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Long Melford EXCURSIONS 2014 – 2015

Thursday 9th October

KNITTING & STITCHING SHOW, ALEXANDRA PALACE

This should be called the 'not just knitting and stitching show'! There is so much more...jewellery making, crochet, quilting, card making, felt making and embossing to name but a few! It is safe to say that if you enjoy any kind of textile craft...it will probably be here somewhere. What are you waiting for...this gets booked up fast!

Code G

Price INCLUDES admission

Saturday 11th October

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There are specialist supplies for sale that would be hard to find in the shops, galleries from leading artists and so much more. If you want to start up a new hobby, this is also the place for you, with plenty of exhibitors to help get you started.

Code G

Price INCLUDES admission

£29.00 per person return 3:30pm

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Thursday 16th October

FAKENHAM

Come to Fakenham for the hustle and bustle of the weekly market. Stalls are set up over two locations in the town so you will find plenty to explore and lots of bargains too! The Cornhall is also home to a weekly auction where you can experience the excitement of bidding for antiques and collectables. There are plenty of places to eat including a range of coffee shops, pubs and restaurants.

Saturday 18th October

WESTFIELD SHOPPING CENTRE, STRATFORD CITY

The largest shopping centre in Europe, built within the Olympic Park with all sorts of shops to choose from, you won't know where to start! Make a start on your Christmas shopping in this real shopper's paradise

£17.00 per person return 3:00pm

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Tuesday 21st October

CHARTWELL, KENT

This National Trust property was the much-loved Churchill family home. The rooms remain much as they were when Winston Churchill lived here, with pictures, books and personal mementoes evoking the career and wide-ranging interests of a great statesman and family man. The hillside gardens show Churchill's love of landscape and nature. They include the lakes he created, his painting studio, Lady Churchill's Rose Garden, the kitchen garden, and the Marycot, a playhouse created especially for Churchill's youngest daughter.

Coach fare only £17.00 per person Code G return 3:30pm Wednesday 29th October

LONDON MUSEUMS

We will drop you off and pick you up at the Science Museum. Nearby are the Victoria & Albert and Natural History Museums. Admission is free, except for any special exhibitions.

> £17.00 per adult £14.00 per child

Including admission £29.00 per person

FELIX FAMILY SAVER 2 ADULTS & 2 CHILDREN (under 16) £57.00

return 3:30pm

Code G

Tuesday 4th November

CAMBRIDGE

Explore the quaint passages set around the historic market place and colleges, where a unique and relaxing shopping experience can be found. Here a blend of independent shops is mingled with familiar high street stores. Or escape the hustle and bustle down by the river.

£10.00 per person Code D return 4.00pm ******

Saturday 15th November

ROMFORD

This bustling town has shops and a lively market to suit everyone's tastes! With over 100 fashion and lifestyle shops The Liberty Shopping Centre is worth a look!

£12.40 per person H £14.70 per person Code E return 3.00pm We are able to pick-up in Halstead & Four Releet Crossroads, Braintree on this excursion

Thursday 20th November

BLACKTHORPE BARN - THE COUNTRY CHRISTMAS SHOP, ROUGHAM

The Country Christmas Shop is, as it suggests, a haven for everything Christmassy from special gifts, baubles and decorations to lighting and gift wrap. The Christmas Café will be open offering teas, coffees, cakes and light lunches.

@ £7.80 per person H £10.00 per person Code I return 2.45pm *****

Thursday 4th December

THE CROMER PIER CHRISTMAS SHOW

The Cromer Pier Christmas Show celebrates its 10th birthday this year, so it's time to celebrate! The Theatre promises to bring you a magical and sparkly winter wonderland of live, traditional variety, to warm your hearts and get you in the Christmas spirit.

Join their cast in this matinee performance for a whole heap of festive fun; laugh out loud with the resident star of the show and firm favourite Olly Day; sing along to the songs with Lyn Paul, of The New Seekers and Blood Brothers fame, and tap your feet whilst the Seaside Special dancers and children from Marlene's School of Dance perform their dance routines to some jolly Christmas music.

