Lundy – key information

Winter Helicopter Service 2016-17





Before your break

We have prepared this guide for visitors who come to Lundy using the winter helicopter service.

Please ensure members of your party read the information before your trip.

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Lundy is the largest island in the Bristol Channel, 12 miles off the Devon coast. The Landmark Trust rescued Lundy in 1969 when we took on the island's lease and we now manage 23 buildings and a camp site. People return time and again to the simple pleasures that Lundy offers; the sea is clear, the landscape spectacular and at night the stars shine with unfamiliar brilliance.

1. Getting to and from Lundy

Flight times and prices are available in the current Lundy brochure or Landmark Trust price list. Flying time is approximately six minutes.

Tickets must be bought a minimum of 14 days before departure by telephoning the Lundy office on 01271 863636.

We require the name, gender and age group (adult/child/infant) of each passenger. Children are classed as being between the ages of 2 and 15.

It is imperative that you call our information line on 01271 863636 after 8.00pm the evening before your departure to check flying times. Weather may sometimes force changes of flying times if particular winds are forecast.

Delays in flights and in reclaiming luggage may occur on busy flying days when transporting large numbers of passengers or if the weather is bad.

Flights may occasionally have to be cancelled because of strong winds or poor visibility. In this event we will transport you to the Island as soon as we possibly can when the weather allows.

For details on our refund policy please refer to the Lundy booking conditions or Landmark Trust website www.landmarktrust.org.uk

2. Luggage

- The checked-in luggage allowance is strictly **10kg per person** N.B. There is a charge of £5 for excess weight up to 5kg (or any part of) and every additional 5kg thereafter (or any part of).
- Please note If combining individuals' luggage, no single piece of luggage is to weigh more than 15kg.
- You are also allowed one piece of small hand luggage weighing no more than 5kg.
- Please ensure luggage is securely packed, compact, not too smart and reasonably waterproof. We
 will not accept responsibility for damage (unless unequivocally caused by negligence on our part).
- At busy times it can take several hours for your luggage to be delivered to your property, this may not be until late afternoon, so please plan your packing accordingly!
- Please label each piece of luggage with the property name in which you are staying and your name. We provide coloured labels upon check in at the Heliport.

Label Colour	Landmark
Red	Castle Cottage, Castle Keep North, Castle Keep East,
	Castle Keep South, Hanmers
Blue	Bramble Villa East, Bramble Villa West,
	Millcombe House
Green	Big St Johns, Little St Johns, The Old School,
	Government House
White	Old House North, Old House South, Square Cottage,
	The Radio Room
Pink	Old Light Lower, Old Light Upper, Old Light Cottage,
	Stoneycroft
Orange	The Quarters, Tibbetts Lookout
Yellow	The Barn

3. Getting to Hartland Point Heliport

Please make sure you arrive to check in **no later than 10am**The address is Hartland Point Heliport: Blagdon Farm, Hartland, **EX39 6AU**

3.1 Public transport

By public transport the nearest railway station is Barnstaple and there are regular bus connections from there to Bideford. Public transport between Bideford and Hartland Village is limited, with no direct public transport to Hartland Point. Taxi companies you could use are: 'Number Six' 01237 666 666 or 'Hartland Taxi' 07766 086 005

- For trains call 03457 48 49 50 or visit www.nationalrail.co.uk
- For bus/coach services call 0871 200 22 33 or visit www.traveline.info

3.2 By Road

From Bideford take the A39 signposted for Bude and travel along until you reach Clovelly Cross. Go straight across the roundabout and just after this turn right, signposted Hartland.

Follow the road along for approximately 2 miles and look for a "Y" junction. Take the fork signposted for Hartland Point and Lighthouse. You will come to a cross road, turn right for Hartland Point. Follow this road as far as it goes and you will reach Blagdon Farm - you will approach a wooden kiosk where car parking tickets are issued.

From Bude, take the A39 signposted Bideford and travel along until, just before Clovelly cross, there is a turning left for Hartland. Take this turning and follow the directions as from Bideford in paragraph above.

Hartland Point is approximately 16 miles from Bideford.

