Coniston Park Coppice Club Site
Discover the Lake District

Places to see and things to do in the local area
Visit

1. **Coniston Water & Coniston Launch**
   A unique way to enjoy beautiful Coniston Water on board 1920s launches with solar-electric power.

2. **South Lakes Safari Park**
   Hand feed giraffes, penguins, lemurs, kangaroos and watch lions, rhinos, tigers, bears and more.

3. **The Laurel and Hardy Museum**
   The world’s largest collection of Laurel and Hardy memorabilia.

4. **Lakeside and Haverthwaite Railway**
   Celebrating 100 years of motoring, with the Campbell Bluebird exhibition.

Adventure

5. **Grizedale Forest Park**
   A range of activities for all ages from mountain biking to relaxing walks, Go-Ape and sculpture trails.

6. **Outdoor Adventures**
   Joint Adventures, outdoor adventure specialists offer everything from kayaking and canoeing to gorge scrambling and waterfall climbs.
Cycle

9 Local cycling routes
Regional route 37 runs along the far side of Coniston, and there is a local route taking you towards Tover. All routes take you alongside the lake and through delightful countryside.

Walk

7 The Old Man of Coniston
Starting off above the village of Coniston with views out to Coniston Water and beyond, it climbs through old quarry workings, before reaching the summit.

8 The Lake District
England’s largest National Park includes England’s highest mountain, and deepest lakes.

Explore

10 Scafell Pike
England’s highest mountain, at 978 metres above sea level.

11 Windermere
The largest natural lake in England, the surrounding area is one of the most popular in the Lake District.

12 Kendal
Arts, events, festivals and culture, intriguing history and great shopping.
The walk through the woods and along the lakeside into Coniston is beautiful, you can also walk to Torver along the old railway line.

Steamboat rides on the Coniston Gondola and boat hire are available from Coniston Pier (1.5 miles).

Hiring a motor boat or canoe to view all around the lake is a definite must-do.

Take your bike, boots, swimsuit and maps (possibly your waterproofs) and don’t forget your spirit of adventure!

For great scenery, drive over Wrynose and Hardknott passes.

There’s access from the bottom of the site across fields to Coniston Water, a short walk brings you to the lakeside launching point for dinghy sailing, windsurfing and canoeing, plus the superb Bluebird Cafe.

Great for walking - The Old Man of Coniston is a challenging walk, we approached via the route that takes you past ‘Goats Water’ as the climb is less of a challenge.

Ulverston is lovely, with lots of individual shops to browse.