

ROOKERY HALL
HOTEL & SPA
NANTWICH, CHESHIRE



*Make the most
of your stay*

Shape your break

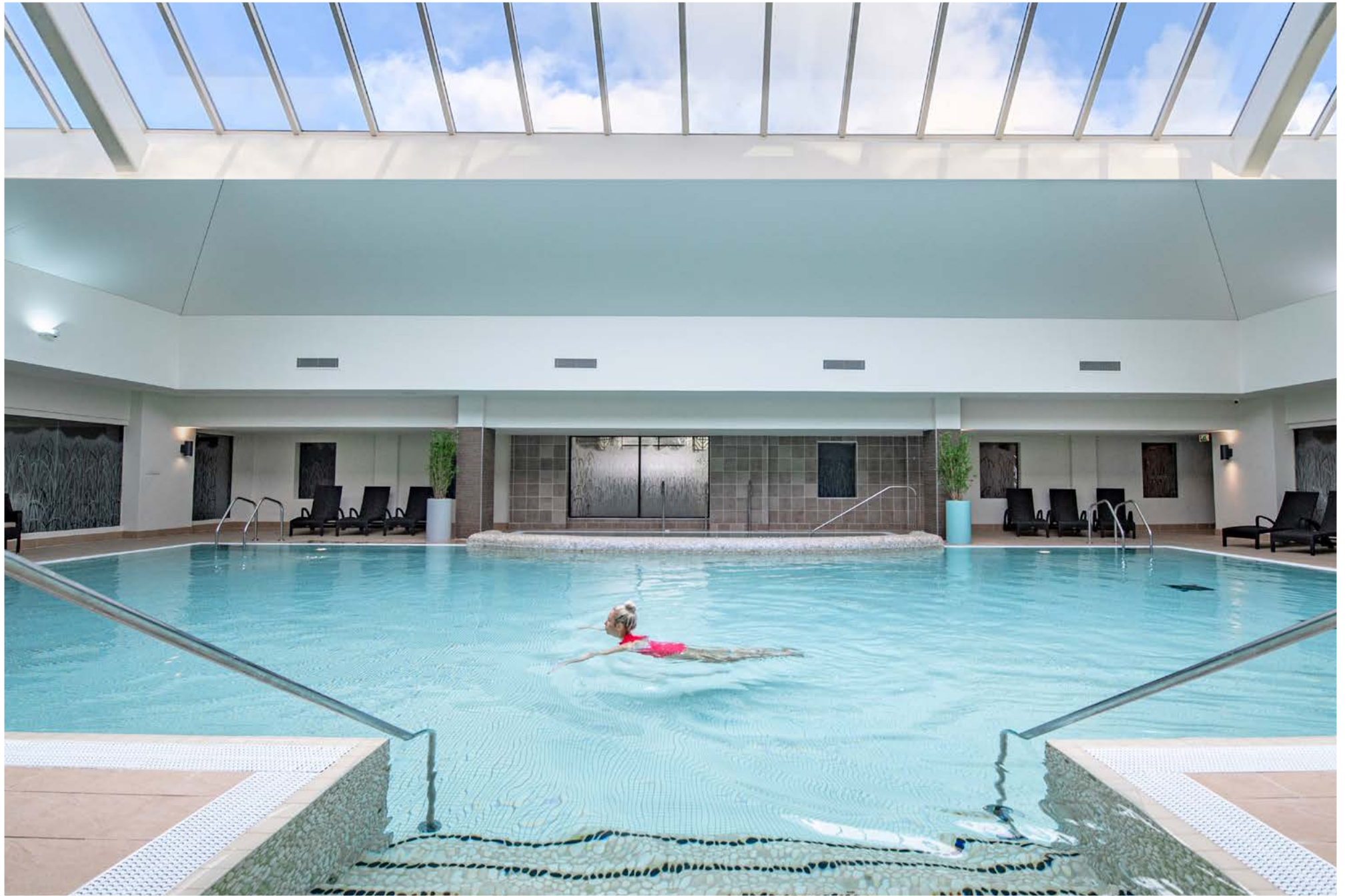
We are delighted to welcome you to Rookery Hall, where we invite you to reconnect, unwind, and make our house your home.

