

Causeway
Coast & Glens

Visitor Guide



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Causeway
Coastal
Route

Northern
Ireland



Embrace a
Giant Spirit

Welcome to the Causeway Coast and Glens

Some things never change and in the words of Lonely Planet we still deliver '...timeless beauty and high-grade distractions – golf, whiskey and some of the world's most popular rocks!' This place has evolved over millions of years and will always take your breath away with every twist and turn of the road. Rediscover the joy of travelling and reawaken your senses as you immerse yourself in the stories of the area. Revel in the warm welcome of our people, who will transport you from the

mythical to the real-life drama of our castles and townlands. Rejoice in reconnecting with nature in four Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, from the rolling glens to the dramatic cliffs and headlands shadowing miles of golden sand. Soak up the breathtaking panoramic views from our two spectacular coastal viewpoints along the Causeway Coastal Route. Explore some of our most appreciated and valued landscape along the International Appalachian Trail.



And of course, you can always take to the water and reflect from a new perspective. The region is rightly known for its iconic tourist attractions and coastal scenery. Immerse yourself in food heaven, with an outstanding array of fresh local ingredients, passionate producers, award-winning chefs and dynamic distillers and brewers. Recognised as Northern Ireland's first accredited Slow Food destination, we invite you to embrace our exceptional food and drink offering, amidst

the stunning backdrop of the region. Whether you're thinking of coming to the Causeway Coast and Glens for the first time, or you are a regular visitor, we promise you a warm welcome and an unforgettable experience. Whatever experiences you choose, our bighearted hosts look forward to welcoming you as you embrace the giant spirit that lives strong in Northern Ireland.

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Rathlin



Rathlin Island is an iconic landmark off the northern coastline of County Antrim and forms part of the panorama of the Causeway Coastal Route. It lies just six miles off the coast from Ballycastle. The high sea cliffs lend an aura of mystery, urging you to explore what lies beyond, but arguably, its greatest asset is the breeding seabird colony. The island also boasts significant natural heritage sites and is internationally important for its flora and, in some cases, its unique marine life. Visitors' cars are restricted, and the roads are quiet and ideal for walking and cycling. On the island you can follow the Sustrans National Cycle Network Route to the West Lighthouse, East Lighthouse and Rue Lighthouse or follow one of the island's beautiful walking trails. To reach the island, take the ferry from Ballycastle Harbour to Church Bay, Rathlin. There are two ferries and the journey will take no longer than 40 minutes. You can choose to do a round trip in a day or stay a while and enjoy unique accommodation and hospitality. The island's strong cultural heritage, with storytelling, songs and music, is legendary.

[w. rathlincommunity.org](http://w.rathlincommunity.org) [w. rathlin-ferry.com](http://w.rathlin-ferry.com)



Places of Interest

Kebble and Kinramer Nature Reserve

Discover orchids and the rare pyramidal bugle, as well as breeding seabirds and waders as you enjoy the walking trails and interpretive panels. Please note that the Kinramer path is closed until further notice for repair work. BT54 6RT.

Roonivoolin Reserve and Trail

Venture south on the island for amazing views of the coastline, as well as wildlife, such as seals, Irish hare and curlew. BT54 6SB.

Knockan's Viewpoint

Feast your eyes on panoramic views of Church Bay, Rue Point, the Causeway Coast and the Mull of Kintyre. BT54 6SB.

RSPB Rathlin West-Light Seabird Centre

Head to the Seabird Centre from late April to early July for close-up views of the puffins and other seabirds as they gather in their thousands to rear their chicks. Check out the unique 'upside-down' lighthouse that watches over the choppy seas. Access is via ferry from Ballycastle. BT54 6RT.

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Soerneog View Cycle Hire

Avail of seasonal cycle hire on Rathlin Island, with a choice of e-bikes and regular bikes. Bikes come in a range of sizes to suit all from six years old and above. Bike seats are available for babies under three years. Day hire only and booking in advance is essential.

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Rathlin Boat Adventures

Experience family friendly boat charters, trips to and from Rathlin, bird watching, sightseeing and sea angling trips aboard their vessel Grey Fox. Circumnavigate Rathlin Island, take a trip to the West Lighthouse, peer into Bruce's cave or try your hand at some fishing. Based on Rathlin Island and in Ballycastle.

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Rathlin Boathouse Visitor Centre

Dip into Rathlin's rich history with a collection of displays, photographs, images and articles gathering the island's past and present together. Please note disabled access is limited. Admission is free. Contact Ballycastle Visitor Information Centre for opening hours.

BT54 6RT (seasonal opening)

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Rathlin Island Co-op Shop

This is a small island shop that sells groceries, local products and island crafts.

BT54 6RT **t.** +44 (0)7876 662942

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Rathlin Island Marina

Rathlin's marina is situated in Church Bay on the south side of the island. Booking is essential during summer months.

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Island Treasures Souvenir Shop

Pick up a souvenir of your visit to Rathlin Island from a selection of prints, paintings, photographs and cards, as well as nautical themed gifts and a range of island-made soaps.

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The Glens of Antrim

Endowed with evocative names and blessed with a diversity of landscape, The Glens are rich in history, folklore and natural beauty, each is named according to its attributes. Escape to a world away from the frantic bustle of modern life and explore the woods, waterfalls, riverside paths, viewing points and forest parks among Glencloy (the glen of the hedges), Glenarm (the glen of the army), Glenariff (the fertile glen), Glenballyeamon (the Edwardstown glen), Glencorp (the glen of the slaughtered), Glenann (the glen of the colt's foot), Glendun (the glen of the brown river), Glenshesk (the sedgy glen) and Glentaisie (the glen of Taisie of the bright sides). This section brings you along the coast from Waterfoot, through Cushendall and Cushendun, to Ballycastle and Rathlin Island, before sweeping inland to Armoy. There is no doubt this area contains some of the most striking and varied scenery in Northern Ireland.

Places of Interest

Waterfoot Beach

Backed by sand dunes, it is a conservation area known for the presence of the yellow rattle flower and the small copper butterfly. BT44 OJE.

Murlough Bay

Buzzards and peregrine falcons hunt along the cliff tops at Murlough Bay, while eider and fulmar skirt along the bottom. There are car parks on different levels and picnic areas from which to enjoy the breathtaking views. BT54 6RG.

Torr Head

A remote headland with jaw-dropping vistas stretching over the North Channel as far as Scotland (on a clear day). BT54 6RQ.

Loughareema Lake

A natural phenomenon—a sparkling oasis one day and just a few days later, a bed of cracked mud with not a drop of water in sight. BT44 OTA.

Fair Head

This is a ruggedly beautiful and remote area for climbers and walkers. As Northern Ireland's tallest cliff face, Fair Head is believed to be the biggest expanse of climbable rock in either the Republic of Ireland or the UK. A series of walks begin at the farm car park (charges apply) which is clearly signposted off the Fairhead Road. Anglers should also note that the Fair Head lakes are stocked with trout and can be fished during the summer. BT54 6RD.

Ballypatrick Forest (Grid reference: D181359)

Located on the main A2 road near the intriguing Loughareema and the Glens of Antrim, the forest includes off-road car parking, picnic areas and a waymarked walking trail. Watch out for occasional glimpses of the elusive red squirrel and sika deer. 'Touring in the Trees' caravan site is next to the car park.



CraicNTour

Take a guided scenic taxi tour through the Glens of Antrim and along the Causeway Coast, guided by local historian and folklore enthusiast, John Robbin.

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Cushendall

Known locally as 'The Capital of the Glens', Cushendall is a beautiful conservation town at the foot of Lurigethan Mountain.



Places of Interest

Cushendall Beach

A picturesque sandy and shingle beach set in a bay immediately to the north east of Cushendall. The beach is bounded by a grassed area with pathways, and Cushendall Golf Club further back. There is a toilet block, car parking and play area adjacent to the beach entrance. Enjoy spectacular views across The Sea of Moyle to the Mull of Kintyre on the Scottish coast which is just over 20 miles away. BT44 0QW.

The Curfew Tower

A prominent feature of the town built in 1817 by Francis Turnly. BT44 0RP.

Red Bay Castle

The ruins of the castle, reputedly built by Sir James MacDonnell lie on the outskirts of the town and date back to around 1561. BT44 0SH.

Hurling & The Glens

Learn about the game of hurling and its significance from three local expert sporting stars. Experience a demonstration and the opportunity to play the ancient game. Take a walk along the idyllic coastal path and pour a pint in a traditional Irish bar owned by hurling 'All-Star' Terence McNaughton.

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Cushendall Sailing & Boating Club

The club supports motor boating, rowing, angling and sailing with races for big boats and small, and summer sailing courses. Their bar enjoys panoramic views of Red Bay, so drop in for a visit.

BT44 0QW **e.** committee@csbc.co.uk
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Layde Old Church

The chief burial place of the MacDonnell Clan (after Bonamargy Friary, see page 16). BT44 0NH.

Cottage Wood

Surround yourself in the peaceful setting of the 10-acre Cottage Wood, where you can enjoy a series of interesting walks, viewpoints, picnic facilities and playparks with occasional glimpses of red squirrels. BT44 0RR.

The Cliff Path

This attractive coastal path hugs the cliffs to the north of Cushendall and offers spectacular views of the Scottish coast, Lurigethan, Red Bay Castle and the Garron Plateau. BT44 0NG.

Glenariff Forest Park

1,000 hectares of planted woodland, lakes, recreation spaces and conservation areas. Enjoy walking, horse riding and touring. Stay overnight in a touring vehicle. There are walking trails through the forest giving spectacular views and glimpses of wildlife, including the 3km Waterfall Walk Trail. Experience afternoon tea at the Glenariff Teahouse. Visit www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/glenariff-forestpark for details. BT44 0QX.

Cloud Nine N.I

Experience Sunday morning yoga in the Glenariffe Community and Leisure Centre in a spacious room overlooking the stunning Waterfoot beach. Kickstart your visit with this mindful yoga class where the emphasis is on breath and relaxation in a location close to beautiful forest parks, castles and gardens.

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Cushendun

Between Cushendall and Ballycastle is the pretty village of Cushendun, managed by the National Trust and most notable for its unusual Cornish style cottages (the work of Clough William Ellis).

Q Places of Interest

Glendun Viaduct

An impressive structure built in 1839 by the world-renowned English architect Sir Charles Lanyon. BT44 0SU.

Cregagh Wood

An ancient woodland site and local nature reserve, abundant with specialist flora and home to a population of red squirrels. BT44 0QD.

Cushendun Beach

A rural, sandy beach with views across to the Mull of Kintyre on a clear day and access to walking trails and the beautiful Glendun Valley. BT44 0PJ.





Ballycastle

Ballycastle (in 2022 crowned the Best Place to live in Northern Ireland by The Sunday Times) is a small seaside town, where tradition and culture run parallel with modern living. The popular beach runs from the pier at Ballycastle Marina at the western end to the stunning Pans Rocks in the east.

Places of Interest

Bonamargy Friary

Built by Rory McQuillan, the friary was claimed by the MacDonnell Clan in the 16th century. It contains a sealed burial vault, wherein lie the coffins of several Earls of Ulster and chieftain, Sorley Boy MacDonnell. BT54 6QP.

Ronan's Way

Experience a truly inspiring landscape, from the Glendun River through farmland, woodland scrub and peatland. Ballycastle, BT44 0TF.

Ballycastle Forest

On the slopes of Knocklayd Mountain, this was first planted in 1931. Most of this early woodland has been clearfelled and replanted, producing a more diverse range of wildlife habitats and offering panoramic views of the coast to the north and Rathlin Island, and on a clear day to the Scottish Islands. BT54 6PF.

Niche Coastal – Ballycastle Beach Sauna

At Niche Coastal, you are invited to experience the full benefits of sea sauna-ing. Whether you're seeking relaxation, recovery, or improved health, this unique offering provides an unmatched way to unwind and rejuvenate by the sea.

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Yarn

Yarn is a creative events space bringing together food, creativity and nature. It's a place to connect and explore ideas across multiple forms, incorporating a large events hall, an enclosed garden, Ursa Minor Bakery School and five adjoining residential suites. Subscribe online to keep up to date on their events and workshops.

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Causeway Coast Sailing

Experience sailing on a 36ft yacht on the Causeway Coast. Learn to sail or sit back and enjoy the ride and those stunning views. Sail for a morning or afternoon on the Causeway Coast or immerse yourself in a three-day sailing adventure to Rathlin Island. Custom built trips available. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Ballycastle Traditional Music Trail

A fun afternoon of musical and local history with three of Ireland's finest traditional musicians. Learn, sing and dance your way through some of Ballycastle's oldest bars. Laughter guaranteed! Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Harbour Gallery

The Harbour Gallery sells a wide variety of handcrafted and locally produced gifts. Exhibitions and workshops run throughout the year.

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Lord Moyle Fishing Trips

Family fishing trips from Ballycastle Harbour on the Lord Moyle. Weekend sea fishing experiences available.

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Abhainn Cruises Boat Tours

Experience a private charter tour along the causeway coast with Skipper Tim on his fast 12 seater RHIB *Lí Ban*. This is the most comfortable and exciting way to enjoy our stunning coastline, wonderful wildlife, and fascinating history. Journey from Ballycastle to Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge, Rathlin Island or even the Scottish Isles. Bookable through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Aquaholics Dive Centre and Sea Safaris

Scheduled and private charter boat trips along the Causeway Coast and Rathlin Island departing Portstewart, Portrush and Ballycastle. An established PADI 5-Star Dive Centre, their dives and courses include 'Try a Dive' for non-divers and The Giant Shipwrecks of the North Coast. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Glenmore Complex

The Magheralough fly fishing lakes are stocked with rainbow and brown trout. If you have never been fly fishing before, there are lessons available and rods for hire. Enjoy the on-site licensed restaurant, B&B and panoramic sea and mountain views.

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Torra Charters

Departing from Ballycastle on board Torra, discover fishing, reefs, wrecks, go sharking or scuba diving. You can also experience a Scottish trip and sea safari trips along the Causeway Coast, Rathlin Island and Carrick-a-Rede.

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Kintra Boat Tours

Experience the stunning Causeway Coast from the sea. Departing from Ballycastle, enjoy guided trips showcasing Rathlin Island, Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge, and the wildlife of the North Channel. Discover breathtaking scenery, local stories, and a true sense of Northern Ireland's rugged maritime beauty. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT54 6BT t. +44 (0) 7753 343603
e. bookings@kintraboattours.co.uk
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Sea Haven Therapy

Treat yourself to natural seaweed baths while enjoying views of Rathlin Island, Fair Head and even Scotland on a clear day. A range of relaxation therapies is also available, including massages, sports massages, facials, reflexology and more.

BT54 6BT t. +44 (0)28 2076 1132
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The Salthouse Spa

Perched above Ballycastle with panoramic views of land and sea, The Salthouse Spa, new for 2026, offers luxury reimagined. Promising pure relaxation, immerse yourself in a world of calm and soothe your body, mind and spirit. Discover your coastal calm with a relaxing one-off treatment day spa experience.

BT54 6PF t. +44 (0)28 2051 0000
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Dunfin Farm

A traditional sheep farm located 10 minutes from Ballycastle. Immerse yourself in farming life by experiencing sheepdog demonstrations and sheep shearing (available in July and August). Enjoy a guided nature walk into peat boglands. In March and April meet the newborn lambs. A glimpse into authentic Irish Sheep Farming. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT54 6QG t. +44 (0)7572 979729
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Ballycastle Harbour & Marina

This superb 74-berth marina offers excellent scope for marine travel around Northern Ireland and Scotland with fully serviced visitor berthing and shoreside facilities.

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Naturally North Coast and Glens Market

Experience roaming markets across the Causeway Coast and Glens. Socialise, enjoy local food, discover local businesses and people. Find handmade goods crafted with passion. Each market showcases local culture, talent and heritage. Dog friendly and welcoming, it's an authentic taste of Northern Ireland. Find the market schedule online.

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Trench Farm

Experience this family-run working farm offering a cosy countryside cottage, a spacious campsite, alpaca walking and picnic experiences. Being the first alpaca experience provider on the Causeway Coast, they have truly perfected the ultimate day out that involves walking alpacas around wide open fields, and you can even enjoy a luxury charcuterie picnic in their private and secluded hut.

