

Mansfield Visitor Guide



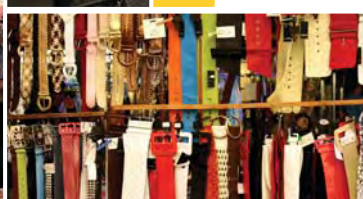
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Mansfield
Visitor Guide

Excitement, action, culture,
relaxation, education, entertainment
Mansfield's got it all!

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When standing in the bustling market place, a busy bar or shopping till you drop in one of the many retail outlets, it's hard to believe that if you took a 15 minute drive in any direction you'd be in rural surroundings. Being on the fringe of Sherwood Forest has its benefits;

All the convenience of a city with the escape of the countryside.

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Welcome to the District of Mansfield

Inside this guide you'll find all the information you need to know about where to go, what to do and where to stay when you visit the largest town in Nottinghamshire.

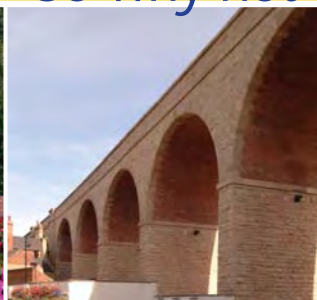
Mansfield is a truly distinctive and diverse place, with a traditional market heritage, busy nightlife and emerging art scene. Regeneration projects continue to transform the town and surrounding district in terms of retail, leisure, housing and industry; all making Mansfield a desirable place to work, rest and play.

Its ideal location, in the heart of Nottinghamshire, makes it a perfect destination for a day trip or short break.

Spend your time in the great outdoors or explore the legacy of the past of the town's fascinating industrial heritage, churches, viaducts and family attractions including nine local nature reserves, numerous parks, Mansfield Museum, Making it! Discovery Centre, Mansfield Palace Theatre and the East Midlands' best indoor water attraction - Water Meadows.

The 700-year-old market runs six days a week, while monthly farmers markets are stocked with local produce. The markets are complemented by shopping centres, retail parks and department stores along with boutiques and specialist stores.

So why not explore...



Mansfield is an ancient town, believed to have existed since Celtic times...

The town is mentioned in the Domesday Book and was used as a temporary residence by Mercian Kings.

Mansfield's Market Town status dates back centuries with a Markets Charter being granted by Henry III in 1227 followed by a grant of fair in 1337. Mansfield in the 18th Century is encapsulated in the play by Robert Dodsley entitled the King & Miller of Mansfield. Based on a ballad about a local miller, John Cockle, who shelters King Henry II after he becomes lost in the forest and feeds on venison poached from the royal forest.

Mansfield's Industrial Heritage

Mansfield is probably better known for its coal mining history, which saw the town boom economically in the 20th century. However, the brewing and malting industry put Mansfield on the map as a producer of ales and beers and leaves remnants in the former brewery, being the home to Making it! Discovery Centre - one of Nottinghamshire's family attractions.

Mansfield sandstone is still used locally and nationally. The mines are now replaced with high quality business parks bringing a new wave of prosperity to the town.

Mansfield Market Place

The Market Place represents the life of the town centre with a busy atmosphere, surrounded by fine architecture and steeped in history, the Market Place has many tales to tell about Mansfield over the years.

The Market Place make over project was named as a Gold Standard Winner in the 2006 Town Centre Environment Awards held by the British Council of Shopping Centres.

Around the District of Mansfield

Apart from its urban heart, the District of Mansfield has 183 acres of local nature reserves, numerous parks and a number of very attractive villages and farmland within its borders, yet it is only fifteen miles from Nottingham.

Mansfield Woodhouse

Mansfield Woodhouse lies to the north of Mansfield Town Centre. It has a busy high street and is well known for its Manor House, which in recent years has been converted into luxury apartments.



The St Edmunds Church, of Saxon origin, was burnt down as was most of the village in 1304. In Medieval times the town was populated by farmers and quarry men, the stone built village on the traditional medieval plan is still existent on the main high street and the back lanes to the north and south of the town. The local magnesium limestone provided most of the stone for the Houses of Parliament.

Clerkson Hall was the centre for the Duke of Portland's Estates Office and remains to this day a large house in the centre of the village. Mansfield Woodhouse came alive in 1902 when Sherwood Colliery sank, and as with many other surrounding villages thrived as a mining community.

Warsop

Situated to the north of the district lie the villages of Market Warsop, Church Warsop, Warsop Vale and Meden Vale. The name Warsop is of Saxon origin. The Domesday Book entry in 1086 records that there was a church, a priest and a hill in Warsop. In more recent years Warsop was known for its mining community, however, its early settlers consisted of tradesmen including farmers, millers, blacksmiths and coopers to name a few.

The Carrs is a beautiful place of recreation for visitors with the River Meden running through it. It lies on the border of Church and Market Warsop. The Watermill, rebuilt in 1767 and restored in 1924, is open to the public and retails flour and animal feed. The Medieval Town Hall, restored in 1972, is now the Parish Centre. The Parish dates from 1100.

Warsop Vale

This area was purpose built by the Staveley Coal and Iron Company for the purpose of housing the workforce employed by them working at Warsop Main Colliery (1894). This village has real community spirit and is typical of pit villages in having social and recreational facilities for the community, along with over 200 allotments for self sustainability.

Forest Town

Situated towards the east of the district and bordering with Newark & Sherwood, Forest Town is another example of a purpose built village developed for housing workers of the Mansfield (Crown Farm) Colliery in 1904. Prior to this, the area was used for agriculture, moorland and woodland.

Forest Town has a pretty row of shops along with recreational facilities and is a popular residential location. St Albans Church, prominent on the main cross road, is known for containing Commonwealth War graves from the First World War.

With thanks to the Old Warsop Society, the Old Mansfield Society and Old Mansfield Woodhouse Society, and local historians for their contribution to this section.

The Four Seasons Shopping Centre is undeniably Mansfield's hot spot for retail therapy...

The Four Seasons Shopping Centre is open 7 days a week, offering an abundance of top high street stores and guest craft stalls. Exit the Four Seasons Shopping Centre onto West Gate and the retail offer continues in both directions spilling out on to the Buttercross and the Market Place.



Heading out of the town centre towards the outer ring road, you will find recently built retail parks. **St. Peter's Retail Park** is home to outlets such as Next, TK Maxx and other well known companies.

Portland Retail Park is home to shops ranging from home improvements and DIY through to sportswear and office supplies. Both retail parks are a short walk from the bus station and train station and have their own car parks (charges apply). You can walk between the two retail parks over Mansfield's state of the art, custom made footbridge.

Only a 15 minute drive away from Mansfield, heading out on the A38 towards the Derbyshire border, lies the **East Midlands Designer Outlet** (t: 01773 545000). Bag a bargain here! Outlets are strewn with designer delights; clothes, homeware, outdoor pursuits, sportswear, you name it, East Midlands Designer Outlet has it.

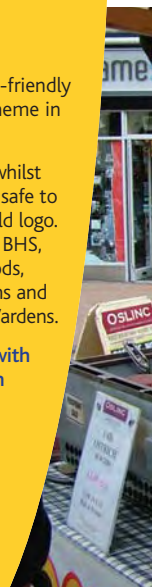


CHILD SAFETY

To emphasise Mansfield's reputation for family-friendly shopping, the town centre has a Child Safe Scheme in operation.