All year round you will be spoilt for choice for things to do within the hotel, not to mention the abundance to see and do on our doorstep. Below are just a few of the things you can discover during your stay.

This is your time – how will you spend it?

Click on the tiles for inspiration to shape your break.





In the hotel

Arriving at Rookery Hall is just the start of a unique experience...

Dining

There is a host of delicious food and drink experiences to try at our country estate:

The Restaurant

Our AA Rosette Restaurant offers an intimate and relaxing setting to enjoy a menu of classic British dishes, enhanced with a contemporary twist.

The Drawing Room & Bar

By day this room affords peaceful views across the grounds and by night it is a cosy place to unwind, not least because of the open fires. It is the perfect place for sampling our afternoon tea.

Alfresco & Private Dining

If it's a nice day, dine alfresco on the terrace or pick up a picnic hamper and choose a sunny spot in our extensive grounds. Why not make your dining experience extra special and ask us about our private dining rooms?

Games

We have a great selection of board games including Chess, Monopoly and playing cards. In the summer months, our lovely lawns are perfect for croquet or giant Jenga. Please ask at Reception for more details.

Health Club & Spa

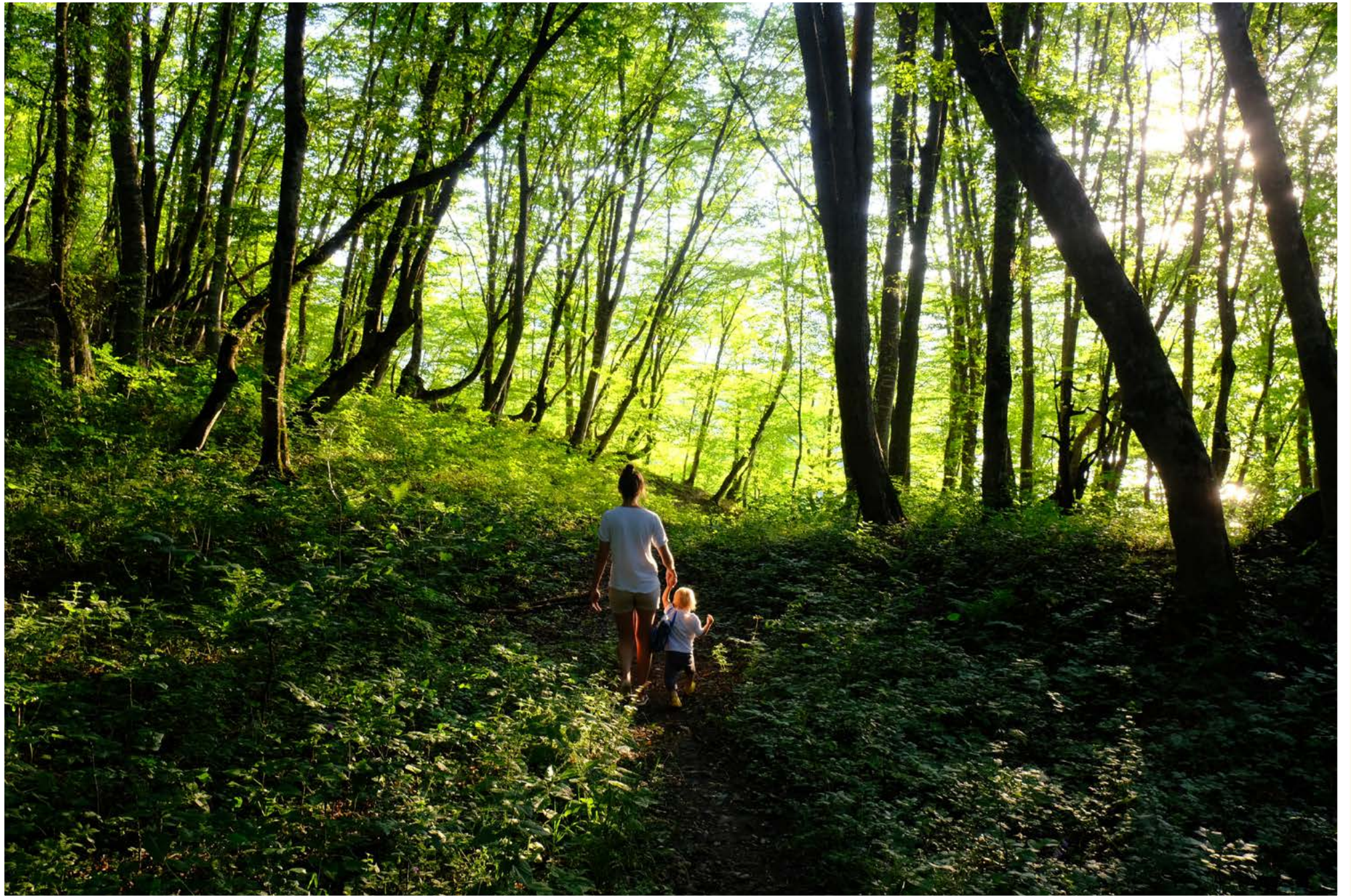
Enjoy some 'me time' in the award-winning health and club & spa, where we offer:

