tickets for the show and we will also have some free time to relax at the hotel as well as time to explore in Norwich City Centre.

## Hotel Info

3\* accommodation

Tea & coffee making facilities

Free Wi-Fi

Indoor swimming pool

Wellness Centre

Twin/Double Room: £265.00 per person

Single Room: £337.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person

# Warner Turkey & Tinsel at Thoresby

Monday 21st to Friday 25th November 2022

Days: 5

## Included:

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Warner Leisure Thoresby Hall Hotel  
All coach travel  
Chatsworth House  
Lincoln  
Turkey & Tinsel festive fun

## Holiday Summary

Join us for our first Turkey & Tinsel offering of 2022 and the chance to stay at the Warner Leisure Hotel – Thoresby Hall, the hall is a 19th century Grade I listed building set in 30 acres of grounds. We will be staying here for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast and along with the full entertainment programme and day-time activities Christmas & New Year will be rolled into one.

Included in this holiday is a chance to visit the majestic stately home, Chatsworth House – home to the Duke & Duchess of Devonshire. Here we will have the opportunity to discover the house and gardens which contains works of art that span over 4000 years, from Ancient Rome to modern contemporary artists, with over 25 rooms to explore and enjoy all the house has to offer.

We will also make a visit into the historic City of Lincoln. The City Centre stretches from St Marks Shopping Centre in the South up to the Cathedral Quarter. The town is connected by Steep Hill, a famous cobbled hill which consists of independent shops, tea rooms and pubs - and is voted Britain's Great Street. During our break we will also have some free time to relax and enjoy the facilities at the hotel.

Twin/Double Room: £410.00 per person  
Single Room: £410.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

4\* accommodation

Leisure Club & Spa

All rooms en-suite

Room upgrades available

Tea & coffee making facilities

# Glasgow Christmas Shopper

Saturday 3rd to Sunday 4th December 2022

Days: 2

## Included:

1 night Bed and Breakfast at the Ibis Glasgow City Centre Hotel  
Free time in Glasgow  
Livingston Designer Outlet  
All coach travel

## Holiday Summary

Join us for this ever-popular overnight break to Glasgow to do your Christmas shopping and to experience the festive atmosphere that Glasgow has to offer.

We will be staying for one-night Bed & Breakfast at the Hotel Ibis Glasgow City Centre - Sauchiehall Street. The hotel is within walking distance of Glasgow City Centre and all the shops and restaurants.

We will travel to Glasgow on Saturday morning arriving in the early afternoon and then the rest of the day/evening is yours' to spend at your leisure. After a full day shopping the hotel is close by so you can drop off your bags and head out into the city centre to experience the nightlife or head to one of the many restaurants.

On Sunday morning we will check out of the hotel after breakfast and travel to the Livingston Designer Outlet where you will find all the major stores and more. We will spend the day here, leaving in the late afternoon for the journey back to West Cumbria.

Twin/Double Room: £90.00 per person  
Single Room: £132.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

City centre location

All rooms en-suite

Free Wi-Fi

Lift access

# Warner Turkey & Tinsel at Bodelwyddan

Monday 5th to Friday 9th December 2022

Days: 5

## *Included:*

4 nights Dinner, Bed and Breakfast at the Warner  
Leisure Bodelwyddan Castle Hotel  
All coach travel  
In house entertainment package  
City of Chester  
Turkey & Tinsel festive fun

## *Holiday Summary*

Join us for this pre-Christmas Turkey & Tinsel holiday, based at the 4\* Bodelwyddan Warner Hotel, which is situated near the Snowdonia National Park, North Wales. The hotel is a Grade II listed Victorian Castle and was built around 1460. Set in 200 acres of Victorian parkland the hotel is also home to the National Portrait Galleries Victorian Collection. The hotel was recently given a 6-million-pound renovation and we will stay here for 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. The week will be based on the Warner Gold Package with Turkey & Tinsel Festive Fun, with an early Christmas, New Year all rolled into one.

During our break we will have a full day visit to the historic city of Chester, where we will have the opportunity to enjoy this medieval city at Christmas and catch up on any last-minute shopping. We will also have a half day visit into the seaside town of Llandudno and a ride over the Conwy Hills.

Also included will be free time at the hotel to enjoy the in-house entertainment and activities.

Twin/Double Room: £365.00 per person  
Single Room: £365.00 per person

Booking Deposit: £40.00 per person



## Hotel Info

4\* accommodation

Leisure club

Free Wi-Fi

Room upgrades  
available

Tea & coffee making  
facilities

# Theatre Day Trips 2022

All of our theatre day excursions include return coach travel to and from the show venue and ticket to the show. To make sure you don't miss out, booking in advance is advised, we will require a deposit to secure this. Your theatre tickets will be given to you on the day you travel by your coach driver and all other details will be sent to you prior to departure.

CHICAGO | Saturday 4th June 2022  
Sunderland Empire | £74 per person



WE WILL ROCK YOU | Saturday 27th August 2022  
Theatre Royal, Newcastle | £69 per person

THE OSMONDS | Saturday 17th September 2022  
Sunderland Empire | £75 per person



STRICTLY BALLROOM | Saturday 15th October 2022  
Sunderland Empire | £68 per person

## ESKDALE TAXIS

For smaller groups we have Private Hire Taxis available  
Pre booking is essential

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## HOLIDAY INFORMATION

The following notes are given by way of guidance to customers. They intend to show W Sim & Son's obligation to you and to assist you when booking your holiday. Sim's Travel are bonded members of the:



CONFEDERATION OF PASSENGER TRANSPORT (CPT)

and are full members of



THE QUALITY GUILD.

