Welcome to Alderney

With beautiful uncrowded beaches, rich heritage, an abundance of wildlife and stunning scenery you’ll soon realize just how easy it is to fall in love with Alderney.

We hope you enjoy this guide to our little island paradise and look forward to welcoming you here very soon.

Helene, Anne-Isabelle, Caroline and The Visitor Centre Volunteers
Just a stone’s throw from the south coast of England lies the beautiful island of Alderney. With no crowds, no queues and no traffic jams our small island is often described as the ‘hidden gem of the Channel Islands’ and offers a warm, peaceful and relaxing escape for you to enjoy.

At just one and a half miles wide and three and a half miles long, you are never far from the charming town centre of St Anne or our beautiful coastline. You can walk the stunning cliff paths, enjoy our quiet, uncrowded sandy beaches or tuck into our local produce. Go birdwatching, rockpooling or explore our history. Be entertained by a wide variety of events or simply enjoy a night of stargazing under our truly dark skies.

There is no other place in the world like Alderney. It’s a friendly island with an easy pace of life, where children can still roam free.

Whether you are discovering Alderney for the first time or returning to our island paradise, Alderney has something to offer for everyone.
Alderney is the closest of all the Channel Islands to the UK with direct routes from the south coast and our neighbouring island of Guernsey is also within easy reach.

You’ll find travelling by air to Alderney a friendly and personal experience. Where else would you be welcomed on to your plane by the pilot and find you have your very own window seat! Seeing the island from above is a magical moment and once landed our small airport terminal will offer you a warm and friendly welcome.

If you are coming by sea you would have just over an hour’s boat ride from Guernsey or Normandy and as you arrive in Alderney’s harbour, don’t assume you’ll be greeted by the sight of a large port, our quaint harbour instantly gives you a feel for the island.

To find out more on how to get here go to: visitalderney.com
Island hopping

Jersey
Jersey is the largest and southernmost of the Channel Islands and offers an extraordinary variety of landscapes from beaches to coastal paths and charming villages to the capital of Saint Helier. Whether it’s the view from a 12th century castle, a beach walk along Jersey’s unspoilt coastline or taking time to watch the sun sink into the sea over St. Ouen’s Bay, Jersey is a perfect stop off on your island hopping holiday.

Jersey Information Centre 01534 859000
info@jersey.com

Herm
One of the smaller of our sister islands, Herm offers coastal paths, beautiful beaches and coves and award winning gardens. Life on Herm is tranquil with only a couple of tractors and no cars on the island, sample it yourself with a hop over from Guernsey.

Herm Information Centre 01481 750000

Sark
With only 600 residents the pace of life on Sark is relaxed, with no cars the best way to see the island is by bike or horse-drawn carriage.

Sark Information Centre 01481 832345

Guernsey
From their stunning south coast cliffs to white sandy beaches, cobbled streets of their charming capital to its fabulous restaurants, Guernsey offers a unique and diverse holiday destination or day trip.

One of the best ways to explore Guernsey is on foot, with almost 30 miles of cliff paths that weave around the spectacular south coast. Stop off at Moulin Huet and enjoy the same unspoilt views that inspired Renoir to paint here in the 19th century. Why not visit during their spring and autumn walking festivals and join a guide to find out more about its fascinating history.

Guernsey has a unique heritage and offers a range of excellent museums. Visit during April and May and join in the Heritage Festival, or in early autumn when Guernsey hosts its annual Food Festival - a real culinary treat for food lovers.

So hike the cliffs or relax on their beaches, dine out in one of the seaside restaurants or simply sit back and watch the world go by, the choice is yours.

Guernsey Information Centre 01481 723552
enquiries@visitguernsey.com
A getaway that extracts you from modern life

Antonia Windsor - The Telegraph
Alderney Railway
Alderney has the only working railway in the Channel Islands. It used to carry stones from the quarries to sites back in the 19th century. Nowadays, the old wagons have been replaced by London Underground carriages to carry visitors from Braye Station to Mannez Station at the east end of the island. It runs every Sunday from May to September along with every Saturday in July and August. There is also an extra train every Wednesday in June and September. For times please call into the Visitor Information Centre during your stay. Adults £6 / Children £3 return alderneyrailway@suremail.gg alderneyrailway.com

Alderney Bayeux Tapestry Finale
The Alderney Library is the home of Alderney’s famous Bayeux Tapestry Finale, a 3m panel that completes the story of the unfinished Bayeux Tapestry. It was stitched by over 400 residents and visitors during 2012 and was unveiled in April 2013 by the Curator of the Bayeux Tapestry. The panel shows the major events from the conclusion of the Battle of Hastings on 14th October 1066 to the coronation of William the Conqueror in Westminster Abbey on Christmas Day 1066. Entry is free to the Library. Talks can be arranged by contacting Kate Russell on 01481 823366 or j.kate@cwgsy.net alderneybayeuxtapestry.com

Alderney Lighthouse
Mannez Lighthouse was commissioned in 1912, after the SS Liverpool ran aground in the adjacent Cats Bay. In conjunction with Alderney’s other lighthouse, Casquets and the French Cap de La Hague lighthouse, Mannez stands guard at the northern approach to the Channel Islands with its hazardous fast flowing waters. The 32m high building used to have a light range of 24 nautical miles and the two impressive fog horns could be heard over 12 nautical miles away. The lighthouse is now electrified and the fog horn redundant but the black and white tower remains a key landmark. Tours are available every Sunday at 3pm from May to September. Adults £4 / Children £3

Alderney Bell Tower
The Parish Church of St Anne is home to a glorious peal of twelve ‘Taylor’ bells which are rung by a dedicated team of nearly two dozen volunteers. It is the only peal of twelve bells in the Channel Islands. The bells sound out over the town for both secular and religious events. Ringing a tower bell requires many hours of practice in order to achieve sufficient mastery of the timing and to be able to generate the intricate patterns required. Ringing and non-ringing visitors are always welcome to a practice on 5pm Monday and 10am Saturday. alderneybells.com

Alderney Museum
The award winning museum provides a history of the island from the pre-historic period to the present day. There are many fascinating displays including an extensive display of Alderney’s Elizabethan wreck and recent discovery Roman remains. Ask the volunteer staff anything - they will be delighted to help! Open April to October, Mon to Fri 10-12noon and 2.30-4.30pm, Sat and Sun 10-12noon. By request at other times. 01481 823222 Adults £3 / Children Free alderneysociety.org

Alderney Cinema
Visitors to the island are charmed by the ‘step back in time’ feel of watching a film whilst on holiday in Alderney. The small cinema seats only ninety people and until recently still broke for half-time while the projectionist changed the film reel. It is run by enthusiastic volunteers and usually opens on a Monday and Thursday evening. Tickets can be bought from the Movies and Music shop a few doors up, or purchased at the Box Office half an hour before a showing. Adults £6 for non-members aged 15 and over, £4 for under 15s.

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Discovering Alderney by foot is the best way to explore the island's breathtaking scenery.

Woodland, grassy commons, heaths, beaches and ponds are all connected by a network of over 40 miles of winding paths and tracks. Many of these are ancient trails, first created over a thousand years ago to give farmers access to their land across that of their neighbours.

A walk on Alderney never gets boring. History has shaped the landscape over the centuries and the island offers a fantastic playground for walkers and explorers alike, with bunkers, forts and Neolithic remains. Wildlife is abound on our peaceful rock with a surprise awaiting you at every turn.