Should you become separated from your child whilst shopping in Mansfield, teach your child that it's safe to go and ask for help where they see the Safe Child logo. The stores taking part in this scheme are: Argos, BHS, Co-op Department Store, Debenhams, Littlewoods, Marks and Spencer, Mothercare, Tesco, Wilkinsons and Woolworths, together with Mansfield's Street Wardens.

Staff in these stores have been trained to deal with lost children as part of our Safe Child Scheme in the town centre.



Mansfield's Speciality Markets are extremely popular, enjoyable events for locals and visitors alike...

More recently, Mansfield has hosted a number of Speciality Markets throughout the year, including the European Market (twice a year, in summer and autumn) where the streets are lined with people with fine produce, plants and crafts from the continent.

Arts and crafts markets, ceramics and auctions are all to be hosted regularly and provide a great day out for all ages.

CHRISTMAS TIME

Christmas time is a particular favourite, combining a seven day market with a traditional Victorian Market event.

FARMERS MARKETS 2007	
16th Jan	New Year, New You
20th Feb	Chinese New Year
20th March	Easter Fun
17th April	Gardening Question Time
15th May	How local Honey is Made
19th June	Summer Sizzlers
17th July	Craft Demonstration
21st Aug	Seaside Comes to Mansfield
18th Sept	Harvest Cooking
16th Oct	Halloween Fun
20th Nov	Winter Warmers
18th Dec	Victorian Market

For information, please contact The Markets Office on 01623 463733

EVENTS IN MANSFIELD MARKET PLACE 2007

Sat 28th April
CRAFT MARKET
Special Event Organisers U.K. 20-25 Stalls.

Thurs, Fri, Sat 10th 11th 12th May
CONTINENTAL MARKET
Free holiday to be won for two people in Champagne, France.

Fri 27th July
VOLUNTEERS MARKET AND EVENT
Mansfield CVS.

Thurs, Fri, Sat 23rd 24th 25th August
OLD TIME FAIRGROUND
Traditional fairground rides.

Thurs, Fri, Sat 11th 12th 13th October
MELTING POT MARKET
European, Asian, African themed market and entertainment event.

Thurs, Fri 29th 30th November Sat December 1st
CRAFT AND COLLECTABLES MARKET
Held in conjunction with Mansfield Museum.



Market Times

Market	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Main Market	✓			✓	✓	✓	
Flea Market		✓					
Flea/Fruit & Veg Market	✓		✓				
Westgate Stalls				✓	✓	✓	
Buttercross				✓	✓	✓	

Culture/Arts/Attractions

Mansfield enjoys a vibrant cultural scene. Residents and visitors have not only been entertained by The Palace Theatre for nearly one hundred years and a Museum for over one hundred years, it has had an active voluntary arts scene for just as long. Many groups still produce acclaimed shows each year, providing opportunities for people to get involved in the arts at all levels.

Artists, arts groups and audiences in Mansfield are supported by arts around Mansfield. As the main discussion, development and advocacy forum, it is a useful resource for these groups, while also seeking to increase and diversify the market for the arts. www.artsaroundmansfield.co.uk contains all the latest news and events information for the arts in Mansfield District.

For people working in the creative industries sector, The Greenhouse is a network for you. The Greenhouse is a free service offering business support and skills development, regular networking events and through its website www.creativegreenhouse.org.uk it keeps you up-to-date with all the latest news and event information as well as giving you the opportunity to showcase your business.

Mansfield's cultural hub is based on Leeming Street. Here you will find the Palace Theatre, Mansfield Museum and also The Old Library. The Old Library is a community facility with an arts theatre, recording studio, rehearsal space, café and more.



Attractions



Arts

Mansfield recognises the importance of culture and the value in taking part as well as viewing. Here you will find more than enough cultural activity to keep you entertained, and if you've ever wanted to get involved, Mansfield is a place where you can give it a try!



Culture



The Mansfield Palace Theatre

If you prefer stage to screen, the place to be is the Mansfield Palace Theatre. Located in a lively area of the town centre, the Palace Theatre continues to pack in the crowds with a variety of quality local, national and international performances, artists and acts. The Palace Theatre caters for the local community and theatre-goers throughout Nottinghamshire.

Whether its complex drama or light hearted humour you're after, there will be something in the Palace Theatre programme for you.

Considered as the mid-scale regional touring venue, the Palace welcomes a range of performances from opera and ballet to drama and dance, big bands, comedy and children's shows. The hugely popular Christmas pantomime continues to be a best seller.

The Mansfield Palace Theatre prides itself on being a quality venue providing the best quality service. It was the first theatre in the country to be awarded Hospitality Assured Status and holds an Investors in People mark.

Leeming Street, Mansfield

Box Office t: 01623 633133

Online booking: www.mansfield.gov.uk/palacetheatre



Discover Mansfield Museum



The five galleries of Mansfield Museum contain a fascinating mix of contemporary and modern displays, from the exquisite Buxton watercolours and Pinxton porcelain to the hands-on XplorActive environment gallery.

Images of Mansfield introduces the visitor to the social history of the area and a rolling programme of national and local temporary exhibitions ensures there is always something new to see.

XplorActive

The most interactive of our permanent galleries focuses on helping children (and their parents) understand the crucial part they play in sustaining their environment. Hands-on activities encourage them to trace, weigh, find, draw, peep and twist their way through a journey from the kitchen to the edge of the wood, via the street, the park and the river.

Escapes

One of the Museum's most popular features is its constantly changing catalogue of short-term displays. Two galleries host displays of the work of local artists alongside stimulating and sometimes provocative travelling exhibitions featuring nationally known artists.

Learning Journeys

The Museum encourages all aspects of life-long learning via formal schools education visits, more playful Art Beat workshops and Growing Bolder's menu of art and craft sessions for older people.

Leeming Street, Mansfield

t: 01623 463088

www.mansfield.gov.uk/museum

Open Mon-Sat 10am-5pm

Closed Sundays and Bank Holidays.

Free admission.



www.mansfield.gov.uk/museum



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Water Meadows Swimming and Fitness complex

Water Meadows is one of the premier water based attractions in the East Midlands. Located close to the M1, Water Meadows can be easily accessed from the North and South of the region.

The facility offers everything you need for a great family visit. The leisure pool is packed with water rides to keep children and adults entertained, whilst the competition pool and health suite provides for those seeking a more active visit.

The mighty falling rapids is a real family experience as several people can descend down the rapids together. The fast drop starts at the highest point of the building and plunges you down at high speed via a sharp bend.

The 50 metre twister ride is also still available with its tunnel of flashing lights and its tight bends. The leisure pool also has a wave machine, geysers and water cannons to add further to your visit. Water Meadows is one of the first facilities in the country to offer a body dryer facility.

The separate 25 metre competition pool, with its spectator facilities, hosts national and regional events and caters for the more serious swimmer.

In the health suite visitors can pamper themselves with a sauna, steam room, and spa whilst more active visitors may wish to make use of the fitness suite.

The Beachside Café is open to visitors daily and offers a range of refreshments, snacks and meals.

Bath Street, Mansfield.

t: 01623 463880

www.mansfield.gov.uk/watermeadows

Opening Times:

Leisure Pool open from 12 noon weekdays and from 10am weekends.

Competition Pool open from 7:15am weekdays and from 8am weekends.

Health Suite open daily from 9am.

Fitness Classes are also available, please call for more details.



From April 2007

a brand new state of the art fitness suite will be opening at Water Meadows. Please check our website for more information.