- Spa and treatment rooms
- Indoor swimming pool and outdoor hydrotherapy pool
- Sauna and steam rooms
- Relaxation rooms
- Nail bar
- Gym
- Exercise classes
- Sprung floor aerobic studio
- Functional training zone
- Personal training





Map of the grounds



Walks

Surrounded by 38 acres of beautiful gardens and wooded parkland, with glittering rivers and Cheshire countryside beyond, you are in a rambler's paradise.

Rookery Hall grounds – under 1 mile

We are lucky enough to be surrounded by an abundance of manicured gardens and woodland grounds. We have a lovely easy route that takes around 30-40 minutes and which showcases the best bits of our grounds.

Nantwich Riverside Park – 3k route 🚶 3 miles from Rookery Hall

The riverside area of Nantwich offers a pleasant walk alongside the River Weaver and around Nantwich Lake within easy access of the historic town centre.

Wybunbury Moss – various circular routes 🚶 6 miles from Rookery Hall

The routes take you through quiet, rural Cheshire along footpaths and country lanes through the patchwork landscape of several ancient parishes. There are fine views over Jubilee Pool back towards the church and the Peckforton Hills beyond.

Bunbury – 4.3k route 🚶 9 miles from Rookery Hall

A short leisurely loop walk which begins and ends at a lovely pub, the Dysart Arms – perfect for post-walk refreshments!

The walking route offers the chance to visit the nearby Bunbury Mill, an old watermill, and lots of peaceful stretches through the local fields and pastures.

Audlem-Hankelow Loop – 7.6k route 🚶 10 miles from Rookery Hall

This circular walk features the River Weaver and enjoys a pretty section along the Union Canal towpath. You will also find a couple of cafés and pubs for refreshments.

Bickerton Hill – 5k route 🚶 11 miles from Rookery Hall

This circuit explores the very best of the Cheshire Sandstone Ridge. Ascend through purple heather and bilberries to the ramparts of Maiden Castle hillfort. Admire stunning views, drop down through open birch woods, then circle back through sandy lanes via the picturesque settlement of Brown Knowl.

Please ask at Reception for details of any of these walks





Family Trips

From the educational to the inspirational, you will find plenty of fun for all the family.

[Reaseheath Mini Zoo](#) - 1.5 miles away

Open weekends and school holidays, Reaseheath Mini Zoo is set in the scenic rural grounds of Reaseheath College. You'll see species from around the world! We recommend allowing around 2 hours for this trip.

[Snugburys Ice Cream](#) - 4 miles away

Located in a pretty cobbled courtyard on the family farm, Snugburys ice cream shop is a family run artisan ice cream makers with over 50 flavours and well worth a visit.

