

## Tramper Hire: Current Status at Hire Locations

As lockdown eases greater opportunities are expected for Tramper hire. We are corresponding with partner sites regularly and will update this list accordingly.

Although restrictions are easing we would ask you to continue supporting relevant Government and partner site guidance put in place to minimise risk.

**Things are changing quickly!** While we will do our best to maintain an up to date list we are not generally informed by our partner sites of changes in opening and provision of facilities. We therefore recommend that you visit the website and/or social media of the particular location.

Please be aware that **many locations now require pre booking.**

	Updated 30 April 2021
<u>Cornwall</u>	Hire Location Status & Booking Arrangements
Eden Project	The Eden Project is planning to re-open on 17 <sup>th</sup> May with Tramper hire available. To pre-book your tickets visit: <a href="https://www.edenproject.com/visit/whats-here/visiting-eden-this-spring">https://www.edenproject.com/visit/whats-here/visiting-eden-this-spring</a>
Mount Edgcumbe	No Tramper hire at present but it is hoped that this will resume 17 May. The Park is open – pedestrian access only.
National Trust Glendurgan	The property is open for visits but Tramper hire is yet to resume. It is anticipated this will resume later in the Spring.
National Trust Godolphin	Tramper hire is available (tea room available for takeaway refreshments). Reservation highly recommended. Book a morning or afternoon slot by e-mailing <a href="mailto:godolphin@nationaltrust.org.uk">godolphin@nationaltrust.org.uk</a> giving as much notice as possible. More details on visits: <a href="https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/godolphin/features/visiting-godolphin-what-you-need-to-know">https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/godolphin/features/visiting-godolphin-what-you-need-to-know</a>
National Trust Lanhydrock	Tramper hire at the Cycle Hire centre has resumed and available daily. <b>Booking is strongly recommended</b> (ideally at least 48 hours in advance). The preferred means of contact is to email <a href="mailto:lanhydrockcyclehire@nationaltrust.org.uk">lanhydrockcyclehire@nationaltrust.org.uk</a> (if this is not possible for you then call 01208 265975). Main car park and Respryn; no booking required. Playground and cycle trails open. Park Cafe 9.30-5 daily, take-away only. Toilets open at hub and house. Garden open with tickets bookable online.
National Trust Tin Coast: Botallack & Levant Mine	<b>Botallack:</b> One hire per day now available. Hiring available between 10:30 – 4:30 (latest return time). Advance booking is essential (preferably at least 24 hours in advance) by emailing <a href="mailto:botallack@nationaltrust.org.uk">botallack@nationaltrust.org.uk</a> or phoning 01736 786934. Café and toilets at Count House also open.

	<b>Levant Mine:</b> Remains closed (including the car park) although it is anticipated that this will re-open later in the Spring. From Botallack there is access to the same network of Tramper routes as would be the case from Levant.
National Trust Trengwainton	The property has re-opened and Tramper hire is available. Book a morning or afternoon slot by <a href="mailto:trengwainton@nationaltrust.org.uk">trengwainton@nationaltrust.org.uk</a> if possible, or if not, calling 01736 363148. Due to limited staffing the call may not be taken at the time but please leave a message for your call to be returned and booking taken.
Siblyback Lake	Tramper hire has resumed and is available each Wednesday on a pre-booked basis. Book by calling South West Lakes Trust office on 01566 771930 (by, at the latest, lunchtime on the day before you wish to hire). Card payments are not possible at site so bring exact money (Hire fee - £4 for 2 hours plus £2.50 for Taster Membership, £10 for Annual Membership, if you are not a current member of Countryside Mobility).
St Michaels Mount	Visits to St Michael's Mount will commence initially with 'Summit Tickets' available 12 April to 19 <sup>th</sup> April and 14 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup> May (a fuller range of attractions is expected from 23 <sup>rd</sup> May). Tramper hire expected to be available from 14 <sup>th</sup> May. Visit their <a href="#">website</a> to book admission tickets and email <a href="mailto:tickets@stmichaelsmount.co.uk">tickets@stmichaelsmount.co.uk</a> for Tramper hire.
Trebah Garden	Attraction has re-opened. Trampers available for hire but due to constraints of one way system the only time available is starting at 9:15. Book ahead by calling 01326 252200 or email <a href="mailto:mail@trebah-garden.co.uk">mail@trebah-garden.co.uk</a>
Whalesborough Farm/ Weir Café/ Bude Bike Hire	Anticipated that outdoor facilities – including Tramper and cycle hire – has resumed. Booking required to ensure availability of staff to hire (call Fraser on 07976 836206).
<b><u>Devon</u></b>	
Glen Lyn Gorge	Tramper hire has resumed. Opening times can vary so phoning ahead is advised - 01598 753207
<a href="#">Haldon Forest Park</a>	Tramper hire available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7 days a week, for both existing Countryside Mobility members and visitors using for the first time and therefore needing to become a member</li> <li>• Tramper hire hours: 10am – 4pm</li> <li>• Hire fee: 1 hour - £2.50, Up to 3 hours - £5, All day - £10</li> </ul> <b>Advance booking and payment is essential</b> call 0300 067 5826 or email <a href="mailto:haldon.rangers@forestryengland.uk">haldon.rangers@forestryengland.uk</a>