Whether you choose to make your own way or follow one of our self-guided walks your senses will be awakened by the scent of gorse in flower, the taste of a ripe autumn blackberry, the call of an oystercatcher or the feel of the wind on your skin. Walking on Alderney evokes your senses and makes you feel alive.

Whilst out exploring the island, you will always be close to a bench to rest upon and admire the ever changing view.

Self-Guided Walks
Our nine self-guided walking leaflets are free to pick up from the Visitor Information Centre. Each walk, suited to all walking abilities, provides you with history and interesting facts along the way.

The Coast Path Challenge
Our well-marked coastal path offers 10 miles of breathtaking sea views with countless photo opportunities. The walk will take about 5 hours at a good pace. If taken at a more leisurely stride you can spend a whole day winding along this stunning route, hopping down onto beaches or stopping off at The Old Barn by Longis Bay for lunch. Every path marker along the way has a letter on it. You can choose to enter the ‘challenge’, decipher what words they spell and claim your certificate if correct!

Enjoy the sea air
Winter
When winter arrives Alderney provides food and shelter for many species who seek its mild climate, including moths and butterflies who shelter in the historic forts and bunkers. On a windswept coastal walk you might see a pod of dolphins or a seal feeding in a sheltered bay. It’s also at this time of the year that the first breeding seabirds return to Alderney announcing that spring is just around the corner!

Spring
Early spring is the exciting time of ‘firsts of the year’: the first swallow, the first bluebell, the first butterfly. As days lengthen, many migrants return to the island. Some will stay and breed, others will continue on their way further north. This time of the year is ideal to enjoy the coast covered by colourful flowers and see our nesting seabirds, especially our iconic gannets and puffins from the cliffs or out on a boat.

Summer
Bats and our very own blonde hedgehogs are out during the summer nights. The weekly nocturnal guided tours are a not-to-be-missed walk for anyone wanting to meet these fascinating creatures. With the days getting warmer, the profusion of wildflowers attracts numerous butterflies and moths, like the rare Glanville fritillary. You may even spot our only reptile, the slow worm while visiting the Wildlife Bunker on the southern cliffs.

Autumn
Autumn is a season of surprises. Thousands of passerines and a good number of raptors, waders and waterfowl pass through the island on their journey to their wintering sites. The easterly winds sometimes bring a rare visitor to our shores. It’s certainly one of the most exciting times in the year for any birder or naturalist.

Alderney may be a tiny island but it offers a wide diversity of habitats and species. If you wonder which season is the best to visit Alderney to see wildlife, the answer would be that they all are!

**EXPERIENCE WILD ALDERNEY**

1. VISIT THE GANNET COLONY
2. GO BLONDE HEDGEHOG HUNTING
3. ENJOY A SEA BIRD SAFARI
4. WALK THE COAST TO SEE DOLPHINS AND SEALS
5. TAKE PART IN THE MIGRATION WATCH

**Visit The Alderney Wildlife Trust** in Victoria Street, a locally run and independent charity safeguarding Alderney’s wildlife for all to enjoy. [alderneywildlife.org](http://alderneywildlife.org).

Go to [alderneybirdobservatory.org](http://alderneybirdobservatory.org) for latest bird sightings.
The peace and tranquility that is so characteristic of Alderney belies a history that was anything but serene.

The strategic position of Alderney in the English Channel, some 60 miles due south of Portland Bill and just eight miles from the French coast, has long been understood and exploited as early as 300AD when the Romans built the small fort known as ‘The Nunnery’ at Longis Bay.

Throughout the Medieval and Tudor periods, military defences were essential parts of Alderney’s life. Privateering, or licensed piracy on shipping belonging to the enemies of the Crown, provided much of Alderney’s income during the 18th century, a time when the island’s many fine Georgian properties were built.

During the early Victorian period, a wide project of fortification took place on the island. The Breakwater and numerous forts and batteries were built to defend Alderney against a potential French attack. During WWII the population was evacuated to the UK and did not begin to return until late 1945. Whilst they were away, German occupying forces constructed an uncountable number of bunkers and defences against invasion using forced labour. Those returning faced hardship and uncertainty, showing indomitable spirit and resourcefulness as they slowly rebuilt their island home. Homecoming Day is remembered each year on December 15.

Each wave of occupation has left indelible vestiges offering visitors the most interesting lesson of history as well as a wide exploration playground.

Where the past comes alive

1. ALDERNEY SOCIETY MUSEUM’S TALKS
2. CAMBRIDGE BATTERY AT FORT TORGIS
3. WWII STRONGPOINT AT BIBETTE HEAD
4. THE WATERMILL IN THE BONNE TERRE
5. A TRILOGY OF SHORT WWII FILMS AT THE ALDERNEY WILDLIFE TRUST
6. HERITAGE EVENTS 19 APRIL - 10 MAY
7. INTERNATIONAL MARITIME HISTORY SYMPOSIUM 5 - 6 SEPTEMBER
8. HOMECOMING DAY 15 DECEMBER

FIND OUT MORE
Learn more about our fascinating history at visitalderney.com
A Taste of Alderney

Alderney is bursting with flavour. From local produce and rich creamy milk to seafood straight from the islands clear waters, all of which is stocked across the island’s shops and can be enjoyed in our delightful cafes and restaurants.

Kiln Farm
Located on the East coast of the island, Kiln Farm is a family run farm providing the island with the freshest dairy and meat products. With their very own Farm Shop located on Victoria Street and supplying local eateries it is easy to try and taste this fabulous local produce.

Alderney Free Range Pigs
The herd of rare-breed Oxford Sandy and Blacks which enjoy a free range life at the Giffoine behind the airport are always a pleasure to watch. Because of the way they are reared, naturally weaned and allowed to forage, the pork from these pigs is exceptional. It is available to buy from the islands supermarkets or you can usually find it on the menu in many of our restaurants.

Alderney Honey
With an array of wildflowers on Alderney it makes it the perfect place for bees to thrive. The island is reportedly one of only two world-wide (the other being Hawaii) that is completely free of bee diseases and therefore a perfect place for happy and healthy bees. Honey products are available from various outlets across the island for you to enjoy.

Foraging
Alderney’s mix of salt-sprayed grasslands and woodlands make it a veritable cornucopia of wild edibles. From rummaging in rock pools for shellfish and sampling seaweeds to nibbling on the wild ancestors of common vegetables there is plenty to discover if you have a taste for adventure.

Hedge Veg
As you travel around the island you’ll often see boxes and small stalls set up at the roadside. Known locally as ‘hedge veg’, you can buy a range of local produce usually grown or made by the owners of the homes that the stalls sit outside. From fruit and vegetables, to flowers and eggs, home-made jams and chutneys they’re all for sale. The stalls are unmanned and everything sold is done so on trust. Just simply put the amount due in the moneybox provided.

Every year in July Alderney celebrates the very best of the islands’ local produce with The Food and Drink Festival. The twelve day long event offers lots of themed nights and special deals at many of the islands eateries for you to enjoy. Make sure you book your visit in July and expect to eat well!
Meet the islanders

Alderney is full of wonderful characters who each have a story to tell...

Nic West Artist and DJ at Quay FM

I first visited and fell in love with Alderney four years ago. It’s a unique and beautiful place, not far from the UK but it feels like a step back in time with its easy going pace of life and sense of community. I moved to the island permanently three years ago. My relocation meant leaving city life behind and starting an exciting new adventure.

Alderney is a great place to live. The island has a lot to offer. It’s different, it has beautiful uncrowded beaches, visible reminders of an interesting history and a laid back lifestyle.