@ £29.20 per person

Code D

Price INCLUDES admission to the show

Saturday 6th December

WINTER WONDERLAND, HYDE PARK

Take a trip with us to this famous Royal Park and enjoy the awe-inspiring experience that will take you through a fantastical world of real ice and snow. Browse through the festive wooden chalets in the Christmas Markets at the array of unique gifts and decorations that are available. Grab a bite to eat from a huge selection of seasonal food and drink that is available from the many eateries and outlets including the Famous Bavarian Village. Located within the park also are rides & attractions, ice skating, Zippos Circus, Santa Land, The Magical Ice Kingdom and a Giant Observation Wheel. Admission fees apply for these rides and attractions and pre booking may be advisable. Alternatively a short distance from the park is Oxford Street for the ultimate Christmas shopping experience.

Admission to Hyde Park is free but some elements that make up Winter Wonderland have to be paid for. These costs are NOT included in our price.

£17.00 per adult £14.00 per child

FELIX FAMILY SAVER 2 ADULTS & 2 CHILDREN (under 16) £57.00

Code G return 4:00pm

Tuesday 9th December

NORWICH

This is our last shopping trip before Christmas.

The historic city of Norwich is dominated by its magnificent Norman cathedral, with the second tallest spire in the country. There are a multitude of shops, quaint walkways and a range of places to eat. The Castle Museum is well worth a visit.

Code C

£12.70 per person depart 4.00pm

HAPPY CHRISTMAS! SEE YOU AGAIN IN 2015!!

Saturday 7th March

KNITTING & STITCHING SHOW, OLYMPIA

The spring knitting and stitching show, held at Olympia Central, is the perfect place to shop, learn and find inspiration for a new project.

The Spring Knitting and Stitching Show celebrates a whole host of crafts; from knitting, sewing and dressmaking to quilting, crochet, cross stitch, homestyling and textile art. With over 200 companies exhibiting, you'll leave the show with essential supplies and inspiration for your own projects, whatever your craft passion.

The show is bigger than ever with some new features such as the K&S Homestyle Theatre offering free demonstrations and advice from some of the UK's leading craft authors plus the Inspiration Station showcasing embroideries from around the world. The Dressmaking Studio returns to the show this year, together with Learning Curve Workshops and the Prima Make & Take theatre which offers an extensive programme of hands-on practical sessions great for both beginners and the more advanced.

Code G

Price INCLUDES admission

Wednesday 11th March

FELIXSTOWE

Come with us and blow the cobwebs away with our first seaside trip of the year. Have a stroll along the prom or just sit and watch the world go by. This will be a slightly shorter day....to break you in gently! £10.00 per person H £12.20 per person Code B

Friday 13th March

THE SENSATIONAL 60'S EXPERIENCE, IPSWICH REGENT

This is without doubt the ultimate 60's extravaganza touring the UK on its 50th anniversary. For one night only six legendary names from the 1960's take to the stage and deliver to you a night never to be forgotten.

Herman's Hermits, The Swinging Blue Jeans, Dave Berry, The Union Gap uk, The Ivy League and Alan Mosca from Freddie and The Dreamers take to the Ipswich Regent stage for this evening performance. @ £39.00 per person H £41.00 per person

Code T.B.A.

Early booking is advisable to avoid disappointment

Tuesday 17th March

POPLAR NURSERIES

Being long established in the growing of plants with roots running three generations deep, Poplar Garden, Home & Gift has evolved to become one of the leading independent garden centres in Essex. It is renowned for its wide range of plants and customer service. All of the plants staff have a sound horticultural knowledge which enables them to deal with plant enquiries and give advice if needed. There is a large restaurant that offers a wide range of dishes from a menu that changes seasonally. Please be aware that we are unable to transport large/heavy purchases such as trees & compost etc.

£8.50 per person H £10.70 per person return 3.00 pm

@ £30.00 per person

return 3.30pm

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£10.00 per person return 4.00pm

Saturday 28th March

IDEAL HOME SHOW, OLYMPIA

For over 100 years the Ideal Home Show has been helping to transform British Homes. From kitchens and bathrooms, to bedrooms and basements, from fixtures and fittings to fine food, gardens and the latest gadgets, plus fashion, beauty and gifts, you'll find it all under one roof at this award-winning show.Whether you have a substantial home project or want to add those finishing touches that make a house a home, the Ideal Home Show has everything you need.

