

What is there to do in the East Riding of Yorkshire?

Great Days Out

The Deep, Sammies Point, Hull, HU1 4DP - **11.6 miles**

The Deep is Hull's £53million Millennium Commission Lottery Project. Filled with over 3000 fish and more than 40 sharks, it tells the story of the world's oceans using live animals and the latest hands-on interactive equipment.

Sledmere House, Sledmere, Driffield, YO25 3XG – **21 miles**

One of Yorkshire's most beautiful houses, with some of England's finest plasterwork. Award-winning garden. Military Museum, children's quiz, picnic and play area, terrace cafe and gift shop.

Honeysuckle Farm, Bewholme Lane, Hornsea, HU18 1BY – **16 miles**

A 46-acre grassland farm with a selection of animals and other farming exhibits. Shire cart rides, calves and horses. Home-made jersey ice cream. **(Closes November – March)**

Beverley Races, The Racecourse, York Road, Beverley HU17 8QZ – **8.5 miles**

A great day out for everyone at Beverley Races. Theme days, attractions and entertainment during the season. A firm favorite when visiting the East Riding of Yorkshire.

York Races – 27 miles

York Racecourse, York, YO23 1EX

Hornsea Freeport, Rolston Road, Hornsea – **21 miles**

A unique shopping village offering up to 60% off high street prices in 39 stores everyday. There is a selection of eating establishments and family entertainment all year round with tree lined walkways and a stress free atmosphere.

Humber Bridge Country Park – 3.9 miles

The Humber Bridge Country Park is a great place for a family day out. The combination of woodland, water and herb rich grassland means there's plenty to see and smell. Children will love to explore and follow the winding paths, discovering the play areas in the woodland and paddling in the water filled old chalk quarry and with plenty of picnic benches for the adults the whole family can enjoy the day out.

History & Heritage

Beverley Minster, Beverley, HU17 0DN – 7.5 miles

Beverley Minster is the Parish Church of St. John and St. Martin. John, bishop of York, founded a monastery on the site where Beverley Minster stands. John died in 721 and his body was buried in a chapel of the Saxon church. He was canonised in 1037. The present church was built around his tomb. Building work began in 1220 and was completed in 1425.

Hull Maritime Museum, Queen Victoria Square, Hull, HU1 3DX – **11 miles**

Whaling, fishing and trawling exhibits. Local history - the evolution of trawling and Hull's docklands. Various temporary exhibitions. Free Entry

Streetlife Museum of Transport, Hull, HU1 1NE – 11 miles

Climb aboard at the Streetlife Museum of Transport and enjoy all the sights, sounds and smells of the past. Admission to the Streetlife Museum is free. Step back in time with 200 years of transport history as you walk down a 1940s high street, board a tram or enjoy a carriage ride.

Spurn Lightship, River Hull, Museum Quarter, Hull, HU1 1TJ – 11 miles

Built in 1927, the 'Spurn' served for almost 50 years as a navigational aid in the treacherous River Humber.

Burton Agnes, Driffield, East Yorkshire, YO25 4NB – 29 miles

Magnificent Elizabethan house filled with treasures collected over four centuries. Award winning gardens offering something for everyone.

Wilberforce House, 23-25 High Street, Hull, HU1 1NQ – 11 miles

Slavery exhibits, period rooms and furniture, Hull silver, costume, Wilberforce and abolition. Small specialist exhibitions, 'living history' events annually.

Flamborough Headland, B1255 Bridlington to Flamborough – 34 miles

Flamborough Outer Headland was declared a Local Nature Reserve in 2002 in recognition of its wildlife value and its importance to the local community. Local Nature Reserves aim to protect places of special interest.

Skipsea Castle, Skipsea, YO15 3NP – 18 miles

An impressive Norman mote and bailey castle, dating from before 1086 and among the first raised in Yorkshire, with the earthworks of an attended fortified 'borough'.

York Dungeon, York, YO1 9RD - 27.5 Miles

Although many children will love it, York Dungeon is not for all as it's set in dark, musty, atmospheric cellars and features life size tableaux of dark age deaths, medieval punishments and persecution. See it if you dare!

York Minster, York, YO1 7JN - 27.5 Miles

England's largest Gothic church, the magnificent Minster is situated in the heart of York's city centre, and is a prominent feature in the city's skyline.

National Railway Museum, York, YO26 4XJ - 28.7 Miles

The museum offers daily demonstrations of the locomotive turntable and the winding engines. View the miniature railway as well before relaxing in the play and picnic area.