When I moved to the island part of my plan was to become a full time artist. My studio/home is an old glass palm house on top of one of the Victorian forts. The building has panoramic sea views and is exposed to the elements, it’s an amazing place to be. My surroundings, exploration of the rugged coastline and dramatic light provide creative inspiration. Sea, storms and coastal textures are suggested in my abstract art. Since I started painting opportunities have appeared, I had a solo exhibition in Jersey’s premier gallery alongside works by well known artists Damien Hirst, Sir Peter Blake and John Hoyland and last year my work was shortlisted for the Royal Academy Summer Exhibition in London.

The island naturally lends itself to an outdoor lifestyle, kayaking, hiking, cycling, swimming. It’s a great place to be all year round whether you’re here for the fun-packed Alderney Week or wild wintery days. There are lots of events and clubs to get involved in and opportunities to try something new. Recently I trained to be a voluntary presenter for ‘Quay FM’ the island’s radio station and now I have my own radio programme several times a week - something which wouldn’t have happened if I’d stayed in the UK!

Nic West

Donald Hughes Guide, Bellringer and Volunteer

Donald... moves chairs, meets and greets, rings bells.

‘Don’t believe a word he says’ is what some holiday makers are implored from a passing motorist as I lead a small group of visitors around our historic town of St Anne. Well, Alderney’s heritage is ‘unbelievable’; who would suspect this tiny Island to have a Roman fort, unique Victorian defences, or a modest cottage to contain a stone fireplace circa 1300 AD? The history and architecture of the Island is what first attracted me to come to live here in 2005 and very soon I volunteered to guide interested groups around the town.

Like many other retired residents who make up the ‘Dads Army’ of volunteers I find no two days are ever the same. Alderney, with a population of approximately 2000, can certainly outperform any similar sized village in terms of talent and enthusiasm and the multitude of events all need back-of-house support. My involvement spans working with the theatre group behind the scenes; ‘meet and greet’ at our regular music concerts (classical, jazz, cabaret) and stack the chairs afterwards... or to simply support whatever is going on.

I live in the centre of St Anne, overlooking our beautiful church, another heritage gem designed by Sir George Gilbert-Scott, and the sound of our original six bells stirred my interest. I will never be a good bell-ringer but now part of the band ringing on our recently installed twelve bells is a real pleasure... when you get it right! I can also be found digging on my allotment, showing visitors around the lighthouse or walking the coastal path, especially the southern cliffs.

I presume you are reading this with a view to visiting; well come on over, it’s a great Island, or come and live here just like I did. If you want to be a train driver, star in a show, or sail a boat and are not ready to ‘retire’ I know a place for you.

Donald Hughes

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A Year of Festivals and Events

Come and join us in 2019 for one (or more!) of our fabulous festivals or events.

New Year’s Day Water Festival
1 JANUARY
A traditional wet welcome at the Marais Square (11am) courtesy of the Alderney Fire Brigade followed by the first swim of the year at Braye beach (12noon).
visitaldeney.com

Garden Bird Watch
26-27 JANUARY
Take part in the British research project with the Alderney Wildlife Trust.
alderneywildlife.org

Alderney Literary Festival
29-31 MARCH
The Alderney Literary Festival is the Channel Islands’ boutique history festival where people who enjoy reading and writing about the past come together to talk books and have a great weekend.
alderneyliterarytrust.com

Guernsey Heritage Festival
19 APRIL-10 MAY
Look out for Alderney’s talks, activities and tours taking place as part of the Guernsey Heritage Festival.
visitaldeney.com

Bunny Express
21 APRIL – Easter Sunday
Join the Easter Bunny and friends aboard the Easter special train ride.
alderneyrailway.com

Shark Egg Hunt
22 APRIL – Easter Monday
Head down to the beach with the Alderney Wildlife Trust as part of the national hunt to find shark eggs on Britain’s beaches and maybe even some chocolate eggs too.
alderneywildlife.org

Milk-a-Punch Sunday
5 MAY
Try Alderney’s traditional tipple, offered to you in pubs and clubs across the island.
visitaldeney.com

Alderney Performing Arts Festival
24-27 MAY
A unique celebration of music, sculpture and world class performances set in and around the island’s stunning forts.
alderneyperformingartsfestival.com

Wildlife Week
27 MAY-2 JUNE
Daily wildlife fun for the whole family on Alderney, Wildlife Island - see, learn, create with the Alderney Wildlife Trust’s events and activities. With special guest Lizzie Daly, presenter on CBBC, BBC and National Geographic.
alderneywildlife.org

Alderney Men’s Golf Open
1-2 JUNE
The Alderney Men’s Golf Open (The Coursemaker Cup) is an international event which attracts entries not only from all the Channel Islands and the UK, but as far afield as the USA and New Zealand.
alderneygolfclub.com
Alderney Ladies’ Golf Open
8-9 JUNE
The Alderney Ladies Golf Open (Hoskins Cup) has been competed for over 30 years. As well as the Alderney women golfers, the 2 day event attracts over 50 competitors from Jersey, Guernsey and the UK.
alderneygolfclub.com

Bloomin’ Alderney
24-30 JUNE
Enjoy a wander through some of Alderney’s most picturesque gardens.
visitalderney.com

The Annual Fly-In
28-30 JUNE
A fantastic social weekend for visiting private aviators with a jam-packed programme of events.
fly-alderney.com

Alderney’s Food & Drink Festival
1-12 JULY
Celebrate Alderney’s diverse eateries and fabulous local produce with theme nights, wine tasting and special deals island wide.
visitaldenry.com

Alderney Week
3-11 AUGUST – Bank Holiday Monday
5 August Cavalcade Day
The Channel Islands’ biggest annual carnival and community festival, island’s most popular annual event with entertainment for all ages – not to be missed!
aldenreweek.net

Rock the Rock Concert
7 AUGUST
An evening of live music to rock the rock all for a good cause. For the line-up visit rocktherock.co.uk

Alderney Wildlife Festival
24-26 AUGUST
Enjoy the end of August with a weekend full of activities, celebrating the fantastic diversity of wildlife and nature Alderney has to offer.
alderneywildlife.org

Sailing Club Regatta
24-25 AUGUST
Two days of racing with BBQ and live music, for both local and visiting yachts.
alderneysailingclub.com

Alderney Wildlife Fayre
25 AUGUST
Celebrating everything Alderney from local arts, crafts, food and people.
alderneywildlife.org

Alderney Chamber Music Festival
29 AUGUST-1 SEPTEMBER
The third festival full of brilliantly talented young musicians from around the world.
acmf.co.uk

Annual Half Marathon
31 AUGUST
Organised by the Rotary Club of Alderney, open to all, but only the fit and healthy should take part.
aldernay-half-marathon.org

Annual Motor Sprint & Hill Climb
12-14 SEPTEMBER
Organised by Guernsey Kart & Motor Club. Racing cars and bikes compete for the fastest time.
visitalderney.com

Annual Alderney Air Races
21-22 SEPTEMBER
A popular aviation event, competitive and great fun to watch. Planes from around Britain compete in the 100+ mile races.
visitalderney.com

Annual Angling Festival
19-26 OCTOBER
An event which attracts many angling competitors to the island to compete.
festival@cwgsy.net

Woodland Week
23-30 NOVEMBER
Help Alderney’s woodland grow with the Alderney Wildlife Trust’s events including tree planting and sapling care, woodland trails and discovery walks.
alderneywildlife.org

Homecoming Day
15 DECEMBER – Public Holiday in Alderney
To commemorate 74 years since the return of the first group of islanders to Alderney after WWII, following the mass evacuation of 1940.
visitalderney.com

Boxing Day Walk
26 DECEMBER
Alderney’s most popular annual walk helping to shake out the limbs after a fun and filling Christmas.
alderneywildlife.org

In addition to our larger annual events, there is always something going on in Alderney whatever the time of year. Keep up-to-date with What’s On at visitaldenry.com or call into the Visitor Information Centre during your stay.
Starry Skies

Whether you are a keen astronomer or a dreamer Alderney is one of the best places in the world to stargaze.