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Wednesday 1st April

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We will drop you off and pick you up at the Science Museum. Nearby are the Victoria & Albert and Natural History Museums. Admission is free, except for any special exhibitions.

£17.00 per adult £14.00 per child return 3:30pm

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FELIX FAMILY SAVER

2 ADULTS, 2 CHILDREN (under 16) for £57.00!!!

Sunday 5th April

CLACTON

Clacton has sandy beaches, seafront gardens, a Victorian pier with undercover amusements and fun fair. There are pubs, cafes and restaurants where you can while your time away. A popular destination for all the family.

£10.50 per person H £12.70 per person return 4:30pm

<u>Thursday 9th April</u>

WICKED - THE MUSICAL

Come with us to the Apollo Victoria Theatre London to see this matinee performance of the hit musical. Wicked tells the incredible untold story of the witches of oz who first meet as sorcery students at Shiz University. The blonde, very popular Glinda and a misunderstood green girl named Elphaba form an unlikely but profound friendship.

> 260.00 per adult £57.00 per child

FELIX FAMILY SAVER 2 ADULTS & 2 CHILDREN (under 16) £229.00

Code t.b.a.

EASTER SUNDAY

VINTAGE TOUR

Come for a ride around the local countryside in our beautiful vintage coach. We will be stopping at Granary crafts and museum in Buxhall where you can have a cup of tea or coffee and a piece of fabulous homemade cake. There is a bygones museum which you can peruse at your leisure. With exhibits ranging from old local photographs (you may spot someone you know...we did!) to classic cars and household goods and so much more. So join us on a trip down memory lane to discover one of Suffolk's best kept secrets.

£17.00 per person H £19.20 per person return 3:30pm

Code A return 3:30pm Price INCLUDES refreshments (as stated above)

Wednesday 22nd April

MISSISSIPPI PADDLE BOAT

We invite you to take a trip with us to Norfolk for a cruise on the Mississippi Paddle Boat departing from Horning. We will stop at Wroxham Barns for lunch. Choose from either Sausage, Mash & Gravy **or** Cheese & Tomato Quiche, Mixed Salad & New Potatoes followed by either Apple Crumble & Custard or Raspberry Cheesecake. The boat sails at 3:00pm and the cruise lasts for roughly 1 ½ hours. The luxury river cruiser runs from the beautiful village of Horning, along the River Bure and out to Ranworth Broad and back, passing lovely old thatched houses, windmills and Norfolk reed beds. Throughout the trip there is an excellent commentary.

Meals must be pre booked and cannot be changed on the day.

£32.00 per person

£12 70 per percen

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Prices **INCLUDES** lunch and boat

BOOK NOW TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

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ANY SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE
EXCURSIONS ARE ALWAYS
GRATEFULLY RECEIVED

THE FELIX 4 SAVER

Booking 4 seats on a single excursion? Don't forget to ask for a Felix 4 Saver discount ticket. 4 people = \pounds 4.00 off! (seats must be paid for at the same time to receive the discount)

GROUP BOOKINGS

We are pleased to accommodate group bookings on any of our excursions and are able to offer group discounts. (seats must be paid for at the same time to receive the discount)

To arrange a group booking, please telephone our Long Melford office on (01787) 310574 and ask to speak to Chris.

GENERAL INFORMATION & CONDITIONS

1. All seats MUST be pre-booked and paid for in advance. This will ensure that the driver can complete all of the pick-ups promptly.

2. If for any reason you are unable to go on an excursion for which you have booked, please telephone the office to let us know.

3. Refunds will not be given unless an excursion is cancelled by us.

4. If you are travelling alone, we ask that you share a double seat with another passenger who is also travelling alone. This will ensure that couples and families can sit together.

5. There is absolutely NO SMOKING, NO EATING & NO DRINKING on any of our vehicles.

6. We aim to offer the best, prompt service possible. To do this we ask that our passengers ensure that they are waiting at their collection points at least 5 minutes before the times stated on their tickets.

