

ENGLAND

A Great British Adventure | Cornwall & Devon



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BOUTIQUE TRAVEL FOR WOMEN



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Small Group Women's Walking Adventure | 06–18 June 2027

Discover the dramatic beauty of England's southwest on this luxury women's small group journey through Bristol, Devon and Cornwall — a thoughtfully curated experience combining coastal walking, boutique stays, exceptional food and wine, and meaningful local encounters.

Designed for women who love stylish, immersive travel, this elegant adventure captures the very best of the South West Coast Path, charming seaside villages, refined country escapes and Britain's spectacular coastal scenery.

Beginning in the vibrant city of Bristol, the journey weaves through some of the most beautiful regions in England, including Clovelly, St Ives, Carbis Bay, Dartmoor and Cornwall's breathtaking Atlantic coastline.

Along the way, enjoy guided coastal walks, scenic hiking experiences, elegant garden visits, vineyard lunches, coastal foraging and time to explore artistic harbour towns and hidden countryside gems at a relaxed and enjoyable pace.

In true Travelling Divas style, this journey balances gentle adventure with indulgence and connection. Walk sections of the iconic South West Coast Path, discover the stories of remarkable women on a private Bristol walking tour, sip locally crafted gin in St Ives and experience the extraordinary beauty of St Michael's Mount and the Minack Theatre, dramatically perched above the Atlantic Ocean.

Beautiful boutique accommodation is carefully selected throughout the journey, from a historic harbourside inn in the fishing village of Clovelly to the coastal elegance of Carbis Bay and the refined country house charm of Hotel Endsleigh on the edge of Dartmoor National Park. Exceptional local food and wine are woven throughout the experience, alongside Champagne Afternoon Tea, artisan produce, relaxed seaside moments and memorable shared dining experiences.

More than simply a walking holiday in England, this is a sophisticated women's travel experience designed for those seeking beautiful landscapes, meaningful conversation, stylish stays and the freedom to explore at a slower, more soulful pace.

With luxurious accommodation, guided walks, immersive cultural experiences and unforgettable Diva Moments along the way, this journey reveals one of Britain's most captivating regions in a way that feels elegant, uplifting and deeply memorable.

Getting there

Bristol has its own international airport which can be reached from many European cities with airlines such as EasyJet, Ryan Air and more. If travelling from London, the easiest and quickest route is by train from Paddington, which connects to the underground.



Price Includes

Fully escorted from Bristol by your Travelling Divas tour leader (and certified hiking guide)

Boutique Accommodation

- 2 nights' at Hort's Townhouse, Bristol
- 2 nights' at Red Lion, Clovelly
- 2 nights' at St Enodoc Hotel, Rock
- 3 nights' at Boskerris Hotel, Carbis Bay
- 3 nights' at Hotel Endsleigh, Dartmoor

Included Food & Drinks

- Breakfast daily
- 9 included lunches showcasing fresh regional flavours
- Traditional Cornish Cream Tea experience
- Elegant Champagne Afternoon Tea
- Welcome drink on arrival, equivalent to a cocktail or glass of champagne
- 9 included two-course dinners
- 2 special three-course dinners with wine included (Welcome Dinner and Farewell Dinner)
- Celebratory post-hike drink at a traditional pub
- Additional snacks and bottled water while exploring

All transportation throughout in two private vehicles

24/7 in-country support

Porterage at hotels on arrival and departure

Gratuities for hotel and restaurant staff

Included Experiences

- Services of two qualified and experienced guides throughout the journey
- Private guided walking tour of Bristol
- Entry to Hestercombe House & Gardens
- Guided coastal and countryside walks throughout journey
- Visit to the historic village of Clovelly
- Visit to Port Isaac
- Guided South West Coast Path hike throughout the tour
- Guided tour of Prideaux Place
- Private vineyard tour & wine tasting with local sommelier
- Private coastal foraging with a local female expert
- Visit to Marconi Wireless Station
- Visit to St Michael's Mount
- Private gin-making workshop
- Tour of a historic Cornish mine
- Visit to Carn Euny Ancient Village
- Private guided tour of The Lost Gardens of Heligan
- Private falconry experience
- Champagne Afternoon Tea at Hotel Endsleigh
- Guided Dartmoor hiking experience
- Visit to a traditional moorland pub
- Private guided tour of Buckland Abbey

