

6. Danby Moors Centre, Blakey Ridge and Rosedale on Sundays and Bank Holidays

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Guisborough where you change onto the M3 from the Market Place at 0914 to Danby Lodge National Park Centre. Arrive 9.40, for a stroll around the grounds (the centre opens at 1000) and a coffee before catching 1045 M6 to Rosedale Abbey (arrive 1115).

Alternatively, stay on the M3 and get off at Ralph Cross enabling you to do a longer walk over to The Lion Inn, Botton/Danby or via the old railway line into Rosedale. *These walks are on exposed moors; be properly prepared with water, waterproofs, map/downloaded directions, and sturdy footwear. (See our website for Walk & Ride ideas.)*

In Rosedale Abbey there are two tearooms and two pubs, and the Glassworks and Studio.

You can then catch the M6 from Rosedale Abbey to Pickering at 1335, 1505 or 1645 (arriving 1359, 1529 or 1709) where there are attractions including the Castle and heritage railway, before catching the 1715 M3 to Guisborough (arrive 1841). Change on to the M4 at 1844 back to Saltburn.

7. Grand Tour of the Moors on Sundays/Bank Hols

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Guisborough and travel down the scenic Bilsdale route to Helmsley arriving at 1027.

You have an hour for coffee, shopping or sightseeing before catching the 128 which leaves Helmsley at 1130. Get off in Kirkbymoorside at 1150 and change on to the 1200 M3 to Danby Moors Centre (arrive 1240).

The journey takes you via Hutton le Hole, the central moorlands, passing the Blakey Lion Inn and Ralph Cross, before travelling down Castleton Rigg to the Esk Valley and Danby.

Free admission to the Moors Centre with its exhibition, art gallery, tea rooms, toilets, shop, picnic sites, play areas and walks and trails.

Leave Danby at 1815 on M3 to Guisborough, arriving 1841 where you change on to the 1844 M4 back to Saltburn, where you arrive at 1919.

Walk & Ride Lots of great ideas for short walks and

longer ones on our website including:

- ⇒ Great Ayton to Stokesley (3 miles; 1.25 hours)
- ⇒ Blakey Lion Inn to Hutton le Hole (8.5 miles; 4 hrs)
- ⇒ Rievaulx to Helmsley (3 miles; 1.5 hours)

Plan your walk with care. Take appropriate food, drink, clothing, a timetable and a good map. www.moorsbus.org

8. Byland, Coxwold and the Howardian Hills on Sundays and Bank Holidays.

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Stokesley High Street where you change on to the M5 at 9.39. Travel via Northallerton, Thirsk and Coxwold to Byland Abbey (arrive 1103).

Have coffee in the Inn and follow the waymarks over to Coxwold, or take longer walks towards Husthwaite or Oldstead. There's a pleasant short walk starting near the Inn, via Cams Head into Coxwold where you get a view of the White Horse - just follow the signposts and take an OS Explorer 299 map. You arrive in Coxwold just before Shandy Hall (worth a visit) and you will find St Michael's church with its unusual octagonal tower interesting. There is also a pub and tearoom. Half a mile to the SE is Newburgh Priory (only open on specific dates through the year).

If you'd rather catch the bus to Coxwold, it leaves Byland at 1450 getting to Coxwold at 1453.

You then catch the M5 bus on to Helmsley at 1600 from Coxwold Garage arriving at 1622. Leave Helmsley on the M4 at 1727, getting back to Saltburn at 1919.

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Fares can never meet the full cost of a rural service and we get no financial support from North Yorkshire Council or the National Park Authority. So we rely on small donations from parish and town councils, from other organisations, and from donations from passengers and well-wishers.

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DAYS OUT

FROM SALTBURN

with Moorsbus

Sundays & Bank Holidays

from 2nd July to 28th August 2023 inc.

Moorsbus is a network of friendly, wheelchair accessible, public bus services to and through the North York Moors designed and operated by a not-for-profit Community Interest Company.

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All-day Moors Rover tickets are £9.80 (£2.50 child; £15 family). Single fares start at £1.

Maximum fare for a single journey £2 (where the service number changes, or you change bus, a new fare has to be paid).

English National Concessionary Passes accepted. Contactless payment usually available.

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If you need more copies of this leaflet, download and print them from www.moorsbus.org or to offer or get more help, email friendsofmoorsbus@outlook.com or ring us on 01751 477216.

You can also try northyorkmoors.org (01439 772700).

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Here are a few ideas for Days Out from Saltburn

All these days out journeys can be enjoyed **every Sunday from 2nd July to 27th August, plus Bank Holiday Monday 28th August.**

On each day, catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square towards Marske, Redcar and Guisborough, arriving in Guisborough at 0911.

The return trip gets back to Saltburn at 1919.

Moorsbuses use normal bus stops, so if you want to catch the bus anywhere between Saltburn and Redcar, just wait at a bus stop and give the driver a clear signal you'd like to get on board. Your M4 Moorsbus will be a blue Arriva bus, with a bright green Moorsbus triangle in the front window. Enjoy journey!

Moorsbus also operates from Redcar and Guisborough on Saturdays from 1st July to 26th August. Check our website and timetables for details. Arriva's X4 also issues and accepts Moors Rover tickets between Saltburn and Redcar on all Moorsbus operational days.