Eden Camp, Malton, YO17 6RT - 29.8 Miles

A visit to this museum (housed in an original 'Prisoner of War' camp) is both entertaining and educational and will appeal to all ages. There is so much to do, it makes a great day out.

Gardens & Countryside**Sewerby Hall & Gardens Church Lane, Sewerby, Bridlington, YO15 1EA – 27 miles**

Situated in a dramatic cliff-top position, Sewerby Hall and Gardens, set in 50 acres of early 19th century parkland, enjoys spectacular views over Bridlington Bay. The award winning gardens are amongst the best in the region and include pleasure gardens, walled gardens, pitch and putt golf course, putting green, small children's zoo (penguins are fed at 15:00), craft units and fully refurbished tea rooms. Estate opens all year round dawn til dusk.

Burnby Hall Garden and Museum, 33 The Balk, Pocklington, York, YO42 2QF – 16 miles

These magnificent and beautifully laid out gardens incorporate two lakes which

contain The National Collection of water lilies. The lakes are also home to a vast collection of fish, which can be hand fed.

Castle Howard, York, YO60 7DA - 29.9 Miles

Glorious 'Brideshead Revisited' mansion with gardens on a grand scale. The park covers 1000 acres, a fittingly beautiful setting for impressive architecture: The Mausoleum, The Temple of the Four Winds, and the new river bridge.

Beaches

Bridlington North Beach - 30.5 miles

Bridlington North is an award winning Blue Flag sand and shingle beach surrounded by wide promenades backed against the impressive Flamborough cliffs.

Hornsea Beach – 16.9 miles

The beach at Hornsea is made up of fine golden sand and shingle, and features a newly-developed promenade.

Withernsea – 27 miles

Withernsea is an old seaside resort with a newly rebuilt promenade, a famous lighthouse with museum and pier Towers marking the spot of the 19th century pier. The beach is part of a strip of sand and shingle that stretches for miles in either direction.

Fraisthorpe, Nr Bridlington – 21.5 miles

Fraisthorpe is a long sandy beach which is generally not too far from the water's edge. Fraisthorpe is located in the middle of the long sandy Bridlington Bay. All the amenities you could wish for are found at Bridlington.

Walking & Cycling

Yorkshire Wolds Way – starts 400 meters From Raywell

There is direct access to the Wolds Way from Raywell Lodge Park within 400 meters. Discover 79 miles of stunning countryside that has captured hearts throughout history. Take your time to walk from the banks of the famous River Humber through the green valleys and rolling hills of the Yorkshire Wolds, discover the pleasures of the Wold Top Brewery and locally produced food before finishing at Filey Brigg. Walk sections of the trail or take a few days to enjoy its entirety

Beverley 20 – starts at the Humber Bridge 3.9 miles from Raywell

The Beverley 20 is a well known walk locally that as you might have guessed covers 20 miles from the Humber Bridge to Beverley Minster. Enjoy the rustic beaches of the Hessle foreshore as you head west along the riverside, before heading up the hill into the woodland of the quaint East Yorkshire villages North Ferriby and Welton. You'll cover sections of the Wolds Way as you head up towards Skidby and Beverley - don't forget your camera there are some views along the way which are not to be forgotten.

The Ale Trail – Hull – starts 11 miles from Raywell

There are now 30 pubs and café bars on The Ale Trail across Hull's historic old town with 19 of those listed welcoming families with children. The Ale Trail takes you to some of the oldest pubs in the city which include George Hotel - Hull's oldest surviving licensed pub with the smallest window in England, Ye Olde Black Boy - Hull's oldest pub dating from 1337 and Ye Olde White Harte - Hull's most historic pub, allegedly where the Civil War started in 1642.

The Trans Pennine Trail – starts 3.9 miles from Raywell

The Trans Pennine Trail runs across the North of England from Hornsea to Southport, linking the Irish and North Sea; a challenging trail for walkers, cyclists and horse riders. The trail is mainly traffic free and is great for experiencing the calm of the countryside.

Seven Seas Fish Trail – Hull – starts 11 miles from Raywell

Find the fish and explore the city...

The Seven Seas Fish Trail is an A- Z of fish creating a tour of Hull's historic Old Town. 40 pieces of sculpture made from traditional materials make up this impressive piece of public art. The artist Gordon Young created the trail of sculptures in 1992 representing the actual size of fish with life size pieces, from a tiny anchovy to a 10ft ray. The artist's sense of humour surfaces with the placing of a plaice in the market place, an electric eel outside the electricity sub station and a shark outside a bank.