Lie down on a beach, or sit back on a bench and watch the stars as they appear one after the other. What greater feeling than to feel so tiny and insignificant before the immensity of the captivating sky. What joy to watch the moon rising over the horizon, counting shooting stars or seeing the Milky Way for the first time...

You may also be lucky enough to experience atmospheric effects not often seen elsewhere, including the legendary ‘Green Flash’!

But don’t just take our word about how special Alderney’s dark and clear night skies are. Come and see for yourself!

Find out more on stargazing in Alderney at: visitalderney.com

5 TOP SPOTS TO STARGAZE

1. THE BUTES
2. GIFFOINE
3. THE CAMP SITE
4. NUNNERY CAR PARK
5. CAMBRIDGE BATTERY

Astronomical events to look out for

21 January
Eclipsed moon rise

12 - 13 August
Perseid meteor shower

21 October
Orionid meteor shower

18 November
Leonid meteor shower

12 – 14 December
Geminid meteor shower

FIND OUT MORE
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Cycling in Alderney

Hop on a bike to explore our beautiful island!

With our quiet roads Alderney is a cyclist’s paradise and the perfect place to hire a bicycle to explore the island on two-wheels.

Pick up our Cycle Guide which is suitable for all ages and abilities. Choose the half day route (approximately 4 miles) or spend the whole day exploring the island following the longer route (approximately 6 miles), discovering many of the islands landmarks along the way.

You can hire pedal or electric bikes, or even a tandem, from Cycle and Surf or Auto-Motion, both listed in our directory on page 53.
Although visitors enjoy the scenery, the fresh air and the tranquillity of the island, Alderney is also the perfect playground for those who love the outdoors.

The stunning coastline, warmer climate and hugely varied landscape is just waiting to be explored - from stunning cliffs perfect for birdwatching, to sparkling seas for snorkelling, rocky beaches for exploring along with coastal caves to discover and crystal clear waters ready to be dived into!

**WHY NOT TRY...**

1. **SUNRISE YOGA**
2. **SEA SWIMMING**
3. **ROCKPOOLING**
4. **GEOCACHING**
5. **SEA KAYAKING**

Enjoy searching for over 50 geocaches around the island.
Whilst Alderney enjoys a more relaxed, slower pace of life the island is home to many sporting clubs that are open for those who choose to be more active during their time here.

From tennis to sailing, running to golfing - which will you enjoy on this island playground in the English Channel?

Golfing
The Alderney Golf Club offers a rewarding 9 hole golfing challenge, with spectacular views overlooking Braye Bay to the north-west, Longis Bay to the south-east and flanked by the stunning Victorian Fort Albert. enquiries@alderneygolfclub.com 01481 822835 alderneygolfclub.com

Tennis
The Alderney Tennis Club has four county-sized tennis courts, simple booking and an honesty box policy. All ages and abilities are welcome alderneytennisclub@gmail.com alderneytennis.club

Sailing
The Alderney Sailing Club club house overlooking Braye Harbour, with its stunning sail deck, is a popular first port of call for any visiting yachtsperson who can be guaranteed a warm reception. info@alderneysailingclub.com 01481 822959 alderneysailingclub.com

Walk for Health
Every Sunday at 2.45pm join the Walk for Health leader and regular walkers for a 30 minute walk around the Braye area to finish for tea/coffee at the Braye Beach Hotel. Contact Julia on 07839 141016

Alderney Running Club
Every Wednesday evening and Sunday morning from the Moorings, a group of runners club together to stay fit, visitors are welcome. Contact Rod 01481 824230

visitalderney.com
Beach Guide

Make the most of our uncrowded beaches to spend time with family and friends.

- **Braye Bay**: Only a few minutes walk from the harbour and sheltered by our famous Breakwater.
- **Saye Beach**: Named as one of Countryfile’s Beaches of the Year 2016!
- **Arch Bay**: Arch is the smallest sheltered beach adjoining Corblets Bay at low tide.
- **Corblets Bay**: Sat on the north coast Corblets is the best for board surfing.
- **Longis Bay**: Half-mile of sandy south facing beach protected by a long wall built during the German Occupation.
- **Platte Saline**: Perfect for nature lovers and fishermen. Swimming is not permitted here because of a severe undertow.
- **Clonque Bay**: Ideal for rockpooling!

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MAP KEY:
- Town Church
- Odeon
- Lighthouse
- Museum
- Cambridge Battery
- Bibette Head
- The Nunnery
- Les Etacs Gannet Colony
- Watermill

Places of Interest:
- Visitor Information Centre
- Bird Hides & Nature Reserves
- Victorian Fortifications

Free visitor maps are available at the harbour, airport and the Visitor Information Centre.

Map for illustration purposes only.
Where to stay

Alderney boasts a wide selection of excellent accommodation. Our guide is here to help you find the perfect place to stay. Understanding our listings...

HOTEL
An establishment with more than 20 rooms providing a formal full service for guests.

GUEST ACCOMMODATION
INN - A pub or licensed bar with rooms providing breakfast and food served in the evenings.
GUEST HOUSE - three or more rooms, possibly licensed and may offer pre-ordered evening meal.
B&B - owners welcoming you into their home as a special guest, usually there would be 6 rooms or less.
GUEST SUITES - Apartment style accommodation, supported by the personal attention of the owner.

SELF-CATERING
From historic forts to stylish houses these properties are perfect for families or friends wanting to explore Alderney on their own timescale.

QUALITY ASSURED
The States of Alderney run a permit scheme to help you choose with confidence. All accommodation listed has been inspected and assessed by an appointed Accommodation Inspector. Establishments must display a valid accommodation permit and may choose to also display the Quality Assured logo.

STAR RATING
Alderney runs a voluntary star rating scheme alongside this, each property is assessed by Quality in Tourism within the above categories, the awards are below to give you an idea of what each means.

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Simple, clean and comfortable with no frills
★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Well presented and well run
★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Good levels of quality and comfort
★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Excellent standards in all areas
★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Exceptional throughout

PRICE GUIDE
Hotels and Guest Houses, per room per night (prpn) or per person per night (pppn) B&B based on two sharing
Self-catering, per unit per week
(Unless otherwise stated)

Important information: at the time of booking please check your establishment’s cancellation policy and if there are any extra charges for amenities. We recommend that appropriate holiday insurance be taken out to guard against such cancellation.

LIABILITY OF THE STATES
The States of Alderney accepts no responsibility for any dispute(s) arising between any individual(s) and the proprietor(s) of any establishment, whether arising directly or indirectly from any contract or engagement being entered into as a result of particulars given in this, or any other publication of the States.

COMMENDATIONS AND COMMENTS
Compliments and suggestions are welcomed. Complaints should be made in the first instance to the management. If satisfaction does not result, visitors, if they so desire, may call on the Accommodation Inspector, care of the States of Alderney, before leaving the island, as complaints lodged after the visitor has left Alderney cannot be dealt with satisfactorily.