Each **single** journey costs £2, but where the route number changes, or you need to get another bus, a further £2 single fare is payable. Sometimes a Moors Rover ticket will be cheaper. ENCTS passes are accepted for free travel.

1. A simple trip to 'The best View in England' and Helmsley - Sundays and Bank Holidays

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square direct to Sutton Bank (arriving at 1045).

The journey takes you via Guisborough, Great Ayton, Stokesley, and on through Bilsdale to Rievaulx Abbey and Helmsley.

If you want to stay all day at Sutton Bank, you simply get the M4 all the way back to Saltburn, leaving Sutton Bank at 1709 (arrive Saltburn 1919). Otherwise catch the M4 to Helmsley at 1409 (arrive Helmsley 1422).

Spend 3 hours in lovely Helmsley with its castle, walled garden, Birds of Prey Centre, shops, cafes, pubs and toilets.

Catch the M4 from Helmsley at 1727, retracing your route all the way back to Saltburn (arrive 1919).

2. Danby, Dalby Forest and Pickering, on Sundays and Bank Holidays

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Guisborough where you change onto the M3 from the Market Place at 0914 to Danby Lodge National Park Centre arriving at 0940.

The Centre opens at 10, but you could spend 20 minutes exploring the grounds, before sampling the attractions (or you could decide to stay all day, leaving on the M3 at 1815 for Saltburn).

Time for a coffee and cake in the cafe, and a look round the 'Inspired by' Gallery or Crow Wood, maybe find a dragon and other sculptures, or see the interpretive displays in the centre.

Then catch the M6 at 1045, taking you via Rosedale, Cropton, Pickering (where it becomes M7 departing 1142) to Thornton le Dale and finally to Dalby Forest Visitor Centre at 1200.

In Dalby Forest you could have lunch at The Visitor Centre or at Low Dalby Courtyard. There may be an exhibition to admire in The Courtyard. You could "Go Ape" on the aerial adventure site or follow one of the way-marked walks or cycle rides. You could walk back to Thornton le Dale via Ellerburn (around 5 miles, and then leave Thornton le Dale on the M7 at 1603) to Pickering.)

Leave Dalby at 1553 on the M7 bus back to Pickering for an hour there before catching the M3 at 1715 to Guisborough arriving at 1841. Change on to M4 at 1844 for the journey back to Saltburn (arrive 1919).

3. Thirsk and the James Herriot Museum – Sundays / Bank Holidays.

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Stokesley High St (arrive 0936). Change on to the M5 at 0939 for the journey via Northallerton to Thirsk (arrive 1039)

Plenty of coffee shops, pubs, cafes, shops, the medieval church of St Mary's and, of course, the James Herriot Museum.

There is a lovely signposted walk around the Cod Beck which takes you up Sowerby High Street with its lovely Georgian properties and on to the packhorse bridge.

Lots to see and do before catching the M5 at 1712 to Stokesley (arrive 1814). Change on to the M4 at 1817 for a return journey to Saltburn arriving at 1919.

4. Thornton le Dale on Sundays and Bank Holidays

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Guisborough where you change onto the M3 from the Market Place at 9.14 via Danby to arrive in Pickering at 10.40. Time for a coffee before catching the M7 at 11.42 and get off in Thornton le Dale at 11:50.

Charming village with lake, thatched cottage, village green, shops, walks, toilets, tea rooms, pubs and car museum.

Return to Pickering on the M7 at 16:03.

Spend an hour at the heritage rail station, or one of the hostelrys, or watching ducks, or shopping.

Return to Guisborough on the M3 at 1715 (arrive 1841). Catch M4 at 1844 back to Saltburn arriving at 1919.

5. Beautiful Hutton le Hole (Sundays and Bank Hols)

Catch the Moorsbus M4 at 0832 from Saltburn Station Square to Guisborough where you change onto the M3 from the Market Place at 9.14 via Danby. Travel to Hutton le Hole and arrive there for 1017.

The bus stops outside the award-winning Ryedale Folk Museum, a six acre site with 20 historic buildings to explore, with displays, events, art gallery and a discovery trail. Hutton-le-Hole also has great ice-creams, cafes, craft workshops, a good pub for lunch, and a pretty church with Mouseman carvings at the altar. A pleasant all weather short walk is the path to the rear of the cottages on the far side of the green accessed at either end of the village.

For the energetic, there's a circular 2.5 hr walk to the village of Lasingham, with its ancient church crypt. Find this walk on www.moorsbus.org. You can also do a Walk-and-Ride to Kirkbymoorside via Gillamoor, or to Sinnington, or explore lower Farndale.

The M3 bus back to Guisborough leaves Hutton le Hole at 1738 (arrive Guisborough 1841), change there for the M4 back to Saltburn

If you don't want to spend the full day at Hutton le Hole, you could always catch the M3 to Pickering from outside the museum at 1347 (arriving at 1410).

Castle, steam railway, tea rooms, pubs, shops, cafes and toilets.

Catch the 1715 M3 back to Guisborough, arriving at 1841, and then change on to the 1844 M4 back to Saltburn.