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Sheskburn Recreation Centre

Experience the newly refurbished fitness suite, small sauna and a range of drop-in exercise classes. Download the CCG Leisure App.

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Rathlin Ferry

Sail across the scenic Rathlin Sound. Departing daily from Ballycastle, this reliable service connects the mainland to Rathlin Island in around 25–40 minutes. Relax and enjoy breathtaking coastal views, fresh sea air and a warm welcome aboard. Your Rathlin adventure starts here.

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Leaving Ballycastle on the Causeway Coastal Route there is an option to loop inland through Glenshesk and Glentaisie, skirting Knocklayd Mountain, before arriving in the village of Armoy, which hosts the Armoy Road Races - the race of legends - annually.

Places of Interest

Armoy Round Tower

Located in the grounds of St Patrick's Church, founded by St. Olcan in the 5th century. BT53 8RL.

Breen Oakwood Nature Reserve

A veritable haven for birdwatchers, with a small population of red squirrels, often visible in spring while bluebells and wood anemones add a splash of colour. Open all year round. BT53 8YH.

Altnahinch Reservoir and Dungonnell Dam

Located at the head of the River Bush, with a native stock of free-rising brown trout, it is ideal for fly fishing, spinning and worm fishing. The season runs from 1 March to 31 October and anglers need a DAERA Game Fishing Licence and Permit. Fishing from boats is not permitted. A short 0.5km boardwalk allows walkers to enjoy the tranquillity of Altnahinch Reservoir. BT44 9JS.

The Lamb Van

An agri-business selling fresh lamb cuts direct from the farm with a pop-up kitchen made from a converted horsebox, serving up contemporary street food made with their pasture-raised lamb. Their 'Shepherdess Supper' experience is bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT53 8LY t. +44 (0)7724 483021
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Ballykenver Farm Shop & Kitchen

Located on a dairy farm in a renovated stone barn, the farm shop stocks a huge variety of local food and drink. In her farmhouse kitchen, Amanda offers workshops and experiences, including chutney making, lemon curd making demonstrations, jam classes and a Causeway Coast afternoon tea experience. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Bramble Green

A sustainable knitwear label run by Claire Taylor-McCooke offering a range of sweaters (including the famous Irish Aran), cardigans, scarves, socks and Scottish Fairisle knits. Many pieces are handmade locally with wool from Donegal Yarns, including ribbed beanies, baby booties and Irish Tweed scarves. Saturday opening 12-4pm or book an appointment.

BT53 8TW **t.** +44 (0)7709 109871
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Bespoke Equestrian Ireland

A wide range of horseback riding tours, as well as full-service travel vacation planning for riders and non-riders, from beginning to end. Working with individuals, families and groups to create a stress-free and unforgettable holiday experience.

BT53 8XL **t.** +44 (0)7786 415713
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Sheans Horse Farm

Experience the freedom, fun and buzz of Sheans Horse Farm, a 5-star-rated horseriding centre based outside Armoy. Enjoy quality horse-riding experiences on one of the most extensive offroad horse-riding facilities in Ireland. Fun for the whole family.

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Causeway Coast Discovery Centre

Authentic cultural activities and audio-visual presentations create memorable experiences and bring to life the culture, heritage and history of the Causeway Coast.

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The Causeway Coast

The next section of the Causeway Coastal Route takes you from Ballintoy to Coleraine and inland to Kilrea and Garvagh. It too promises extraordinary beauty with spectacular coastal scenery, dramatic cliffs and headlands, and natural rural landscapes as far as the eye can see. We recommend you take your time, enjoy the journey, and immerse yourself in some of the unique experiences along the way.



Places of Interest

Portaneevey Viewpoint

Located on the B15 near Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge, Portaneevey viewpoint has a car park, picnic areas, short coastal walk, landscaping and cliff-edge viewing platforms. If you can't cross the bridge, treat yourself to panoramic views of the Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge, Rathlin and further afield to the Mull of Kintyre in Scotland. BT54 6LR.

Kinbane Castle

This little-known, secluded ruin is located at the bottom of a sheer cliff face. It is a hidden gem, guaranteeing the visitor an air of peace and solitude which is often not easy to find. BT54 6LP.

Whitepark Bay

A delightful sandy, half-moon-shaped beach situated between two headlands. Backed by sand dunes and cliffs, even the local cows like to hang out at the beach. Bathing is not recommended due to strong currents. BT44 6NH.

Portbradden Harbour

The 'chocolate box', picturesque Portbradden Harbour is nestled beneath the cliff at the end of Whitepark Bay. There is limited parking and access to the Causeway Coast Way walking trail.

Dunseverick Castle

All that remains of the castle is a small wall on a high crag that faces the ocean. Nearby is the dramatic Dunseverick waterfall that flows directly into the sea. BT57 6LP.

Magheracross Viewpoint

Two spectacular viewing platforms, extending out to the edge of the headland provide the perfect pitstop on the Causeway Coast, whether cycling, driving or on foot. Suitable trailhead for walkers to enjoy sections of the Causeway Coast Way walking trail. Take a break to appreciate the stunning views of Whiterocks beach and Dunluce Castle and enjoy an ice cream or a coffee from the distinctive blue Cream on the Coast van located at the onsite car park. Coach parking also available. BT57 8UY.

Ballintoy Harbour

Accessed by a spectacular, steep winding road, it is a painter's paradise with sea stacks, rocky islands, pools and a busy harbour, leading to one of Europe's great cliff-top and wild beach walks. A large car park and picnic facilities are available beside the harbour café. BT54 6NA.





Ballintoy

Approaching Ballintoy from the east, the road steeply descends Knocksoghey Hill, passing by the entrance to Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge and Larrybane. Ballintoy village offers tourist accommodation and restaurants. A sideroad leads past the quaint white Ballintoy Church planted on the flat cliff top, on its way down to the harbour. Ballintoy Harbour was the Game of Thrones® filming location for Lordsport, the main port of Pyke and the Iron Islands. Ballintoy and its harbour are an ideal stopping place while touring the Causeway Coastal Route.

Q Places of Interest

Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge, National Trust

Crossing the bridge 30 metres above sea level is an exhilarating experience, high above the water and open to the elements. Thousands of people come every year to see beautiful coastal scenery and spot rare wildlife. The bridge is located 1km from the carpark and the path includes a steep hill and steps. Pre-book online. Also bookable through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Revive North Coast

Experience a wide range of adventure activities along the most spectacular locations across the Causeway Coast. Activities range from rock climbing, abseiling and coasteering, to paddleboarding, canoeing and hiking. Providing very personal and bespoke experiences that will leave you feeling revived and exhilarated. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Coasteering NI

Experience exciting adventures along the dramatic Causeway Coast far and wild led by experienced guides. Explore sea caves, scramble over rocks, and plunge into natural pools, all while enjoying breathtaking scenery. Activities are tailored for all skill levels for a unique, adrenaline-filled experience for every customer. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Active Adventures NI

Thrilling outdoor experiences including coasteering, kayak tours, paddleboarding sessions and multi-activity sessions/days. With expert guides providing safe, exciting activities for all ages and skill levels, allowing visitors to immerse themselves in the region's beautiful landscapes and create unforgettable, adventure-filled memories. Large group specialists.

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w. activeadventuresni.com

Ballintoy Boat Tours

Explore the stunning coastline of Ballintoy with an exhilarating boat tour. Discover hidden gems, majestic cliffs and vibrant marine life as you glide across crystal clear waters. Perfect for adventure seekers, these tours offer a unique perspective of the Causeway Coast's breathtaking landscapes, rich history and captivating seascapes. Ideal for families and photography enthusiasts. Bookable through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT54 6LX t. +44 (0)7886 232718
e. booking@ballintoyboataours.com
w. ballintoyboataours.com

Far and Wild

Offering ecology-focussed and heritage-based tours for small to medium size groups or families, their most popular tour is a half-day sea kayak slow adventure. They also lead snorkelling and coasteering in some of the lesser-known spots on the Causeway Coast.

BT47 6JY t. +44 (0)7775 911198
e. hello@farandwild.co.uk w. farandwild.org

Causeway Coast Kayaking Tours

Experience the beauty, heritage and history of the Causeway Coast from a totally unique perspective with a fully guided kayaking tour. Highly qualified and experienced local guides make every tour memorable with their local knowledge. Your safety and enjoyment is priority. Tours from various locations including Ballintoy, Ballycastle, Cushendun, Dunseverick and Whitehead. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT54 6NA t. +44(0)895 444 237
e. causewaycoastkayakingtours@gmail.com
w. causewaycoastkayakingtours.com

Benefield Spencer Glass

Experience the magic of molten glass at a local artisan studio on the Causeway Coast. Discover the intricate art of glass making under the guidance of professional glass artist, Andrea Spencer. Create a unique glass suncatcher inspired by the natural beauty of the Causeway Coast. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT54 6NG t. +44 (0)7751 224855
e. andreaspencerglass@gmail.com
w. andreaspencerglass.com/benefieldspencer-glass-studio



Bushmills

The Conservation Village of Bushmills, home to the world's oldest licensed whiskey distillery, is steeped in history. It is a wonderful place to stop and browse for a unique memento of your trip to the Causeway Coast, with some wonderful places to eat and enjoy the finest, local produce.

Q Places of Interest

Heritage Railway Path

This short circular walk near Bushfoot Golf Club takes in stunning coastal scenery against the backdrop of the River Bush, Runkerry Strand, the Giant's Causeway and Bushmills Heritage Railway. BT57 8RH

National Trust - Giant's Causeway Visitor Experience

Northern Ireland's first UNESCO World Heritage Site consists of 40,000 basalt columns left by volcanic eruptions 60 million years ago. Explore the Visitor Centre, an award-winning sustainable building providing interactive exhibition and visitor services, audio guides and guided walking tours. Souvenir shop and café also on site. Pre-booking online is strongly recommended. Also bookable through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT57 8SU t. +44 (0)28 2073 1855
e. giantscausewaytic@nationaltrust.org.uk
w. www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/northern-ireland/giants-causeway

The Designerie

Award-winning shop based in The Courthouse Bushmills, offering a curated selection of handcrafted goods from local artisans and designer makers. It showcases gorgeous works - from art, craft, photography, jewellery, textiles, foods and more, to workshops, exhibitions and opportunities to connect with local makers. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT57 8QB t. +44 (0)28 2073 2606
e. shop@thedesignerie.co.uk
w. thedesignerie.co.uk

Clifftop Experience with Away a Wee Walk and National Trust

Fully guided hike covering 5 miles of wild rugged coastal scenery along grass and gravel paths, stone steps, wooden stiles and crossing "kissing gates". See the World Heritage Site from a different perspective. Daily March - October, weekends only November - February. Pre-booking essential. Bookable directly online and through Visitor Information Centres.

BT57 8SU t. +44 (0)28 2073 1855
e. giantscausewaytic@nationaltrust.org.uk
w. www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/northern-ireland/giants-causeway/giants-causeway-clifftop-experience

Gallery 1608

Northern Ireland's largest art gallery representing many of Ireland's top artists. Paintings, sculpture, ceramics, jewellery, glass art and wood art. All authentically made. Styles to suit everyone and prices for every budget. Worldwide shipping available and interest free credit for UK residents.

BT57 8QD t. +44 (0)28 2073 1324
e. info@gallery1608.co.uk w. gallery1608.co.uk

Old Bushmills Distillery

Experience an in-depth tour of the working distillery. Head to the Distillery Bar for a taste of any of the Bushmills range. Flights of three whiskeys come with expert explanations or choose a cocktail or hot toddy. Take your distillery tour a step further by combining it with a specially tutored tasting.

BT57 8XH t. +44 (0)28 2073 3218
e. distillery.tours@bushmills.com
w. bushmills.eu

Patricia Millar Ceramics

Working with local materials and ancient techniques, Patricia's pottery can be viewed at her studio gallery near the Giant's Causeway. Patricia offers workshops for pit firing and obvara firing. Talks and demonstrations can also be arranged for groups. Check out her website for workshop dates, open studio and gallery visits. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail. Bookable directly and through Visitor Information Centres. Bookable directly and through Visitor Information Centres.

BT57 8XR t. +44 (0)7980 558958
e. patriciamillarceramics@gmail.com
w. patriciamillarceramics.com

Giant's Causeway and Bushmills Railway

The Giant's Causeway and Bushmills Railway follows the breath-taking two-mile extension of the original Giant's Causeway and Bushmills hydroelectric tram track.

BT57 8SZ t. +44 (0)28 2073 2844
e. info@cbr@btconnect.com
w. [facebook.com/GCBRNI/](https://www.facebook.com/GCBRNI/)

Causeway View Hot Tubs

Situated near the Giant's Causeway, Causeway View Hot Tubs boasts panoramic views of the Causeway headlands, Portrush and Donegal. The perfect place for a relaxing soak and at 38-40C it doesn't matter if we're having typical Northern Irish weather, you will be quite happy submerged in the hot tub.

BT57 8SU t. +44 (0)7743 943119
e. causewayviewhottubs@gmail.com
w. carnsideguesthouse.co.uk

The Courthouse Shared Space Creative Hub

Discover this beautifully restored Grade B1 listed building where history meets creativity. Explore, learn, shop, dine and immerse yourself in all that's unique to the Causeway Coast. This vibrant hub proudly promotes the work of local designer-makers, offering an inspiring, one-of-a-kind experience under one roof.

BT57 8QB t. +44 (0)28 7035 6318

e. thecourthouse@enterprisecauseway.co.uk

w. thecourthousebushmills.com

Flat Cap Adventurers

Off-roading through Ireland's Hidden Gems. Unique 4x4 tours through Ireland's rugged, untouched landscapes. Led by Adam and his family, these off-road adventures explore scenic routes, boglands and beaches. With their classic Land Rovers, they provide the only off-road tours of this kind in Ireland. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT57 8QX t. +44 (0)7450 220146

e. adam@flatcapadventurers.com

w. flatcapadventurers.com

Causeway Fun Farm

This is the closest dairy farm to the Giant's Causeway that has diversified in recent years and now offers a great day out for all the family. Children can see and pet many different animals while learning about them and farming. Slides, zip lines and grass sledges can be found outside while there is a large indoor play area to cater for the typical Northern Irish weather. Animals can be seen both indoors and outside.

BT57 8SU t. +44 (0)7546 937013

e. causewayfunfarm@gmail.com

w. facebook.com/causewayfunfarm

The Boat House Gallery and Studio

Home to Causeway Creative, a collective of four local artists specialising in printmaking, pottery, fused glass, and photography. Together, they create and sell a diverse range of original artworks and handcrafted pieces in partnership with the National Trust. Visitors are welcome to browse, buy, or take part in one of the regular creative workshops. Commissions are also welcomed. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT57 8SU t. +44 (0)7544 105507
e. theboathousegalleryni@gmail.com
w. nationaltrust.org.uk

Castlecat Studio Gallery

Between Bushmills and Dervock you will find the studio and gallery of James McNulty. View his paintings in oils, showing the moods and colours of the Causeway Coast along with limited edition prints for sale. There is someone there most days, but you can always phone ahead to check.

BT57 8TW t. +44 (0)28 2074 1682
e. jamesmcnulty48@gmail.com
w. jamesmcnultyartist.co.uk

Dunluce Castle

One of the most picturesque and romantic of Irish Castles. With evidence of settlement from the first millennium, the present castle ruins date mainly from the 16th and 17th centuries. It was inhabited by both the feuding McQuillan and MacDonnell clans. Historical and archaeological exhibits on display for public viewing.

BT57 8UY t. +44 (0)28 2073 1938
e. scmenquiries@communities-ni.gov.uk
w. communities-ni.gov.uk/heritage-sites/dunluce-castle



Portballintrae

Portballintrae is a seaside village close to Bushmills with a small sandy beach and pretty harbour area. There is a car park, picnic area, toilets and shop adjacent to the beach. The small harbour is a focal point for many water activities in the village. Runkerry Beach is also a wonderful place to explore but is not suitable for bathing or water sports due to rip currents. The village has close associations with La Girona, one of 24 ships from the 1588 Spanish Armada which were wrecked along the Irish coast. Its treasure, recovered by divers during the 1960s and brought ashore at Portballintrae, can be viewed today in Belfast's Ulster Museum. The village also acts as a trailhead for many wonderful coastal walking opportunities, including the section of the Causeway Coast Way providing off-road walking to the Giant's Causeway, approximately 1.5 miles away.