NOT INCLUDED: Airfares unless stated in the itinerary; items of a personal nature; phone calls; passport and visas (if applicable); entry fees into countries charged at the airport; laundry or tips. Personal transport; excess baggage; security and additional government taxes not covered already; travel insurance. Meals not specifically mentioned in the itinerary; Gratuities for the main guides; beverages unless specifically described. Optional excursions or activities that may be offered but are not included in the tour price.



Itinerary

From Bristol, England to Exeter, England

06–18 June 2027

Twin share \$16,995 per person

Single \$20,995 per person

Please see full booking terms and conditions at www.travellingdivas.com/terms-and-conditions

Day 1 – Sunday 06 : Welcome to England's Spectacular Southwest

Arrive into the vibrant and historic city of Bristol, where maritime history, independent boutiques, elegant Georgian architecture and a fascinating women's history combine beautifully.

Make your way to your hotel, Hort's Townhouse, your home for the next two nights.

This afternoon, meet your guides at your accommodation in Bristol. After settling in, you'll join your fellow travellers for the first time. Together, enjoy getting acquainted over a relaxed dinner at your hotel before your adventure begins in earnest tomorrow.

Stay: Hort's Townhouse, Bristol

Meals: Dinner

Day 2 – Monday 07: The Trailblazing Women of Bristol

Accompanied by a local expert guide, set out on a walking tour dedicated to the women who shaped this maritime city. Bristol's streets hold the echoes of

suffragettes, social reformers and visionary artists. From the legacy of Elizabeth Blackwell, the first woman on the Medical Register, to the fierce activism that fuelled the local suffrage movement, your guide will bring these often-overlooked stories to life.

The tour concludes on elegant Whiteladies Road – a name with its own storied past. Here, there are many wonderful options for lunch, with the afternoon yours to enjoy at a slower pace. The surrounding Clifton area offers a curated collection of independent boutiques, artisan bookshops and charming cafés, perfect for an afternoon wander.

This evening, we reunite for a special welcome dinner – a chance to toast to the journey ahead.

Stay: Hort's Townhouse, Bristol

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Walk Details: Distance 3 km / 2 miles | Elevation: 91m / 300ft | Time: 2.5 hours

Day 3 – Tuesday 08: Grand Gardens & The Wild Beauty of Devon

This morning, meet your guides and begin your journey south. Along the way, stop at the historic Hestercombe House, a true masterclass in landscape design where three centuries of garden history unfold across magnificent grounds.

Pause here to explore the gardens and enjoy lunch before continuing towards the dramatic North Devon coastline. Here, the landscape transforms into wild, windswept beauty – home to the famous South West Coast Path. You'll have the opportunity to stretch your



legs on a guided coastal walk before arriving at your luxury accommodation in the picturesque village of Clovelly, with time to relax before dinner.

Stay: Red Lion, Clovelly

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Walk Details: Distance 6 km / 3.7 miles | Elevation: 300m / 985ft | Time: 1.5 – 2 hours

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Day 4 – Wednesday 09: Coastal Villages, Wild Moorlands & Optional Surfing

This morning, the choice is yours to connect with the raw beauty of the North Devon coast. Opt for an exhilarating surf lesson with an expert local instructor, immersing

yourself in the Atlantic swell whether you are catching your first wave or refining your technique.

For those who prefer a gentler pace, breathe in the crisp sea air on a tranquil beach stroll or simply enjoy a slow morning relaxing at the hotel.

In the afternoon, we explore the timeless village of Clovelly and its enchanting surroundings. Step back in time as you wander its famously steep cobbled lanes, discovering tucked-away artisan shops, flourishing coastal gardens and dramatic clifftop paths. It is an afternoon steeped in heritage and natural beauty before returning to the comfort of our hotel.