HOTEL

Braye Beach
★★★★ HOTEL
Gold Award, Breakfast Award
27 rooms | From £110 to £236 prpn
Overlooking Braye Bay, one of Alderney’s most popular beaches.
Braye Street GY9 3XT
brayebeach.com
holiday@brayebeach.com
01481 824300

GUEST ACCOMMODATION

Villa Mondrian
GUEST SUITES
4 rooms | From £60 to £96 prpn
High quality guest suites in a great location between the harbour and town.
Fontaine David GY9 3XL
villamondrian.com
lisa@villamondrian.com
07911 723703 / 07911 723161

The Georgian House
★★★★ INN
Silver Award
4 rooms | From £60 to £95 prpn
Popular and friendly pub with restaurant, garden and B&B rooms. Renowned for locally sourced menu and shellfish. Outside catering specialists.
Victoria Street GY9 3UJ
georgianalderney.com
info@georgianalderney.com
01481 822471

The Adventurer’s Rest
INN
20 rooms | Rates £90 to £110 prpn
A traditional inn perfectly located in the centre of St Anne.
Victoria Street GY9 3TA
adventurersrest.co.uk
cazz@adventurersrest.co.uk
01481 824784
**Guest Accommodation**

**Harbour Lights**

14 rooms | Competitive rates available
Just a few minutes walk to Braye Bay.
Newtown GY9 3YR
harbourlightsalderney.com
info@harbourlightsalderney.com
01481 823233

**The Victoria**

★★★★ Guest House
Silver Award
6 rooms | From £60 to £105 pppn
Boutique guest house offering a range of bedrooms all with a coastal and contemporary charm. Delicious full breakfast menu included.
Victoria Street GY9 3UG
thevictoria.gg
info@thevictoria.gg
01481 822754

**Farm Court**

Guest House
7 rooms | From £70 to £130 pppn
Delightfully stylish accommodation set around an ancient cobbled courtyard.
Les Mouriaux GY9 3UX
farmcourt-alderney.co.uk
relax@farmcourt-alderney.co.uk
01481 822075 / 07911 756689

**Bonjour**

Bed & Breakfast
7 rooms | From £38 to £50 pppn
Located in the heart of St Anne.
16 High Street GY9 3UG
bonjour@cwgsy.net
01481 822152 / 07781 119891

**Simerock**

Bed & Breakfast
6 rooms | From £40 to £50 pppn
(Based on 2 sharing a room)
Family-run, overlooking farmland and near cliff-top walks.
Les Venelles GY9 3TW
simerock.wix.com
simerock.guesthouse@hotmail.co.uk
01481 823645 / 07911 723309

**St. Anne’s Guest House**

Bed & Breakfast
3 rooms | From £42 to £44 pppn
Period furnished Georgian town house.
10 Le Huret GY9 3TR
stannesguesthouse.com
ingridmurdoch@cwgsy.net
01481 823145 / 07781 122319

**The Ramblers Retreat**

★ ★ ★ Guest House
Sleeps 8 | From £40 pppn
Friendly bed and breakfast accommodation in St Anne.
32 Victoria Street GY9 3TA
alderneyangling.com
mark@alderneyangling.com
01481 824884 / 07781 130304

**L’Haras**

Bed & Breakfast
5 rooms | From £36 to £50 pppn
A quiet guest house situated near the harbour and Braye Bay and its amenities, within easy walking distance of the town of St Anne.
Newtown Road GY9 3XP
lharas.alderney2.com
lharas@alderney2.com
01481 823174

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Finalists in the 2018 Guernsey Customer Service Awards, the team at Farm Court strives to give guests the best possible welcome. Highlights from nominations sent into the Awards include: “Outstanding hosts…”, “Excellent breakfasts…”, “Tremendous welcome with that personal touch…”, “An oasis of calm and tranquillity!” Add to that Farm Court’s central but just out-of-town location, the peaceful communal areas and guest bedrooms showcasing artwork and photography by local artists, and you have the perfect haven for a tranquil and relaxing break away from it all!

Our guests deem a stay at Farm Court to be an amazing experience. Check out our reviews on TripAdvisor, like our page on Facebook and follow us on Instagram!
**SELF-CATERING**

Bell & Co
Rates £107 to £177 pn
3 Victoria Street GY9 3UF
bellandcoalderney.com
info@bellandco.me
01481 822562
Barley Twist sleeps 6
8 Le Bourgage sleeps 4
La Chouette sleeps 4
Aztec Cottage sleeps 6
15 Clos de Mer sleeps 10
52 High Street sleeps 7

Alderney Accommodation
Rates £70 to £245 pn
16 Victoria Street GY9 3TA
alderney-accommodation.com
info@alderney-accommodation.com
01481 823332
Heathcote sleeps 10
12 Le Huret sleeps 9
St John sleeps 9
Pipedreamer House sleeps 8
51 High Street sleeps 8
4 Braye View Meadows sleeps 6
Hope Cottage sleeps 6
49 Le Banquage sleeps 5
Sandpiper Cottage sleeps 4
Rock Bottom sleeps 4
Braye Vista sleeps 4
4/5 La Trigale sleeps 3
1D Clos De Mouriaux sleeps 2

Alderney Boutique Cottages
Rates £160 to £230 pn
Bluestone Cottage,
Route des Carrieres GY9 3YE
alderneyboutiquecottages.co.uk
reservations@alderneyboutiquecottages.co.uk
01481 824607 (Office)
07770 845971 (John) / 07766 238526 (Katie)
Les Capucines sleeps 6
Elsinore sleeps 8

Farm Court Cottage
Sleeps 3 to 5 | From £700 to £800 pw
Deceptively spacious cottage set within the grounds of Farm Court Guest House.
Les Mouriaux GY9 3UX
farmcourt-alderney.co.uk
relax@farmcourt-alderney.co.uk
01481 822075 / 07911 756689

www.alderneyboutiquecottages.co.uk
reservations@alderneyboutiquecottages.co.uk
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01481 824607 (Office)
SELF-CATERING

5 Little Street
Sleeps 6 | Rates £600 to £800 pw
Full of home comforts 5 Little Street is a lovely family home that sleeps 6 plus babies. It has a great town location close to all you need to enjoy the best of Alderney.
Little Street GY9 3TT
5littlestreet.com
07974 455431

Fort Clonque
Sleeps 13
Unique historic fort in a stunning location.
The Landmark Trust, Shottesbrooke, Maidenhead, Berks SL6 3SW
landmarktrust.org.uk
bookings@landmarktrust.org.uk
01628 825925

Les Pourciaux Cottage
Sleeps 4 | From £850 to £895 pw
High quality self-catering accommodation in a peaceful location with spectacular views of Longis Bay and Fort Raz.
Les Pourciaux Longis Common GY9 3YB
lespourciauxalderney.co.uk
lpca@suremail.gg
01481 823882 / 07911 723120

Sandpiper Cottage
Sleeps 5 | Rates £500 to £1,000 pw
Comfortable and cosy, traditional 3 storey town cottage with south facing garden.
3 Le Bourgage GY9 3TL
sandpiperalderney.com
sandpiperalderney@gmail.com
07595 457765

The Old Tea Room
Sleeps 5 | Rates £100 to £120 pn
A characterful Town House at 28 High Street, cozy with a homely atmosphere and quirky features.
28 High Street GY9 3TG
theoldtearoomalderney.co.uk
charlieauvain@gmail.com
07768 648146

Wuthering Heights
Sleeps 4 | Rates £650 (for 2) to £1,000 (for 4) pw
Stunning views across Braye Bay and the harbour.
The Serpentine, Les Butes
grannyannie2207@gmail.com
01481 824295 / 07781 410199

