## Bournemouth, Beaulieu & the New Forest



Bournemouth has been attracting visitors ever since it's birth in the 19th century and is as much of a tourist attraction today as ever. Essentially Victorian in character, it is justly described as the Garden City of the South with over 2000 acres of superb parks and gardens as well as seven miles of glorious seafront and golden sands with its superb pier as its centrepiece.

## Itinerary\*

**Day 1** Departing your local departure point we travel to Bournemouth and the Ocean Beach Hotel & Spa, our base for the next 4 nights with dinner, bed and breakfast provided.

**Day 2** After breakfast today we travel to the Isle of Purbeck passing through Wareham and alongside Corfe castle as we head for Swanage. After visiting Swanage we travel through Studland and on to the Chain Ferry. Here we cross Poole harbour with views of Brownsea Island and on through the millionaire's playground of Sandbanks while en-route to Poole.

**Day 3** Today is a free day in order to explore Bournemouth with its shopping centre, gardens, pier and of course, it's wonderful seafront.

**Day 4** Our excursion today takes us into the the New Forest National Park visiting the Beaulieu estate, home to Palace House, Gardens and the National Motor Museum. (*Entrance included to all*)

After time spent here we pay a visit to Lyndhurst, home to the Verderers ' Hall, the meeting place of the ancient Verderers ' Court whose history stretches back to at least the 13<sup>th</sup> century.

**Day 5** After breakfast we return home with suitable comfort stops en-route.

\*Itineraries can be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.

## Look what's included

- Executive coach travel
- Dinner, bed & full cooked breakfast
- Tea & Coffee on arrival
- Porterage
- Tea & Coffee after dinner
- Live entertainment on 2 nights
- Free bar between 18.00-21.00
- Poole visit
- Swanage visit
- New Forest National Park
- Beaulieu Estate Entrance
- Lyndhurst Visit