[Cotebrook Shire Horse Centre](#) - 11 miles away

The only Shire Horse stud farm in the UK open to the public, with up to 30 shires to see during the stud season. Out of season there are still around 20 shires, many of which are stabled during the winter months.

[Cholmondeley Castle Gardens](#) - 11 miles away

70 acres of beautiful gardens including a lakeside walk and nature trail, The Den, a natural play area, plus a café serving tasty treats.

[Hassall Alpacas](#) - 14 miles away

Get up and close to some beautiful fleecy Alpacas and make some furry friends!

[Go Ape - Delamere](#) - 15 miles away

Delamere Forest is home to four awesome Go Ape activities for adventurers of all ages.

[Emma Bridgewater](#) - 20 miles away

Try your hand at decorating a piece of pottery, take a factory tour or visit the café and factory shop.

[Chester Zoo](#) - 23 miles away

As featured on Channel 4's "Secret Life of the Zoo", there's plenty to see and do, with over 20,000 animals and 128 acres of zoological gardens to explore.

[Trentham Monkey Forest](#) - 23 miles away

Woodland and meadows with 140 monkeys living in freedom, with forest path, information boards and videos to enjoy.





For Couples

With romantic scenery all around you, here are just a few places to enjoy with your special someone.

[Northern Belle](#)

Beyond the world of ordinary first-class there has been an almost secret world. Since the dawn of railways there has existed a world of private luxury trains and only a handful remain - The Northern Belle is one such train, carefully restored to its former glory.

[Three Wrens Gin](#) - 9.3 miles away

Three Wrens Gin is a family-run distillery producing a range of artisan gins using locally sourced Cheshire botanicals. Try their gin-tasting tour or distilling experience!

[Cheshire Oaks](#) - 25 miles away

The UK's largest designer outlet with a quarter-million square feet of retail space, comprising more than 140 boutiques, restaurants and cafes.

[Erddig \(National Trust\)](#) - 26 miles away

Grade-I listed country house built during the 17th and 18th centuries amidst a 1,900 acre estate, which includes a 1,200-acre landscaped pleasure park and the earthworks of a Norman motte-and-bailey castle.

[Lyme Park \(National Trust\)](#) - 36 miles away

A beautiful mansion house surrounded by formal gardens and a deer park in the Peak District National Park where Pride and Prejudice was filmed in the 1990s.





Historical

Step back in time and uncover this area's rich heritage and cultural legacy.

[Rookery Hall](#)

The hotel itself is steeped in history, having been built in 1816. [Click here](#) to read all about our rich history, and be sure to look out for the many original features throughout Rookery Hall while you explore during your stay.

[Nantwich Museum](#) - 3 miles away

Nantwich Museum showcases the history of Nantwich, including the Great Fire, The Battle of Nantwich, cheese-making and historic buildings. It also offers exhibitions and walking tours of the town.

[Hack Green Secret Nuclear Bunker](#) - 7 miles away

Hidden deep in the Cheshire countryside, this bunker stayed secret for more than 50 years. Now the blast doors are open and you can discover the labyrinth of rooms and authentic equipment used to run this defence region in the event of a National Emergency.

[Little Moreton Hall \(National Trust\)](#) - 19 miles

Visit this iconic Tudor manor house with a moat and manicured knot garden that will take your breath away with its wonky angles and quirky character. Built to impress by craftsmen's hands more than 500 years ago, the hall may seem fragile but it's a remarkable survivor.

[Chester](#) - 22 miles away

The ancient walled city contains the 700 year old Rows with chic boutiques and charming independents. It also has the oldest racecourse and the largest Roman amphitheatre in Britain, plus a 1000 year old cathedral with Europe's finest example of medieval carvings.

[Gladstone Pottery Museum](#) - 23 miles away

A working museum in a Grade II listed building, typical of the pottery factories from the industrial revolution in the 18th century to the mid 20th century.

[World of Wedgwood](#) - 24 miles away

A world of luxury shopping, colourful dining, hands-on learning experiences, unique events, picturesque woodland and the V&A Wedgwood Collection.



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Let the adventure begin...

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