Stay: Red Lion, Clovelly

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 5 – Thursday 10: Port Isaac & the South West Coast Path

This morning, delve into the timeless charm of Port Isaac, one of Cornwall's most iconic coastal gems. Famous as the backdrop for Doc Martin, this working fishing village is a labyrinth of whitewashed cottages and winding alleys leading down to a historic stone harbour. After time to explore the village's narrow "drangs" and watch the local catch being brought ashore, we leave the harbour behind and join the South West Coast Path.

Today's spectacular hike leads south toward the Camel Estuary, revealing sweeping cliff-top vistas where the turquoise Atlantic crashes against rugged slate headlands. We conclude our walk at the vibrant surfing beach of Polzeath, where you can enjoy the sea breeze and a well-earned rest. From here, a short transfer brings us



into Rock, a peaceful haven nestled along the water's edge. After settling into the elegant St Enodoc Hotel, the evening is yours to soak in the tranquil estuary views and relaxed coastal atmosphere before dinner.

Stay: St Enodoc Hotel, Rock

Meals: Breakfast, Picnic Lunch, Dinner

Walk Details: Port Isaac to Polzeath | 15 km / 9 miles |

Elevation: 550m / 1804ft | Approx. 4.5 – 5 hours.

Please note this hike is graded Challenging – Strenuous.

Day 6 – Friday 11: Prideaux Place & Cornwall's Viticulture Scene

This morning, step aboard the local ferry from Rock for a scenic crossing over the Camel Estuary. Arriving in Padstow, we'll spend time exploring its vibrant harbour and winding streets before making our way to Prideaux Place, an exquisite Elizabethan manor that has overlooked the estuary for over 400 years.

Enjoy a guided tour through its elegant interiors and beautiful grounds before continuing the day along the Camel Trail. This gentle waterside walk offers peaceful estuary views and abundant birdlife as we make our way toward a local vineyard. Upon arrival, we are joined by an expert sommelier for an immersive journey into Cornish viticulture. Learn how the coastal microclimate shapes each vintage before enjoying an exclusive tasting overlooking the vines.

For those with energy to spare, there is the option to continue to a quaint local tea room for a traditional cream tea before returning for a classic fish and chip supper.

Stay: St Enodoc Hotel, Rock

Meals: Breakfast, Picnic Lunch, Cream Tea, Dinner

Walk: 10 km / 6 miles | Approx. 2 – 2.5 hours

Day 7 – Saturday 12: Coastal Foraging & The Lizard Peninsula

Leaving Rock behind, we journey south for a bespoke coastal foraging workshop led by a local female expert who has spent years mastering the shoreline's seasonal secrets. Under her guidance, you'll learn to identify edible seaweeds and hardy coastal herbs while discovering how these wild ingredients have shaped Cornish culinary traditions for centuries.

We then continue to a traditional fishing village where whitewashed cottages cluster around a sheltered cove and colourful fishing boats rest upon the shingle.

After a fresh local lunch by the sea, we visit the historic clifftop hut where Guglielmo Marconi made history in 1901 with the world's first transatlantic radio signal.

From here, we stroll the dramatic coastal paths surrounding Lizard Point, the southernmost tip of mainland Britain. Pause at beautiful Kynance Cove to admire its turquoise waters and famous serpentine rock formations before continuing onward to Carbis Bay.

Stay: Boskerris Hotel, Carbis Bay

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 8 – Sunday 13: St Michael's Mount & A Taste of Cornwall

We begin the day beside the sea, where the iconic granite crag of St Michael's Mount rises dramatically from the bay. Depending on the tide, we'll either walk the ancient



cobbled causeway or travel by boat to this storied island. Wander through the terraced subtropical gardens clinging to the cliffs and explore the medieval castle, where centuries of myths and legends echo through the stone halls. Returning to St Ives this afternoon, we step into a gin-making workshop for a hands-on masterclass. Under expert guidance, discover the art of balancing botanicals – from traditional juniper to coastal gorse – as you create your own bespoke spirit blend. This evening is yours to spend at leisure. You may choose to dine overlooking the sands of Carbis Bay or venture into St Ives to explore its vibrant harbour restaurants and hidden foodie laneways.