Sports and Leisure

For the fitness fanatics, Mansfield has a wide range of sports and fitness facilities. Mansfield District Council operates many leisure and recreation centres around the district and offers high quality affordable fitness solutions. Each centre has its individual strengths giving a wide variety of locations and activities.

River Maun Recreation Centre

Barringer Road, Mansfield

This centre was the first in the County to introduce spinning and the first in the UK to introduce virtual reality spinning and offers a wide range of other aerobic activities. Children's activities include football, basketball, gymnastics and Tae kwon-do clubs. Children's parties catered for. The centre has a 14 station Pulse Zone Fitness suite.

Further details: (01623) 463551



Oak Tree Leisure Centre

Jubilee Way South, Mansfield

The new state-of-the-art Oak Tree Lane Leisure Centre opened to the public in July 2006. Call in for a look. The new facility comprises:-

- 4 badminton court sports hall with a viewing gallery for 100 seated spectators.
- A first floor aerobics studio overlooking the reception/entrance foyer.
- A first floor fitness suite containing 75 pieces of latest technology Pulse Fitness equipment.
- Sauna and steam rooms with relaxation lounge.
- Floodlit outdoor activity area with goals for 5-a-side and basketball hoops.
- 2 ground floor multipurpose rooms.
- Two grass football pitches.

Further details: (01623) 463820



Do you want to
save money on
sport and leisure?

Of course you do!



Ultimateleisure focused on fitness & fun!

The Ultimate Leisure Card is exclusively available from Mansfield District Council and gives card holders discounted access to certain leisure activities at council operated facilities. The Ultimate Leisure Card scheme offers you exceptional value for money.

Benefit by saving money on a whole range of leisure activities including swimming, fitness activities, badminton and lots more!

There are three types of card; the Ultimate Card, the Ultimate Bonus Card and the Ultimate Direct Debit Card.

For more about each card visit www.mansfield.gov.uk and search for Ultimate Leisure Card, or telephone **01623 463243**, or email UltimateCard@mansfield.gov.uk

Meden Sports Centre

Burns Lane, Warsop

A multi-use site, consisting of 20m swimming pool, squash courts, sports hall, party room and 33 station Pulse Zone fitness suite. The centre runs a number of classes and clubs and caters for parties, including bouncy castle and swimming.

Further details: (01623) 842865

Sherwood Baths

Westdale Road, Mansfield Woodhouse

Offers a 25 metre main pool and a small pool with a special slope to aid people with disabilities. Aqua fit, yoga sessions and swimming lessons are available. The centre also has a 17 station fitness suite.

Further details: (01623) 463082

There's also a host of private gyms and fitness centres around Mansfield with nationally recognised Fitness First, Oasis and Bannatyne's all offering good quality establishments.

Making it! Discovery Centre

There's lots of fun and excitement at the Making it! Discovery Centre - housed in a converted 1906 Brewhouse - fully "hands on" interactive galleries where everyone gets to be busy pushing, bashing, drawing, designing, making and testing.

The interactive galleries explain how ideas are turned into the finished item.

Design your own soft drink, touch and feel all the different materials available including some evil looking gloopy mixtures. Look into the virtual factory pods, have a go on the robot challenge, pack chocolates on the conveyor belt and fill bottles to the brim. Can you beat the bar code challenge? Explore computer aided design and print out the front page of the newspaper with your own photo and story - there's lots more to keep busy minds occupied. Make a working model to take home - collect your basket of component parts and off you go - what will you make? Choose from 10 different kits to suit all age groups - torch, rocket, ball launcher, live wire challenge, motorised dragster - the choice is yours - it's included in the admission charges.



The hands-on gizmos and lively exhibits are backed by a team of trained 'enablers' who ensure you get the most out of your visit.

Making it! has a family friendly café (with outdoor seating), gift shop and is fully accessible. Art & craft workshops run throughout the school holidays.

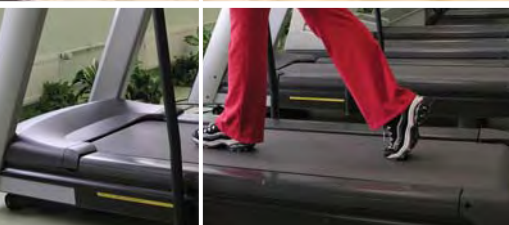
Open to the general public during Nottinghamshire school holidays only (except xmas) from 10am-5pm. Open for group bookings all year round. Tel: to check for seasonal variations

01623 473200

or visit the website

www.makingit.org.uk

Making it! Discovery Centre,
Littleworth, Mansfield, NG18 1AH.



Parks

Mansfield Parks

Within all the hustle and bustle of a busy market town, visitors can still retreat for some peace and quiet. Within the town centre there are two public parks.

Carr Bank Park



Access off Bath Lane and Windmill Lane, Mansfield

Carr Bank Park was formally opened in 1924 "for the benefit, enjoyment, recreation and health giving of the

people of Mansfield" a statement that is still appropriate to this day.

This historic park offers a mix of open grassland with mature trees, woodlands, gardens and rockeries with ornamental features from earlier periods including a Grotto and a Victorian Glasshouse. The elegant Georgian mansion house Portland Hall, originally home to the owners of the estate, offers lunches, dinners and light refreshments.

Visitors are encouraged to enjoy and make use of all the facilities: **tennis courts, multi sports pitch, bowling green and children's play area**. All areas are accessible for all.

We help support a rolling programme of community events with the Friends of Carr Bank Park.

Titchfield Park

Access from Nottingham Road, Commercial Gate and Bath Street

Titchfield Park is a town centre park providing facilities and experiences for all age groups. The park plays host to the District Council's Summer in the Streets festival in August of each year where free entertainment takes place in the park.

Other areas of interest are Bowling Green, Play Area, performance area, formal and informal floral and shrub bed displays all complimented by the riverside walk that run through the park which leads to local nature reserves and mill pond.



For more information on the District's Parks & Open Spaces please call the Parks Development Officer:

t: 01623 463463

Walks

Discover Mansfield's back garden; a variety of natural landscapes that are a haven for walkers, mountain bikers, horseriders and wildlife - with plenty of country pubs to wet your whistle between exertions.

The Meden Valley's hills, lanes and villages reflect the passage of time from the Ice Age to present day...

Maun Valley Trail

(Approx 12km)



This trail begins at Sutton Parkway Railway Station. It follows the River Maun through the heart of Mansfield town centre and reaches its destination on the edge of Sherwood Forest.

The Meden Valley

(Each walk approx 6-7km)



Two circular walks with links for an optional linear walk. The walks are by ancient lanes and riverside around Sookholme, past caves and crags in Pleasley Vale.

Timberland Trail

(Approx 8km)



A linear cycle trail that can also be walked. Starting point at Kings Mill Reservoir, through Mansfield and into Greenwood, Nottinghamshire's Community Forest. Connects to the National Cycle Route - copies of which are available from Sustrans on 0117 929 0888.

Town Centre Trail

(Entire route approx 45 minutes)



Follow the Town Centre Trail leaflet to ensure that you do not miss out on points of historical, cultural and educational interest. This trail is divided into three sections which can be walked individually or combined as one walk.

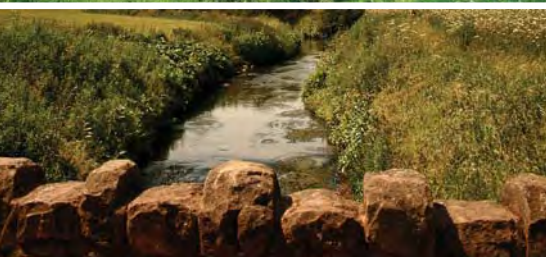
These walks through Mansfield District's local nature reserves and parks can all be seen in the new leaflet. Contact Visitor information for a copy 01623 463026.