La Marette Studio Apartment
Sleeps 2 | Rates £476 to £595 (for 2) pw
Self-catering south wing apartment in a Victorian fort.
Corblets Bay GY9 3YJ
fortcorblets.com
ameliastuart_2@hotmail.com
01481 823730

Saye Beach Campsite
Sleeps 2-6 | Rates from £45 pn
Self-catering tents from £45 per night based on 2 people sharing. Minimum stay 2 nights.
sayebeachcamping.co.uk
info@sayebeachcamping.co.uk
01481 822556 / 07781 190585

Alderney Bird Observatory & Field Centre
Sleeps up to 10 | Rates £15 to £40 pppn
Self-catering bird observatory field centre accommodation. Welcomes bird watchers/ ringers, wildlife and heritage enthusiasts and groups.
Longis Road GY9 3YB
alderneybirdobservatory.org
abowarden@alderneywildlife.org
01481 824134 / 07815 549191

OUT OF TOWN

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Longis Road GY9 3YB
alderneybirdobservatory.org
abowarden@alderneywildlife.org
01481 824134 / 07815 549191
Tucked away in the sand dunes, Saye Beach Campsite is the place for camping in Alderney, with high standard facilities including a bathroom block, dry room facility and a play area for children.

The campsite is the perfect place to base your holiday with family or friends. It offers a well-stocked shop, picnic area, teas and coffees, ice creams and beach goods. Fully equipped self-catering tents are available for hire or you can bring your own.

Saye Beach Campsite
Rates £7 to £22.50 pppn
sayebeachcamping.co.uk
info@sayebeachcamping.co.uk
01481 822556
07781 190585

The campsite is a registered States of Alderney Tourism approved accommodation
Eat and Drink

TOWN

Bumps Bar & Bistro
Victoria Street  01481 823197
B PH R C I SF TB V L GDN GF DF
( Bumps Bistro

Georgian House
Victoria Street  01481 822471
PH R S TA C I SF TB V L GDN GF DF
( The Georgian House, Alderney

Le Pesked
Victoria Street  01481 823933
B C PH C TB V L GDN GF DF
( Jack’s Brasserie Alderney

Mai Thai
Le Val  01481 824940
PH R TA SF TB V BYOB GDN GF DF
( The Town Frier Chippy

Marais Hall Pub & Restaurant
Marais Square  01481 822683
PH R SF TB V L GDN
( The Marais Hall

Nellie Gray’s Indian Cuisine
Victoria Street  01481 823333
PH R TA V L GF DF
( Nellie Gray’s

St. Anne’s Guest House
Le Huret  01481 823145
TB GDN GF
( St Anne’s Guest House, Alderney

The Adventurer’s Rest
Victoria Street  01481 824784
PH R SF TB V L GDN
( The Adventurer’s Rest & Chez Bar, Alderney

The Pantry
Victoria Street  01481 823382
C R S TA C I SF TB V GF DF
( Pj’s Pantry

Mel’s Tea Room
High Street  01481 822005
C S TA TB V GF DF
( Mel’s Tearoom

The Town Frier Chippy
Ollivier Street  01481 824515
TA SF TB V BYOB GF GDN
( The Town Frier Chippy

The Campania
High Street  01481 822653
PH GDN
( The Campania

The Coronation Inn & Off-License
High Street  01481 822630
PH

HARBOUR

Braye Beach
Braye Street  01481 824300
B PH R S C I SF TB V GF DF
( Braye Beach Hotel ∘ @BrayeBeachHotel

Braye Chippy
Braye Harbour  01481 823475
R TA C SF TB V BYOB GDN GF DF
( Braye Chippy

Cantina Number 6
Braye Street  01481 824063
R C I SF V L GDN GF DF
( Cantina Number 6

The Divers Inn
Braye Street  01481 822632
PH TA SF TB V L GF DF
( The Divers Inn Alderney

The Moorings
Braye Street  01481 822459
R C PH R S TA C SF TB V L GDN GF DF
( The Moorings Alderney

OUT OF TOWN

Aviator Café
Alderney Airport  01481 822566
C S TA

The Old Barn & Off-License
Longis Road  01481 822537
B C TB V L

Key to symbols
B Bistro
C Café
PH Public House
R Restaurant
S Snack Bar
TA Takeaway
C Continental
I International
SF Seafood
TB Traditional British
V Vegetarian
GF Gluten Free
DF Dairy Free
BYOB Bring Your Own Bottle
L Fully Licenced Restaurant
GDN Garden/Patio
Off-License Sales

EATING & DRINKING OUT

Whether it’s a drink with friends or lunch with the family there’s plenty of choice on offer.
For more information and opening times go to visitalderney.com or call into the Visitor Information Centre during your stay.

GO TO VISITALDERNEY.COM FOR MORE DETAILS AND OPENING HOURS
**G E O R G I A N  H O U S E**

**PUB · RESTAURANT · ROOMS**

A much-loved pub & restaurant with rooms in the heart of St Anne. Delivering a seasonal & locally sourced menu with a relaxed, professional service. Available for private hire, outside catering, weddings, & corporate events. We have 4 charming bedrooms at The Georgian. Prices from £65 single / £85 double room per night B&B.

**INFO@GEORGIANALDERNEY.COM**
00 44 (0) 1481 82 2471
WWW.GEORGIANALDERNEY.COM
f. @GeorgianAlderney | georgianalderney

**THE VICTORIA**

A charming guest house in the heart of St Anne. The Victoria has 6 bedrooms, all with en-suite bathrooms, a spacious dining room, & cozy guest living area. Our rooms are comfortable with homely charm, the little extra touches & all modern amenities. Our breakfast menu offers light & cooked options with tea & Nespresso readily available. Prices from £60 single/£85 double/twin per night B&B. Family rooms also available

**00 44 (0) 1481 82 2471**
WWW.THEVICTORIA.GG | INFO@THEVICTORIA.GG
f. @VICTORIAHOTELALDERNEY

**THE MOORINGS**

The perfect venue for relaxed dining or private functions, just a stone’s throw from the beautiful Braye Beach.

**INFO@THEMOORINGS.GG**
01481 822459
WWW.THEMOORINGS.GG
f. themooringsalderney

**BEACH BAR, CAFÉ & OFF LICENSE**

Tea, coffee & cakes - Bar, restaurant & large sunny terrace - Food served daily from 12pm – 9pm, with breakfast being served until 11am on the weekends - Family friendly - Kid’s Meal Deal £7 - drink, main & ice cream - Take-away stone baked pizzas - Alcohol off license - Bespoke weddings, functions & outside catering Live Music & Entertainment - Open May to late September only.

**t. 01481 822459**
e. info@themoorings.gg
f. themooringsalderney
WWW.THEMOORINGS.GG

**CYCLE HIRE**

**Auto-Motion**
t: 01481 823352
e: auto-motion@cwgsy.net
w: automotionalderney.com
Mountain bikes and electric bikes at the harbour.

**Cycle and Surf**
t: 01481 822886 or 07781 154045
e: info@cycleandsurf.co.uk
w: cycleandsurf.co.uk
Short and long term hire of mountain bikes and electric bikes at the bottom of Victoria Street.

