Welcome!

Welcome one and all to our New Summer 2027 Brochure. We have included all the usual popular favourites, some with amended itineraries and there are some lovely new holiday destinations for you to peruse as well!

Whether you are looking to travel within the UK and Ireland or on one of our Continental Breaks, we are certain that there will be a holiday that is just right for you.

Great service, top class hotels and inspiring itineraries are all synonymous with what we do and you will sense this from the moment your taxi collects you from your front door and you board one of our modern coaches with their striking design and luxurious interior finish. With over 55 years of service, we believe we know what makes a great holiday: Friendly service, ease of booking, quality, comfort and relaxation – all of which we offer you in abundance!

So, wherever you are reading this, sit back, relax and enjoy browsing and enjoy choosing your next holiday with Woods Travel, and we look forward to welcoming you on board very soon.

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Call if you would like to receive a copy of our 2026/2027 Autumn, Winter, Spring brochure for tours up to April 2027.



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Caring for the environment

There is much in the news about the damage that vehicle emissions do to our environment. Did you know that a coach is the cleanest form of transport, much more so than travelling by plane? Just one of our fleet of Euro 6 coaches carrying 50 passengers is the equivalent of removing ten cars from the road and takes the space of only two. In our offices we are working toward using less resources and all our brochures are available electronically on our website. The paper we use is from responsible sources and where we have to use a wrapping on our brochures, we use a compostable material, less harmful to the environment.



Booking with Woods

- Phone or visit our office in Aldwick (or visit your local travel agency) to talk about your chosen holiday
- Provisional bookings are held without obligation for 7 days
- In order to confirm your booking, a £100 deposit per person is needed for all coach holidays, £150 per person for holidays which include a flight, and £200 for river cruises
- Payments can be made by cash, cheque, credit/debit card or bank transfer
- The final balance for your holiday is usually payable 8 weeks before the date of departure. The payment date and amount is printed on your confirmation
- Our terms and conditions are printed in the brochure and are available on our website
- You will receive your Holiday Travel Pack approximately 10 days before you travel. This will contain your luggage labels, your coach meeting time, itinerary, hotel addresses and any other information relevant to your holiday
- The only thing you need to do is pack your case and await your holiday!

Experience & Expertise

Woods have over 55 years' experience in the travel industry, and have grown into an award-winning company, known for the quality of our holidays and our dedication to customer service. Still family run, Woods are large enough to offer the benefits that you need, such as door to door service and a wide variety of destinations, but small enough to care about the holiday experience of each individual valued customer.




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Financial Security

The combination of travel services offered to you is a package within the meaning of the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018. Therefore, you will benefit from all rights applying to packages; Woods Travel will be fully responsible for the proper performance of the package as a whole. Additionally, as required by law, Woods Travel have protection in place to refund your payments and, where transport is included in the package, to ensure your repatriation in the event that they become insolvent. Woods Travel are members of the Bonded Coach Holiday Group, overseen by the Association of Bonded Travel Organisers Trust Limited. This is a government approved consumer protection scheme. This ensures that in relation to the coach package holidays described in this brochure (or website) that a Bond, which may be called upon in the unlikely event of the members insolvency, protects the clients' monies. Clients are recommended to inspect the current membership certificate at our registered office or alternatively go to www.abtot.com or telephone 0207 065 5316 to confirm current membership.

Most of the flights and flight-inclusive holidays in this brochure are financially protected by the ATOL scheme (ATOL 9503). But ATOL protection does not apply to all holiday and travel services listed in this brochure. This brochure shows you the protection that applies in the case of each holiday and travel service provided, before you make your booking. For more information about financial protection and the ATOL Certificate go to: www.caa.co.uk

Details of the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 can be found at legislation.gov.uk. Your attention is also drawn to the BCH ABTOT Trading Charter on Page 98.

ETIAS (European Travel Information & Authorisation System)

From mid-2027, all travellers from non-EU countries to the EU (except Ireland) will need to apply for an ETIAS. The cost will be €20 per person and will be valid for three years. Applications can be made online and can take up to 30 days to process. If you book a holiday to the EU with Woods, our Reservations Team will only be too pleased to advise you of the processes in place for travelling to Continental Europe and the Republic of Ireland. For further information please see: https://www.gov.uk/guidance/eu-entryexit-system

Door to Door Service

We are proud to have pioneered the concept of door to door service. This couldn't be easier. A taxi will call to pick you up from your front door and deliver you to our tour coach. Your luggage is then transferred to the coach by the driver. On arrival at your destination, while you settle into your comfortable en-suite room, your suitcase is delivered to your door. On your return, a taxi will meet the coach and transfer you and your luggage back home.

All Woods Holidays Include

- Free door to door service from within the local area (see map on back cover)
- Direct coach travel without feeders or interchanges
- No overnight land travel
- All coach travel and listed excursions
- All entrances, fees and fares as described
- Travel pack with itinerary
- Friendly experienced drivers
- Luggage handling
- 24-hour emergency contact
- Air-conditioned tour coaches with toilets
- Coach seat selection
- All non-smoking
- Refreshment facilities
- Carefully selected quality hotels
- Choice of dinner menu on UK tours
- Financial security

Gift Vouchers

As a birthday or Christmas gift, something special for Mother's or Father's Day, or just a thank you for someone special – Woods gift vouchers are the perfect choice!