Discover the Meden Valley...

The Meden Valley's hills, lanes, villages and towns reflect the passage of time from the Ice Age to the present day, as people visited and settled here more than 30,000 years ago to more recent times.

Discover historic market towns and peaceful rural villages linked by quiet country lanes. Explore medieval castles and atmospheric limestone gorges. Walk through rolling limestone hills and open countryside where the next village is never too far away.



For leaflets on trails and walks in and around Mansfield, contact Visitor Information:

t: 01623 463026

From Summer Street entertainment to Christmas festivities, there's always something happening here...

Summer in the Streets is an annual event that takes place throughout the summer months in Mansfield town centre, providing thousands of local people with magical memories of a long hot summer.

From schools performances, break dancing, and magical musicals to Shakespeare, the biggest ever Party in the Park and chart topping bands. Summer in the Streets has something for everyone.

www.mansfield.gov.uk/summer

For up to date information on events in and around the District of Mansfield contact Visitor Information on

t: 01623 463026 or visit
www.mansfield.gov.uk/whatson

Those Summer nights

From schools performances, break dancing and magical musicals to Shakespeare, the biggest ever Party in the Park and 80s chart-toppers Dr and Medics, Summer in the Streets 2006 truly had something for everyone.

Relive some of those memories with our picture special...



Other Events:

- **Warsop Carnival**, Sat 7th & Sun 8th July 2007 Carrs Park, Warsop.
- **Mansfield Half Marathon and Fun Run**, Sunday 1st July, Mansfield.
- **Folk Festival July 2007**, Mansfield Rugby Club.
- **Summer in the Streets**, Summer 2007, various town centre locations.
- **Annual Robin Hood Festival** 30th July - 5th August 2007, Sherwood Forest Visitor Centre, Edwinstowe, Nottinghamshire, NG21 9HN. t: 01623 832302.
- **Ashfield Show**, August 2007, Sutton Lawn, Sutton-in-Ashfield. t: 01623 450000
- **Creswell Craggs Summer Festival** Sat 25th & Sun 26th August, Creswell Craggs. t: 01909 720378.
- **Bonfire Night & Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremonies** are held throughout the District, contact Visitor Information for more details.
- **See the list of events in the Market Place on page 5.**

Leisure Activities

Field Mill

Quarry Lane, Mansfield

Home of the STAGS, Mansfield Town Football Club.

In recent years the club has enjoyed significant investment for a new stadium.

For information on matches and scheduled children's activities contact.

t: 01623 482482

www.mansfieldtown.net

email: mtfc@stags.plus.com



Rileys American Pool and Snooker Club

Leeming Street, Mansfield

Mansfield's 24 hour venue. American and UK pool tables and snooker. Watch live sporting events on large screen TV. Poker nights throughout the year.

Licensed bar and restaurant.

t: 01623 662623

www.rileysltd.com



Superbowl 2000

Stockwell Gate, Mansfield

28 lanes of American style ten-pin bowling with a licensed bar and Wimpy Diner.

t: 01623 462000

www.mansfieldsuperbowl.co.uk

Gala Bingo

45 Albert Street, Mansfield

t: 01623 621430

www.gala-bingo.co.uk

Walkers Bingo

Mansfield Leisure Park, Nottingham Road, Mansfield

t: 01623 427222

www.toptenbingo.co.uk

Odeon Cinema

Mansfield Leisure Park, Nottingham Road, Mansfield

8 screen multiplex cinema with bar and concessions area. Disabled access.

Filmline: 0871 22 44 007

www.odeon.co.uk

Red Planet

55-57 Leeming Street, Mansfield

Mansfield's internet access centre and only specialist gaming centre.

t: 01623 641555

www.redplanetmansfield.com

White Lion Yard

Church Street, Mansfield

Steeped in history, the Caves at White Lion Yard provide an interesting and educational experience to local people and visitors alike. The Caves are attended by volunteers from the Old Mansfield Society.

t: 01623 463026

www.old-mansfield.org.uk



Nearby Attractions

CRAFT CENTRES

Longdale Craft Centre

Craft centre and museum with workshops, restaurant and shop.

Longdale Lane, Ravenshead, Notts. NG15 9AH
t: 01623 794858

Sherwood Forest Arts and Crafts Centre

Individual craft workshops, café and picnic area.

Forest Corner, Edwinstowe, Notts. NG21 9RN
t: 01623 825786

COUNTRY PARKS AND VISITOR CENTRES

Brierly Forest Park

250 acre park on reclaimed colliery land. Sculpture trail and visitor centre with refreshments.

Off Skegby Lane, Huthwaite, Notts. NG17 2PI
t: 01623 550172

Clumber Park

3,800 acres of historic parkland, chapel and Victorian kitchen with gardens, plant sales, shop, restaurant and cycle hire.

Workshop, Notts. S80 3AZ
t: 01909 544917

Creswell Crags Visitor Centre

Limestone gorge with visitor centre illustrating Ice Age man. Shop, cave tours and family events.

Crags Road, Welbeck, Worksop, Notts. S80 3LH
t: 01909 720378

Rufford Country Park

Ruins of a 12th century Cistercian Abbey. With 150 acres of park, woodland and gardens, lakeside walks and a new garden shop at the mill. Craft centre and exhibition gallery, restaurant, café and shops.

Rufford Abbey, Ollerton, Notts. NG22 9DF
t: 01623 822944

Sherwood Forest Country Park

Country park and visitor centre in 450 acres of ancient oak woodland. Legendary home of Robin Hood and site of the famous Major Oak.

Edwinstowe, Notts. NG21 9HN
t: 01623 823202

Sherwood Pines Forest Park

Woodland and visitor centre for walking and off-road cycling. Refreshments, cycle hire and sales. Children's adventure play area.

Clipstone, Nr Edwinstowe, Notts. NG21 9JL
t: 01623 822500

HERITAGE CENTRES, HISTORIC BUILDINGS, CASTLES & GARDENS

Durban House & D H Lawrence Birthplace Museum

Two sites illustrating the life and early career of the famous author.

Eastwood, Notts
t: 01773 717353

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Hardwick Hall (National Trust)

Situated on the Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire border. Elizabethan mansion with collection of 17th century tapestries and embroidery. Restaurant and shop.

Hardwick Estate, Doe Lea, Chesterfield, Derbyshire.
S44 5QJ
t: 01246 850430

Hodsock Snowdrop Garden

Five acre winter garden open five weeks annually for 'snowdrop spectacular'. Refreshments.

Blyth, Nr Worksop, Notts
t: 01909 591204

The Holocaust Centre

Permanent exhibition on the Holocaust and set in landscaped memorial gardens. Catering for individual visitors, booked groups and school visits.

Laxton, Nr Ollerton, Notts
t: 01623 836627

Mr Straw's House (National Trust)

Discover this period semi-detached home, unchanged since the 1920's/30's.

7 Blyth Grove, Worksop
t: 01909 482380

Newstead Abbey

Former home of the poet Lord Byron, set in 300 acres of garden, parkland and lakes.

Ravenshead, Notts. NG15 8NA
t: 01623 455900

FAMILY FUN AND ATTRACTIONS

Sherwood Forest Farm Park

Rare breeds and other animals in pleasant rural setting. Gardens, indoor and outdoor play areas, picnic areas and undercover activity barn. Gift shop and tearoom.