An aerial night photograph of Portballintrae, a coastal village in County Down, Northern Ireland. The village is illuminated by warm streetlights and house lights, creating a glowing pattern against the dark landscape. The sea is visible in the background under a twilight sky. The text is overlaid on the image in white and pink boxes.

Q Places of Interest

Lissanduff

An ancient water ritual site high above the village with a pair of earthen concentric rings, specially designed to retain water for purposes of worship in the early Bronze Age. BT57 8RT.

Dunluce Distillery

On the scenic northern shores of the Causeway Coast and between the Giant's Causeway and the ruins of Dunluce Castle, lies the village of Portballintrae. Experience gin and award-winning liqueurs born on these shores, then carefully distilled and bottled in small batches for your enjoyment. Heritage Guardianship Legacy.

BT57 8RL t. +44 (0)7790 776501
e. simon@dunlucedistillery.com
w. dunlucedistillery.com

Portballintrae Boat Club

Member and social club serving fine beers, wines and spirits within a friendly and relaxing atmosphere. Please sign in with a member.

BT57 8RT t. +44 (0)28 2073 2301
e. portballintraeboatclub@hotmail.com
w. facebook.com/portballintraeboatclub



Portrush

One of Northern Ireland's favourite holiday resorts offers a unique blend of contemporary and nostalgic styles, with the chance to indulge in some new and good old-fashioned activities in this quintessential seaside town. Relax in the harbour surroundings and enjoy a cocktail at sunset or seek out the eclectic mix of bars and restaurants dotted throughout the town.

Q Places of Interest

Whiterocks Coastal Park

A striking landmark on the Causeway Coastal Route with its magnificent chalk cliffs backdrop and a boardwalk giving access to the beach. The viewing platform and cliff top path provide views over the beach and cliffs. A popular beach for water sports including paddle boarding, surfing, walking and horse riding. BT56 8NF.

West Strand

Located close to the town with all its attractions, West Bay Strand has been much loved by families for generations. Take a stroll along the promenade or grab a seat and watch the world go by. No matter what time of the year, you will see surfers and paddleboarders enjoying the Atlantic waves. BT56 8EY.

East Strand

Backed by impressive sand dunes and Royal Portrush Golf Club, the beach stretches from Portrush town to Whiterocks and is a favourite spot for water sports and beach walks. The beach hosts May Murray Foundation equipment to provide seasonal inclusive beach access opportunities. BT56 8DZ.

Curry's Fun Park

One of the most popular tourist attractions in Northern Ireland and the largest family fun park in the country, offering rides and attractions for kids of all ages. The famous cyclone, ghost train and dodgem cars are amongst many of the inside thrills. Outside, experience the high-flying Beast or splash down into Aqua Valley.

BT56 8DX t. +44(0)7774 466930
e. alansimpsonportrush@gmail.com
w. currysfunparkportrush.com

CláraTide Retreat

CláraTide is a wellness retreat on the Causeway Coast, designed to help guests relax, rejuvenate and reconnect with nature, with themselves. Set in a peaceful coastal setting, experience two restorative days to reconnect with yourself through yoga, forest bathing, sea dips, mindfulness, breathwork and nourishing wholefood cuisine.

BT56 8JJ t. +44(0)7825 147049
e. info@claratideretreat.com
w. claratideretreat.com

North Coast Cocktails

North Coast Cocktails provides mobile bars, spirits masterclasses, interactive cocktail masterclasses, and can provide cocktail receptions for any event including hen parties, wedding receptions, that special birthday surprise or even an interactive class. Choose from rum workshops, gin classes, Irish coffee masterclasses or whiskey tastings. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT55 7TB t. +44(0)7808 522290
e. northcoastcocktails@gmail.com
w. northcoastcocktails.com

Wildbay Retreats

Experience a Mindful Discovery Walk – a four-mile guided hike along the Causeway Coast, taking in the enchanting Giant's Causeway. Learn the art of Vipassana walking as you take in the natural scenery. Enjoy a beach meditation and open the heart on the first stop of this mindful adventure; tune in and allow yourself to melt with the sounds of the wild coast as you are guided on a journey through sound. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

t. +44 (0)7707 070433
e. daniel@wildbayretreats.com
w. wildbayretreats.com

Portrush Coastal Zone

A centre for marine and coastal education showcasing the wildlife and heritage found under the sea and along the Causeway Coast. The centre's viewing platform affords excellent views towards the sea where dolphins, seals and harbour porpoises can sometimes be spotted.

BT56 8AP t. +44 (0)28 7082 3600
e. john.cowan@daera-ni.gov.uk
w. daera-ni.gov.uk/articles/portrushcoastal-zone

Atlantic Craft NI

The only working traditional heritage craft studio on the Causeway Coast, producing a range of home-grown willow basketry, straw craft, bee skeps and driftwood craft. Repairs and restorations can be carried out on basketry. Talks, exhibitions and workshops teaching traditional basketry skills and straw work are also available. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT56 8PB t. +44 (0)7731 457263
e. atlanticcraft@btinternet.com
w. atlanticcraftni.com



Portrush Yacht Club

A family-friendly and community-orientated, RYA-recognised centre, which is home to water sports including sailing, swimming, surfing, kayaking and diving, alongside accredited training courses. Boasting a large active membership and lively social scene, Portrush Yacht Club's unique location offers views across the harbour and to Donegal. Equipped with modern changing facilities.

BT56 8DF t. +44 (0)28 7082 3932
e. manager@portrushyachtclub.com
w. portrushyachtclub.com

Portrush RNLI Museum and Souvenir Shop

The Lifeboat Station details the history of the RNLI and its connections to Portrush. Call into the shop and pick up the perfect gift or souvenir. Choose from homewares, clothing, tasty treats, toys, greeting cards and more. Run by volunteers, all profits help save lives at sea. Opening times may be subject to change. If you're planning a special trip, please phone ahead.

BT56 8DQ t. +44 (0)287 082 3201
e. info@rnli.org.uk
w. rnli.org/find-my-nearest/shops/portrush-rnli-shop

The Milk Hut @ Chestnutt's Farm

At Chestnutt's Farm, you can buy farm fresh milk via Ireland's first milk vending machine and re-usable glass bottles. There is also an Honesty Farm Shop which sells a wide variety of local produce including their own Greek style yoghurt which is produced on the farm.

BT56 8NE t. +44 (0)7858 893302
e. info@chestnuttsfarm.co.uk
w. chestnuttsfarm.co.uk

North Coast Alpacas

Enjoy a therapeutic cuddle during an Alpaca Picnic or take a quirky selfie during your Alpaca Trek with these adorable boys, all while appreciating breathtaking views. You can also experience a Dusk Walk followed by a locally sourced picnic as the sun sets. Disabled access can be accommodated with notice. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 2PQ t. +44 (0)7709 430517
e. info@northcoastalpacas.co.uk
w. northcoastalpacas.co.uk

Margey & Bjourson Art

Adrian Margey and Evana Bjourson's joint studio and gallery. Margey specialises in contemporary depictions of Irish landscape, iconic landmarks and musical traditions while Bjourson is known for her stunning portraits and seascapes. Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday during summer season and Saturdays throughout rest of year. Weekday viewings by appointment.

BT56 8BU t. +44 (0)7841 593762
e. adrianmargey@googlemail.com
w. adrianmargey.com & evanabjoursonart.com

Arcadia

Located on Northern Ireland's stunning coastline, the Arcadia is Portrush's most iconic building both architecturally and historically. It's the perfect spot for small intimate wedding ceremonies hosting up to 60 people. The Upstairs Studio hosts daily classes in yoga, Pilates and dance all year around. The Art Gallery provides a local space for local artists to exhibit and sell their work.

BT56 8JE t. +44 (0)7525 496968
e. yayagillen@hotmail.com
w. arcadia-portrush.com

North Coast Water Sports Centre

The centre offers year-round access to high-quality facilities for local and visiting water sports users. It includes toilets and changing areas and can be used individually or hired for group or club events. Accessible toilets meet Changing Places Standards. For pricing or bookings, contact: communitycentres@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

BT56 6AN

Frankie Creith Art @ Troggs Surf Store

Frankie Creith is an established artist whose works are published, televised, exhibited internationally and held in private and public collections worldwide. Her distinctive works are richly inspired by the Causeway Coast. Her work is available year-round from Troggs on Portrush Main Street, where her working studio is located on the first floor and open to visit during the months of July and August or by appointment. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT56 8BN t. +44 (0)7400 717121
e. gallery@frankiecreithart.com
w. frankiecreithart.com

Aurora Charters Portrush

Aurora Charters offers something for everyone including sightseeing tours, wildlife safaris, fishing trips and private charters. Suitable for all ages and abilities. Tackle is included in the price of fishing trips. Operating from Portrush Harbour April - November and from the River Bann November - end of February.

BT53 7FG t. +44 (0)7927 461983
e. aurorachartersportrush@gmail.com
w. bookwhen.com/auroracharters and
www.aurora-charters-portrush.com

Xplore Outdoors

Local, established and highly experienced multi outdoor activity provider based predominantly at the North Coast Water Sports Centre, see left. Offering bespoke activity programmes for groups of all ages and providing private changing and showering facilities and all specialist equipment.

BT51 3TX t. +44 (0)7734 365321
e. info@xploreoutdoors.co.uk
w. xploreoutdoors.co.uk

Portrush Harbour

On the west side of town, enclosed by two piers, it is possible to berth alongside a pontoon or to pick up moorings in the harbour area.

BT56 8DF
t. +44 (0)28 7082 2307 / +44 (0)7889 081860
e. portrushharbour@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Causeway Coasteering

A thrilling, dynamic way to explore and enjoy the incredible coastline, combining jumping, climbing, swimming, scrambling and caving; the ultimate in coastal exploration. An excellent experience based on friendliness, 'craic', genuine care for customers and the local marine environment, expert knowledge of the coastline and how to leverage it for coasteering fun.

BT56 8GP t. +44 (0)7872 537550
e. jump@causewaycoasteering.com
w. causewaycoasteering.com

Freedive Northern Ireland

Discover the magical Causeway Coast with award-winning professional instructors. Snorkel through cathedral-like caves, paddleboard into sea caves and to Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge, or join seal-watching boat tours. Experience breathing and freediving courses to unlock your breath-hold potential and find your inner calm. Bookable directly and through Visitor Information Centres.

BT56 8TB t. +44 (0)7725 408980
e. joy@freedivenorthernireland.com
w. freedivenorthernireland.com

Woodies Surf Shop

Woodies was established in 1989 and is a surf, skate and clothing shop where you can also rent everything you need to go surfing, bodyboarding and stand-up paddle boarding. Visit their Facebook and Instagram pages to check out the daily surf reports.

BT56 8DA t. +44 (0)28 7082 3273
e. info@woodiessurfshop.co.uk
w. woodiessurfshop.co.uk

Peter Nash Photography, The Gallery

Located in the centre of Portrush at 20 Main Street featuring a diverse range of fine art landscape images framed, or as prints only, in a variety of sizes. The range celebrates the natural beauty that defines our coastline. From the wildness of the Atlantic Ocean to the serene calmness of the breaking dawn and the drama of the spectacular sunsets that enhance the mystical beauty of the Causeway Coast.

BT56 8BL t. +44 (0)7876 137075
e. peter@peterdashphotography.co.uk
w. giantscausewaygallery.com

Portrush Surf School

Learn to surf, stand-up paddle board and bodyboard with multiple Irish National Champion Martin TK Kelly at the award-winning Portrush Surf School. Based at Portrush Yacht Club where clients have access to private hot showers and indoor changing rooms. Open all year round. Book online now.

BT56 8DF t. +44 (0)7894 854791
e. info@portrushsurfschool.com
w. portrushsurfschool.com

Causeway Adventures

Immerse yourself in the splendour of the River Bann in a handmade cedarwood canoe. Equipment provided and you'll be shuttled back to your car at the end of the experience. Or chose the Causeway Adventures' Canoe Picnic Experience or Wilderness Survival Experience. Other activities include kayaking, rowing, sailing, orienteering, guided walks, beachcombing and basic bush crafting.

BT51 3HE t. +44 (0)7713 081886
e. causewayadventures@gmail.com
w. causewayadventures.co.uk

Alive Adventures

Operating from West Strand, offering surf hire, surfing, paddle boarding and kayaking lessons, electric bike hire and sales, scavenger hunts, bodyboarding, kids beach games and more! All bookings online. E-bike hire bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT56 8EY t. +44 (0)7935 952532
e. lessons@aliveadventures.co.uk
w. aliveadventures.co.uk

Troggs Surf School

Teaching the art of surfing since 1994. As the longest-running surf school in Portrush, Troggs has a passion to share the thrill and pleasure that is connecting with the ocean. Let's get stoked! Offering a variety of surf experiences from group surf lessons, paddleboard lessons and 1-1 lessons.

BT56 8AF t. +44 (0)7719 315372
e. troggssurfschool@gmail.com
w. troggssurfschool.co.uk

Causeway Boats Fishing

Mackerel trips are enormous fun, especially for beginners and kids. You will be provided with everything you need including your fishing rod, tackle and all bait required. Individual bookings welcome up to a maximum 12 passengers per boat. For online availability calendar and booking visit their website.

BT56 8DF t. +44 (0)7712 115751
e. info@causewayboats.com
w. causewayboats.com

Lady Karen Charters

Experience a three-hour mackerel trip from Portrush harbour onboard Lady Karen IV, a fully licensed and insured charter boat catering for up to 12 people, with rods and equipment supplied. Sightseeing trips around the Skerries and Dunluce Castle are also available.

BT56 8DF t. +44 (0)7955 740131
e. paul@seaanglingportrush.co.uk
w. seaanglingportrush.co.uk



Portstewart

Portstewart has been a popular holiday destination since Victorian times. Walks along the Portstewart Promenade provide spectacular views across the sea to the Inishowen Peninsula, while the shopping area offers colourful art galleries, craft and gift shops, not to mention award-winning ice cream parlours, coffee shops, cafés, pubs and restaurants. The Nun's Walk connects the town to Portstewart Strand. Bring your fishing nets for some rock pooling along the way.

Q Places of Interest

Portstewart Crescent

This is a popular spot with a play park. The aptly named Witch's Hat and tiered seating provide a performance area for seasonal concerts and entertainment shows. BT55 7AB.

Agherton Old Church

Lying on the outskirts of the town you will find the citadel of Congal Clairingneach, King of all Ireland in 161 B.C. BT55 7HT.

Portstewart Strand and Bann Estuary

Ideal for family picnics and walks, with wildflowers, butterflies and birdlife. Dogs are welcome on leads. Facilities include toilets with changing place, beach showers, and year-round pedestrian access. Vehicle charges apply. The beach is fully inclusive, managed by National Trust and Mae Murray Foundation.

BT55 7PG t. +44 (0)28 7083 6396

e. portstewart@nationaltrust.org.uk

w. nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/northern-ireland/portstewart-strand



Flowerfield Arts Centre

The only dedicated multi-arts venue on the Causeway Coast, it presents a dynamic arts programme including visual arts/crafts exhibitions, live music, theatre, film and creative learning opportunities. Creative spaces include an auditorium with retractable door to the park, galleries, ceramics and glassmaking studios and a gift shop selling unique handmade art and craft by local artists.

BT55 7HU t. +44 (0)28 7083 1400
e. info@flowerfield.org w. flowerfield.org

Aquaholics Dive Centre and Sea Safaris

Scheduled and private charter boat trips along the Causeway Coast and Rathlin Island departing Portstewart, Portrush and Ballycastle. An established PADI 5-Star Dive Centre, their dives and courses include 'Try a Dive' for non-divers and The Giant Shipwrecks of the North Coast. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT55 7BE t. +44 (0)28 7083 2584
e. info@aquaholics.co.uk w. aquaholics.co.uk

SUB6

The only ASI Internationally Accredited school in Northern Ireland for clients wanting to learn to surf or do stand-up paddleboarding. Located on the National Trust's beautiful Portstewart Strand. Lessons and hire of equipment are available. A specialist in RLSS Lifeguard training which allows you to apply for the RNLI lifeguards.

