

BERRY POMEROY CASTLE

Set in beautiful woodland, Berry Pomeroy is truly romantic, but be warned, it is reputedly the most haunted castle in Devon!

These pretty ruins were once a dramatic medieval castle and superb Elizabethan mansion, former home of the Pomeroy and Seymour families.

- Wander around the ruins of what was once one of the finest houses in Devon and imagine the dramas and dark deeds of the past
- Discover the castle's blood-curdling ghost stories recounted in our audio tour

- Browse the gift shop or take afternoon tea in the café
- Venture onto a woodland walk from the car park and enjoy fine views of the ruins from below
- Make the most of the glorious surroundings and enjoy a picnic

Two of the Pomeroy brothers rode to their deaths over the edge of the castle ramparts. Some say the sound of galloping hooves can still be heard!



ADMISSION PRICES

Members, Child under 5, OVP FREE,
Adult £4.70, Concession £4.20,
Child (5-15yrs) £2.80

Group discounts available.

OPENING TIMES† (see back page note)

1 Apr-30 Jun: daily	10am-5pm
1 Jul-31 Aug: daily	10am-6pm
1-30 Sep: daily	10am-5pm
1-31 Oct: daily	10am-4pm
1 Nov-31 Mar	Closed

HOW TO FIND US

Address: Nr Totnes TQ9 6LJ
Tel: 01803 866618

Direction: 2½ miles east of Totnes
off A385. Signposted

FACILITIES

- Audio tour
- No dogs
- Parking
- Shop
- Café
- Toilets
- Family learning

Disabled access to grounds only.
Café not managed by English Heritage
(closed Mondays). Parking (no coach access).

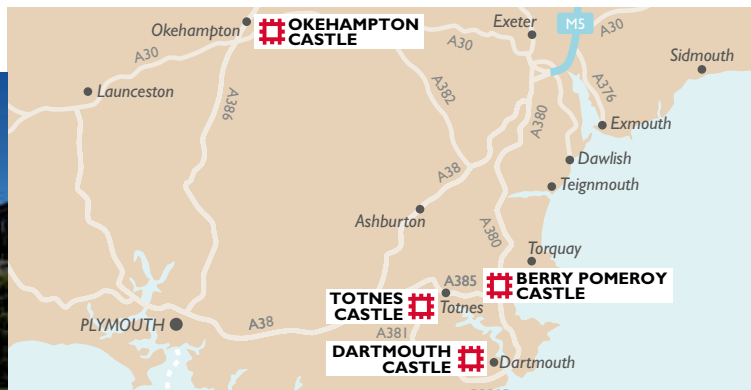


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DARTMOUTH CASTLE

For over 600 years Dartmouth Castle has stood in a superb waterfront setting guarding the narrow entrance to the Dart estuary.



Its gun tower was probably the first fortification in Britain purpose-built to mount 'ship-sinking' heavy cannon.

- Discover tales from the castle's long and colourful history
- Experience the sights and sounds of the great guns in a fully re-created Victorian gun battery
- Climb to the battlements to enjoy splendid views across the estuary, and see how it could be blocked in wartime by a heavy chain
- Complete your stay with a visit to the church and the Castle Tearoom

Why not travel to the castle by water? Take the Castle Ferry from Dartmouth quayside along the banks of the River Dart to the landing stage close to the castle.

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Members, Child under 5, OVP FREE, Adult £4.70, Concession £4.20, Child (5-15yrs) £2.80

Group discounts available.

Prices may vary at special events.

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1-30 Sep: daily	10am-5pm
1-31 Oct: daily	10am-4pm
1 Nov-31 Mar:	Sat & Sun 10am-4pm
24-26 Dec & 1 Jan	Closed

HOW TO FIND US

Address: Castle Road, Dartmouth TQ6 0JN. Tel: 01803 833588

Direction: 1 mile south east of Dartmouth off B3205 on the south west coast path

FACILITIES

- Parking
- Picnic area
- Shop
- Tearoom
- Toilets
- No dogs
- Family learning

Limited disabled access. Guide dogs only. Parking pay and display, not English Heritage (narrow approach road, no coach access). Tearoom, toilets & ferry, not English Heritage.

EVENTS AT DARTMOUTH CASTLE IN 2011

SAT 16 – MON 25 APR

A KNIGHT'S TRAIL

10am-5pm

Set off on your very own quest to be a knight of the castle – complete the tasks and a hero's honour you shall receive! On Easter Sunday and Monday you can also find out about medieval castle life.



SUN 29 & MON 30 MAY

PIRATES INVADE!

11am-5pm

Meet the crew of the pirate ship Le Grande Derrier and enjoy musketry, cutlass work and fantastical pirate tales.

EVERY MON & TUE IN AUG

STEP BACK IN TIME: DARTMOUTH CASTLE THROUGH THE AGES

11am-5pm

Join us as we step back in time to explore a different era from the castle's history each week.

For prices and full details of events, please call 0870 333 1183 or visit www.english-heritage.org.uk/events

TOTNES CASTLE

One of the best surviving examples of an early motte and bailey, Totnes Castle is the focal point for the delightful town of the same name.



ADMISSION PRICES

Members, Child under 5, OVP FREE, Adult £3.40, Concession £3.10, Child (5-15yrs) £2.00

Group discounts available.

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1 Nov-31 Mar	Closed

HOW TO FIND US

Address: Castle Street, Totnes TQ9 5NU. Tel: 01803 864406

Direction: In centre of Totnes, on Castle Street, off Station Road. Signposted

FACILITIES

- Dogs welcome
- Family learning
- Parking
- Picnic area
- Shop

Parking - pay & display, not English Heritage (narrow approach road). Coaches and buses use town facilities (not English Heritage). Access is very restricted for those with limited mobility.

OKEHAMPTON CASTLE

Once the largest castle in Devon, Okehampton is mentioned in the Domesday Book.



Okehampton is one of the country's most picturesque castle ruins standing in a stunning setting amid the foothills of Dartmoor.

- Take an audio tour and transport yourself back to a bygone age as you explore the former home of one of Devon's most powerful families

- Picnic by the river and enjoy the pretty woodland
- Join us in the spring when the ground is awash with wild flowers

Henry, Marquis of Exeter was found guilty of conspiracy and was executed by Henry VIII. Is it his ghost that allegedly still walks the walls?

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HOW TO FIND US

Address: Castle Lodge, Okehampton EX20 1JA. Tel: 01837 52844

Direction: 1 mile south west of Okehampton town centre, narrow approach road

FACILITIES

- Audio tour
- Dogs welcome
- Family learning
- Parking
- Picnic area
- Toilets
- Baby changing facilities

Access limited for those with restricted mobility. Audio tour includes a version for visually impaired visitors. Narrow approach road, no coach access.