Lambs Pen Farm, Edwinstowe, Notts. NG21 9HL
t: 01623 823558

White Post Farm Centre

Modern working farm with over 3000 friendly animals. Pet learning centre and indoor attractions. Tearoom, shop and amusements.

Farnsfield, Notts. NG22 8HL
t: 01623 882977

The American Adventure

Theme park on the Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire border. White knuckle rides, live shows and attractions.

Pit Lane, Ilkeston, Derbyshire. DE7 5SX
t: 0845 3302929

Wonderland Pleasure Park

Family fun park rides, amusements, large tropical house. Café bay.

Garden Centre, White Post, A614, Farnsfield, Notts. NG22 8RL
t: 01623 882773

EVENTS

Mystic Mole Ghost Tours

Ghost and history tours. Be prepared to expect the unexpected!

Mill 1 Pleasley Vale Mills, Outgang Lane, Mansfield, Notts. NG19 8RL
t: 01623 811955



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Mansfield District



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Mansfield Nightlife

In the evenings Mansfield is again a great place to be. There are plenty of pubs, bars and clubs in the town, more than enough for a great night out. The hotspot in the evening is centred around Leeming Street and Clumber Street. Here you will find a range of pubs and clubs ranging from disco bars such as Chicago Rock Café through to wine bars such as And Why Not. There are also pubs around the Market Square and Leeming Street for you to try out.

The District boasts an abundance of places to eat and drink; open from early morning to late evening with tastes to suit everyone. A variety of pubs host live music, quiz, sports events and real ale festivals.





Nightclubs in Mansfield

The Late Lounge

Leeming Street, Mansfield,
Nottinghamshire NG18 1NE
t: 01623 633330

Illusions

21, Clumber St, Mansfield,
Nottinghamshire NG18 1NU
t: 01623 657444

Liquid Nightclub

Unit 3, Clumber St, Mansfield,
Nottinghamshire NG18 1NY
t: 01623 641311

Places to EAT

"Mansfield is a lively town with plenty of activities that will fill your day visit or overnight stay"

Mansfield has its fair share of eating establishments, from pavement bistros to classy restaurants...

Mansfield has some great places to eat and drink, everything from top quality cuisine to town centre cafés. Tastes catered for range from modern British, Thai and Tandoori to pub grub and take out paninis. Here's our guide to what is available in the immediate vicinity of the town centre.



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PUB HOUSE FOOD

And Why Not

62 Leeming Street
t: 01623 633330
info@andwhynotworld.com

Bold Forester

Food served 12 noon - 9pm Monday - Sunday. Wide variety including: '2 for £8' before 8pm. 'Pub Favourite' section & 'Giants Plate' section.
Botany Avenue
t: 01623 623970

Chicago Rock Café

Clumber Street
t: 01623 640074

Early Doors

Nottingham Road
t: 01623 421687

Fifty Three Degrees North

18-20 Church Street
t: 01623 428371

Flanagan's Late Bar

19 Clumber Street
t: 01623 428871

Groucho's Café Bar

Leeming Street
t: 01623 412924

Martha's Vineyard

39 Leeming Street
t: 01623 634222

Midland Hotel

Station Road
t: 01623 624668

New Rumours

1 Exchange Row
t: 01623 424487

Queens Head Hotel

Queen Street
t: 01623 424539

Railway Inn

Food served 11am - 3pm 7 days.
Traditional Home Cooked Food.
Station Street
t: 01623 623086

Romans Bar

28 Leeming Street
t: 01623 462202

Shakkers Cocktail & Tapas Bar

Exchange Row
t: 07713148846

The Bank

1 Market Place
t: 01623 424222

The Black Swan

35 Albert Street
t: 01623 623218

The Bootlicker

1-2 Market Street
t: 01623 634539

The Bowl in Hand

45 Leeming Street
t: 01623 621841

The Bridge Tavern

9 Bridge Street
t: 01623 420618

The Cheeky Monkey

Handley Arcade
t: 01623 622200

The Courthouse (Wetherspoon)

Market Place
t: 01623 412720

The Crown & Anchor

2 Exchange Row
t: 01623 622614

The Dial Public House

15 Market Place
t: 01623 424093

The Market Inn

16 Market Place
t: 01623 621599

The New Inn

70 West Gate
t: 01623 622227

The Portland Arms

21 Albert Street
t: 01623 424559

The Red

American Bistro
2 Bancroft Lane
t: 01623 621056

The Roadside

37a Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 623980

The Swan

Church Street
t: 01623 624131

The Talbot Inn

Varied menu. 12 - 9.30pm. Mondays & Thursdays 2 for 1 on main meals.
Sunday lunches served all day.
Nottingham Road
t: 01623 623357

The Towers Snooker & Pool Club

Serve bar snacks in the snooker & pool club. Pool club open to public for snacks do not have to be playing pool.
Botany Avenue
t: 01623 654759

The Town Mill

Bridge Street
t: 01623 632451

The Victoria Hotel

Albert Street
t: 01623 623721

The Wheatsheaf

45-47 Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 623337 & 01623 647734

The White Hart

10 Church Street
t: 01623 420742

The Widow Frost (Wetherspoon)

41 Leeming Street
t: 01623 666790

Top House

210 Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 621283



Yate's Wine Lodge

13-15 Leeming Street
t: 01623 632459

Ye Olde Ram Inn

34 Church Street
t: 01623 424544

Ye Olde Plough China Fong

Chesterfield Road North
t: 01623 810386

Widcombe Fair

Southwell Road West
t: 01623 627122

Rufford Arms

335 Chesterfield Road South
t: 01623 623286

Pheasant Inn

Chesterfield Road South
t: 01623 647222

The Redgate Inn

Westfield Lane
t: 01623 624406

The Reindeer Inn

17 Southwell Road West
t: 01623 651180

The Ravensdale Hotel

Sherwood Hall Road
t: 01623 661199

Ma Hubbards Eating House

Birding Street
t: 01623 655330

The Three Lions

Netherfield Lane
t: 01623 472591

The Black Bull

Woodhouse Road
t: 01623 624789

The Brown Cow

35 Ratcliffe Gate
t: 01623 429594

The New Inn

60 Station Road
t: 01623 662122

LA Mamma's

Leemiing Lane North
t: 01623 457213

The Gate Inn

High Street, Warsop
t: 01623 843 225

Cuckoo Birch

Jubilee Way South
t: 01623 647213

The Cooper's

Leeming Lane North
t: 01623 649510

The New Ram Inn

Littleworth
t: 01623 656071

The Rushley

Nottingham Road
t: 01623 643847

The White Swan

Swan Lane
t: 01623 621259

The Oak Tree Inn

Southwell Road West
t: 01623 635692

Nell Gwyn

117 Sutton Road
t: 01623 659850

Parkhall Tavern

Park Hall Road
t: 01623 460267

Carpenters Arms

Newgate Lane
t: 01623 623318

Kings Arms

Ratcliffe Gate
t: 01623 624077

Whitegates

Clipstone Road East
t: 01623 624689

Red on the Square

2 Market Street
t: 01623 634539



RESTAURANTS

And Why Not

Stylish bar and restaurant. Fantastic fresh lunches from the daytime menu and A la Carte evening menu available. The perfect dining experience.
62 Leeming Street
t: 01623 633330

Chand Indian Cuisine

Modern two floor Indian restaurant. Use only the finest ingredients. Cater for large parties. Online booking facility available.
8 Toothill Road
t: 01623 626233

