

# TORBAY RAMBLING CLUB

## St Austell Holiday

Monday 6th October to Friday 10th October 2025



In order to cater for diverse accommodation preferences, the club is not booking a hotel. This means that you as members have the opportunity of choosing and **booking your own accommodation** to suit your budgets and preferences. A selection of ideas is included below.

In order to reduce costs, **the club will not be taking a coach**. We will therefore travel by train to St Austell. The station is located in a convenient central location. Public transport is good in this area and all walks can be accessed through the use of buses. We will co-ordinate train times to St Austell nearer the time.

## Accommodation

**NB: BELOW ARE A SELECTION OF THE OPTIONS AVAILABLE ON THE WEB. PLEASE CHECK REVIEWS CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR CHOICE. ALSO PLEASE CHECK PUBLIC TRANSPORT LINKS IF YOU ARE THINKING OF STAYING OUTSIDE ST AUSTELL ITSELF.**

### White Hart Hotel (Centre St Austell)

For best rates book direct with hotel on  
Tel. 01726 72100  
or see [Booking.com](https://www.booking.com)



Cherry Eden House  
Tel. 01726 68466  
(Close to centre town)  
Cats in garden

## Accommodation



Travel Lodge,  
Pentewan Road, St  
Austell, PL25 5BU

Tel. 08719 846160

(on bus route for some of  
the walks)



The Waterwheel,  
Bodmin Road, St  
Austell PL25 5RR

Tel. 01726 67435

(10 mins walk from centre)



Premier Inn

Treverbyn Road, Carclaze,  
St Austell PL25 4EL

0871 527 9018

(2 miles from St Austell town)

## Self-catering accommodation



Bells Cottage

Tel. 07940 511115

(350m from centre. 2 double beds, 1 single bed)



Pentewan Sands Holiday Park Tel. 01726 843485

(Offers two swimming pools and a range of accommodation)

Hourly bus to St Austell



Booking.com

'Barry'

Polgooth

St Austell, PL26 7DA

(On bus route for some walks)

*(NB. The Club will be asking holiday participants to cover the cost of any recce expenses so a fee per head will be charged. Amount to be decided.)*

Numbers will be limited so if you would like to participate please message Anne-Marie on **07713 183649** before you book your accommodation .

We are hoping to offer a selection of walks (easier and more challenging) so if you would be happy to **lead a walk**, please let Anne-Marie know (07713 183649). The more leaders we have, the more options we will be able to offer to members. One option could be to use a mini-bus to do a mass recce.

Some ideas for walks are included below but bear in mind that these are **only ideas at this stage**. What we can actually offer will totally depend on the number of walk leaders who provide their services. Last minute changes will need to be made to allow for weather conditions and 2025 bus times.

If you have any local knowledge of St Austell, particularly ideas for where we could meet up socially in the evening as a group, please let Anne-Marie or Kevin know.

## WALKS

Possible walks...

St Austell to Pentewan along the Pentewan Trail (Easy 3.4 miles)

St Austell to Mevagissey via Porthpean (9.75 miles Moderate with some strenuous ascents and descents)

Bus to Mevagissey and exploration of the area 2/3 miles moderate

St Austell Clay Trails (5 miles Easy / moderate)

Charlestown to Porthpean circular (2.9 miles Moderate)

Pentewan, Heligan and Mevagissey (5.3 miles Moderate to strenuous)

Mevagissey to Charlestown (7.6 miles Moderate / strenuous)

Porthpean to Black Head circular (5 miles Strenuous)

Pentewan valley and Black Head (6.6 miles Strenuous)

Mevagissey to Portmellon circular (3.4 miles Moderate)

Gorran Haven to Dodman point circular (4.9 miles Moderate)

Mevagissey to Gorran Haven or other direction (Linear or circular)  
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## Places of interest



Meander around historic Charlestown and visit the Shipwreck Museum (£8.50)

Have a wander around the pretty fishing village of Mevagissey



Pinetum Gardens  
Holmbush Rd, Holmbush, St Austell PL25 3RQ

£16 last entry 2pm

Porthpean Beach