3.3 Car parking

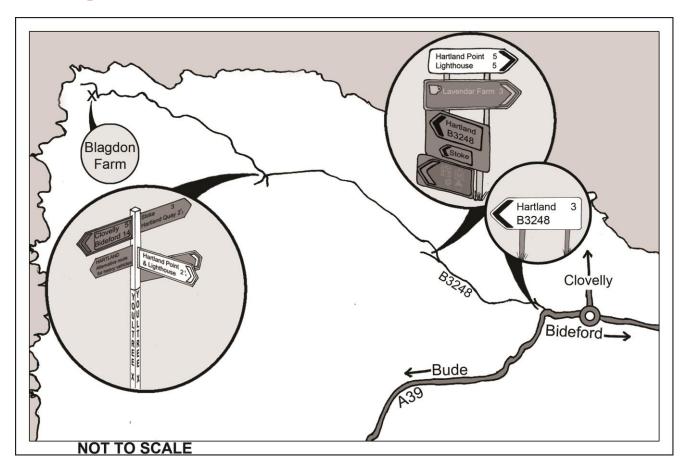
Car parking is available at the Hartland Heliport at a fee of:

- £8 for weekend breaks (Friday to Monday)
- £10 for mid-week breaks (Monday to Friday)
- £12 for seven nights breaks.

If staying more than seven nights, additional days parking will cost £2 per day.

This will be payable **on arrival at Hartland Point. Please have correct money ready**.

3.4 Map



3.5 Where to stay near Hartland Point

Bideford Tourist Information Centre on 01237 477676 can help or there are a number of hotels and guest houses in the area:

Anne-Louise White, High Park Barns, Littleham	01237 471252
Mrs Heard, West Titchberry Farm, Hartland	01237 441287
Mrs George, Gawlish Farm, Hartland	01237 441320
Sally Eaton, The Old Farmhouse Hestcott, Hartland	01237 441709
Mrs Mary McColl, Southdown Cottages, Hartland	01237 431504
Ms Loveridge, 2 Harton Manor, Hartland	01237 441670

4. Arriving on Lundy

- On arrival please collect your hand luggage from the ground crew and report to reception beside the Marisco Tavern where you will be advised when your property is likely to be ready.
- Please be patient, departing visitors may have only recently left and the housekeepers need time to prepare the property for you. On busy days this could take up to 6 hours, though it will normally be less.
- Whilst waiting you are free to explore the Island, visit the shop, or wait in the Tavern.

5. Staying on Lundy

• **Marisco Tavern** The Tavern serves a selection of dishes for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Vegetarian meals are always available and other dietary needs can be catered for, please speak to the chef. Times for meals are displayed on a notice board and the Tavern is open throughout the day for homemade cakes and hot and cold drinks.

Please note that the use of mobile telephones, personal electronic devices and laptop computers are not allowed in the Tavern but may be used in the wheelhouse. (Be aware there is a fine of £1 which goes towards the Lundy fund if your device is heard in the Tavern! Please ensure devices are switched to silent and put away).

- **Shop and Tavern Tabs** Both the Tavern and the shop will be happy to open an account for your stay but this should be settled **by 11:00am on the day of your departure**. Payment can be made by cash, card (Visa/MasterCard) or cheque.
- **Lundy Shop** The shop stocks a wide range of food along with toiletries, household goods and souvenirs, therefore there is no need to bring your own supplies. Fresh produce is replenished on helicopter days. Wines, beers and spirits are available from both the shop and the Tavern.

If you decide to place an advanced shop order using the form in section 8 please make sure it reaches the shop an **absolute minimum of two weeks before** your visit by post, fax or email. Your order will be delivered to your property along with your luggage on your day of arrival. Should you have any special dietary requirements, require baby products, or large joints of meat we recommend you contact the shop on 01237 431831 ext. 291 well in advance of your arrival to discuss availability.

The shop will be open for sufficient time after the helicopter's arrival for visitors to buy provisions and opening times are displayed on both the shop and Tavern notice boards.

- **Telephone** There is a public payphone in the Tavern.
- Mobile Devices Mobile coverage on the Island is variable.
- **Internet Access** Please be aware that there is presently no public internet access on Lundy. It is however possible to pick up a 3G signal depending on weather and coverage. Visitors should check coverage with their service providers.
- **Electricity** The Island's diesel generators provide electricity between about 6:30am and midnight, so please bring a torch. Please do not bring any mains powered equipment because our resources are limited.
- **Cots** Mothercare folding cots and highchairs are available; please contact the Island well in advance of your arrival to arrange this. Cot linen is not provided.
- **Linen** We provide sheets, pillowcases and towels for all the properties.
- Dogs Lundy is a working farm, so no dogs (other than assistance dogs) or other pets are allowed on the Island.
- **Drones/model aircraft** Please inform us prior to your arrival if you are wishing to use a drone, model aircraft or any other flying object during your stay on Lundy. Whilst we are happy for these to be used on the island, there may be some restrictions on areas where they can be flown in order to protect wildlife and to respect other visitor's privacy. Prior permission to fly drones is required from the Island Manager or Warden at least one week before your visit. Charges may apply for transportation. Please contact the Warden for further advice at least one week before your arrival.