Where possible, please use the booking form.

1. All tours are fully protected in line with EC Directive 90/314/EC.
2. Our touring coaches are fitted with double glazing, reclining seats with seat belts, on board toilet and are air conditioned. (Some feeders and tours may be operated by non touring coaches).
3. Some entrance fees are included on tours, when indicated.
4. Smoking is not permitted on the coach at all times.
5. All tour details and prices may be subject to alteration at the company's discretion.
6. All tours are subject to a minimum number required to allow the tour to operate.
7. All tour bookings are secured with a non-returnable deposit.
8. Full balance for the holidays must be paid to Sim's Travel by the requested date on the tour information. Please note that we have had to introduce a scale of cancellation, see the table overleaf.
9. Requests for specific room (s)/cabin(s) e.g. (ground floor) must be made at the time of booking, and will be requested to the hotelier/carrier. Please note that room allocation is entirely at the discretion of the hotelier/carrier and that room sizes may vary and are not guaranteed.
10. Travel vouchers are accepted as part/full payment with all bookings.
11. Sim's Travel cannot accept any loss or expense for the late departure or arrival of ferries or any other unforeseen circumstances.
12. Coach seats are normally allocated by request at the time of booking or in date order of booking.

13. We strongly recommend that customers take out insurance to cover them in the event of illness, personal accident or death.
14. The tour/travel cancellation charges are as follows:
 

<b>Cancellation date</b>	<b>Cancellation charge</b>
More than 45 days	Deposit non refundable
45 to 31 days -	40% of holiday cost
30 to 16 days -	60% of holiday cost
15 to 8 days -	75% of holiday cost
7 to 1 day -	100% of holiday cost
15. You may transfer your booking to another person(s) or to another tour provided that they satisfy all the conditions applicable.
16. The holiday details printed in this brochure are for illustrative purposes only and details may be subject to change due to operational purposes.
17. Our full address is Hunholme Garage, Boot, Holmrook. Cumbria. CA19 1TF
18. Our email address is [tours@simstravel.co.uk](mailto:tours@simstravel.co.uk)
19. Our office number for all enquiries is 019467 23227

## GIFT VOUCHERS

Our gift vouchers can be purchased for any amount and can be redeemed against any day trip or holiday in our brochure or excursion list.

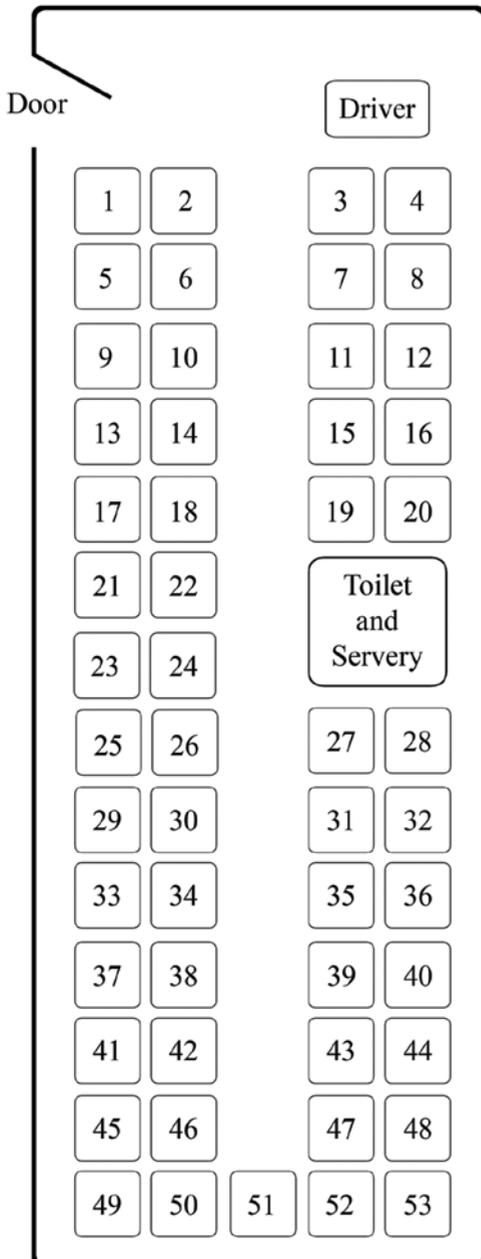
An ideal gift or a little 'thank you' for someone special. Contact our office for more information.



We accept all major credit cards:



## COACH SEATING



This seating plan is an example layout\* of the seats on the majority of our holiday coaches.

Individual seats may be requested\*\* upon booking should you have any preference, however, this is on a *request only basis*.

\* The exact layout of the coach may vary depending on which coach you will be travelling on.

\*\* Although we do our best to give our customers the seats they have requested, we cannot guarantee any passenger a specific seat due to any unforeseen changes in vehicle. Seats are also allocated on a "first come, first serve" basis.

# LUXURY COACH TRAVEL

## Tours, Excursions & Private Hire



Established for over 100 years, Sim's Travel have gained a reputation envied by most for offering clients the best possible service. Operating coaches and mini buses from 8 to 57 seats we can cater for all sizes of groups with varying needs, whether it be a day trip or a continental holiday. We have our own holiday programme as well as shorter weekend breaks & day excursions.

Sim's Travel are proud to have some of the leading travel tour companies and industry companies as its clients, as well as offering private hire contracts.

### COACHES AVAILABLE WITH:

*Environmentally friendly coaches with latest Euro VI technology  
Toilet & Washroom, Reclining Seats, Seat Belts, Tinted Double Glazing  
CD/Radio/PA, TV/DVD, Hot & Cold drinks  
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