Chicago Rock Café

Extensive menu lunchtime and evenings plus range of hot or cold buffets. Children's menu available till 7.30pm. Can accommodate private parties.
Unit 4, Clumber Street
t: 01623 640074

Good Luck Restaurant

Chinese restaurant, more exotic Chinese food can be prepared on request. Friendly service.
89/91 West Gate
t: 01623 660492

Il Rosso

Popular Italian restaurant with stylish busy bar.
180 Nottingham Road
t: 01623 623031

Kularb Dang Thai Restaurant

Mansfield's only Thai restaurant.
15 Handley Arcade
t: 01623 652544

The Red, The Dining Room

Offering an excellent array of local seasonal produce cooked using traditional methods with contemporary flair.
2 Bancroft Lane
t: 01623 621056

Modhu Mitha Tandoori Restaurant

Popular, long standing Indian restaurant.
11 Ratcliffe Gate
t: 01623 651203

Monsoon Tandoori Restaurant

Excellent Indian restaurant, providing a friendly service.
Midworth Street
t: 01623 629293

No. 4 Wood Street

The very best of modern French cooking with constantly changing menu. Excellent drinks list.
4 Wood Street
t: 01623 424824

The Cheeky Monkey

Offers a great range of tapas, small yet inexpensive freshly prepared dishes to mix and match.
2 Handley Arcade
t: 01623 622200

The New Supreme Restaurant

Long standing Chinese restaurant.
Walkden Street
t: 01623 421888

The Raj Mahal

New Indian restaurant.
Open every evening from 6pm.
Clerkson Hall
t: 01623 659911

The Red Bar & Restaurant

Modern & stylish restaurant consisting of American & English food.
2 Bancroft Lane
t: 01623 621056

The Sail Loft

Newly opened restaurant above the Early Doors Public House. Food made from local produce. Great Food at Great Prices. Ample free parking.
Nottingham Road
t: 01623 421687

Bengal Cottage

4 Burns Lane, Warsop
t: 01623 843499

Hostess Restaurant

Sookholme Road
t: 01623 843728

Supreme Restaurant

Walkden Street
t: 01623 421888

Palam Springs Café Bar

Portland Street
t: 01623 400200

Naaz Indian Cuisine

5a Priory Square
t: 01623 625001

McDonald's Restaurant

Fast food takeaway with indoor seating and children's play area.
5 West Gate
t: 01623 656125

Burger King

Fast food. Indoor seating.
Drive through restaurant.
Portland Retail Park
t: 01623 651183

Grazia

1 Bridge Street
t: 01623 622940

Tokyo Japanese and Oriental Restaurant

2 St Peter's Way
t: 01623 633822

Canton Restaurant

1a Ravensdale Road
t: 01623 620007

Double Dragon

54 Station Street,
Mansfield Woodhouse
t: 01623 632386

Pizza Hut

Restaurant and takeaway.
No deliveries.
Nottingham Road
t: 01623 661425

Margherita's

1A Portland Street
t: 01623 626568

Indian Fusion

High Street
Mansfield Woodhouse
t: 01623 661333

Crates and Grapes

29 High Street, Warsop
t: 01623 847887

CAFES

BB Coffee and Muffins

Fresh baguettes, freshly ground coffees and muffins.
Four Seasons Shopping Centre
t: 01623 644112

Binchy's

34 Leeming Street
t: 01623 623198

Co-op Store Café

Queen Street
t: 01623 622582

Cyprus Delight

66/66a West Gate
t: 01623 422227

Debenhams plc

Four Seasons Shopping Centre
t: 01623 635311

Gary's Café

12 Church Street
t: 01623 451932

Gary's of West Gate Café

45 West Gate
t: 01623 453411

Lunch Box

Breakfast. Home made pies.
Snacks. Fries. Hot & Cold Drinks.
67 West Gate
t: 01623 631308

Making It! Café Bar

Family friendly café bar situated in the Making It! Discovery centre. Wide selection of hot and cold food, fully licensed, children's play room, full disabled access and baby changing.
Open 7 days a week.
Littleworth
t: 01623 473297

Mansfield Library Coffee Shop

Friendly coffee shop in the centre of Town. Serving an excellent range of refreshments and freshly made meals, light snacks.
Four Seasons Centre.
t: 01623 627591

Market House Café

Small café with friendly staff and regular customers. Food cooked on request.
Market House Place
t: 01623 651600

Mc Hugh's Sandwich Bar

Freshly prepared hot and cold sandwiches and baked potatoes amongst other food ie salad and pasta.
Free Delivery service within the locality.
72-74 West Gate
t: 07904 848 056

Red Planet

Internet Café. Online gaming centre. All types of internet assistance available from friendly, helpful staff.
55-57 Leeming Street
t: 01623 641555

Subway

Fast food Submarine Sandwich Bar serving fresh coffee, wraps and salads in addition to our world famous subs.
18 Leeming Street
t: 01623 422611

Tesco Stores Ltd

Serving breakfasts, dinners, snacks and drinks. Seats 58 non-smoking, 48 smoking.
Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 586400

The Old Library Café

Good fresh food. Relaxed atmosphere.
Leeming Street
t: 01623 412575

Water Meadow's Café

Beachside café within the swimming complex.
Titchfield Park. Bath Street
t: 01623 463881

Café Fresco

Mix of traditional English and continental food. Outside seating during summertime.
16/17 Market Street
t: 7817966275

Casey's Coffee Bar

Home cooked breakfasts, lunches, soups. Selection of sandwiches, cakes and pastries. Teas and coffees.
Arch 12, White Hart Street
t: 01623 633450



The Cornish Pasty Co Ltd

Specialist food retailer. Take away or seating inside or outside available.

6 West Gate
t: 01623 662277

The Tea Tree

Home cooked daily specials served in a meat-free and smoke free environment. We promote healthy eating and cater for special diets.

19-21 Leeming Street
t: 01623 652224

Tom, Dick & Harriet's Deli-Bar

Speciality hot and cold sandwiches & salads. Serving both on a takeaway and seated basis. Outside pavement café.

Also, outside catering available.

4 Regent Street
t: 01623 632577

Trends Espresso

A clean, fresh, bright café with a continental feel. Providing coffee, paninis, bagels, Jacket potatoes and light lunches. Seats 40 inside and 20 outside.