**CAR HIRE**

(valid driving licence is required)

**Auto-Motion**
t: 01481 823352
e: auto-motion@cwgsy.net
w: automotionalderney.com

**Braye Hire Cars**
t: 01481 823881
e: brayehirecars@cwgsy.net
w: brayehirecars.com

**TAXIS**

**A1 Taxis**
t: 01481 824182
e: A2taxisalderney@outlook.com
Airport and hotel transfers, 16 seater minibus available.

**Bill’s Taxis**
t: 07911 730303
e: bjlep57@gmail.com
Regular taxi service plus island tours during the summer.

**Island Taxis**
t: 01481 823823
e: islandtaxis@msn.com
Airport and hotel transfers.

**LATE NIGHT TAXI/MINIBUS**
t: 01481 824134 or 07815 549191
Friday and Saturday evening only 10pm-1am (from 1 May-30 Sep)

**GUIDED BUS TOUR**

**Alderney Tours**
t: 01481 824134 or 07815 549191
Friday and Saturday evening only 10pm-1am (from 1 May-30 Sep)

Whether you choose to hire a car, call a taxi, or take a boat trip you’ll find there are lots of different ways to explore Alderney.
ISLAND BOAT TOURS
Lady Maris II
t: 07781 100829 or 01481 822333
e: alderneygiftbox@cwgsy.net
w: alderneygiftbox.com
Round Island boat tours, trips to Cherbourg and Sark.
Sula of Braye
t: 01481 822935
e: admin@alderneywildlife.org
Seabird Safari boat tours, charters and other tours available.
Avante 2
t: 07781 115132 or 01481 823307
e: davevenn4@gmail.com
Round Island boat tours, charter fishing trips and other trips available.

WALKING TOURS
St Anne’s Town Walk
t: 01481 822333
e: info@visitalderney.com
By arrangement (at least 24hr in advance) with the Visitor Information Centre.
Guided Heritage Walk
t: 01481 822333
e: info@visitalderney.com
By arrangement (at least 24hr in advance) with the Visitor Information Centre.
Bat and Hedgehog Walk
t: 01481 822935
e: admin@alderneywildlife.org
Discover our nocturnal friends with the Alderney Wildlife Trust, every Wednesday evening.

Our quaint cobbled town with colourful bunting threaded from side to side across the street offers a unique shopping experience with boutiques and charming gift shops.

WHERE TO SHOP

GIFT SHOPS
Alderney Centre Victoria Street
t: 01481 822646
Alderney Flower Shop 21 Victoria Street
t: 01481 822807
e: alderneyflowershop@outlook.com
w: alderneyflowershop.com
Alderney Museum Gift Shop High Street
t: 01481 823222
e: shop@alderneymuseum.org
Alderney Wildlife Trust Gift Shop Victoria Street
t: 01481 822935
e: admin@alderneywildlife.org
w: alderneywildlife.org
The Wool Shop 39 High Street
t: 01481 823863
e: ireneday@pagetdesigns.com
Reynards Jewellers Victoria Street
t: 01481 822752
e: jeff@reynards.net
w: reynards.net
Richards Newsagents 19 Victoria Street
t: 01481 822606
e: andreerecknell@hotmail.com
Selections 33 Victoria Street
t: 01481 823805
e: info@cycleandsurf.co.uk
w: cycleandsurf.co.uk
Shabby Chic (The Jelly Cat Shop) 3 St Anne’s House, Victoria Street
t: 01481 822700
e: sarafisher42@hotmail.co.uk
The Bookshop QEII Street
t: 01481 823246
e: tissie@alderneybookshop.com
w: alderneybookshop.com
Alderney Museum Gift Shop High Street
t: 01481 823222
e: shop@alderneymuseum.org
Alderney Wildlife Trust Gift Shop Victoria Street
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Reynards Jewellers Victoria Street
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e: jeff@reynards.net
w: reynards.net
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t: 01481 822606
e: andreerecknell@hotmail.com
Selections 33 Victoria Street
t: 01481 823805
e: info@cycleandsurf.co.uk
w: cycleandsurf.co.uk

CLOTHING
His Essentials at Shirley’s
9 Victoria Street
t: 01481 822951
e: lizhope@cwgsy.net
Shirley’s Ladies Fashions
9 Victoria Street
t: 01481 822951
e: lizhope@cwgsy.net

WHERE TO STAY

EATING OUT

GETTING AROUND

TRAVEL
HEALTH & WELL-BEING

**Eden Face & Body** Ollivier Court
- T: 01481 824491 / 07781 438813
- E: juliein@cwgsy.net
- W: edenbeautyalderney.com

**Lighthouse Physiotherapy** 3 St Annes House
- T: 07839 165288
- E: info@lighthousephysio.co.uk
- W: lighthousephysio.co.uk

**movegently™**
- Nonsuch, Le Petit Val
- T: 07781 435905
- E: movegently@gmail.com

**Michaela’s Hair Boutique** Ollivier Court
- T: 07911 726429

**Norman Bond The Barber Shop** Ollivier Court
- T: 07911 725178

**Vanity Box** Victoria Street
- T: 01481 822831

MEDICAL

**The Island Medical Centre** Le Val
- T: 01481 822077
- E: imc@cwgsy.net
- W: alderneydoctors.com

**Alderney Dental** Les Venelles
- T: 01481 823131
- W: alderneydentalpractice.com

**Boardman’s Pharmacy & Perfumery** Victoria Street
- T: 01481 822126
- E: boardmanspharmacy@hotmail.co.uk

**Supplying Tesco products, Fresh Fruit and Veg**

- Fresh bread and croissants baked daily
- Fresh fruit and veg direct from Jersey
- Freshly squeezed orange juice
- Fresh filled rolls prepared daily
- The best delicatessen on the island

Visit our **Convenience Store in Victoria Street**
and our **Freezer Centre in The Cuttings (nr the Harbour)**

**Stop to Shop** 27 Victoria Street
- T: 01481 823040

**Le Cocq’s - Arkwrights** Victoria Street
- T: 01481 824600

**Le Cocq’s - Freezer Centre** The Cutting, Braye
- T: 01481 824322

**Le Cocq’s Stores** Le Huret
- T: 01481 824646
- E: shop@lecocqs.com
- W: lecocqs.com

**Alderney Farm Shop** Victoria Street
- T: 01481 822167
- E: alderneyfarmshop@suremail.gg

**Jean’s Stores Waitrose Stockists** Braye Street
- T: 07781 456333
- E: alderneyfarmshop@suremail.gg

**McAllister’s Wet Fish Shop** 6 Victoria Street
- T: 01481 823666

**Hot Bread Shop** 15 Victoria Street
- T: 01481 823103

**WHERE TO SHOP**

**VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE**
- 51 Victoria Street
- T: 01481 822333
- E: tourism@alderney.gov.gg

**WHEN TO EAT**

**WHERE TO STAY**

**GETTING AROUND**

**TRAVEL**
Auto-Motion
- your first call in all things rental!

- Car Rentals
- Electric Bike Rentals
- Mountain Bike Rentals
- Fuel Forecourt

Tel: 01481 823352 or www.automotionalderney.com
With a number of regular flights from Southampton and our neighbouring island of Guernsey, getting to Alderney by air is the start of your holiday adventure. Go to visitalderney.com for air link updates.

If you’re sailing to Alderney at your own leisurely pace or on a scheduled sea crossing, our small but charming harbour awaits you! Go to visitalderney.com for sea link updates.

AERIAL AND BY SEA

FLIGHT INFORMATION

**Aurigny**

Alderney Airport
  t: 01481 822624
  w: airport.gg/alderney-airport

Guernsey Airport
  t: 01481 237766
  w: guernsey-airport.gov.gg

Jersey Airport
  t: 01534 446000
  w: jerseyairport.com

Southampton Airport
  t: 0344 817777
  w: southamptonairport.com

**Concorde Ferries**

t: 01202 207216
w: condorferries.co.uk

Services to Guernsey from Portsmouth, Poole and St. Malo.

