

Walks

The Prom (just outside your door!)

At the end of the east end, you have the cliffs to Beeston Bump, West Runton, Cromer and the beach at low tide. On the west promenade, you have the lifeboat station at the end, cliffs to Weybourne and a beach at low tide. About 750m from the end of the east prom to the end of the west prom and protects our lovely apartments from coastal erosion!

1 mile + best view in Norfolk

Get yourself onto the promenade. Sea in front of you, take a left along the west prom. Go past where the lifeguards base themselves, then up the slope and under the bridge. Head west and take the path in the far-right-hand corner of the boating lake area. This will take you up to the coastguard lookout. It's an amazing view and a great place for a picnic, there are benches to rest your legs and take it all in. Try and time it with the tide out! If so, head down the hill on the other side with the golf course on your left. After about a mile there is a lowered area where you can get on the beach and walk back that way!

3 miles - 2 bump challenge

Do them both and reward yourself with an ice cream at Alohas! (on the high street)

1–2 miles + 2nd best view in Norfolk

Same start as above, but head east (right) on the promenade. Midway down the east prom you will find 50 steps up. Take these and continue walking up the slope and take a left on the footpath when you get to the top of the slope. Head onwards to Beeston Bump. You can come down the other side and take a right at the bottom, across the railway track, take a right alongside the allotments and make your way back into town.

3 miles & a cuppa at West Runton

Take the Beeston bump route but continue straight down the cliff tops until you get to West Runton. The caf. there is ok for a cuppa. If time, you can walk back to the apartments on the beach.

4 miles & lunch at Rocky Bottoms

Exactly the same as the West Runton route but just go a little further.

Check before leaving that they are open and have space. It's well-known for local seafood and is owned by a fisherman who supplies the kitchen.

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5 miles – cliff & country park

One of our favourites. Take the '1 Mile Best View In Norfolk' route. Keep heading west with the sea on your right. After about a mile from the top of the lookout, you will see a track on your left that leads inland. Follow this track and after about 400m it goes over a bridge with the steam railway passing underneath. Immediately on your right as you walk over the bridge you will see a derelict barn. Continue on the path, it will lead you to the coastal road. Cross over and open the gate on the opposite side of the road. You are now walking toward Sheringham Park. Walk on the path for about a Mile until you get to a junction in the path where you can take a right or through a gate on your left. Take the gate and as you walk on you will see a large house on your left (there is an option to take a right on the path opposite the house which will take you up the main wooded area, caf., toilets etc.). Walk straight until you come out of Sheringham Park and then down the hill to the road back into Sheringham. You then walk for about a mile back into town. A great walk combining a cliff, a country park and about a mile on-road.

6 miles - lunch at the ship, Weybourne

Take the Cliff & Country Park route. Instead of turning left inland off the coastal path, walk west to Weybourne. When you get there, head into the village. The Ship is near the church. Call beforehand to ensure they are open and have space. You can get the coast hopper back if you want to reduce the walk to 3 miles. 01263 588721



Activities for Kids &

Grown ups in Sheringham

Lifeboat & Lifeboat Station

Wander down, pick up a whippy on the way and take in the history of the lifeboat at Sheringham. Located at the end of the west promenade

Crabbing

You need to time it 30mins before high tide. Crab lines can be purchased from Starlings or other shops in town. Grab some bacon fat as bait from M&A butchers. We go off the steps halfway down the east prom

Arcades

Sheringham Little Theatre

Well worth a look to see what's on in both theatre and cinema

SUP Shack

Paddle Board Hire service in Sheringham (On the seafront, next to Guac & Mole!)

Steam Railway

To Holt and a visit to Byfords of course!

The Mo Museum

Sheringham's maritime museum

Golf

We have a fabulous clifftop golf course. Usual attire and etiquette is required as it's a member's club accepting guests.



Sheringham Park

A landscaped park and woodland garden with miles of stunning coastal views. Famous for its vast collection of rhododendrons and azaleas, you can climb to the top of the towers to experience breath-taking views of this beautiful landscape, the North Norfolk coast and maybe a steam train passing through. As with all National Trust properties, there are great facilities onsite. NR26 8TL

Blakeney and Wiveton Hall

Park up at the wiveton hall in season and walk to the lovely fishing of Blakeney (about 1 mile). There is a quay where seal-spotting trips can be taken, kids can crab and the well-known Blakeney Hotel is good for afternoon tea too. Wonder back to Wiveton Hall Caf. for a cuppa and a wedge of cake or some lunch. Home of Desmond from the TV series Normal for Norfolk – check it out on iPlayer for some eccentric Norfolk charm!

Wiveton caf. 01263 740515, NR25 7TE

Felbrigg Hall

Another National Trust property, landscape park with a lake, 520 acres of woods and waymarked trails is a great place to explore nature and wildlife on this beautiful estate.

Blickling Hall

Probably our most impressive local National Trust property, Blickling Hall and the estate is great for exploring. Grab a map of way-marked walks or cycle trails and head out into the park. Keep your eyes open for lost buildings, stunning views and wildlife who call it home.

01263 738030, NR11 6NF

Holt Country Park

Holt Country Park is just a short drive from Holt, on the way to Edgefield. Go deep into the pretty woodland, meandering along one of the coloured trails which take you on varying lengths of walks.