BT55 7PG t. +44 (0)7748 257717
e. carl@sub6life.com w. sub6life.com



PortstewART Galleries

Specialising in contemporary Irish Art, this gallery holds Ireland's largest stocks of original vintage movie posters, collectable fountain pens and antiquarian maps. They frame to international museum standards.

BT55 7AE t. +44 (0)28 7083 4600
e. megan@irishartgroup.com
w. irishartgroup.co.uk

Fiona Shannon Ceramics

Book a pottery lesson and try your hand at throwing on the pottery wheel with experienced Potter Fiona Shannon. Fiona's studio is nestled in Flowerfield Arts Centre where you can book a lesson or purchase some of her pottery which is all inspired by the local area; the perfect souvenir. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT55 7HU t. +44(0)7511 004484
e. fionashannonceramics@gmail.com
w. fionashannonceramics.com

Sauna & Sea

Experience the rejuvenating benefits of an authentic wood-fired Finnish sauna on Portstewart Strand. Enjoy hot and cold therapy with stunning views of the Causeway Coast. Promoting health, wellbeing, and environmental appreciation, this is the ultimate sea sauna experience in partnership with the National Trust. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

Portstewart Strand, BT55 7PG
e. saunaandsea@gmail.com
w. saunaandsea.co.uk



Coleraine

Coleraine is the principal town on the Causeway Coast. Situated on the banks of the River Bann, it boasts an attractive pedestrian area with award-winning floral displays. Soaked in history, with charm and character, the town offers a unique mix of old and new.

Q Places of Interest

Mountsandel Wood and Mesolithic Site

Mountsandel Wood, on the edge of Coleraine, offers pleasant riverside walks, and the chance to view the impressive Anglo-Norman fort. Immediately adjoining the Wood is the Mesolithic excavation site, the earliest known settlement in Ireland. BT52 1TL.

Somerset Forest

Experience a range of tranquil forest walks of varying lengths and degrees of difficulty. BT51 3RL

Camus Cross and Bullaun Stone

The only existing High Cross in County Derry~Londonderry. The Bullaun Stone is an example of a primitive font. BT51 3RY.

Coleraine Town Hall and Coleraine Museum

Host to temporary museum exhibitions and an opportunity to explore 'Irish History Starts Here'. BT52 1DP.

St Patrick's Church

The original site of the Early Christian Church founded by St Patrick in the 5th Century AD. BT52 1AR.

Phoenix Peace Fountain

A symbolic art piece gifted by the communities of the United States to the communities of Northern Ireland, inspired by the Northern Ireland peace process of May 1998. BT52 1PS.

Guy L Wilson Daffodil Garden

A memorial to the father figure of Irish daffodil breeders, Guy Livingston Wilson, situated within the grounds of Ulster University, with over 1500 old and modern varieties, bursting with magnificent shades of yellow in springtime. BT52 1SA.

Christie Park

Located between Coleraine's two bridges, the Park provides walking and cycling opportunities along the banks of the River Bann. It leads to Somerset Riverside Park where you will encounter 'The Source' sculpture celebrating the significance of the Mountsandel site which has been referred to as 'the cradle of humanity in Ireland.' BT51 3AB.



Top Darts Coleraine

Brand new dart experience for the Causeway Coast, featuring eight auto scoring boards, two pool tables and great food in the onsite café, including street food, pizzas, soft drinks, and a wide range of non-alcoholic options. There's also the option to book "bring your own beverage" packages. A great way to spend time with family and friends. Book via WhatsApp on the number below.

t. +44 (0)7519 805812

w. facebook.com/people/TOP-DARTS-Coleraine

Powerhouse Padel

Hey, padel people! Whether you want to smash it on the court or simply to try some exercise that doesn't feel like a chore – you're always welcome at Powerhouse Padel, visitors and locals alike. This sport is easy to pick up and hard to put down. See you on the court!

BT52 1BE t. +44 (0)78 5032 9049

e. admin@powerhousepadel.com

w. powerhousepadel.com

Hare & Hawthorn

A shopping experience that is as enriching as it is delightful. Browse a unique selection of handcrafted homeware, bespoke jewellery and eco-friendly products. Supporting local artisans, the store combines tradition with modern style, creating a one-of-a-kind shopping experience. Discover sustainable and stylish living.

BT52 1DR t. +44 (0)28 7044 0775

e. admin@hareandhawthorn.co.uk

w. hareandhawthorn.co.uk

Atlantic Rose

Atlantic Rose creates handmade silver and gold jewellery inspired by the myths, geology and heritage of the Causeway Coast. Designed and crafted by goldsmith Emma Thorpe in Portstewart, each piece blends archaeology, storytelling and natural beauty using recycled metals and ethically sourced gemstones. Based in Hare & Hawthorn, see above.

BT52 1DP t. +44 (0)7791 102231

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Coleraine Yacht Club

CYC provides sailors with a pathway to reach their potential in the sport, whether it be recreation or competitive sailing.

BT56 8DF

e. hello@coleraineyachtclub.co.uk

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Zara McLaughlin Studio

Ceramic artist/maker centring on the potter's wheel and making bespoke functional ware for the home. Experience a 'Have a Go' creative ceramic workshop for one or two, or a pottery party at Zara's unique studio space. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT52 1UD

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The Honourable The Irish Society

Salmon, trout, pike and coarse fishing on the Lower Bann River. Season/day rods available on private beats, also season permits for unrestricted stretches both game and coarse. Game fishing is available on the Clady River, Agivey River, Macosquin/Rhee River and Ballymoney River.

BT51 3RL t. +44 (0)28 7034 4796
e. office@irishsociety.co.uk
w. honourableirishsociety.org.uk/go-fishing

For tourist packages, please contact Tourist Angling Agent Cressabelle.

t. +44 (0)7564 059031 / +44 (0)28 7116 3366
e. info@cressabelle.com

White River Charters

Exclusive experiences exploring the Bann River and estuary in comfort. The heritage vessel, the last wooden harbour-launch still in operation, was built by the historic Harland and Wolff shipbuilders. Offering public, private and bespoke river experiences covering culture and heritage, local food and drink, landscape, wildlife and nature within an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 1EY t. +44 (0)7894 210527
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Adam Frew Ceramics

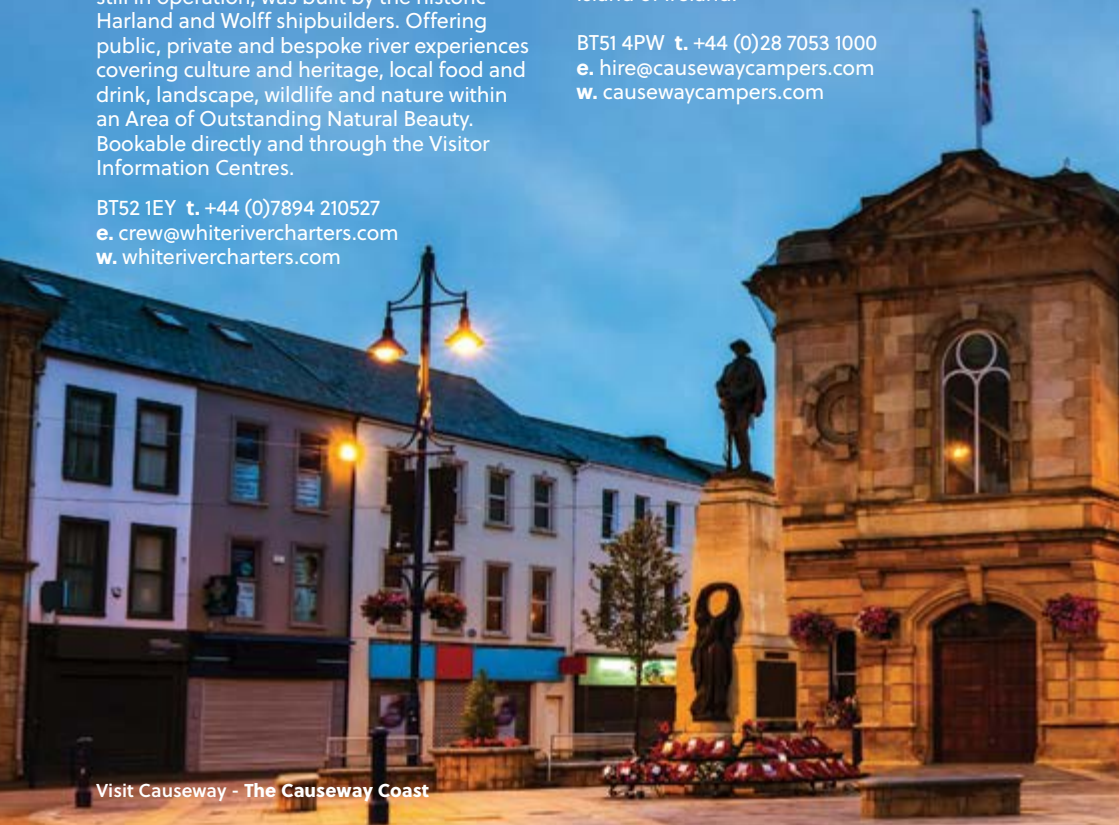
Making a selection of functional pots, as well as unique pieces, Adam individually decorates each piece of beautiful hand thrown porcelain pottery in his unique painterly style. Adam teaches pottery workshops at his studio. Experience a selection of classes, bookable via the website, or arrange your own private group workshop. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

BT51 4AS t. +44(0)7745 774605
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Causeway Campers

Tour the Causeway Coast and beyond in a modern stylish motorhome. Leave your car at base and chose from a wide range of 2 to 6 berth vans, all with bathrooms and fully automatic. Wake up to sunrises on beaches and plan an immersive adventure around the Island of Ireland.

BT51 4PW t. +44 (0)28 7053 1000
e. hire@causewaycampers.com
w. causewaycampers.com



Score Football Centres

Bounce is the Causeway Coast's first inflatable park - book online or call down in person. Kick back and relax in the cafe while the kids play on the indoor 4G 5-a-side cages. Available to book with eight or more players or turn up for a kick about if you have less players.

BT52 2ED t. +44 (0)28 7032 6922
e. info@scorefc.com w. scorefc.com

Coleraine Leisure Centre

Coleraine Leisure Centre offers a six-lane 25m pool and a separate learner pool suitable for parents with younger children. Fitness suite and functional strength area. The centre has a full range of drop-in exercise classes, ranging from pilates to spin. Download the CCG Leisure App.

BT52 1PE t. +44 (0)28 7035 7202
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Cheeky Chimps Soft Play Adventure Centre

Cheeky Chimps is the perfect place for your children to have an adventure filled with fun and learning possibilities. While the kids are letting off steam, you can relax and de-stress in the café on a comfy sofa with good coffee, scrummy chocolate things, delicious treats and the latest magazines.

BT52 2JB t. +44 (0)28 7034 3005
e. cheekychimpscoleraine@gmail.com
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Wee Campers NI

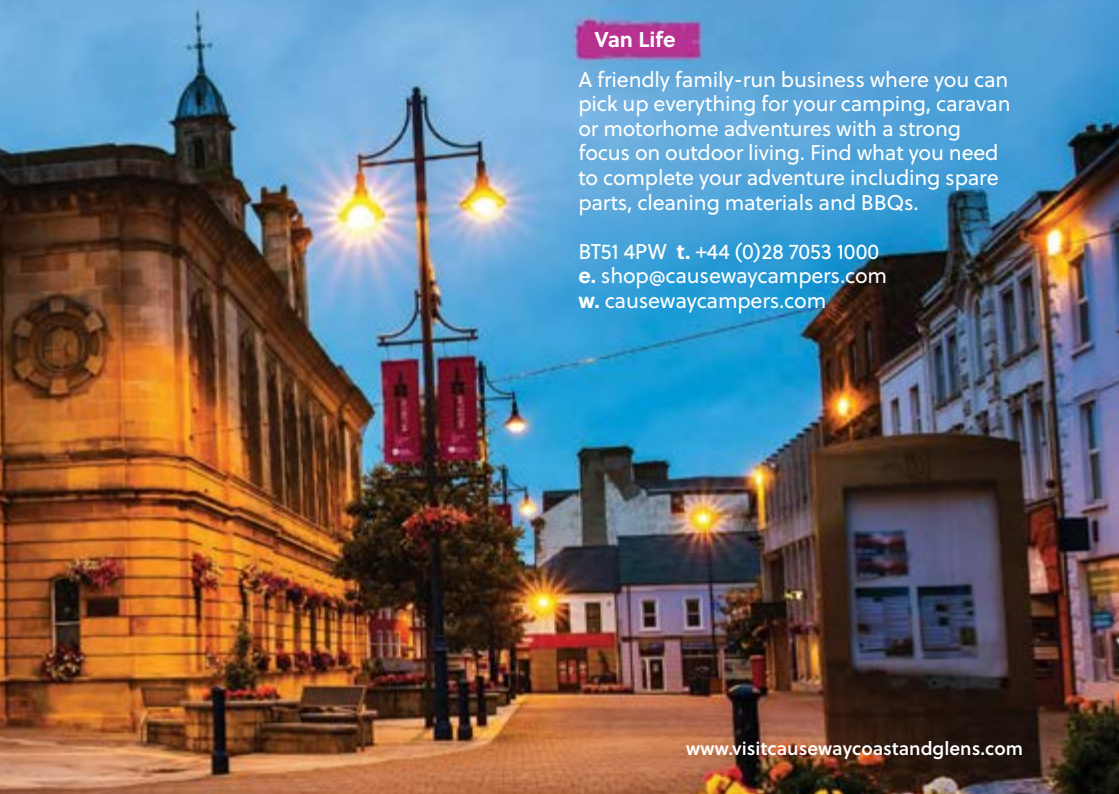
Rent a classic VW campervan for unforgettable road trips across Northern Ireland. A static 'Wee Setup' option is also available, where the campervan is delivered to a destination of your choice within 15 miles.

BT52 1PQ t. +44 (0)7776 877814
e. info@weecampersni.co.uk
w. weecampersni.co.uk

Van Life

A friendly family-run business where you can pick up everything for your camping, caravan or motorhome adventures with a strong focus on outdoor living. Find what you need to complete your adventure including spare parts, cleaning materials and BBQs.

BT51 4PW t. +44 (0)28 7053 1000
e. shop@causewaycampers.com
w. causewaycampers.com



The Jet Centre Coleraine

A top entertainment destination offering an 8-screen cinema, Alley Cats soft play, Superstrikes Bowling Alley with food and drinks, pool, darts, a huge arcade, and 18-hole outdoor mini golf. Enjoy fun for all ages, indoors and out, in one action-packed venue.

BT51 3AW t. +44 (0)28 7035 0000
e. coleraine@moviehouse.co.uk
w. thejetcentre.co.uk

The Scotti Rooms Cuiil Rathain Historical & Cultural Centre

The Scotti Rooms is a small community museum with an Ulster Scots focus. The wide range of artefacts includes items relating to the Loyal Orders, WW1 and Royal memorabilia. A historical walking tour of Coleraine with a qualified guide is available.

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Steve Hodge Mountaineering

Steve is a mountaineering and rock-climbing instructor, aiming to deliver a high standard of mountain leader training and rock-climbing courses for all levels, focusing on devising a progressive learning environment for all clients. Learn. Develop. Qualify.

BT52 2PQ t. +44 (0)7773 359773
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Causeway Speciality Market

Twice a month, Coleraine Town Centre comes alive with colour, flavour, and creativity with the Causeway Speciality Market. Set against the stunning backdrop of the 150-year-old sandstone Town Hall, this vibrant open-air market has become Northern Ireland's largest regular outdoor market—pulling in crowds and charm since 2006, celebrating its 20th Anniversary this year!