Lundy Island	Visits have resumed with Trampler hire available. As always the case <b>advance booking of the Trampler is essential</b> and only existing Countryside Members can hire Trampers if on a day trip. <a href="#">Please read the full guide</a>
National Trust Arlington	Trampler hire (now with 2 Trampers) has resumed. Trampler booking is strongly recommended – call 01271850296. The garden, wider estate and tea-room (takeaway only) is open every day from 10am-4pm. For car park space/ admission via the property’s website – click <a href="#">this link</a>
National Trust Buckland Abbey	Visitor facilities – including Trampler hire are expected to resume later in the Spring (date to be confirmed).
National Trust Castle Drogo	Planning is currently taking place for the resumption of Trampler hire in early Summer. Details to follow.
<a href="#">National Trust Heddon Valley</a>	Trampler hire has resumed. <b>Call 01598 763402 to book</b> Countryside and car park remains open for local visitors.
National Trust Killerton	Trampler hire remains suspended and awaiting information as to when it will resume. Only outdoor spaces and toilets currently available. Visit website: <a href="http://nationaltrust.org.uk/Killerton">nationaltrust.org.uk/Killerton</a> .
National Trust Lydford Gorge	Planning is currently taking place for the resumption of Trampler hire later in early Summer. The walk to Whitelady Waterfall is open.
National Trust Parke	Trampler hire resumes on 1 <sup>st</sup> May. <b>Advance booking only at present</b> with 1 hire per day available. Hiring available between 10:30 and 1:30. Hiring will be available on most, but not all, days depending on staff availability. Email <a href="mailto:parke@nationaltrust.org.uk">parke@nationaltrust.org.uk</a> (a phone alternative for booking is not currently available but will be in the near future)
National Trust Saltram	The Estate at Saltram is open and Trampler hire is available – initially this will be for <b>existing Countryside Mobility members only</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Booking is essential.</b> Phone 01752 333528 or <a href="mailto:saltram@nationaltrust.org.uk">saltram@nationaltrust.org.uk</a>. The booking for admission and Trampler hire will be made through this one process (no need to separately book garden admission through the website).</li> <li>• Trampler hire is £2.50 per hour. For non-National Trust Members garden admission is £8. Payable by card only</li> <li>• Two hire slots: 10:30am and 1:30pm (for two hours)</li> <li>• Bookings can be made more than a week in advance, but do cancel if you change your mind</li> </ul> Toilets and café (take away) services available.

Powderham Castle	Open daily with Trammer hire. Please call 01626 890243 in advance (leaving a message with name, contact number & preferred date), leave a message via their Facebook page or email <a href="mailto:castle@powderham.co.uk">castle@powderham.co.uk</a> to book.
<a href="#">RHS Rosemoor</a>	Open (pre booking only) with Trammer hire available (booking essential <a href="#">via website</a> ).
Seaton Wetlands	Nature reserve is open and Trammer hire resumes on 12 April. <b>Available Monday to Friday on booking only basis.</b> Call on 01395 517557 or email <a href="mailto:wild@eastdevon.gov.uk">wild@eastdevon.gov.uk</a>
<a href="#">Stover Country Park</a>	Trammer hire available. Booking is essential and will be subject to staff availability – please call 01626 835236 to enquire as to when is possible.
Tamar Trails Centre	Café re-opened (outdoors service) on 2 <sup>nd</sup> April with Trammer hire also resuming. Booking recommended to avoid disappointment – call 01822 833409
Woolacombe (Tourist Info Centre)	Tourist Information Centre has re-opened with Trammer hire. Hire slots are 10.30-12.30 or 1.30-3.30. Booking recommended – call 01271 870553.
<b>Dorset</b>	
<a href="#">Avon Heath</a>	Trammer hire available (please <b>book in advance</b> - call 01425 478082). Car parks open and café offering takeaway service.
<a href="#">Durlston Country Park</a>	Trammer hire available every day – 10:30 am – 4pm. Advance booking is essential, call 01929 424443 or email <a href="mailto:durlston@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk">durlston@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk</a>
<a href="#">Hardy's Birthplace Visitor Centre</a>	Trammer hire currently available Monday to Friday. <b>Booking essential – call 01305224620.</b> Thorncombe Woods open and Visitor Centre Tues - Sun (toilets, takeaway refreshments only).
Holton Lee	Closed until further notice
Lulworth Cove	The Heritage Centre, where Trammer hire operates from, is currently closed and so no Trammer hire possible.
Moors Valley Country Park	Trammer hire available. Bookings can be made using the <a href="#">online booking system</a> or by phoning the Rangers on 01425 470721. More details <a href="#">here</a>
RSPB Arne	Trammer hire has resumed. <b>Booking must be made by email at least 48 hours in advance of your visit.</b> Email <a href="mailto:trammerhirearne@rspb.org.uk">trammerhirearne@rspb.org.uk</a> stating in your email when you would like to hire the Trammer (and a contact number). You will then initially receive an automatic reply confirming receipt of your request before being sent an email confirming your booking with further information.