Stay: Boskerris Hotel, Carbis Bay

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 9 – Monday 14: Mines, Myths & The Minack Theatre

Journey this morning to the rugged Penwith Peninsula to uncover Cornwall's industrial soul. Amidst salt-sprayed engine houses perched dramatically above the Atlantic, hear the stories of the miners who carved a living from deep tin and copper lodes beneath the seabed.

Following this, we step further back in time at Carn Euny, an ancient Iron Age village where mysterious stone fogous and prehistoric dwellings still whisper of centuries past.

After a relaxed lunch, we visit the breathtaking Minack Theatre, an open-air masterpiece carved by hand into the granite cliffs above Porthcurno Beach. During a guided tour, discover how visionary Rowena Cade transformed this dramatic landscape into one of the world's most extraordinary theatres. With turquoise waves crashing

below, it is the perfect place to reflect on Cornwall's layered history before returning to St Ives for the evening.

Stay: Boskerris Hotel, Carbis Bay

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 10 – Tuesday 15: The Lost Gardens of Heligan

After breakfast, it's time to explore!

The morning is yours to enjoy at leisure in the enchanting seaside town of St Ives. Wander the maze of narrow cobbled streets lined with independent boutiques or immerse yourself in the town's celebrated art scene with a visit to Tate St Ives or the Barbara Hepworth Museum and Sculpture Garden.

Around midday, we depart the coast and journey inland toward St Austell, stopping for lunch en route.

In the afternoon, we arrive at The Lost Gardens of Heligan for a guided tour. Once hidden beneath brambles for decades after the First World War, this extraordinary 200-acre estate is now one of Europe's most romantic restored gardens.

Explore the Victorian Productive Gardens and the lush subtropical "Jungle" as your guide brings the estate's remarkable story back to life.

Later, we continue into the atmospheric landscapes of Dartmoor, arriving at our luxurious country retreat where we settle in for the next three nights.

Stay: Hotel Endsleigh, Dartmoor

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 11 – Wednesday 16: The Art of Country Living

After the travels of previous days, today is dedicated to the art of slowing down. We begin with a private falconry experience on the rolling lawns of the estate. Under the guidance of an expert falconer, enjoy the rare opportunity to handle and fly magnificent birds of prey. The remainder of the morning is yours to wander the grounds at leisure. Designed by famed landscape architect Humphry Repton, the estate reveals hidden grottos, a picturesque shell house and moss-covered pathways winding through ancient arboretums. In the afternoon, we gather for a traditional Afternoon Tea. Expect delicate finger sandwiches, warm scones with clotted cream and preserves, handcrafted pastries and a glass of champagne. The remainder of the day is yours to retreat to the library with a book, stroll the gardens or simply soak in the tranquillity of the valley before dinner together this evening.

Stay: Hotel Endsleigh, Dartmoor

Meals: Breakfast, Afternoon Tea, Dinner

Day 12 – Thursday 17: The High Moors and a Dartmoor Farewell

Today we immerse ourselves in the untamed beauty of Dartmoor National Park. After breakfast, we set out with our guides for a hike tailored to the group's pace, traversing ancient clitter slopes and climbing toward the majestic granite tors that define the moorland skyline. At a scenic viewpoint, we pause for a picnic lunch while taking in sweeping views across purple heather, deep valleys and rugged moorland landscapes. Following our descent, we

celebrate our adventure with a stop at a historic moorland pub. Steeped in local folklore, it is the perfect setting for a celebratory drink and a chance to toast to the trip's adventures together. We return to the hotel to freshen up before gathering for our final Farewell Dinner – a beautiful celebration of the journey shared, complete with seasonal local flavours and one final sunset over the Devon countryside.