14 Regent Street
t: 01623 422744

Café Silver

39A West Gate
t: 07778 558877

Claire's Bistro

Southwell Road West
t: 07721 592761

Concord House

14 St John Street
t: 01623 658044

Frendz

2A Burns Lane
t: 01623 844433

Stable Centre

Chruch Street
t: 01623 659625

Playmaina

134 Chesterfield Road South
t: 01623 644443

Coffee Shop

High Street
t: 01623 628257

Lucy's

16-17 Market Street
t: 07840 923277

The Treasury

Bolsover Street
t: 01623 634376

Annette's

19 High Street
t: 01623 844221

Bay 6 Coffee Lounge

6 Woodhouse Road
t: 01623 413027

Selah Coffee House

93 Clipstone Road East
t: 01623 652297

Christian Book Shop

2 Newgate Lane
t: 01623 663582



takeaway

TAKEAWAYS

Bodrum Kebab House

Kebab, pizza takeaway.
2a Albert Street
t: 01623 632356

Chick King Burgers

Southern fried chicken, wedges etc to takeaway. Also, home delivery service.
48 Leeming Street
t: 01623 657345

Ching's Takeaway

Takeaway Chinese.
89/91 West Gate
t: 01623 632333

Domino's Pizza

Delivering freshly made pizzas oven hot to your door.
Unit 10 Rosemary Centre
t: 01623 631100

UK Chicken

Variety of takeaway meals.
1 Bridge Street
t: 01623 422155

Family Bakers Take Away

Hot & Cold take away food & drinks.
59a Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 427778

JC's Sandwich Bar

Takeaway sandwiches.
19 Market Street
t: 01623 657177

KFC

Indoor seating and drive through.
Nottingham Road.
t: 01623 661866

King Kebab

Variety of kebabs, pizzas etc to takeaway. Also, home delivery service.
50 Leeming Street
t: 01623 622142



Leeming Street Fish Bar

Traditional fish & chips plus burgers, kebabs etc.
45e Leeming Street
t: 01623 645849

Nicks Chippy

Fish & chip shop takeaway with sit down restaurant.
87 Westgate
t: 01623 629412

Pies Place

Fish & chip shop.
57 Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 652426

Pizza Hut Delivery

Takeaway & delivery service.
33 Albert Street
t: 01623 662666

Prima Donna Pizza

Takeaway shop also does home delivery.
51 Leeming Street
t: 01623 660896

The Sunrise Kebab House

Takeaway Kebabs.
23a Church Street
t: 01623 620560

Viking Pizza

Takeaway Pizza.
45d Leeming Street
t: 01623 626100

Wimpy

Table service, fast food restaurant.
6 Regent Street
t: 01623 624695

Captain Cod

3 Queen Street
t: 07817 721661

1st Class Pizza

70 Carter Lane
t: 01623 653377

The Chilli Pepper Sandwich Bar

59 Stockwell Gate
t: 01623 658428



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Places to STAY






















Make the most of your visit to Mansfield District and stay for a night or two at one of the many welcoming hotels and guest houses in and around town.

Your choice ranges from 4-star luxury on the outskirts of the District to award winning guest houses nestled in the glorious Nottinghamshire countryside.

The listings in this guide give some details about the facilities available at each establishment. Hotels and guest houses are graded with stars, inns and B&Bs are graded with diamonds - the higher the number the higher the standards of customer care, facilities and services. Contact each establishment for information on quality gradings.

Please contact each establishment for up to date information on pricing and availability. Entries are based on information provided by the establishment, which should be contacted direct should you need further information.

Key to facilities

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|---|---|
|  Disabled Access |  Leisure Facilities |
|  Restaurant |  Swimming Pool |
|  Telephone |  Playground |
|  TV |  Ground Floor Bedrooms |
|  Parking |  Children Welcome |
|  Credit Cards Accepted |  Pets Welcome |
|  Guide Dogs Welcome |  Tea/Coffee Facilities |
|  Lift |  Washing/Drying |
|  No Smoking |  Ironing Facilities |
|  Smoking Lounge |  Microwave Oven |
|  Licensed Bar |  Hairdryer |

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Bridleways

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Accommodation in Mansfield

Appleby House

Chesterfield Road
t: 01623 810508
www.applebyguesthouse.co.uk



Bamford House

13 Clipstone Avenue
t: 01623 644325



Bridleways Guest House, S/C Cottages and Caravans

Newlands Road
t: 01623 635725
www.stayatbridleways.co.uk



Clifton Hotel

11 Terrace Road
t: 01623 623876



Parkhurst Guest House

28 Woodhouse Road
t: 01623 627324



Pine Lodge Hotel

281 - 283 Nottingham Road
t: 01623 622308



Portland Hall Hotel

Carr Bank Park
t: 01623 452525



Redbrick House Hotel

Peafield Lane
t: 01623 846499



The Midland Hotel

Station Road
t: 01623 624668



Titchfield Guest House

300-302 Chesterfield Road North
t: 01623 810356



Mansfield Guest House

28 Woodhouse Road
t: 01623 629352



Pine Lodge Hotel

Accommodation around Mansfield

Archway Cottage

1 Archway Road
Old Clipstone
t: 01623 822219

Blue Barn Cottage

Blue Barn Farm
Langwith
t: 01623 742248

Brampton Guest House

75 Old Road
Brampton
t: 01246 276533

Browns

The Old Orchard Cottage
Holbeck
t: 01909 720659

Central Private Hotel

1 Station Road
Sutton-in-Ashfield
t: 01623 552373

Chestnut Cottage

Lower Birchwood Farm
Somercotes
t: 01773 602624

Dakota Hotel

Lakeview Drive
Sherwood Business Park
t: 0870 442 2727

Dalestorth Guest House

Skegby Lane
Skegby
t: 01623 551110

Elm Bank Lodge

9 Elm Bank
Mapperley Park
t: 0115 9625493

Forest Farm

Mansfield Road
Papplewick
t: 0115 9632310

Forest Lodge Hotel

2-4 Church Street
Edwinstowe
t: 01623 824443

Greenacres Caravan & Touring Park

Lincoln Road
Tuxford
t: 01777 870264

Holly Lodge Guest House

Ricket Lane
Blidworth
t: 01623 793853

Hop Pole Hotel

Main Street
Ollerton Village
t: 01623 822573

Kinnaird - Selston

10 Searwood Avenue
Kirkby-in-Ashfield
t: 01623 441278

Larch Farm

Mansfield Road
Ravenshead
t: 01623 491987

Ma Hubbards Eating House & Hotel

High Street
Edwinstowe
t: 01623 822553

Marion's Manor

Ollerton Road
Edwinstowe
t: 01623 822135



Accommodation

Mansfield

Maun River Cottage B & B

Main Street
Ollerton
t: 01623 824746

Milestone Caravan Park

Great North Road
Cromwell
t: 01636 821244

Norton Grange Farm

Norton
Mansfield
t: 01623 842666

Orchard Park Caravan & Camping

Marnham Road
Tuxford
t: 01777 870228

Pear Tree Farm Barn

Rowthorne Village
Clapwell
t: 01623 811694

Riverside Touring Park

Off Central Avenue
Worksop
t: 01909 474118

Rose Cottage Guest House

Derby Road
Old Tupton
t: 01246 864949

Rosvern House

High Street
Tibshelf
t: 01773 874800

Shardaroba Caravan Park

Silverhill Lane
Teversal
t: 01623 551838

Shelford Nurseries Caravan Park

The Hill
Shelford
t: 0115 9333433

Sherwood Forest Holiday Park

Gorsthorne
Edwinstowe
t: 01623 823132

Sherwood Forest Youth Hostel

Forest Corner
Edwinstowe
t: 01623 825794

Smeaton's Lakes Caravan & Fishing Park

Great North Road
Newark
t: 01636 605088

Spruce Cottage

Ranby Village
Nr Retford
t: 0131 4476886

The Camping & Caravanning Club

The Walled Garden
Clumber Park
t: 01909 482303

The Cottages

1 Church Street
Edwinstowe
t: 01623 824383

The Gatehouse

Belle Eau Park
Kirklington
t: 01623 871605

The Greendale Oak

Cuckney
Mansfield
t: 01623 844441

The Renaissance Hotel

Carter Lane East
South Normanton
t: 01773 812000

The Riverside Camping & Caravan Park

Church Laneham
Nr Retford
t: 01909 474118

The Willows

Top House Farm
Mansfield Road
t: 0115 9670089

Thornton's Holt Camping Park

Stragglethorpe
Radcliffe-on-Trent
t: 0115 9332125

Travel Inn

Carter Lane East
South Normanton
t: 01773 861155

Ye Old Bell Hotel

Barnby Moor
Retford
t: 01777 705121



Travelling to MANSFIELD

Easily accessible by car, bus & rail, there's
no excuse for not paying us a visit...