<b><u>Gloucestershire</u></b>	
<a href="#">Batsford Arboretum</a>	<p>The Arboretum and Garden Centre are open daily from 9.30am-4.30pm (last entry into the Arboretum is 3.30pm). Arboretum day tickets <b>MUST</b> be booked in advance online. Batsford members do not need to book. Please click <a href="#">HERE</a> to book tickets.</p> <p>The outdoor coffee hut will be open to serve takeaway hot &amp; cold snacks and drinks.</p> <p><b>Tramper hire is available for Countryside Mobility members only</b> (not first time users). 1 Tramper available per 2 hour session (1 session per day). <b>Booking essential: call 01386 701441.</b></p>
<a href="#">Crickley Hill</a>	<p>Tramper hire has resumed – initially for existing Countryside Mobility members only. To ensure availability, the Tramper must be booked in advance - minimum 48 hours - by emailing <a href="mailto:info@gloucestershirowildlifetrust.co.uk">info@gloucestershirowildlifetrust.co.uk</a>. If you want to use it on the weekend, please email by midday on Thursday prior to the weekend. The Tramper is available between 9:30am and 4pm. The hiring cost is £5 for half day (available between 09:30am and 12:30 am and 1pm and 4pm). Card payments only at the moment.</p>
Forest Holidays, Forest of Dean	<p>The resort is expected to re-open on 12<sup>th</sup> April with Tramper hire available to guests and those not staying at the accommodation. Call 01594 837165 to book.</p>
<a href="#">Speech House</a>	<p>The hotel is closed as a result of the lockdown and Tramper hire suspended. The hotel expects to re-open on 17<sup>th</sup> May with Tramper hire from that date.</p>
<b><u>Herefordshire</u></b>	
<a href="#">Malvern Hills (H2O Café)</a>	<p>Tramper hire has been suspended due to the closure of the café. Awaiting information about when this will resume.</p>
<b><u>Somerset</u></b>	
American Museum & Garden	<p>Property open with Tramper hire available. <b>Call 01225 460503 to book.</b></p>
Hestercombe Gardens	<p>Hestercombe is now open to the public (7 days a week), with pre-booking essential before visiting. Tramper hire is available. Visitors wishing to use the Tramper should ring to book on 01823 413923 at which stage the admission will also be booked. As the Tramper is not available to book online please do not book admission online if you are wishing to use this service.</p>

National Trust Brean Down	Tramper hire remains available but on a more limited basis due to reduced staffing. Tramper hire is available on Fridays from 11am and should be booked in advance via the property email addresses: <a href="mailto:breandown@nationaltrust.org.uk">breandown@nationaltrust.org.uk</a> If Fridays are not possible enquire with the site via the email above – the team will do their best to accommodate an alternative. Toilets and takeaway refreshments available (but this is under constant review)
National Trust Dunster	Tramper hire is available – pre-booking is essential to guarantee availability. Call 01643 821314 to book one of the Trampers. The gardens, parkland, pop-up cafe, and car park are open 7 days a week. You will need to book your visit in advance
National Trust Fyne Court	Tramper hire remains available but on a more limited basis due to reduced staffing. Tramper hire is available on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 11am and should be booked in advance via the property email addresses: <a href="mailto:fynecourt@nationaltrust.org.uk">fynecourt@nationaltrust.org.uk</a>  If these days are not possible enquire with the site via the email above – the team will do their best to accommodate an alternative. Toilets and takeaway refreshments available (but this is under constant review)
Wimbleball Lake	The Lake is open for visits. Tramper hire available. Advance booking required to avoid disappointment ( <b>call 01398 371460</b> ).