BT52 1DP t. +44 (0)7702 910884
e. csm@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk
w. causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk/
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localinformation-and-events

Causeway Coast Foodie Tours

Join local food & drink ambassador, Wendy Gallagher, and discover tastes and stories of Northern Ireland's spectacular Causeway Coast. Join award-winning guided tours celebrating local producers, chefs and artisans. From farm-to-fork flavours, seafood, craft gins and ales, enjoy authentic experiences connecting food, people and place along this world-famous coastal route. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 1JE t. +44 (0)7912 408256
e. causewayfoodie@gmail.com
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BASALTsix

Lifestyle and Running Boutique supplying clothing and accessories.

BT52 1PD t. +44 (0)7485 405606
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w. basaltsix.com

Island Equestrian Centre

Riding lessons from beginner to advanced standard, provided by BHS-qualified instructor. Livery is also available.

BT52 2NL t. +44 (0)28 7034 2599
w. facebook.com/IslandEquestrianCentre

Perfections Wellness Spa

A boutique spa based in the heart of Coleraine. Perfections offers a wide range of relaxing and holistic treatments tailored to suit all clients. Escape from the hustle and bustle of life into this luxurious and calming day spa. Packages are available for the ultimate experience.

BT52 1LA
t. +44 (0)28 7035 5306 / +44 (0)7393 637522
e. info@perfectionswellnessspa.com
w. perfectionswellnessspa.com

Blackheath Pottery

Located just outside Coleraine at the beautiful Georgian Blackheath house. Experience a range of pottery classes and visit the studio to shop handmade porcelain pottery. Open by appointment only. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail. Bookable directly and through the visitor information centres.

BT51 4HH t. +44 (0)7714 367890
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w. blackheathpottery.com

Causeway Flying Club / Ulster Seaplane Association

Take a scenic Microlight or Seaplane flight along the spectacular Causeway Coast. Take the controls and experience the thrill of flight. No previous experience necessary. Full training for pilot's licence provided.

BT51 4BT t. +44 (0)7703 723097
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w. causewayairfield.co.uk

Saba Serenity Spa at The Bushtown Hotel

Welcome to Saba Serenity Spa, named after the sweet goddess and wife of local legend Finn McCool. Enjoy luxury spa and wellness experiences and the thermal pool suite, jacuzzi, steam room, treatment rooms and relaxation lounge.

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w. bushtownhotel.com



Ballymoney

Ballymoney is one of the oldest towns on the island of Ireland, with an interesting mix of historical features and modern life.

Q Places of Interest

Craig's Wood

Offering a number of pleasant walking routes - none of which is waymarked - on level terrain. The site affords views over the Bann valley and beyond. One of only a few accessible designated upland blanket bogs in Northern Ireland. Ballymoney, BT53 7EB.

Ballymoney Town Hall and Museum

Ballymoney Museum is part of the Ballymoney Town Hall and offers visitors the opportunity to explore the vibrant history of the area with a particular focus on local motorcycle road racing heroes. The permanent Accredited Museum also explores the story of the area since early times through its Victorian Collection which includes the enigmatic Derrykeighan Stone from which the museum takes its logo. Visitors can also research local and family histories in the resource area.

BT53 6BE t. +44 (0)28 2766 0230
e. museums@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk
w. niarchive.org/Ballymoney

Slieveanorra Summit Walk

On reaching the summit, in suitable weather conditions walkers are rewarded with fantastic panoramic views. Knocklayd, Rathlin Island and the outline of Scotland are visible to the north and north-east, while Donegal and the Sperrins appear on the horizon to the west. Ballymoney, BT53 8XT.

Dunlop Memorial Gardens

If you are a motorbike road racing fan you will want to pay homage to three of Northern Ireland's most celebrated sporting heroes. BT53 6JR.

Megaw Park

A recreational area with an exciting and challenging mix of traditional and interactive play equipment and facilities. BT53 6BS.



Dooney's Cairn Neolithic Tomb at Dunloy (Grid Reference D0216 1830).

Believed to be the best-preserved court tomb in the Causeway Coast area dating from c4000- 2000BC. BT44 9DZ.

Croaghan Way

The Croaghan Way incorporates two self-guided trails; the 'Milibern Walk' and the longer 'Breen Forest Walk.' Ballymoney, BT53 8XT.

Benvarnden Gardens and Stableyard Tearoom

Benvarnden is an historic estate near the Causeway Coast consisting of a wonderfully preserved period house, a mature walled garden and The Stableyard Tearoom all set in beautiful, landscaped grounds on the banks of the River Bush. It is a must-see location for visitors to the area.

BT53 6NN t. +44(0)28 2074 1955
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Karen & Co.

A campervan rental company offering rustic, self-built campervans. Get in touch and book your campervan to explore the stunning Causeway Coast and Glens.

BT53 7NF t. +44 (0)7309 706799
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w. karenandco.co.uk

Ballymoney Old Church Graveyard and Tower

An example of the town's fine built heritage, with over 400 headstones, the oldest dating to 1610. BT53 6JB.

Riverside Park

Located on the edge of town, Riverside Park has 40 acres of parkland, a woodland offering a variety of walking and cycling trails, and a children's play area. BT53 7AG.

Só Soy

A small home-fragrance shop specialising in soy candles, wax melts, reed diffusers, and other home and gifting pieces. Founder Hannah regularly hosts candle-making workshops on location, where attendees can build and create their own uniquely scented candle.

BT53 6JN t. +44 (0)7707 175447
e. hello@sosoy.co.uk
w. www.sosoy.co.uk

Bann Valley Fisheries

Bann Valley fishery is the perfect place for anglers to enjoy a spot of fly fishing in a remote and tranquil location. The lake is home to both rainbow and brown species of trout which have been known to put up quite a fight!

BT53 7NW t. +44 (0)7739 422044
e. bannvalleyfishery@outlook.com
w. [facebook.com/BannValleyFishery](https://www.facebook.com/BannValleyFishery)

Rosepark Farm

A family-run fun farm based just four miles outside of Ballymoney. Get hands on with the animals including, rabbits, snakes, alpacas and deer. Experience the Enchanted Forest, play areas and NI's first ever Lagoon Beach. Check out that crystal clear water and white sand. Open from Easter 2026.

BT53 7DU t. +44 (0)7961 124136
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w. roseparkfarm.co.uk

Drumaheglis Marina & Holiday Park

The Marina is the operating base for cruiser hire by Bann River Cruises. One of the few (and most attractive) access points to the Lower River Bann, it is an idyllic woodland riverside base at which to stay and relax for cyclists, walkers and water enthusiasts alike. A modern 5-star, award-winning facility, offering caravanning, camping, glamping, berthing and slipway services with excellent home cooking at the Slipway Café.

BT53 7QN t. +44 (0)28 2766 2743
w. causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk/seedo/caravan-parks

Joey Dunlop Leisure Centre

Enjoy the 25m swimming pool and minor learner pool suitable for parents with younger children plus fitness suite, modern health suite and soft play area, Treasure Island. The centre has a full range of drop-in exercise classes for all fitness levels. Download CCG Leisure App.

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w. causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk/see-do/leisure-centres



Kartsport Karting and Activity Centre

Try race experience packages from taster Time Attack sessions to Super Grand Prix experiences. Step into their Laser Tag and Nerf Wars arena and battle against your friends. For the kids there's a soft play party bus, slide, ball pit and climbing frames in their double decker bus.

BT53 6LW **t.** +44 (0)28 2763 9533
e. racecontrol@kartsportleisure.com
w. kartsportleisure.com

Bann River Cruises

Explore the hidden gem that is the Lower Bann, all at your own pace on one of these beautifully appointed river cruisers, accommodating from two to eight people. No experience required, full training provided. Boats come fully laundered and complete with kitchenware. Fuel is inclusive in the price.

BT53 7QN **t.** +44 (0)28 27 073048
e. info@bannrivercruises.co.uk
w. bannrivercruises.co.uk



Kilrea

A busy market town with two nine-hole golf courses, Kilrea is situated on the scenic inland route from Coleraine beside the River Bann.

Q Places of Interest

Portna / Hutchinson's Quay Riverside Walk

A pleasant 4 mile return linear riverside walk, which is approximately 1.2 miles south east of Kilrea town, along the western bank of the River Bann, connecting Portna locks and Hutchinson's Quay. Kilrea, BT51 5SW.

Movanagher Canal

A beautiful tranquil setting amidst rolling farmland for a short 1 mile return canal-side walk. Kilrea, BT53 7NT.

The Mercers Arms

A historic building located in the town diamond and testimony to the town's links to the Plantation of Ulster, when surrounding townlands were granted to the Worshipful Company of Mercers by King James I for settlement. BT51 5QJ.

Bann Bridge, Portneal

The majestic Bann Bridge, with its unique 6-arch feature dates to the 18th century and marks the boundary between Co. Derry~Londonderry and Co. Antrim. Short circular riverside walk beside the bridge. BT44 8TE.

The Lake Kilrea

Northern Ireland's premier day out destination. Spend the day leaping around the largest inflatable waterpark in Ireland, or paddleboarding, kayaking or open water swimming in the natural freshwater lake. Experience the surrounding walks and stunning scenery or watch from the comfort of your deck chairs with some coffee and cake. Come and see for yourself why people love to escape to the Lake Kilrea.

BT51 5RR t. +44 (0)7845 874499
e. info@thelakekilrea.com
w. thelakekilrea.com

K-Team Karting

Let's go racing! The Causeway Coast's only proper outdoor go-karting centre offers top class karting catering for all abilities. Experience the thrill of Grand Prix events or the exhilaration of an Arrive and Drive package. Kids are rewarded with medals and have their photo taken on the winner's podium.

BT51 5YJ
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w. k-teamkarting.com

River Bann Tours

Offering scenic cruises along the lower River Bann from Kilrea, Newferry, Portglenone and Toome. Enjoy breathtaking views, wildlife encounters and historic sites on guided tours, perfect for a relaxing, nature filled experience for families and adventurers alike.

BT44 8HT t. +44 (0)7542 848843
e. info@riverbantours.co.uk
w. riverbantours.co.uk

Aquaterra Adventures

We the people, wild and free, were made to thrive on land and sea! If you love nature you are in the right place. Experience rock climbing and abseiling, beach games and bodyboarding, archery and bushcraft, with this exciting new adventure company. Canoeing and more coming soon.

BT51 5RU t. +44 (0)7734 455600
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Garvagh

Standing south of Coleraine and close to both the Bann and Agivey rivers is the town of Garvagh, which like so many other towns in the area has a fascinating story to tell. With its situation so close to the rivers, as you would expect, Garvagh is the ideal spot for the game and coarse angler (with permits and licences).

Q Places of Interest

Garvagh Pyramid

A surprising feature within Garvagh Forest, this folly was created as a burial chamber for Lord Garvagh in the 19th Century but was never used for its intended use. BT51 5EF.

Errigal Old Church

Built around AD560 it was originally known as "Errigal Adamnan" after St. Adamnan - its patron. BT51 5BQ.

Moyletra Moileds

A small family farm located outside Garvagh raising Irish Moiled Cattle, with a focus on conservation, biodiversity and sustainable farming practices. Experience their onsite farm shop, selling their very own rare and native Irish Moiled beef and candles crafted from the tallow. Members of Taste Causeway and Blas NaEireann winners. Check their website for details of future events and farm walks.

BT51 5NT t. +44 (0) 77758 10253
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Skydive Ireland

Have the experience of a lifetime and feel the rush of the highest skydive in Ireland. Experience the thrill of freefall from an exhilarating 15,000ft, while taking in majestic views of Northern Ireland's Causeway Coast, including Mussenden Temple, Dunluce Castle and the Giant's Causeway.

BT51 5LQ t. +44 (0)28 2955 8609
e. hello@skydiveireland.com
w. skydiveireland.com





Temple Springs Fishery

A catch and release, bait fishing facility for large and small groups against a backdrop that stretches from Garvagh Forest to Corky Mountain and Slemish in the east. All tackle and bait is supplied.

BT51 5BH t. +44 (0)7830 345286
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Jim Watt Sports Centre

Boasting a fitness suite, multi-purpose sports hall, changing facilities and rooms for coaching and fitness classes. Download CCG Leisure App.

BT51 5NQ t. +44 (0)28 2955 8686
w. causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Garvagh Museum

A rural folk museum located in what was the walled garden of Garvagh House, the former seat of the Canning family. It houses an exceptional collection, comprising over 3,500 artefacts and is a valuable resource providing a fascinating insight into times gone by.

BT51 5AE t. +44 (0)7507 787077
e. info@garvaghmuseum.com

Garvagh Forest Trails

For an exhilarating experience check out the Forest Trails and range of walking, cycling and mountain bike trails to enjoy. There are four different grades of cycle trails, each offering a different experience, and walkers can avail of waymarked walking trails. The forest is also a haven for lovers of nature and wildlife with the addition of sculptures within the site. The bluebells in May are a sight to behold, as is the Pyramid. There are bike wash facilities for public use after cycling the forest trails.

BT51 5AF
w. visitcausewaycoastandglens.com

Binevenagh and Beyond

This section highlights the area stretching from Castlerock to Magilligan and inland to Limavady and the North Sperrins. Dominated by the distinctive headland of Binevenagh with its dramatic cliffs, there are spectacular panoramic views over Magilligan and Inishowen, and to Islay and Jura in Scotland. The railway journey between Coleraine and Derry~Londonderry which passes beneath Mussenden Temple is worth the trip – so says Michael Palin who named it one of the 'Great Railway Journeys of the World'.

Q Places of Interest

Downhill Forest

Reconnect with nature in the magnificent setting of 85 hectares of mixed commercial woodland, planted around a beautiful lake and home to two of the biggest Sitka spruce specimens in Ireland. BT51 4RP.

Gortmore Viewpoint, Bishop's Road

Pay a visit to the Celtic Sea God, Manannan Mac Lir and enjoy spectacular views over Lough Foyle and the plain of Magilligan stretching towards the Point. Trailhead for cliff top walking opportunities on unsurfaced trails along the route of the North Sperrins Way / Ulster Way. BT49 0LJ.

Binevenagh Mountain (GR C703 318)

Located within the Binevenagh Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, the mountain and forest is the perfect place to get away from it all with some hill walking or fishing. The lake on the summit is stocked with rainbow and brown trout.

Ballyhacket Viewing Point

Behold wonderful panoramic views towards the north to Donegal as well as east to the Antrim Hills and Causeway Coast. BT51 4SU.

Downhill Strand

This stunning beach may be recognisable to you as it regularly features in TV and film dramas, including the highly acclaimed Game of Thrones® series. Situated at the base of Mussenden Temple and against the background of towering cliffs, it is probably one of the most photographed beaches on Irish shores. Wonderful walking opportunities along seven miles of continuous sand connecting to Benone and Magilligan Point. BT51 4RP.

Bishop's Gate

You can only but admire this fine classical gate which serves as the entrance to woodland walks in the Black Glen and Port Vantage, part of the Downhill Demesne. BT51 4RP.





Castlerock

The village of Castlerock is a small, quiet resort, situated less than a mile from where the River Bann meets the sea at The Barmouth. It has its own distinctive vibe compared with the neighbouring seaside towns. It has a wonderful sandy beach with extensive dunes backing onto the championship golf course and is a popular place to enjoy forest and coastal walks, birdwatching, angling or tennis.

Q Places of Interest

Castlerock Beach

1km of golden beach between the sea cliffs of Downhill to the west and the Lower River Bann estuary known as the Barmouth to the east. The beach is a recipient of the Blue Flag Award in 2025 and has a new Swim Shelter, a great addition for sea swimmers. BT51 4RE.

St Paul's Church Articlave

Discover the history of St Paul's, built in 1691, and learn about the early history of the parish. Guided tours on request.

BT51 4UP t. +44 (0)7940 281737

Christ Church

Built in 1870 of stone from the new railway tunnel, Christ Church on Main Street, Castlerock is open daily from 9am to 5pm for visitors to explore and find some quiet.

BT51 4RA t. +44 (0)7940 281737

Castlerock to Mussenden Temple Signature Walk

Starting at Castlerock station, this 4.2-mile circular walk explores the wild, rugged headland of Downhill Estate, part of Binevenagh's Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Enjoy dramatic clifftop views over the Causeway Coast before discovering intimate gardens, historic ruins, and the iconic temple on this signature walking experience. BT51 4TL.