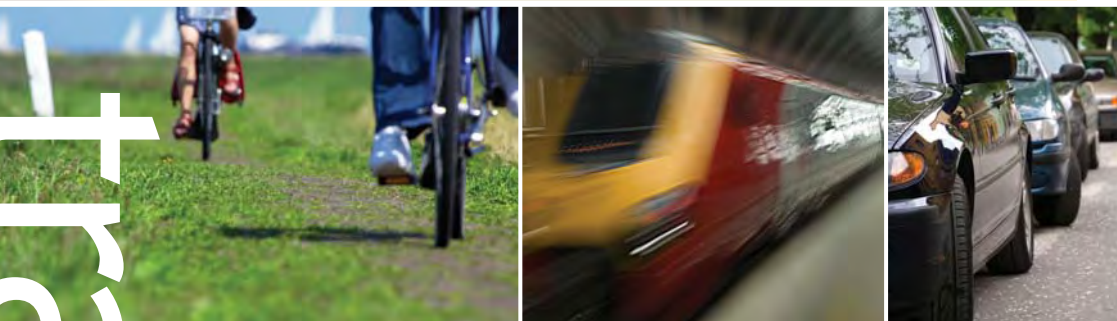
Mansfield is easily accessible from the A1 and M1 and has direct **ROAD** links from the city of Nottingham. Public transport in the town is good and there's ample parking. You can be safe in the knowledge that most of the town centre car parks are Park Mark accredited so you can leave your vehicle securely and enjoy your day out in Mansfield.

The local **RAIL** network, the Robin Hood Line, provides visitors with a return service between Worksop and Nottingham. Mansfield Train Station is situated within the heart of the town centre and is only a few minutes walk away from the main market square.

Mansfield has excellent **BUS** links and is serviced by a prominent bus station at the top of Stockwell Gate.

For all public transport enquiries in Nottinghamshire, call Traveline on **0870 6082 608** or visit the website: www.nottinghamtravelwise.org.uk

If you are **CYCLING** to Mansfield, cycle lockers can be found at the Railway Station and Walkden Street car park.



GETTING HERE BY ROAD

From the north, south, east or west, the A1 and M1 provide a quick and easy route to Mansfield.

The M1 serves the town at Junctions 27, 28 and 29, providing excellent links to the town. The A617 and A1 provide invaluable north-south links, which are reinforced by the A38, A617 and A60.

The Mansfield and Ashfield Regeneration Route links the A60 (Nottingham Road) to A617 (Southwell Road West), and the A38 (King's Mill Road) to the A60 (Nottingham Road).

All the Midlands' big cities; Birmingham, Derby and Leicester, are within easy striking distance by road and the central location enables straightforward links to anywhere in the country.

For travel information and help with planning routes, please view the AA or RAC websites.

PARKING

Mansfield has over 4500 parking spaces in the town centre, some operating with CCTV and security in the evening. Many Mansfield District Council surface car parks are now open 24 hours. Charges apply and opening times vary. Please observe guidelines on information boards on entry.

Mansfield welcomes disabled drivers and dedicated spaces are available in the pedestrianised area for special permit holders. A normal fee applies in multi-storey car parks. More information on parking in Mansfield can be found in the Map and Guide leaflet, available from our Visitor Information.

SHOPMOBILITY

Mansfield's Shopmobility allows anyone with a disability, whether temporary or permanent, to loan a wheelchair or powered scooter and park their vehicle at a cost of - All day £5. Up to 3 hours £2.

Located at Walkden Street Car Park, Level 1. Open 9am - 4pm except Sundays.

To book or join the scheme, please call **01623 655222**

SAFETY

Mansfield is a safe place to visit, day or night, and we're keeping it that way.

Comprehensive CCTV coverage of the town centre provides visitors with a secure environment to enjoy their day out.

Mansfield is a safe place for a great night out and we're making sure it stays that way.

Nottinghamshire police are committed to keeping alcohol related town centre incidents to the lowest level possible.

Over a million pounds of Home Office funding has been secured for the project and is being targeted to provide more police officers on the streets, especially at weekends and late at night, as well as funding officers to work with licensees to reduce incidents of violence in pubs and clubs.

The scheme also provides mobile CCTV vans as a deterrent to violence and to record evidence if needed.



Feedback

WIN a Family Ticket for the Christmas Eve performance of the 2007 Pantomime at Mansfield Palace Theatre

For your chance to win a free family ticket, please take just a few minutes to complete this questionnaire.

We'll be holding the prize draw in November 2007 and will notify the winner in writing by 1st December 2007.

1. Where did you get a copy of this guide?

2. If you're using this guide while visiting Mansfield, why are you here?

- ☐ Live, work, study here
☐ Special trip (please circle) - shopping/sport/cultural/ other (please specify)

- _____
- ☐ On business
☐ Attending a conference
☐ Holiday/trip
☐ Visiting friends and relatives
☐ Other (Please specify)

3. Is your trip a:

- ☐ Day trip ☐ Overnight stay

About this guide

4. How useful did you find this guide? Rating of 1 = excellent, 2 = good, 3 = poor, 4 = very poor.

1 2 3 4

- ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Overall as a guide to Mansfield
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Content
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Quality
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Design
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Maps

5. If you have scored any section as poor or very poor, please tell us why.

6. Do you feel anything is missing?

How to enter

**Thanks for taking the time to fill out this questionnaire.
Now just add your contact details below:**

Title: _____ Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Email: _____

☐ Please tick if you would rather not receive the occasional offer or update from Mansfield District Council

About Mansfield

7. What do you think of when you think of Mansfield?

8. Which one of these statements comes closest to how you feel about Mansfield as a whole?

- ☐ Speak highly (without being asked)
☐ Speak highly (if asked)
☐ Critical (if asked)
☐ Critical (without being asked)
☐ None of these

9. What did you like most about your visit?

10. Were you happy with the level of accessibility at your accommodation

- ☐ Yes ☐ No

About you

11. Your age

- ☐ under 18 ☐ 18-25
☐ 26-45 ☐ 46-64
☐ 65 or over

12. Your key interests

- ☐ Active sports ☐ Cycling
☐ History and heritage ☐ Shopping
☐ Spectator sports ☐ Eating out
☐ Nightlife ☐ Walking
☐ Arts and culture ☐ Festivals
☐ Markets

13. How many short breaks have you taken in the last 12 months?

- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4+

Useful Information

Mansfield District Council

Visitor Information

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 Chesterfield Road South
 Mansfield
 Notts
 NG19 7BH

t: 01623 463026

tourism@mansfield.gov.uk

www.visitmansfield.co.uk

www.mansfield.gov.uk

Visitor Information

Our Visitor Information Point is located within Mansfield Museum on Leeming Street. Here you can obtain maps, guides and additional leaflets on Mansfield and the surrounding area and the wider East Midlands region.

Traveline t: 0870 6082 608

www.nottinghamtravelwise.org.uk

Emergency Information

Kings Mill Hospital (including Accident & Emergency)

Mansfield Road
 Sutton in Ashfield

t: 01623 622515

NHS Direct

24 Hour medical advice line

t: 0845 4647

Mansfield Police Station

Great Central Road

t: 01623 420999

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