01263 513811, NR25 6ES

Cley Marshes

Park up at the visitor centre and pop in for loads of fun and useful nature guides. Numerous walks on the marshes (many laid to boardwalks) are perfect for spotting some of Norfolk's famous avian wildlife including wildfowl and waders, bittern, marsh harrier and bearded tit.

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Trips Out

Holt

Holt is full of many independent shops, and in our opinion is Norfolk's best market town. We own Byfords, a cafe, store and Posh B&B in the centre of Holt (Shirehall Plain) and strongly recommend a visit. 01263 711400 Open all day every day, just wander in.

Bakers & Larners is an independent department store on the high street with an amazing food hall – well worth a visit. Art galleries, antique shops and clothes shops line the Holt streets.

Also, take a look into Make Holt. A lifestyle store, supporting over 50 independent makers from Norfolk and nearby.

Cromer

A good seaside town to explore and worth a look for another view of the coast. Try fish & chips and ice cream at Noi. Cromer has the nearest cinema to us, in addition, a great walk along the promenade to take in the pier. Rocket House Cafe above the RNLI museum (also worth a visit) has great quality food, views and is dog friendly. If you have a head for heights, go to the top of the spier in the church in the centre of town. Jump on the train from Sheringham (the station is beside Tesco) if you fancy leaving the car behind.

North Norfolk Railway

From the smart Victorian seaside resort of Sheringham to the Georgian town of Holt, the North Norfolk Railway runs through the county's most stunning coastal scenery. The North Norfolk Railway allows a fun day out without a car.

Heydon

Heydon Tea Rooms
A great place to visit and superb
for afternoon tea - book 24 hours in
advance. 01263 587211

The Earle Arms

We love this place. Our kids hate it because there is no Wi-Fi! Try the fresh seafood, hand-cut steaks or scrumptious game stews. 01263 587376

Blakeney & Cley

Drive along the coast road to Cley and park at Picnic Fayre, a great local deli. Take a walk down the small high street and visit Cley Smokehouse for some artisan smoked seafood. Back in the car, drive into Blakeney & park up. Explore this affluent little fishing port, walk out towards the sea on the coastal path and enjoy that picnic. Blakeney Hotel is great for Afternoon Tea. The Kings Arms is good traditional pub.



Norwich

Our county capital and a beautiful, historic city.

Park at the rear of The Assembly House;

0 1603 626402, NR2 1RQ

- it's a smaller car park that few people know about and you will find yourself right in the middle of the city. Allow a full day here as there's

loads to explore, here's a few highlights to get you started:

• Chantry Place

Loads of big-name shops and restaurants including Hobbs, Apple, Wagamama and more. As shopping centre's go, it's a good one - near The Assembly House.

• Benedict's

Enjoy a truly special meal at this Norwich fave. Book in advance for delicious, modern British cuisine.

• Afternoon tea at The Assembly House This quintessentially British pastime has been perfected at The Assembly House served daily from 12pm-3pm. Make sure you book in advance, your Norfolk Passport will also save you 10%!

12-5pm

• Norwich Castle

The iconic castle was built in 1121 and for summer months has lovely grounds to walk around and picnic in. The museum inside contains many treasures and exhibitions which change regularly. Top tip: go one hour before closing for £2 entry!

Wells, Holkham Hall & Beach

Wells & Beach

A very busy (and active) fishing town. This unique location rubs shoulders with the neighbouring Holkham estate, services the new offshore wind farm, has the most amazing beach and is traditionally laid out around a quay. The town centre and quay have everything you would expect from a seaside town. There are two ways to park:

- Park in town, eat fish & chips or the neighbouring Wells Deli on the quay, spend a pound on the 2p slots in the arcade and then take the mile walk down to the beach, do the beach and return, collecting a well-deserved 99 whippy at the beach caf.
- Park at the beach, next to the beach caf., do
 the walk first and then have a picnic lunch
 or get something from the beach caf. as it's
 pretty good for a takeaway sandwich/soup.

Holkham Hall & Beach

Holkham Hall offers lots to do. Various museums, family activities, walks around the estate, quality shops, caf.'s and a good pub called The Victoria Inn. Throughout the year there are many events, gigs and parties, see what's going on online.

The parking and entrance to the beach are opposite The Victoria Inn, down a lane called Lady Anne's Drive. Park up, pay (no free parking here) and head straight out to the beach. When you get there (about a mile) the view and expanse of space are incredible.



Food & Drink

Fish & Chips

There are plenty of options but we tend to go between:

Seafare - at the top of town, near the church

on the high street

Other Takeaways

The Bank - Asian inspired food 01263 824500

The Lotus - Chinese food 01263 822764 Zahars - Indian food 01263 821993 Fat Teds - Street food 07724 576419 Stubbys- Pizza 01263 826251 Guac & Mole - Tex-Mex style food (outside seating available, right on the sea front)

Cuppa & Cake

Whelk Coopers - just off the seafront (2minute walk from Beachside The Sitting Room - at the top of the town SALT - on the seafront

Ice Cream

Also plenty of options, the best whippy is at The Tidal Café on the seafront The Trawler - opposite the town clock For scoop ice cream, we'd recommend Aloha, on the high street

Nice Meals in Town

No 10 Restaurant in Sheringham is small but serves great local food. 01263 824400 Stubbys Pizza have a great indoor seating area to enjoy your pizzas 01263 826251

Pub Food & Casual Meals

Slightly more restricted in Sheringham. The Two Lifeboats at the end of the high street closest to the sea are good for a basic pub meal.