7. We are sorry but we are unable to reserve specific seats on the coach. Seats will be allocated by the driver if necessary.

8. When booking please refer to the codes and timetable within this brochure.

9. We will hold bookings for ten working days from when you make your booking without payment. After the ten days, the booking will be removed.

10. We courteously request that our drivers and staff are treated with respect at all times.

HOW AND WHERE TO BOOK

As well as telephoning our office on (01787) 310574/310584 Monday to Saturday, you can also book on our service buses or with the driver on any of our excursions that you may go on. Payment can be made by either cash or cheque. Should you wish to contact us our address is:

FELIX TAXIS & CO, 8 WINDMILL HILL, LONG MELFORD, SUDBURY, SUFFOLK, CO10 9AD.

Alternatively, you can book with any of our agents listed below:

Booking Agents:

TOURIST INFORMATION, THE LIBRARY, MARKET HILL, SUDBURY

9:30am – 4:30pm Monday – Thursday. 9:30am – 4:00pm Friday. 11:00am – 3:00pm Saturday.

S.T.P. STATIONERY, CAMPS ROAD, HAVERHILL

9:00am – 4:00pm Monday to Saturday.

HUDGIES HARDWARE, 3 HIGH STREET, CLARE

Anytime during shop opening hours

PLEASE NOTE: Haverhill prices are the same as those for the Sudbury area unless otherwise stated. Haverhill prices are marked with **H** where applicable.

Pick up points	Α	В	С	D	Ε	F	G	Κ	L	Μ
Haverhill Bus Station	11.45	9.15	9.15	10.15	8.35	8.45	8.25	10.50	9.50	7.40
Clare Town Hall or War	12.00	9.30	9.00	10.00	8.50	8.30	8.10	10.35	10.05	7.25
Memorial										
Cavendish Memorial Hall or	12.05	9.35	8.55	9.55	8.55	8.25	8.05	10.30	10.10	7.20
Bus Shelter										
Glemsford Post Office	12.10	9.40	8.50	9.50	9.00	8.20	8.00	10.25	10.15	7.15
Melford Black Lion	12.20	9.50	8.40	9.40	9.10	8.10	7.50	10.15	10.25	7.10
Melford Bull Hotel	12.22	9.52	8.38	9.38	9.12	8.08	7.48	10.13	10.27	7.08
Melford Street	12.24	9.54	8.36	9.36	9.14	8.06	7.46	10.11	10.29	7.03
Bottom of Priory Road,	12.30	10.00	8.30	9.30	9.20	8.00	7.40	10.05	10.35	7.00
Sudbury										
Bottom of Woodhall Road,	12.32	10.02	8.28	9.28	9.22	7.58	7.38	10.03	10.37	6.57
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Bus Stop, Girling Street,	12.35	10.07	8.10	9.10	9.27	7.40	7.20	9.45	10.42	6.45
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Springlands Roundabout	12.43	10.17	8.15	9.15	9.37	7.45	7.25	9.50	10.52	6.48
Cats Lane, Sudbury	12.48	10.22	8.20	9.20	9.42	7.50	7.30	9.55	10.57	6.52
Bus Station, Sudbury	12.50	10.12	8.25	9.25	9.32	7.55	7.35	10.00	10.47	6.55

Please remember to be at your pick up point at least 5 minutes before the stated time Fares do NOT include food, drink or admission to venues (unless stated) Felix reserves the right to cancel any excursion

FELIX of LONG MELFORD Wedding transport

Transport your guests in comfort and style in our beautifully restored vintage coaches. Both bearing the livery of Old English White and black these coaches are perfect for weddings to make your special day extra special!

We have a matching pair of two Bedford OB vintage coaches available for hire, a 1947 coach and a 1950





We have two Plaxton supreme coaches available to hire. A 1980 coach which seats 17 and a 1983 coach which seats 25 passengers. These are the perfect addition to any retro wedding!

We have two silver Mercedes E class cars available to hire. These prove popular for the bride and the bridesmaids. Our lovely black 1978 Mercedes Benz Limousine can seat up to seven passengers and is perfect for you and your bridesmaids or the groom and best men and ushers to arrive in style together.