6. Leaving Lundy

Please leave your property by 09.30am so that the housekeepers can prepare it for the
next visitors. Guests should check the Tavern blackboard the day prior to your departure
from Lundy for confirmation of luggage collection and departure times as these may vary
with adverse weather.

7. Contacting us

For further travel information, to book your tickets or any general enquiries please contact:

Lundy Shore Office

Tel: 01271 863636

Email: info@lundyisland.co.uk Website: www.lundyisland.co.uk

For specific enquiries about your accommodation booking or to make further bookings please contact:

Landmark Booking Office

Tel: 01628 825925

Email: bookings@landmarktrust.org.uk
Website: www.landmarktrust.org.uk

For any queries about details on the Island, or during your stay, please contact the Island direct:

Lundy Island

Tel: 01237 431831

Email: general@lundyisland.co.uk

For further information on the island and things to do during your stay you can visit the 'Discovering Lundy' section of our website:

www.landmarktrust.org.uk/lundyisland/discovering-lundy

8. Lundy Shop Advanced Order Form

Qty Item Requested If ordering, please remember that we are not a large supermarket. Much of what we stock is seasonal, so expect to find what you would in a small village shop in the country. Stocks are replenished every sailing or helicopter day - so there is no need to bring your own food unless you have a specialised diet. But please remember your luggage weight allowance is restricted. You do not have to place an advanced order – some visitors like to order a few essentials beforehand, but many just shop when they arrive. Apart from groceries, we stock beers, wines and some spirits, toiletries, household goods and souvenirs. Where possible, we try to source locally produced and organic food, but due to the logistics of living on an Island, this is not always possible. When completed, please return this form to; The Shop, Lundy Island, Bideford, Devon. EX39 2LY Tel: 01237 431831 ext. 291 Fax: 01237 431832 Email: shop@lundyisland.co.uk Name: Lundy building: **Arrival Date:**

Daytime Contact Tel:

Departure Date:

Please ensure that this form reaches the shop at least two weeks before your arrival date. Thank you.

9. Items we provide....

Lundy Equipment List

We suggest that you look through this list before you arrive in case there is anything which is not on the list and which you especially feel you need:

Kitchen Equipment	Potato masher	ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT
Baking Tray	Potato peeler	Fridge
Balloon whisk	Roasting tin	Vacuum Cleaner
Bread bin	Rolling pin	Toaster
Bread board	2 Sandwich tins	
Bread knife	3 Saucepans	
Cafetiere	Sieve	GENERAL EQUIPMENT
Carving knife, fork & steel	Sink tidy	Ashtray
Chopping board	Sink top dish drainer	Boot jack
Colander	Slotted spoon	Broom
Cooking tongs	Solid spoon	Clothes airer
Corkscrew	Teapot	Deck chairs – 1 per bed space
Crockery	Tea/coffee strainer	Dish cloths
Cruet set	Tin/bottle opener	Floor cloths
Cutlery	Toast rack	Hot water bottle – 1 per bed space
Egg cups	Tray	Loo paper – 1 per WC
Fish slice	Wooden spoons	Oven Cloth
Frying pan		Scrubbing brush
Glasses	PLASTIC & POLYTHENE	Small bar of soap
Garlic press	Brush & pan	Oven cloth
Grater	Bucket	Scrubbing brush
Kettle	Lunch box	Tea towels
Kitchen scissors	Picnic cups & plates	Washing up brush
4 knifes: vegetable, serrate,	Washing up bowl	
6" & 8"		WE DO <u>NOT</u> PROVIDE
Ladle	PYREX	Candles
Lemon squeezer	2 Bowls	Torches
Medium jug	2 Casseroles	Electric blankets
Milk saucepan	Covered butter dish	Washing powder
Milk jug	Fruit bowl	Axes or saws
Mixing bowl	Measuring jug	US/Continental Electrical
Pedal bin	2 Pie dishes	adapters
	Soufflé dish	Further loo paper

We provide crockery, cutlery and glasses for as many people as there are beds, plus two further sets in case you invite others for a meal. The largest buildings may have more than this. If you need fuel for fires or stoves, please contact the Island shop.

We provide sheets and pillowcases, and one hand towel and one bath sheet for as many people as there are beds. There will normally be two pillows and four blankets or duvets for each bed. If you have asked for a cot there will be a mattress but no bedding.

Please let the Island staff know if you find anything missing or defective, and about any breakages.

Do please make use of the Landmark Trust Comments and Suggestions Form in the property to send us any observations you may have on the equipment, the building or the arrangements.

You will also find a Log Book in which you can record your visit and pass on to future visitors anything of interest you have discovered on the Island or in the building.