National Trust Mussenden Temple and Downhill Demesne

Explore Downhill Demesne's historic clifftop landscape, featuring Mussenden Temple and stunning Causeway Coast views. Discover the old bishop's house ruins, clifftop garden and arboretum with rare native and non-native species. Mussenden Temple open only during events. Car park charges apply at Lion's Gate car park.

BT51 4RP t. +44 (0)28 7084 8728

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Eleanor-Jane McCartney, Glass Artist

Eleanor-Jane McCartney designs and makes small batch fused, enamel and Tiffany glasswork. Experience one of her creative glass workshops where you will soak up the beauty and artistic atmosphere of the workshop venue at either The Boat House Gallery (a stone's throw from the Giant's Causeway) or her own studio. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT51 4XG t. +44 (0)7752 315476
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Valkyrie Craft: Classic Canoes and Hand-Crafted Paddles

Artisan craftsman John Wilkinson produces high quality handmade skin on frame canoes and kayaks and a range of made to measure paddles. John also runs a series of courses in traditional boat building and various traditional wood crafts from his picturesque self-built workshop. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail. Visits by appointment.

BT51 4SQ t. +44 (0)7722 018457
e. info@valkyriecraft.com w. valkyriecraft.com

Surf Shack

A family run surf school and café on the doorstep of the magnificent Castlerock Beach. The ideal spot to grab a cuppa and watch the world go by or grab a board and jump in the water!

BT51 4RA t. +44 (0)7740 858426
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The Chocolate Manor

Explore and experience the wonderful world of chocolate. Visit the Artisan Chocolatier's shop to purchase some of their finest handmade chocolate products or take part in a hands-on chocolate making experience and make some lasting memories with family and friends. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT51 4RA t. +44 (0)7919 332843
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Mussenden Sea Salt

'Experience Mussenden' offers dining and wellness experiences along the Causeway Coast. At the heart of what they do is authenticity, telling a story through their food, expressing the culture and heritage through a collection of unique experiences. Whether it's clifftop dining, chasing sunsets or culinary delights, these experiences offer truly unforgettable moments.

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w. mussendenseasalt.com

Floataway Downhill

Experience healing and relaxation with dry floatation therapy, infrared sauna and massage services at this unique day spa. Take time in the relaxation lounge with shaitsu massage loungers while snacking on delicious fresh fruit and enjoying a glass of prosecco. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Elements Studio

Place yourself in the hands of ceramic artist McCall Gilfillan. Experience a pottery workshop or gather a small group of friends and family to make memories and pottery in this characterful studio by Downhill Beach. Focus on throwing on a potter's wheel or creating a ceramic sculpture in this stunning setting at the foot of Mussenden Temple. Part of the Causeway Craft Trail.

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Just Jemima

Treat your kids, yourself and your group to a craft party and workshops with lots of messy, creative and sensory fun to suit all ages and abilities. Choose from experiences such as Just Jemima Wild at Art Parties, Toadstool Tots, Forest Friends Kids' workshops and adult workshops.

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Limavady

Limavady town is nestled between the picturesque Roe Valley and Binevenagh Mountain. The town itself is characterised by family-owned independent retailers, with a unique choice not found in many of the high streets. History and mythical stories make Limavady a charming and intriguing town to visit.

Q Places of Interest

Magilligan Point Nature Reserve

Located close to the tip of one of the largest sand dune systems in the British Isles, the cycling of sand around the foreland and out to the Tunns Bank at Magilligan Point has been going on for centuries. Visitors will be treated to views of seabirds using the narrows and in winter, migrating waders and wildfowl. BT49 0LP.

Binevenagh Mountain

One of the most distinctive headlands along the Causeway Coast, Binevenagh offers panoramic views over Lough Foyle, the Roe Valley, Inishowen and to the west coast of Scotland. BT49 0LL.



William Ferguson Massey Statue

A celebrated figure who lived in Limavady until he was 14, before emigrating to New Zealand. William Ferguson Massey later served as Prime Minister from 1912-1925. BT49 0EP.

Roe Valley Country Park

Combining heritage and legend with natural environment, the country park features a variety of woodland with riverside walks ranging from 2-7 miles. For the adventurous, the Northwest Orienteering Club has developed a permanent course within the park; it organises events throughout the year and produces various maps for the activity. Eat in or take away from Al's Coffee at Roe Valley Country Park, serving great coffee and food. BT49 9NN.

Martello Tower

Built during the Napoleonic Wars, it is the most northerly of the towers around the coast of Ireland, marking the entrance to Lough Foyle. BT49 0LR.

Lough Foyle Trail (GR C614 236)

Every year bird watchers are captivated by the sight of overwintering Whooper swans and Brent geese from the Arctic. Visitors will enjoy interpretive signage and paths adjacent to the shore with up to 8km of trail to explore.

Rough Fort (GR C659 230)

One of the best-preserved Rath's in Northern Ireland, dating back to AD500, the Rough Fort is regarded as the haunt of the fairies. Locals were loath to damage it for fear of retribution from the 'wee folk'.

Benone Strand

Seven miles of golden sand make it one of the longest beaches in Ireland and a natural adventure playground. Beach-side facilities include the Ark building which boasts a Sea Shed coffee dock, toilets and showers. Benone Strand was the first inclusive beach in Northern Ireland and continues to provide accessible beach equipment through ongoing partnership with the Mae Murray Foundation. BT49 0LQ.



LCDI Limavady Workhouse

Widely regarded as one of the best-preserved examples of its kind in Ireland, this evocative site offers a rare glimpse into the social history of the 19th century. First opened on 15 March 1842. Guided tours are available by appointment and provide a compelling insight into life within the workhouse walls.

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Roe Valley Ancestral Researchers (RVAR)

A registered Charity operating in the Roe Valley, assisting with projects including manning the Green Lane Museum outside Limavady in the summer months every weekend, historical walks, researching family history and rescuing green spaces including Farlow Wood, which holds a historical folly called Sampson's Tower. Tours available by appointment.

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Limavady Orange Heritage Centre

Experience a walk through time, charting the history of the Orange Order and the formation and growth of Limavady town; view artifacts from the two World Wars and an extensive collection of reading material. You can experience the Lodge room and view the Royal stirrups worn by King William at the Battle of the Boyne.

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e. LimavadyOrangeHeritage@outlook.com

Limavady Museum at Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre

The centre is home to the Limavady Museum where visitors can explore the history of Limavady and local area through a programme of temporary exhibitions, talks and workshops. An appointment can be made with Museum Services to explore other parts of the accredited collection held within purpose-built facilities.

BT49 0FJ t. +44 (0)28 7776 0650
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The Green Lane Museum

Delve into the 19th and 20th Century history of the Roe Valley with stories of rural life, including farming, local trades and the linen industry. Opened by Volunteers from Roe Valley Ancestral Researchers every weekend from Easter to September. Located within the Roe Valley Country Park.

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Carrowmena Activity

A family-run business based at the foot of Binevenagh, with over 16 years' experience offering action-packed activities, from hill walking, paddleboarding, canoeing, surfing, climbing etc. Bespoke packages include meals and accommodation in refurbished 20-35 bed School House and Glamping Pods for 30 people, perfect for large groups.

BT49 9EB t. +44 (0)28 7776 3431
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Drenagh Gardens

The gardens at Drenagh include a walled garden, an Italian garden, a moon garden, a water garden and an arboretum. Drenagh is a great place to wander in peace or take the dog for a walk. Come and explore and see magnificent plants and trees in a truly beautiful landscape.

BT49 0HP t. +44(0)7871 636 857
e. gardens@drenagh.com

Blokart World

Experience the beautiful Benone beach on a unique and well prepared 3-wheeled land sailing kart which is propelled by the wind. Booking is essential.

BT43 6NQ t. +44 (0)7703 209989
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w. blokartworld.com



Binevenagh Adventures

Experience thrilling outdoor activities like kayaking, hiking and mountain biking. Nestled in the stunning landscapes of Binevenagh, try guided tours and tailored adventures for all skill levels, perfect for nature enthusiasts and adrenaline seekers alike.

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HotBox Sea Sauna

The Original Scandi/Irish Sauna. Forget the pub, meet your friends in the sauna and unlock your natural happy with HotBox. Whether you choose Hotbox Seaside or Hotbox Countryside, this incredible experience will release a flood of endorphins that will sweep your mind and body with a world of good. Open year-round. Pre booking is required.

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Roe Valley Resort

Enjoy an 18-hole golf course in stunning surroundings while kids splash on inflatable jet skis, explore the adventure playground, arcade, helter skelter, mini 4x4s, a build your own pizza experience in Fratelli restaurant and more! Adults can take to the Leisure Facilities to enjoy the family pool, jacuzzi, sauna, and steam room – Roe Valley Resort provides fun and relaxation for all ages!

BT49 9FB t. +44 (0)28 7772 2222
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Roe Valley Arts and Cultural Centre

This award-winning arts centre provides arts and heritage events including fine art/craft/heritage exhibitions, theatre, music, film, creative learning and community arts. Spaces include the Danny Boy auditorium, dance studio, workshop and meeting rooms and a Visitor Information Centre for the area. Retail tenants include Café Steinbeck and Row by Roe craft shop.

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w. roevalleyarts.com

Benone Holiday & Leisure Park

A 4* caravan and camping holiday park with glamping pods, a nine-hole par three golf course, putting green, crazy golf, tennis courts, café, sports hall, seasonal outdoor splash pools and activity areas with play parks and direct walks to the Blue Flag beach.

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Duncrun Fishing Lakes

Providing remarkable fly and bait trout angling and accommodation in fishing lodges. Suitable for amateur and experienced anglers, catering for mountain bikers, orienteering group bookings, hiking and camping. The facilities are dog friendly.

BT49 0JD t. +44 (0)7835 604874

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Roe Valley Leisure Centre

Offering a 25-metre swimming pool, 12-metre kids pool, a 100-station fitness suite with the latest cardiovascular, strength and resistance equipment, a cardio suite, strength/conditioning area and outdoor functional area. There are 35 classes to pick from each week, a luxurious spa, kids play area and spacious hall to accommodate many different sports. Kidz Ahoy indoor play activity centre for children up to twelve years old.

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Long Line Surf - SUP - Adventure

At Benone Strand, experience surf lessons, kids' camps, SUP lessons or rentals on the River Roe at Swann's Bridge Glamping. All Long Line experiences operate within the Binevenagh Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Accredited by the ISA, this school upholds high safety standards. All instructors are certified lifeguards. Equipment hire available.

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Crindle Stables

Family-run farm and stables specialising in making horse riding accessible to everyone, from tiny tots to grandparents. Activities the family can enjoy together, including those with autism, special needs, or physical needs. Whether it's a scenic countryside trek or a beach ride, everyone will have a safe, enjoyable and unforgettable experience.

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Ulster Hang Gliding and Paragliding Club

UHPC is active throughout Northern Ireland and is affiliated with the British Hang Gliding and Paragliding Association (BHPA). In addition, they also welcome paramotor pilots and powered hang glider pilots.

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Crindle Bespoke

Family run horseback riding experiences are unique with a tailored approach, catering to all skill levels, from beginners to seasoned riders. The horses, known for their kind and gentle natures, play a pivotal role in these experiences, creating a warm and welcoming atmosphere that helps guests feel at ease.

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Cloud Surfer Ireland

Paragliding school with a difference offering paragliding training and tandem flights throughout the year over Binevenagh. If you want to enjoy the challenges that only being truly at one with the elements can provide, book an experience today.

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Northstar Wellbeing & Lifestyle

Let Nuala lead you in a unique wellbeing walk, hiking adventure or wellness retreat with a focus on positive mental health, self-care, mindfulness, connection, empowerment, fun and positivity. Nuala is a wellbeing coach and highly qualified local guide with excellent local knowledge and a fun and adventurous spirit.

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Ulster Gliding Centre

Founded in 1930, the Ulster Gliding Centre is one of only two gliding centres on the island of Ireland and is set in beautiful Bellarena on the shores of Lough Foyle, overlooking Donegal. It is run by a group of gliding and aviation enthusiasts, and is open to new members and visitors.

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Faughanvale Stables

Faughanvale Stables and Livery offers adult and child lessons in either one to one or group tuition sessions. Experience their beautiful Irish cobs and Connemara ponies on summer hacks and school holiday camps. Gift vouchers are available. Booking is essential.

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Ella Mor Adventures

Embrace the natural beauty of the Causeway Coast and Glens in the company of qualified local guide and owner of Ella Mor Outdoor Adventures, Heather Nicholl. Having grown up exploring this magical playground, Heather loves to share her childhood memories, stories, myths and legends through inspiring outdoor adventure.

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Magilligan MX Park

Five fantastic MX tracks to suit all ages and abilities. Now offering an Introduction to MX Experience for kids. Bikes and safety equipment are provided, all you have to do is turn up and ride.

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Dungiven

The market town of Dungiven (meaning Given's Fort) lies nine miles south of Limavady, near the foot of Benbradagh Mountain. The surrounding areas contain many places of historical significance including Dungiven Castle. The first castle was built by the O'Cahan clan but the existing structure was constructed by Robert Ogilby in the 1800s. It now operates as a Gael Scoil and is not open to the public.

Q Places of Interest

Dungiven Priory and O'Cahan's Tomb

The ancient Augustinian Priory was founded by the O'Cahan Clan in AD1100 and occupies a picturesque site 200ft above the River Roe. BT47 4PF.

Banagher Old Church

This impressive ruin is a religious site dating from the late 11th or early 12th century. Legend has it that sand gathered from a nearby tomb brings the beneficiary good luck. BT47 4SR.

Bovevagh Old Church

Commonly interpreted as deriving from Maeve's Church, this church has been in ruins since 1622. BT47 4NP.

Benbradagh Mountain

Lying within the Sperrin Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, it is steeped in folklore, while the summit offers a panoramic view over the Sperrins, Roe and Bann Valley and into Donegal. BT47 4QU.

Tannyranny Church

Located on the slopes of Benbradagh the remains of this old church date back to the 18th century. BT47 4QT.

Banagher Glen and Forest

Three miles south of Dungiven, off the B74 is a secluded, steep wooded glen leading to Altnaheglish Reservoir and Banagher Dam. Be inspired as you navigate a route through one of the oldest ancient oak woodlands in Ireland. Banagher Glen is a Nature Reserve and Special Area of Conservation. BT47 4PN.

Boyd's Riverside Walk

Walk along the banks of the River Roe with a lovely view of Benbradagh mountain and further afield on clear days. Grid Reference C681134.

Health & Wellness Retreats at Ballyness Resort

Ballyness is a luxury resort where you can soak in a perfect blend of rustic charm and elegant sophistication, nestled in the serene Dungiven countryside. Experience a yoga class, unwind in their private hot-tubs, relax with breath work and meditation, or enjoy a scenic guided hike with an experienced guide.

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Wanes World

Large soft play and interactive party centre for children up to 11 years.

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Dungiven Sports Centre

A spacious, modern and accessible facility providing a fitness suite, fitness class programme, dance studio, changing facilities, meeting room, kitchen, full size 3G-synthetic pitch and a sports hall where visitors can play sports including indoor soccer, basketball and netball. Awarded 'Inclusive Sports Facility Excellence Accreditation' in 2018.

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The Ponderosa Bar

Ireland's highest bar and restaurant with breath-taking views of the Sperrin Mountains, steeped in old world charm and atmosphere. Dine 7 days per week in this cosy country restaurant enjoying locally sourced foods or enjoy a pint of the black stuff in Paddy Joe's traditional Irish pub. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Golf

The Causeway Coast and Glens is a golfer's paradise—home to iconic greens, rich heritage, and champions born of wind and sea. Royal Portrush's legendary Dunluce Links, which overlooks the 13th-century Dunluce Castle, has hosted The Open three times (1951, 2019, 2025), welcoming 278,000 fans to the 153rd edition in July 2025. Portstewart's Strand Course—shaped by towering dunes and celebrated by Irish Open winner Jon Rahm—offers dramatic views across the Atlantic to Inishowen. Castlerock's Mussenden Course and Ballycastle also deliver coastal challenges and stunning scenery. For budding golfers and families, there are courses to develop their swing at less challenging par 3 or pitch and putt courses.