Stay: Hotel Endsleigh, Dartmoor

Meals: Breakfast, Picnic Lunch, Dinner

Walk Details: Multiple hike options available depending on group energy levels and ability.

Day 13 – Friday 18: Farewell England

After a final breakfast together, we continue our journey toward Exeter. En route, we stop at Buckland Abbey, a magnificent 700-year-old estate that transitioned from a peaceful Cistercian monastery into the grand country home of legendary seafarer Sir Francis Drake.

Enjoy a private guided tour through the historic chambers and Great Barn – one of the largest and most impressive in England – before hearing the fascinating stories surrounding Drake's famous drum.

Time permitting, wander through the tranquil cider orchards and wild gardens before continuing onward to Exeter St Davids Station in time for your onward rail journey. Depart with windswept memories, wonderful new friendships and a deeper connection to England's wild and beautiful southwest.

Meals: Breakfast



Diva Moments...

Discovering the hidden stories of Bristol's trailblazing women on a privately guided walking tour through elegant Georgian streets and historic harbourside laneways

Wandering through the magnificent gardens of Hestercombe House before continuing toward the wild beauty of the Devon coastline

Staying within the timeless fishing village of Clovelly, where cobbled lanes tumble toward the sea and life still moves to the rhythm of the tides

Watching the Atlantic crash against dramatic cliffs while walking sections of the spectacular South West Coast Path

Exploring the postcard perfect harbour village of Port Isaac, famous for its whitewashed cottages and winding "drangs"

Crossing the peaceful Camel Estuary by local ferry before a day of elegant manor houses, vineyard tastings and coastal walks

Enjoying a private vineyard experience with a local sommelier, complete with Cornish wines and sweeping countryside views

Learning the secrets of coastal foraging with a local female expert along Cornwall's rugged shoreline

Standing at Lizard Point, the southernmost tip of mainland Britain, with sweeping ocean views stretching endlessly into the horizon

Wandering across the ancient causeway to the magical St Michael's Mount rising dramatically from the sea

Crafting your own bespoke gin blend during a private gin making workshop in beautiful St Ives

Exploring the artistic charm of St Ives with its boutique galleries, hidden laneways and sparkling harbour views

Standing atop the breathtaking granite cliffs of the Minack Theatre as waves crash far below the open air stage

Discovering the enchanting Lost Gardens of Heligan, one of Europe's most romantic restored estates

Slowing down amongst the refined country house elegance of Hotel Endsleigh on the edge of Dartmoor

Experiencing a private falconry encounter on the rolling lawns of a historic English estate

Indulging in a traditional Champagne Afternoon Tea surrounded by magnificent gardens and rolling countryside

Hiking across the wild beauty of Dartmoor before celebrating with a drink in a historic moorland pub

Gathering together over beautiful local food, exceptional wine and unforgettable conversations throughout the journey

Returning home with windswept memories, wonderful new friendships and a deep connection to England's wild and soulful southwest



Accommodation

Every hotel featured within our journeys is thoughtfully selected to reflect the spirit of the destination and the style of experience we are creating. From elegant heritage properties and boutique retreats to beautifully positioned luxury stays, each accommodation plays a role in the story of the journey itself. As is often the case with distinctive and character-filled properties around the world, room sizes and layouts may vary from hotel to hotel. We encourage guests to embrace each stay as part of the experience — chosen not simply for uniformity, but for atmosphere, authenticity, comfort and sense of place.

Bristol | Horts Townhouse

Tucked away in the heart of vibrant Bristol, Hort's Townhouse blends historic charm with boutique elegance. Housed within a beautifully restored 18th-century building, this stylish townhouse offers an intimate and welcoming atmosphere just moments from the city's bustling harbourside, galleries and historic streets. With its warm interiors, elegant touches and renowned gastropub downstairs, it provides the perfect introduction to your Great British Adventure.