Nature Reserves

Bempton Cliffs RSPB Reserve, Cliff Lane, Bempton, Bridlington, YO15 1JF – **28.5 miles**

This is one of England's top wildlife attractions with over 200,000 nesting seabirds, including gannets and puffins from April - September. Visitor Centre, shop, refreshments, toilets, nature trail and spectacular cliff top walks throughout the year.

RSPB Blacktoft Sands Nature Reserve, Nr Ousefleet, Goole – **11.7 miles**

1 reception hide, 6 viewing hides overlooking inter-tidal reed bed and lagoons. Different birds presents all year round, can be seen close up from hides.

Far Ings National Nature Reserve, Barton-upon-Humber, DN18 5RG - **4.9 Miles**

Ings' is an old English word for the wet pastures to the west of Barton. The varied habitats support more than 230 species of wildflower, 50 nesting bird species, including bitterns, and a wealth of invertebrates.

Sports & Activities

Golf

There are more than 10 golf courses within a 10 mile radius of Raywell Lodge Park
(See reception office for any special offer prices)

- 1. Hesse Golf Club** Westfield Road, Raywell – 0.5 miles
- 2. Hull Golf Club** Packman Lane, Kirk Ella – 1.8 miles
- 3. Cottingham Parks Golf and Country Club** Park Lane Cottingham – 3.4 miles
- 4. Brough Golf Club** Cave Road, Brough – 4.1 miles
- 5. Cave Castle Golf Club** Church Hill, South Cave – 4.6 miles
- 6. Beverley & East Riding Golf Club** Anti Mill, Westwood, Beverley – 7 miles

Fishing - Risby Park, HU17 8SS – **3 miles**

Risby Park is a beautiful setting for fishing, dining and walks. The 4 well stocked ponds boast top condition fish for anglers young and old.

Adult day ticket £6.00 | Concession/Junior £4.00

Gym & Swimming – Total Fitness Beverley Road Hull HU10 6NS – **3 miles**

Total Fitness is one of the UK's leading leisure clubs with gyms across the North of England. Total Fitness leisure clubs offer an excellent range of leisure facilities all designed for fitness, to help aid weight loss and to simply provide activities for the family. Individual and family passes are available from reception at a preferential rate

Beverley Leisure Complex Flemingate, Beverley, HU17 0LT – **7.5 miles**

The new Beverley Leisure Complex includes two swimming pools, excellent health and fitness facilities. Cafe-vibe, conferencing and function rooms and a large sports hall. Outside amenities include multi sports area, skate park and pitches.

Standard Prices for swimming

Adult £3.20 | Child £2.10 | Family £8.60 (2xAdults & 3xChildren)

Hollywood Bowl Kingswood Leisure Park, Gibraltar Rd, Hull, HU7 3DB – **9.8 miles**

Bowling has never been more fun than at hollywood bowl ten pin bowling centres. Whether you are bowling for fun with the family or looking for a great time out with friends, hollywood bowl offers an experience for everyone.

Typical Family prices for a single game

Off Peak £8.00 | Peak £13.00

Allerthorpe Park Watersports, York, YO42 4RL - **16 Miles**

Recognised RYA training centre offering sailing, kayaking, windsurfing and canoeing. Hire equipment at the centre or launch your own craft. The centre also has 3 acres of dedicated fishing lakes.

Hull Ice Arena, Kingston Street, Hull, HU1 2DZ – **10 miles**

Olympic-sized ice arena with seating for 2,000 and café bar. Group skating lessons, private lessons, hockey matches, discount for parties, facilities for disabled located close to Hull Marina.

Town & Village Attractions

St Stephens Shopping Centre Hull City Centre, HU2 8LN – **6.3 miles**

With the very latest shopping and entertainment experience under one roof, St Stephen's is the place to be. With great brands including, H&M, Zara, Hugh Rice Jewellers, Build a Bear and USC, you'll be spoilt for choice.

Make a day and night of it at Nandos or Prezzo, followed by watching the latest film releases at Reel Cinema. Shop, eat and enjoy at the most stylish setting in Hull.

Vue Cinema Princes Quay Shopping Centre, Hull, HU1 2PQ – **6 miles**

Vue cinema which opened on 21 December 2007 is the first fully digital cinema in Europe.

Beverley Saturday Market – 7.5 miles

Beverley's Saturday Market dates back to the Middle Ages and has a vibrant and friendly atmosphere which has encouraged a mix of traditional and modern lines, from food to household goods. The market covers a large area within the centre of Beverley with 140 stalls. There is also a small market on Wednesdays each week in the Wednesday Market area of the town.

For further Tourist Information there is a large selection of leaflets in the Reception Office at the entrance to the park near Millers Tea Room. The office is open 7 days a week Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm and Saturday & Sunday 10.00am – 4.00pm