**THE LITTLE FERRY COMPANY**

Lady Maris II
  t: 07781 724810
  w: thelittleferrycompany.com

Direct sailings between Alderney and Guernsey.

LADY MARIS II
  t: 07781 100829
  e: alderneygiftbox@cwgsy.net
  w: alderneygiftbox.com

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Victor Hugo
  t: 01481 701316
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  w: manche-iles.com

Routes from Dielette and Guernsey.

**Access Challenger**

t: 07781 147477
e: buz@guernseyboatcharter.com
w: guernseyboatcharter.com

Available to charter out of Guernsey.

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t: 07781 101935
e: richardkeen@cwgsy.net

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**Out of the Blue**

t: 07781 104356
w: boatfishing.net

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**Alderney Shipping Freight Services**

t: 01481 822231
w: alderneyshipping.com

With a number of regular flights from Southampton and our neighbouring island of Guernsey, getting to Alderney by air is the start of your holiday adventure. Go to visitalderney.com for air link updates.

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  t: 01481 822624
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  w: guernsey-airport.gov.gg

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  t: 01534 446000
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Southampton Airport
  t: 0344 817777
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Private Aviation is often the way in which many visitors and new residents first discover Alderney. With three operational runways, affordable landing fees and VAT free fuel, Alderney Airport prides itself on its service for private aviation. The small airfield means you can land and enjoy the island without the delays and occasional frustrations of busier destinations. More information available from flyalderney.com.
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**TOUR OPERATORS**

There are a number of tour operators that offer holidays in Alderney. The headings detail the kind of holiday they specialise in.

**AIR PACKAGES**

**Alderney Holiday**

t: 01621 734777
e: sales@alderneyholidays.com
w: alderneyholidays.com

Alderney Holiday, part of Travelsmith, is a travel agency providing packages holidays from the UK and Guernsey.

**Premier Holiday**

t: 0844 937531
w: premierholidays.co.uk

Independent tour operator and part of the Premier Travel Group, specialists in affordable, tailor-made holidays.

**Zenith Holiday**

t: 02031377678
e: reservations@zenithholidays.co.uk
w: zenithholidays.co.uk

Zenith Holidays has been operating since 2009 and offer a wide range of activity holidays.

**Bontour**

t: 01534 496 687
e: bontour@citravelgroup.com
w: bontour.co.uk

Part of C.I. Travel Group, Bontour is a Jersey based company established over 30 years ago.

**SEA PACKAGE**

**Jersey Tour**

t: +33 (0) 2 40 20 16 02
w: jerseytour.com

French Travel agency organising Island Hopping trips in the Channel Islands.

**SPECIAL INTEREST**

Naturetrek

t: 01962 733051
e: info@naturetreck.co.uk
w: naturetreck.co.uk

Nature Tour Operator coming to Alderney every year in May, June and September.

**Amarok L’esprit Nature**

w: amarok-espiritnature.com

Amarok is a French nature/photography tour operator.

**Michel Jeanne**

w: randojersey.over-blog.com

French-speaking guide. English teacher with a Bachelor Degree in History, Michel is specialised in the Channel Islands which he has been visiting for 30 years. He is able to guide a group for a day or a week on Alderney.

**Le Goût du Voyage**

t: +14 21 711 19 21
w: legoutduvoyage.ch

Swiss travel agency organising Island Hopping trips in the Channel Islands.

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From the UK: 01481
All other countries: +44 1481

MOBILE PHONES
Certain mobile networks require a roaming facility plus international dialling code. Please check with your provider.

MEDICAL INSURANCE
There is currently no reciprocal health care agreement between the UK Department of Health and the Channel Islands.

All visitors to Alderney are strongly advised to take out full travel insurance which is valid in the Channel Islands, for the duration of their visit, to cover the cost of any medical treatment they may require and repatriation costs. Travel Insurance will also be required to cover you for any unforeseen expenses incurred in case of delays, diversions or cancellation due to adverse weather conditions.

Healthcare in Alderney is provided by the Health and Social Services Department and is outside the UK National Health Service. The European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) is not valid in the Bailiwick of Guernsey (Guernsey, Alderney, Sark & Herm).

MEDICAL CENTRES
The Island Medical Centre 01481 822077
Alderney Dental Practice 01481 823131

PASSPORTS
Passports are not required for citizens of Britain and the Irish Republic, however, photographic ID is required for travel to Alderney (e.g. driver’s licence or passport). Visitors from EU countries need valid passports or national identity cards. Nationals of other Western European countries and North America require valid passports, but not visas. However, if you plan to visit France during your stay in Alderney, you will need your passport.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE
Foreign exchange facilities and two automatic cash dispensers are available at our branches of HSBC, Lloyds, and also at the Post Office.

TIME ZONE
Same as Great Britain.

CLIMATE
Mild. Nearly 2,000 hours of sunshine per year. Summer temperatures average between 20C-24C and between 17C-20C in spring and autumn. Frost and snow are extremely rare.

Please note there is a ban on dogs and horses using the beaches from 1 June – 15 September.

WIFI/EMAIL ACCESS
Facilities available at: The Visitor Information Centre, Alderney Airport, Alderney Library, Harbour area and various other places within St Anne.

DUTY-FREE, VAT-FREE SHOPPING
Shopping in Alderney is VAT-free. The island also has its own duty-free facilities where visitors (except travellers within the Bailiwick of Guernsey) can purchase tobacco and spirits at exceptionally low prices prior to departure, from the Aviator Café (airport) or Mainbrayce (harbour).

DUTY-FREE, VAT-FREE AVGAS
AvGas for Private and Commercial Aviators: supplied at Alderney Airport 01481 824666.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS
Same as Great Britain, except for August Bank Holiday which in Alderney is on the first Monday of August when the island celebrates Caualcade Day. ‘Homecoming Day’ (Saturday 15 December) which celebrates the islanders’ return on 15 December 1945, after the mass evacuation in June 1940.

TRAVELLING WITH YOUR PET
Alderney is rabies-free and some hotels, guest houses and self-catering establishments on the island welcome pets. Aurigny Air Services will accept dogs on their inter-island and UK flights to Alderney. However, please note only dogs (***) originating from the British Isles or legally imported into the UK may be landed in Alderney once they have been cleared by Alderney’s Customs Authorities.

Under the Pet Travel Scheme, cats and dogs may also be imported from St. Malo, via Guernsey or Jersey, with Condor Ferries. Otherwise a 6-month quarantine applies. For details and conditions please contact the respective airline or ferry company prior to making any travel arrangements.

Please note: Pit Bull Terriers, Japanese Tosa or any other type of dog which appears to have been bred for fighting may not be imported. For details, conditions and exceptions regarding the Pet Travel Scheme and any queries relating to the importation of animals, please contact the Commerce and Employment Department directly before making any arrangements: +44 (0) 1481 234567.

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 museums, art galleries

FINANCIAL SERVICES
A wide variety of financial services are available including banks, building societies, and several local insurance companies.

TRADE FEST
The Alderney Trade Festival is held in June on the main square of St Anne. This is a celebration of the island’s culture with food, drink, music and crafts for visitors to enjoy.

LIFELINE
In the event of an emergency, call 112 or 000 from any telephone. The island’s only hospital is the Alderney Medical Centre and the nearest hospital is on Guernsey.

Alderney Tourism visitalderney.com
Alderney Government alderney.gov.gg
Channel Islands Weather Forecast jerseymet.gov.je
General Weather Forecast metcheck.com

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