This rugged region has nurtured local legends: Fred Daly, Darren Clarke, and Graeme McDowell all hail from here, while Old Tom Morris, Rhona Adair, and May Hezlet helped shape Portrush into the "St Andrews of Ireland" in the 19th century. The Causeway Coast Tournament—founded in 1967—spans five days across multiple clubs and attracts hundreds from around the globe.

After your round, unwind with maritime sunsets, local seafood, and traditional craic along the Causeway Coastal Route. Whether you're a touring pro or a weekend player, the Causeway Coast and Glens delivers unforgettable golf, legendary history, and a warm welcome. Book your tee-off today!

Links Courses

Royal Portrush Golf Club

Dunluce Links - 18 Hole Championship Links Course, Par 72. Valley Links - 18 Hole Championship Links Course, Par 71.

The courses are overlooked by the ruins of the 13th century Dunluce Castle, giving its name to Royal Portrush's famous Dunluce Links, one of the most challenging golf courses in the world.

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Castlerock Golf Club

Mussenden Course - 18 Hole Championship Links Course, Par 73. Bann Course - 9 Hole Links Course, Par 68 (18 Holes).

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Portstewart Golf Club

Strand Course - 18 Hole Championship Links Course, Par 72. Riverside Course - 18 Hole Links Course, Par 68.

Founded in 1894 and home to three fine true links golf courses. The outstanding Championship Strand Course was the host for the 2017 Dubai Duty Free Irish Open.

BT55 7PG t. +44 (0)28 7083 2015
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Bushfoot Golf Club

Ulster's Oldest & Finest 9 holes since 1890 is a truly special golf experience. Par 70 (18 Holes) Golf Course.

Portballintrae, BT57 8RR t. +44 (0)28 2073 1317
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w. bushfootgolfclub.co.uk



Portstewart Golf Club – The Old Course

18 Hole Links and Parkland Course, Par 64.

Where it all began in 1894! The Old Course is an institution in its own right; the front 8 holes are perched along the rocky shore, east of Portstewart town on the Portmore Road heading to Portrush with the back 10 on the landward side.

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Cushendall Golf Club

9 Hole Course situated in the Glens of Antrim.

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Ballycastle Golf Club

18 Hole Course - 5 Holes Parkland, 13 Holes Links - Par 71

A founding member of the Golfing Union of Ireland in 1890 and situated 18 miles east of the renowned Royal Portrush Golf Club. A combination of 5 parkland & 13 link holes - together with outstanding natural vistas - offers a memorable & challenging Causeway Coast golfing experience.

BT54 6QP t. +44 (0)28 2076 2536
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Ballyreagh

Pitch and Putt and Municipal 9 Hole Course, Par 27.

Portrush, BT56 8LX
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Parkland Courses

Roe Valley Resort Golf Club

18 Hole Parkland Course, a scenic yet challenging experience for golfers of all levels. Set in beautiful countryside, the course features well-manicured greens and lush fairways. With a golf academy and driving range featuring the Toptracer range, it's perfect for both beginners and experienced players.

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Manor Golf Club

9 Hole Parkland Course, Par 64 (9 Holes).

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Benone Golf Course

Benone Golf Course is a 9-Hole, Par 3 Course. A putting green and crazy golf are available on site.

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Gracehill Golf Club

18 Hole Parkland Course, Par 72. Gracehill Golf Club is 18 holes of challenging and enjoyable golf adjacent to the world famous 'Dark Hedges'. After your round of golf enjoy a beverage in front of the fire in the 'Hickory Lounge'. Open all year to visitors and societies.

Ballymoney, BT53 8PX **t.** +44 (0)28 2075 1209
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Brown Trout Golf Course

Pay and Play 9 Hole Parkland Course, Par 70 (18 Holes) in Aghadowey.

BT51 4AD **t.** +44 (0)28 7086 8209
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Kilrea Golf Course

9 Hole Parkland/Heathland Course, Par 68 (18 Holes).

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Mini Golf

Causeway Golf Centre

A premier golfing destination featuring expansive Trackman golf bays and automatic darts scoring lanes using Scolia Pro. Ideal for all skill levels, beginners and experienced golfers alike. Enjoy a friendly atmosphere for an unforgettable golfing experience.

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Ballycastle Mini Golf

18 holes of brilliant fun for all the family. Parking facilities at Sheskburn Recreation Centre. Seasonal opening hours. Admission prices on request.

BT54 6QH t. +44 (0)28 2076 3300

Benone Holiday & Leisure Park

Crazy golf and a 9 Hole Putting Green.

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TheGolfPA.com

The Golf PA offers bespoke golf tours prepared by an experienced and skilled team, with a meet-and-greet service and preferred tee times at all the golf courses, as well as accommodation and car rental or luxury coach with an experienced driver/guide as required.

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Explore the Cinematic Magic of the Causeway Coast and Glens

The Causeway Coast and Glens isn't just a feast for the eyes—it's a star on the screen. With its dramatic cliffs, ancient castles, and sweeping beaches, this region has played a leading role in some of the world's most iconic films and television series. Whether you're a die-hard fan or a curious explorer, step into the scenes and stories that have captivated millions.

Aquaholics Sea Safaris

This is your opportunity to experience a unique Game of Thrones® filming location tour. Used during the production of the hit show, the crew onboard Aquaholics will give you unique insights into the scenes and the stunts. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Giant Tours Ireland

Providing small group, multi-award-winning private Game of Thrones® and Causeway Coast tours. Get off the beaten track to see incredible locations. A private tour with local guide Flip of iconic scenes and epic scenery. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

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Game of Thrones® Legacy

HBO's Game of Thrones® transformed the region's landscape into Westeros. Visit the hauntingly beautiful Dark Hedges (The Kingsroad), Ballintoy Harbour (Lordsport Harbour and Pyke), and Murlough Bay (Slavers Bay and Renly's Camp). With 10 filming locations in the region, fans can relive epic moments while soaking in the natural beauty.

Have your *Journey of Doors* Passport stamped at four locations; Frank Owens - Limavady, Fullerton Arms - Ballintoy, The Hedges Hotel - Stranocum and Mary McBride's - Cushendun. And pick up a copy of the Game of Thrones® Filming Locations Map at our Visitor Information Centres.

Giant's Causeway on the Big Screen

Northern Ireland's first UNESCO World Heritage Site, the Giant's Causeway, has featured in *Hellboy II: The Golden Army* and *Dracula Untold*, Your Highness and Cold Feet. Its otherworldly basalt columns make it a perfect stand-in for mythical realms. How To Train your Dragon featured the Causeway too as well as Dunseverick Castle and Murlough Bay.

Rathlin Island

The Last Right" is a 2019 film that features Rathlin Island as the final destination for a road trip.

Ballycastle

Four Letters of Love starring Pierce Brosnan and Helena Bonham Carter was filmed in part in Ballycastle and released in July 2025.

Dunluce Castle and Whiterocks Beach

These stunning spots appeared in Disney's *Artemis Fowl*, adding a touch of fantasy to the rugged coastline. Dunluce Castle's dramatic ruins are a must-see for history and film lovers alike.

Portrush

The Derry Girls episode featuring Portrush is "Stranger on a Train," where the Quinn and McCool families take a day trip to the seaside town for an annual trip to Barry's Amusements - now Curry's.

Food & Drink

Discover delicious food and drink in Causeway Coast and Glens. Thanks to the landscape, there is a variety of homegrown produce used in our eateries to create tasty dishes.

Feeling thirsty? You've got plenty of choice with locally produced gin, beer, and whisky on offer across the destination. If you're not sure where to start, why not enjoy a foodie trail or try one of the many food and drink experiences? Bring your appetite, be ready to try anything and prepare to be surprised by the taste and experience of food and drink in the Causeway Coast and Glens. Don't miss the opportunity to discover Taste Causeway, a collective of local food and drink producers dedicated to showcasing the best of the region's produce. Taste Causeway is an All-Ireland Foodie Destination Award Winner and an accredited Slow Food Destination.

w. [visitcausewaycoastandglens.com/food-and-drink](https://www.visitcausewaycoastandglens.com/food-and-drink)
w. [tastecauseway.com](https://www.tastecauseway.com)



Discovery Routes and Trails

Cycling

Cyclists are spoilt for choice for great cycling routes in Causeway Coast and Glens. With a choice of inland and coastal ways suitable for all levels of ability, you can enjoy a memorable experience on two wheels.

Eagle's Glen Cycle Route (14 miles)

A hilly trail on the picturesque Glenullin Valley, exploring the Errigal landscape and Garvagh forest.

The Lower Bann Cycleway (45 miles)

Cycle between Toome and Castlerock following the Lower Bann River corridor from Lough Neagh to where the river enters the Atlantic Ocean at The Barmouth near Castlerock.

Bann Valley Cycle Route (15 miles)

Linking Garvagh and Kilrea on quiet country roads, this route traverses the fertile landscape of the Bann Valley, with views beyond towards the Antrim Hills.

The Banagher Cycle Route (28 miles)

A challenging trail, circling the foothills of the Sperrin Mountains and passing through uplands, farmlands, towns and villages

Causeway Coast Cycle Route - Route 93 (23 miles)

This stunning 23-mile cycle route runs along the North Atlantic coast from the Giant's Causeway to Castlerock via Coleraine on sections of National Cycle Network Route 93. Points of interest along the way include the Giant's Causeway, Portstewart Strand and Mussenden Temple.



International Appalachian Trail

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For the ultimate challenge, walkers can follow the 284 mile / 457km route that traverses Causeway Coast and Glens. The Ulster-Ireland chapter of the International Appalachian Trail is part of one of the world's largest trail networks and includes stunning landscapes, world-class attractions and experiences whilst taking in Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, World Heritage sites, forestry and stunning coastlines. Get your walking boots on and familiarise yourself with the places and people you can expect to come across along the way.

Walking

Walking in the Causeway Coast and Glens offers endless possibilities. Taking in the incredible scenery on foot can be as challenging or relaxing as you choose. From strolling along our many miles of golden, sandy beaches, to following marked trails through forests, past waterfalls, to mountain tops and through valleys, there is a walk to suit everyone.

The Moyle Way (27 miles/42km)

Connecting the coastal settlements of Ballycastle and Waterfoot, it runs through the heart of the Glens of Antrim, taking the walker through an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty and a land of geology, wildlife, history and folklore. Following a mixture of forest tracks and remote upland moor, the 42km route traverses the slopes of Trostan, Antrim's highest summit at 550m. The mountain sections can be wet and rough underfoot. Full navigation skills are required in bad weather.

The Causeway Coast Way (33 miles/52km)

Walk along Northern Ireland's most celebrated coastline, connecting the coastal resorts of Portstewart and Ballycastle. The 52km route includes sandy beaches, dramatic cliff paths, iconic viewpoints and world famous historic and natural landmarks. With frequent access points, including car parking and facilities, and terrain suitable for all fit walkers, this route provides walking opportunities for a wide range of users.

The North Sperrins Way (37 miles/60km)

Connecting Dungiven and Castlerock this route provides an upland trail experience across open mountain and forest. It traverses higher ground forming the northern foothills of the Sperrin Mountains, passing notable landscape features including Benbradagh and Binevenagh, with spectacular views over Lough Foyle towards Donegal.

Heritage Trails and Driving Routes

Delve into the history of Causeway Coast and Glens by following all or any of the Heritage Trails. Details on all the trails can be found on www.visitcausewaycoastandglens.com or at a local Visitor Information Centre. Uncover our wonderful street art and colourful creations across our towns.

Ballycastle Heritage Trail

Discover the stories of the town and the culture and heritage; historic buildings, music and legends, as well as the industrial and maritime heritage of Ballycastle.

Bushmills Heritage Trail

This walking trail links the Giant's Causeway with the village, the Millennium Park and the Old Bushmills Distillery.

Historic Kilrea Walking Heritage Trail

Kilrea offers several other scenic walks as well as a town walk. Guided walks are available.

Garvagh Heritage Trail

A discovery trail exploring the town and its hinterland, with a mix of built and natural heritage sites in the foothills of The Sperrins

Discover Portrush Heritage Trail

A self-guided tour exploring the rich, significant natural, historic, built and archaeological heritage of Portrush, together with past traditions and practices. Download their free App available for Android and iOS mobile platforms.

Ballymoney Heritage Guided Trail

A self-guided tour through the town's finest built heritage.

The Causeway Coastal Route

The ultimate driving experience in Northern Ireland follows a stunning 120-mile route from Belfast to Derry~Londonderry, hugging the coastline and delivering spectacular views of the countryside and the wild Atlantic. Meet the locals in the pretty villages and seaside towns and walk for miles on golden beaches. It's little wonder the Causeway Coastal Route has been named as one of the top Epic Drives of the World by Lonely Planet.

Myths and Legends Sculpture Trail

Embark on a journey of discovery, of myths and legends and the area's most celebrated and notorious tales. Discover the essence and legacies of Limavady, captured within seven exceptional works of art, depicting the stories in a most original way. (Available from Limavady Visitor Information Centre.)

The Earl Bishop Trail

Extending from the Giant's Causeway to Derry~Londonderry, The Earl Bishop Trail links places associated with the charismatic cleric, Bishop Frederick Augustus Hervey.

Limavady Heritage Trail

Discover lesser-known and less-visited sites of historical interest.

Echoes of the Causeway Heritage Trail

Download the Echoes of the Causeway Heritage Trail app and be lured off the beaten track to eight hidden gems in the Causeway Coast and Glens.

The North Sperrins Heritage Trail

This driving trail closely follows a section of the North Sperrins Scenic Route drawing attention to sites of historical interest that may have previously been overlooked.

The Navigation & Plantation Historical Touring Route

Focusing on the town of Coleraine, the River Bann and the Ulster Plantation, this driving route takes you on a journey from past to present through beautiful landscape, dramatic scenery and hidden lands.

Round The Ramparts Heritage Trail

Coleraine's rich history is brought to life through interpretive panels and street signage on this self-guided tour.

The 1718 Heritage Trail

This trail visits the places where families who left Ulster in 1718 to travel to the 'New World' came from, and journeys through the Bann Valley, taking in Coleraine, Aghadowey, Macosquin, Dunboe, Ballywillan, Garvagh, Kilrea and Ballymoney.



Économusée

Discover the Économusée Experience: Where Tradition Comes to Life. Step into the world of traditional craftsmanship with Économusée – Artisans at Work, a unique tourism experience inspired by Québec. Watch skilled artisans in action as they create handmade works of art and gain insight into the rich history and cultural heritage behind each craft.

More than just a visit, Économusée offers an immersive journey into heritage-rich techniques passed down through generations. With internationally recognised workshops across Canada, Greenland, Iceland, the Faroe Islands, Sweden, Norway, Haiti, Northern Ireland, and Ireland, you're never far from a story worth discovering.

Learn more at: artisansaloeuvre.com/en

Ursa Minor

Sourdough bakery, café space and larder provisions with a seasonal, local focus. Bread, viennoiserie and patisserie-style, sweet and savoury pastries baked daily on site. Honest, contemporary Irish bakes using the best ingredients available, excellent tea and coffee, and unique products and gifts. Also host baking classes, supper clubs and events.