Clovelly | Red Lion Hotel

Perched dramatically within the storybook fishing village of Clovelly, the Red Lion Hotel is one of Devon's most unique coastal stays. Overlooking the historic harbour and Bristol Channel beyond, this charming waterside inn captures the timeless spirit of the English coast. Expect cosy rooms, sea air drifting through the windows and evenings spent listening to the gentle sounds of the harbour below. With Clovelly's cobbled lanes and whitewashed cottages right outside your door, this stay feels wonderfully removed from modern life.

Rock | St Enodoc Hotel

Overlooking the peaceful Camel Estuary, the St Enodoc Hotel offers relaxed coastal luxury in one of Cornwall's most exclusive seaside enclaves. Stylish yet understated, this boutique retreat combines contemporary comfort with spectacular water views and exceptional dining. Located in the chic village of Rock, known for its sailing culture and elegant coastal atmosphere, it is the ideal base for exploring nearby Padstow, Port Isaac and Cornwall's dramatic northern coastline.





Carbis Bay | Boskerris Hotel

Set above the turquoise waters of Carbis Bay, Boskerris Hotel is an elegant coastal hideaway designed for complete relaxation. This beautifully styled boutique hotel combines Mediterranean-inspired interiors with sweeping sea views, creating a calm and sophisticated retreat just moments from St Ives.

Sun-drenched terraces, luxurious rooms and a relaxed adults-only atmosphere make this one of Cornwall's most beloved boutique stays – the perfect place to unwind after days spent exploring the coast.

Dartmoor | Hotel Endsleigh

Hidden within a secluded valley on the edge of Dartmoor National Park, Hotel Endsleigh is one of England's most enchanting country house hotels. Once the private home of the Duchess of Bedford, the estate is surrounded by magnificent gardens designed by famed landscape architect Humphry Repton.

Inside, grand yet intimate interiors, roaring fireplaces and beautifully appointed rooms create an atmosphere of refined country elegance. It is the perfect finale to your journey – a place to slow down, exhale and embrace the timeless romance of the English countryside.





Testimonials

The first leg of the tour was everything and more than I expected. The literature festival was so vibrant and the sessions I chose were mostly positive. I loved the variety. One of the advantages of staying at Clark's was the convenience. The variety of experiences was excellent. Long interesting days followed by magnificent dinners in magnificent locations. Truly magical experiences, especially the Ball as the finale of the festival. Donna has been her usual exceptional leader, always giving us updates, funny stories, background knowledge where we may be heading etc etc. She's a very special person and manages to divide her time equally among all guests. A wonderful trip, Andrea, and so pleased I listened to all those people who encouraged me to go. Travelling Divas has given me the joy of travel and part of that joy is travelling with likeminded women and doing it in style.

Susie, India 2026

I have enjoyed each and every one of your trips I have taken.

The local ones (Hiddenvale and Hobart) and more exotic locations (India x 3, magical Morocco and divine South Africa) have all delivered on expectations and all show your stamp of picking the eyes out of the most delightful locations to rest our heads, and also extraordinarily well critiqued sites, restaurants and artisan workshops to visit.

I am really looking forward to Sicily in September. Best wishes and many thanks for the joyful travels I have immensely enjoyed.

Lisa, 2025

Andrea makes dreams come true ! With wonderful surprises along the way, Portugal was definitely exquisite, guided by our Zoe ever so helpful on many occasions ensuring my dream came true. I've had the most wonderful time, meeting and sharing the trip with amazing Divas.

Linda, 2025

This was my second trip with Travelling Divas and I cannot recommend them enough. They have been seamless, the accommodation is always exceptional as is the food & wine throughout the journey.

However it is the company and the laughs that has stayed with me, not only on this trip but on my previous trip to Estonia & Finland. It was the tonic that was needed after our long travel hiatus, thank you so much for what was truly a Journey of a Lifetime (the Northern Lights twice was an added and unexpected bonus... thanks for organising that for us!)

Yvonne, Diva Iconic

The trip was fabulous, made even better by the group itself. Terrific bunch of women to travel with. We did some really unique and special things which have created amazing memories. Would definitely travel with the Divas again.

Kathy, India 2026



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