



Ilminster Club Site

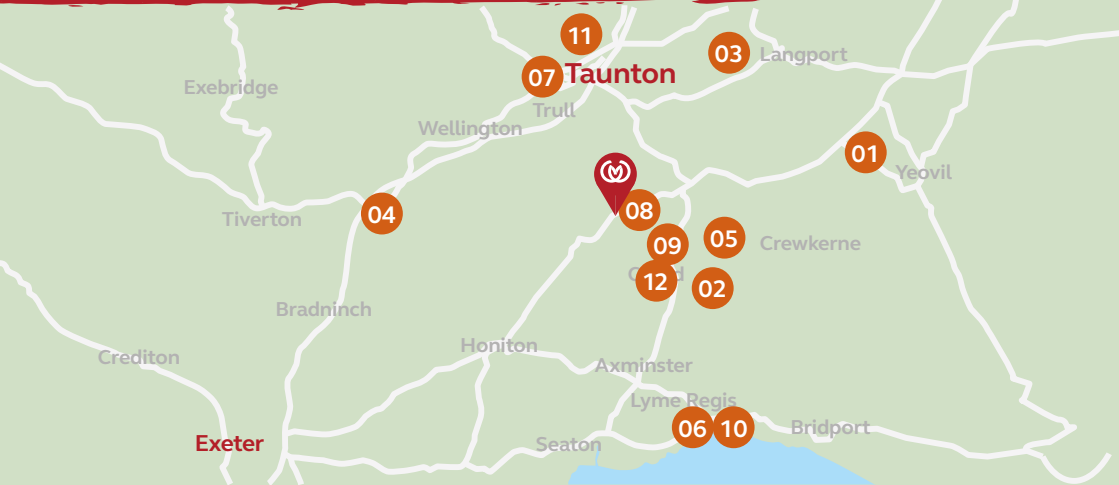
Explore Somerset



Places to see and things
to do in the local area



Make the most of your time



Visit

- 1 Montacute House**
Late 16th century house built of local golden Ham stone, with formal gardens and park.
- 2 Forde Abbey**
Monastery founded in 1140, and transformed into a house in the 1640s.
- 3 RSPB West Sedgemoor**
Enjoy some spectacular birdlife in the Somerset Levels.
- 4 Coldharbour Mill Museum**
Learn about wool processing in a Georgian spinning mill with working water wheel.
- 5 Cricket St Thomas Golf Club**
Beautiful course with views across the surrounding countryside.
- 6 Dinosaurland Fossil Museum**
Discover the fascinating world of fossils and dinosaurs.
- 7 Outdoor adventures**
Try activities from kayaking and raft building to axe throwing, bushcraft or caving.



Forde Abbey



Walk

8 Local routes

Good walking routes from and near the site are along the lanes to the surrounding villages and Blackdown Hills.

Cycle

9 National Cycle Network

The nearest route to the site is 33, Bristol to Seaton.



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10 Lyme Regis

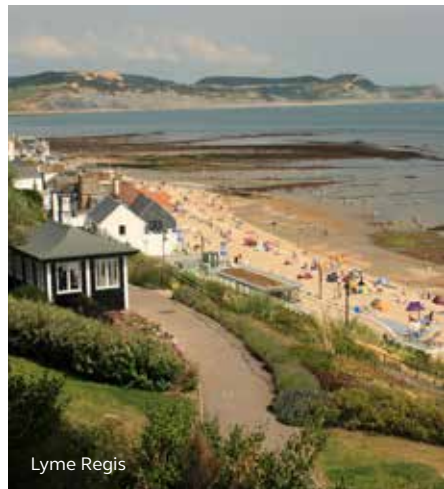
A picturesque and serene town home to a bustling harbour and an array of quirky shops.

11 Taunton

This scenic county town is home to over 1,000 years of history and rich culture.

12 Chard

Known as the birthplace of flight, this lovely town has a wealth of attractions.



Visitor's top tips



Ham Hill

Drive to Staple Hill or Ham Hill for the best views across the county.

Visit Barleymows Farm Shop for the best all day breakfast or a great Sunday Lunch.

Snowdon Park in Chard is a great place to let dogs have a run off lead.

We had a lovely walk around Chard reservoir nature reserve, it's excellent for bird watchers.

The Eagle Tavern is close by and serves delicious, homemade food.

Martock is a gorgeous village, Honiton has a great market and Exmouth is one of Devon's oldest and prettiest towns.

Ilminster is such a lovely town with lots of independent shops and eateries.

The West Somerset Railway journey is incredibly scenic.

There's an abundance of National Trust sites to visit in the area - our favourites are Knightshayes, Barrington Court, Montacute House, Lytes Cary Manor and Tintinhull Garden.

Sidmouth is a beautiful town with so much to do and see - it's a lovely day out.

Whites Fish & Chip Shop in Chard is excellent!

The Candlelight Inn is within walking distance from site and serves great food.

Close by

Local Shop

There is a local shop and Post Office in Coombe St Nicholas, 3 miles away.

Supermarkets

Londis 2.8 miles, Tesco and Sainsburys 6 miles. New Lidl in Chard 4.6 miles.

Swimming pool

The Cresta in Chard.

Cinema

In Taunton, 15 miles.

Petrol Station

Shell 5.3 miles, Texaco 6 miles, Tesco 6 miles.

Cashpoint

Shell 5.3 miles, Sainsbury's 5.8 miles.

Tourist Information

In Ilminster.

Public transport

There is a local bus service from Chard approximately 5 miles away. Also Buckland St. Mary 1.5 miles away, along the A303 Trunk Road, no pathway.

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