Ballycastle, BT54 6AA
e. ursaminorbakehouse@gmail.com
w. ursaminor-bakery.com

The Chocolate Manor

Producing luxurious, hand-crafted chocolate, personalised for you, is only a small, but delicious, part of what they do at The Chocolate Manor. As well as creating unique and indulgent treats, they offer a range of experiences that reveal the mysteries of the wonderful world of chocolate. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

Castlerock, BT51 4RA t. +44 (0)7919 332843
e. geri@thechocolatemanor.com
w. thechocolatemanor.com



Fidela Coffee Roasters

Roasting and serving coffee that has come direct from family and friends' farms which are situated on the mountains of Nariño in the south of Colombia. The Fidela team is passionate about all things coffee and take great joy in sharing their knowledge with those who want to learn. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 2JR t. +44 (0) 7464 437166
e. jen@fidelacoffee.com w. fidelacoffee.com

North Coast Smokehouse

A family-run business, specialising in smoking goods naturally, particularly smoke-roasted organic salmon, smoked sea salt, smoked pepper and smoked dulce seaweed. Visit artisans Ruairidh and Melanie at their 'micro smokery' and experience the traditional craft of food smoking. Operating part time hours, advance booking is essential to avoid disappointment. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

Ballycastle, BT54 6EZ t. +44 (0)7835 403340
e. info@northcoastsmokehouse.com
w. northcoastsmokehouse.com

Broughgammon Farm

An award-winning family farm offering tours, farm to fork supper-clubs, workshops, foraging and a peek into the workings of a Northern Irish farm. The farm shop is open every Friday-Sunday from 11am-4pm with farmhouse bakes, seasonal menu, local artisan gifts and Irish cheese. Bespoke tours and supper clubs available on request.

Ballycastle, BT54 6NP
t. +44 (0)7435 765845
e. info@broughgammon.com
w. broughgammon.com

Brighter Gold Rapeseed Oil

Experience Broglasco Farm where rapeseed is harvested to produce Brighter Gold Rapeseed Oil. Visitors can watch the artisans at work and learn about the processes used. Gift shop open until 4pm Monday to Thursday and Friday 9am to 1pm. Closed Saturday and Sunday.

Myroe, Limavady, BT49 9DY
t. +44 (0)7912 076607
e. info@brightergold.com
w. brightergold.com

Tours & Tour Guides

Mussenden Trail Tours

With over 15 years' experience of guiding visitors around Northern Ireland's amazing Causeway Coast, Bob loves to share his passion for history, myth & storytelling in the place that is home to him. His tours include guided walks around Downhill Demesne and Castlerock village.

BT51 4XW t. +44 (0)7826 537173
e. mussendentrailtours@gmail.com

Hinterland Tours

Explore beyond the ordinary with a professional accredited guide based in the beautiful Roe Valley. Experience a mythical adventure on the Causeway Coast discovering the places other visitors don't see.

t. +44 (0)7803 310516
e. hinterlandtoursireland@gmail.com

Little North Coast Tours

Enjoy a personalised bespoke tour of the beautiful Causeway Coast and surrounding area. Tours are tailored to your individual needs, so you have a unique experience. Visit the Giant's Causeway, Bushmills Distillery or Ballintoy Harbour to name but a few, or enjoy a stroll on one of our beautiful beaches. Airport transfers from all Northern Ireland airports.

Ballymoney, BT53 7HX
t. +44 (0)7764 469006
e. donna@littlenorthcoasttours.co.uk

Nutt Travel Coleraine

A long-established local, family-run business with over 30 years of experience. Offering short breaks, camping and touring packages for both self-drive and guided tours to suit individuals or groups.

t. +44 (0)28 7035 1199

e. info@nuttttravel.com w. nuttttravel.com

Photography Tours NI

Experience a tour of the beautiful Causeway Coast with a professional photographer as your guide. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 1WB t. +44 (0)7850 334580

e. clementdealey@btinternet.com

w. facebook.com/photographulster

Causeway Coast Foodie Tours

Join local food and drink ambassador, Wendy Gallagher, and discover tastes and stories of Northern Ireland's spectacular Causeway Coast. Join award-winning guided tours celebrating local producers, chefs and artisans. From farm-to-fork flavours, seafood, craft gins and ales, enjoy authentic experiences connecting food, people and place along this world-famous coastal route. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 1JE t. +44 (0)7912 408256

e. causewayfoodie@gmail.com

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Discover Portrush Walking Tours

Enjoy a gentle 90-minute walk with trained and accredited local guides as they share personal memories of this remarkable coastal town. Each tour reveals untold stories, heritage, people, and landscapes. As a socially driven initiative, every step helps sustain Portrush's community and keep its giant spirit alive.

BT56 8JJ t. +44 (0)7763967675

e. chairman.portrushheritage@gmail.com

w. discoverportrush.com

Glenara Elite Tours & Travel

Tour operator and luxury transport operator delivering private tours, golf transport and airport transport. You'll be impressed with their punctual pick-ups and bespoke, flexible services. The luxury coach tours are kept small and private for a more personalised experience. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT52 1JY t. +44 (0)7718 805633

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About Ulster

Guided tours in English and German.
Blue Badge Guide specialising in geology,
nature, gardens, legends, Christian heritage,
and whiskey.

BT54 6NE t. +44 (0)7779 319676
e. petra@aboutulster.com

Sam Turtle Tourist Guide

Blue Badge tourist guide with 20 years' experience with excellent agricultural and countryside knowledge.

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e. saturtle@hotmail.com

Dr. Tim Conway, Blue Badge Guide

This Blue Badge tour guide specialises in Irish history, golf tours, genealogical research, Giant's Causeway and Derry~Londonderry. Small group boat tours are available from Portrush Harbour.

t. +44 (0)7802 957567 / +353 (0)83 8838483
w. irelandnorth.com

Rathlin Walking Tours

Bespoke walking tours for small groups on Rathlin Island and the Causeway Coast with an experienced, qualified and insured guide. Rathlin is good at any time of the year but if you're interested in birds why not take a walking tour from late April to mid-July.

BT51 3RH t. +44 (0)7745 566924
e. paul.quinn33@hotmail.co.uk
w. rathlinwalkingtours.com

Turais Chois Abhann Doinne (Cushendun Tours)

Based in Cushendun in the beautiful Glens of Antrim, providing bespoke walking tours focusing on the landscape, music/dance, culture, arts and heritage of the Glens and surrounding areas. Tours are tailored to suit individuals and groups needs by Jude who is from Cushendun and is a qualified guide registered with Tourism NI. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

BT44 0NS t. +44 (0)7510 356702
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Causeway Boats Coastal Sightseeing Tours

Private skippered hire of a fast RIB speedboat. Whether you want to swim in crystal-clear waters, spot seals and seabirds, visit iconic locations like the Giants Causeway or Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge – it's your time to enjoy. Departing from your choice of Portrush, Portstewart, Portballintrae... this is your tour, your way.

BT56 8DF t. +44 (0)7712 115751
e. info@causewayboats.com
w. causewayboats.com

Causeway Ramblings

Antony Macnaghten of the renowned Clan Macnaghten guides a dramatic 2.2-mile walking tour of the Causeway Cliffs, telling tales of castles and caves, treasure and treachery, heroes and hermits. Tours depart from Bushmills at 2pm daily Monday to Saturday. Pre-booking essential. Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

e. antonymacnaghten@yahoo.co.uk

Giant Tours Ireland

Providing small group, multi-award-winning Game of Thrones® and Causeway Coast tours. Get off the beaten track to see incredible locations. A tour with local guide Flip of iconic scenes and epic scenery! Bookable directly and through the Visitor Information Centres.

t. +44 (0)7555 665900
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Northern Ireland Premier Tours

Enjoy an exclusive guided tour experience with a focus on the Glens of Antrim, the Giant's Causeway and the Causeway Coast. Featuring a living, breathing story told by passionate locals and great characters, ready to ensure you have an unforgettable experience.

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Tommy Collins MBE Blue Badge Guide

Tommy likes to share his knowledge with you, with his interests including walking in rural Ireland, vintage vehicles, local history, folklore, Irish and Scottish traditional music, ornithology, conservation, Ulster Scots history, Pre-Christian Ireland and farm tours. Tours can be planned for church groups, tourists and conference delegates.

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Causeway Craft Trail

Discover the traditional and contemporary arts and crafts businesses that thrive in Causeway Coast and Glens. The Causeway Craft Trail is a fascinating route for visitors to explore, taking you off the beaten path and into some of the hidden gems of this beautiful region. Visit artists and craftspeople in the places that inspire them while observing them at work - see individual maker websites for news on workshops and Open Studio events.

Crafters, Artists and Makers

1. Frankie Creith Art @ Troggs Surf Store, Portrush
2. The Boat House Gallery and Studio, near the Giant's Causeway
3. Maker's House at The Designerie, The Courthouse Bushmills
4. Atlantic Craft NI, outside Portrush
5. Fiona Shannon Ceramics, Portstewart
6. Adam Frew Ceramics, Aghadowey
7. The Blackheath Pottery, between Coleraine and Garvagh
8. Benefield Spencer Glass, Ballintoy
9. Valkyrie Craft Boatmakers, Castlerock
10. Elements Studio Arts and Crafts, Downhill
11. Patricia Millar Ceramics Studio, Bushmills
12. Zara McLaughlin Studio, Ballymoney

w. visitcausewaycoastandglens.com/explore/craft-trail



Events

Keep an eye on visitcauseway.com and our social media pages for exact event dates and details closer to the time.

March 2026

Causeway Coast and Glens Walking Festival

Take part in incredible walks in the stunning Glens along with expert guides from Far and Wild.

Fri 17 & Sat 18 April

Ballymoney Spring Fair

Two fantastic days of festival fun as Ballymoney transforms into a cascade of colours, free fun carnival games and activities, live music and market stalls.

Mon 4 – Sat 9 May

NW200 Race Week Festival

Enjoy exhibitions, bike displays, chat shows, meet the riders session, live music, fireworks and exhilarating motorcycle racing across the 8.9 mile triangle circuit.

Thurs 21 – Sun 31 May

Rathlin Sound Festival

The long and rich coastal traditions of Ballycastle and Rathlin Island are showcased during this festival celebrating local cuisine, live music and exciting maritime treasures.

Sat 20 June

Armed Forces Day – Coleraine

Thousands of people are expected for a full day of free entertainment to honour members of the British Armed Forces, including currently serving troops, veterans, and their families.

July & August

Summer Theatre Programme

Watch, laugh or get involved if you dare as this year's Summer Street Theatre returns animating the seaside resorts of Ballycastle, Portrush and Portstewart.

Sat 8 August

Summer Entertainment & Fireworks Evening Portrush

Portrush Free summer concert at Ramore Head with live music, entertainment and a magnificent fireworks finale and live entertainment.


Sat 22 – Tues 25 August

Ould Lammas Fair

Ireland's oldest fair returns to the beautiful seaside resort of Ballycastle for another year of trading, bargaining, agricultural heritage and a programme packed with entertainment.

Fri 2 – Sun 4 October

Bushmills Salmon and Whiskey Festival incorporating longer duration food & drink experiences across the Borough. Celebrating the local heritage, food sampling and fine produce in the area, with three days of fantastic entertainment and activities spread across the village.



**Ballymoney Sat 24, Coleraine Tues 27,
Limavady Thurs 29 Ballycastle Sat 31
October – Halloween**

Various Halloween events taking place across the Borough in Ballycastle, Ballymoney, Coleraine and Limavady with music, spooky characters, entertainment and fireworks.

Thurs 12 – Sun 15 November
Atlantic Sessions

Free live music held across the weekend in various venues in Portrush and Portstewart.

**Ballymoney Thurs 19, Limavady Sat 21,
Ballycastle Thurs 26, Coleraine, Fri 27
November – Christmas**

Christmas lights switch-on festivities will see Santa make several visits to help switch on the beautiful twinkling Christmas lights in each town.

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How to Get Here

The Causeway Coast and Glens destination can be easily accessed by air with three airports within a 90-minute drive: Belfast International Airport, George Best Airport and City of Derry Airport with direct flights from international destinations. It is also less than 3 hours' drive from Dublin Airport.

Belfast International Airport

11.5 miles northwest of Belfast, this airport is conveniently located for your visit.

BT29 4AB t. +44 (0)28 9448 4848
e. feedback@bfs.aero
w. belfastairport.com

Belfast City Airport

Situated just a five-minute drive from Belfast City Centre. Named the UK and Ireland's Most Convenient Airport, it is the perfect place to begin your visit to Causeway Coast and Glens, with the choice to fly from a range of destinations with blue-chip airlines.

BT3 9JH t. +44 (0)28 9093 9093
e. info@bca.aero w. belfastcityairport.com

City of Derry Airport Eglinton

Located just 10 minutes from Derry~Londonderry and beautifully positioned between the world-renowned Causeway Coastal Route and the Wild Atlantic Way, the Airport serves as the main gateway for the entire North West of Ireland. Single-ticket fares are available from 119 international airports, with direct UK services available with easyJet, Loganair and Ryanair year-round.

BT47 3GY t. +44 (0) 28 7181 0784
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P&O Ferries

Reach Belfast and Larne via Cairnryan.

t. +44 (0)1304 44 88 88
e. customer.services@poferries.com
w. poferries.com

Stenaline

Daily sailings to and from Northern Ireland from Scotland or Liverpool, by foot or by car. Get in touch via their online contact form.

BT3 9JL t. +44 3447 707 070
w. stenaline.co.uk

Rathlin Ferry

Operating two ferries across the Sea of Moyle between Rathlin Island and Ballycastle Harbour. 18 Bayview Road, Ballycastle.

BT54 6BT e. info@rathlin-ferry.com
w. rathlin-ferry.com

Nutt Travel Coleraine

Specialising in ferry crossings from UK, Ireland, Isle of Man and European routes. Whether it is by foot or coach, for business, leisure or sport, they offer short breaks, camping and touring packages for both self-drive and guided tours to suit individuals or groups. Visit their website for live chat.

BT52 2DH t. +44 (0)28 7035 1199
w. nutttravel.com

Kintyre Express

Campbeltown to Ballycastle passenger ferry service (seasonal service). Journey time is approximately 1 hour 30 minutes. Storage for luggage, golf clubs and bikes.

Ballycastle to Port Ellen passenger ferry service. Journey time is approximately 1 hour. Taste of Islay trip with tour of Ardbeg Distillery, Benmhor, Campbeltown, Argyll, PA28 6DN

t. +44 (0)15 8655 5895 e. info@kintyreexpress.com
w. kintyreexpress.com

Lough Foyle Ferry

Providing a seasonal ferry route from Easter-October between Magilligan Point and Greencastle, Co. Donegal. (Service under review - check website for details). Greencastle, Co. Donegal.

t. ROI: 1800 938 004 / NI: 0800 471 4665
e. info@loughfoyleferry.com
w. loughfoyleferry.com

Translink: NI Railways & Ulsterbus

Translink provides bus and rail services throughout Northern Ireland and cross border. Discover the Causeway Coast with NI Railways, taking one of the world's great railway journeys between Derry-Londonderry and Coleraine, so allowing you to experience the stunning and breathtaking scenery of the spectacular Causeway coastline. The Antrim Coaster 252 ticket (seasonal) is terrific for a day out, or look out for the Causeway Rambler 172/402 service, which offers reliable and comfortable bus travel for both local people and visitors.

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Visitor Information Centres

Ballycastle Visitor Information Centre

Portnagree House Harbour & Marina Visitor Centre, 14 Bayview Road, Ballycastle, BT54 6BT

t. +44 (0)28 2076 2024

e. visitor.information@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Ballymoney Visitor Information Centre

Ballymoney Town Hall, 1 Townhead Street, Ballymoney, BT53 6BE

t. +44 (0)28 2766 0230

e. visitor.information@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Bushmills Visitor Information Centre

Main Street, Bushmills, BT57 8QA

t. +44 (0)28 2073 0390 (seasonal opening)

e. visitor.information@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Limavady Visitor Information Centre

Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre, 24 Main St, Limavady, BT49 0FJ

t. +44 (0)28 7776 0650

e. visitor.information@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Portrush Visitor Information Centre

Portrush Town Hall, 2 Kerr Street, Portrush, BT56 8DG

t. +44 (0)28 7082 3333 (seasonal opening)

e. visitor.information@causewaycoastandglens.gov.uk

Rathlin Boathouse Visitor Centre

Church Bay, Rathlin Island, BT54 6RT

t. +44 (0)28 2076 0054 (seasonal opening)

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Tourism information is also available from:

Cushendall Local Information Office

Old School House, Cushendall, BT44 0RR

t. +44 (0)28 2177 1180

e. antrimhistory@gmail.com

Giant's Causeway Visitor Information Centre

44 Causeway Road, Bushmills, BT57 8SU

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e. giantscasewaytic@nationaltrust.org.uk

w. nationaltrust.org/giants-causeway

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