

WOOD HALL
HOTEL & SPA
WETHERBY, WEST YORKSHIRE



*Make the most
of your stay*



Shape your break

We are delighted to welcome you to Wood 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.

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In the hotel

Arriving at Wood 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 Georgian Restaurant

The Georgian Restaurant has been awarded 2 AA Rosettes and offers hearty classics through to fresh, simple flavours, enhanced with wild garlic and herbs foraged from the kitchen's garden and grounds beyond.

The Drawing Room & Bar

Take time out for a light bite, pre-dinner drink or late-night digestif in our spacious and contemporary Drawing Room & Bar, where the soft glow from the feature chandelier sets a tone of grandeur.

Afternoon tea and alfresco dining

Afternoon tea is a British classic and a firm favourite of our guests. If it's a nice day, dine alfresco on the terrace with views over the beautiful valley and the River Wharf.

Private dining

Choice at Wood Hall extends well beyond the menu. For special occasions, why not book one of our elegant private rooms for your exclusive use?

Dog friendly

You can even share your experience with your canine companion as we are proud to be a dog-friendly hotel.

Games

We have a great selection of board games and in the summer months, our lovely lawns are perfect for a spot of croquet or giant tumble tower.

Please ask at Reception for more details.





Walks

With West Yorkshire well-known for its picture postcard landscapes, you are in a rambler's paradise.

From the hotel

To the River Wharfe – (20 - 30 mins)

This walk can be muddy! Turn left out of the front door of the hotel and follow the road round the back, passing the Carmelite Monastery on your right. Proceed straight ahead through the houses until you come to a gate. Go through the gate, then turn left down the path, continue on until you reach the bridge over the river. You can see Wood Hall to your left. You will need to turn around to get back to the hotel.

Woodland Walk – (40 mins)

Turn left out of the front door and take the road past the top car park. Instead of going up past the monastery, take the bridleway path on the right descending into the wood. This climbs a stony path with Sicklinghall House on your left. At the top, take the marked footpath on the right and follow this as it descends then turn to walk through the wood eventually emerging on Trip Lane just above the gate house. Turn right to return to the hotel down the hill.

1 Hour Walk

Turn left out of the front door of the hotel and follow the road round the back, passing the Carmelite Monastery on your right. Proceed straight ahead through the houses until you come to a gate. Go through the gate and turn right up the hill, continue along Paddock House Lane through the houses and look for a fence on your right with a 'no entry' sign. Climb the stile just past this and follow the hedge to another stile, climb this then turn right into the field and then left onto the bridleway, follow straight ahead until you meet Longlands Lane. Turn right, in about 100 metres at Sicklinghall House go to the left on the marked footpath and descend down through the wood to the hotel.

In the local area

Boston Spa Circular – 9km trail

This trail takes you from Boston Spa near Wetherby, along the River Wharfe and back through the neighbouring countryside with a chance to spot wildlife. Enjoy winding along the water's edge and through the active farmlands (please be aware of livestock on these paths). [View this route.](#)

Spofforth Castle Loop – 8 km trail

There is a car park at the start of this route, which is found roughly a 15 minute drive from Wood Hall. During your walk, discover Spofforth Castle, a fortified manor house dating from the 14th century. [View this route.](#)

Yorkshire Dales

The Yorkshire Dales National Park is a special place: it has outstanding scenery, a range of wildlife habitats and a rich cultural heritage. Please ask at reception who will be more than happy to provide you with any maps or routes around the dales.

Hawes

Located in the heart of Wensleydale, Hawes is at the centre of some outstanding walking country, including the Pennine Way. The town is known for being the home of Wensleydale cheese and the award-winning Wensleydale Creamery, made famous by the animated Wallace and Gromit films.





Family Trips

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

[Wetherby](#) - 3 miles away

Wood Hall's nearest town offers visitors riverside walks, picnic areas and a free car park by the riverside and bandstand. There are also many tea/coffee shops and restaurants. A historical trail guides visitors around the town centre and gives a fascinating insight into Wetherby's past. Historic buildings are marked by blue plaques along the trail.

[Stockeld Park](#) - 5 miles away

Stockeld Park is one of Yorkshire's hidden treasures. It is a privately owned 2,000 acre Estate on the edge of the Vale of York. Discover adventure play and installations at every turn in the Enchanted Forest before getting lost in the maze.

Open seasonally check opening times at stockeldpark.co.uk

[Xscape](#) - 21 miles away

Xscape Yorkshire, is the ultimate entertainment destination, where you can play eat and shop all under one roof. Find the country's biggest real snow slope, two rock climbing walls, an aerial assault course, indoor skateboard park, 4D golf course, Laserzone, bowling, adventure golf course, multiplex cinema, 17 bars and restaurants and more.

[The York Dungeon](#) - 23 miles away

The York Dungeon is a journey into more than 2000 years of York's horrible history. The Dungeon brings together an amazing cast of theatrical actors, special effects, stages and scenes in a truly unique and exciting walkthrough experience.

[York Maze](#) - 26 miles away

Created from over one million living, growing maize plants, York Maze is the largest maze in the UK, with over 20 different rides, attractions and shows to enjoy.

[Light Water Valley](#) - 30 miles away

This theme park is perhaps best known for being the home of Europe's longest rollercoaster - The Ultimate. It's ideal for adrenaline junkies!

[Sutton Bank](#) - 32 miles away

Sutton Bank is a high vantage point at the very edge of the Hambleton Hills and the North York Moors with extensive views over the Vale of York and the Vale of Mowbray. Because of its location and high elevation, Sutton Bank is popular with gliding and flying enthusiasts who take off from a small airfield which is located at the top of the bank.

[The Wensleydale Railway](#) - 34 miles away

An authentic heritage railway serving the local community, offering tourists, families and transport enthusiasts a great day out in the Yorkshire Dales, with lots to see and do along the way. On its way from the flat Vale of York to the upland splendour of the famous Yorkshire Dales, the line passes through market towns and small villages, through woodlands and farmland.

[Flamingo Land Theme Park & Zoo](#) - 48 miles away

Set in 375 acres of beautiful countryside, you will find something for all ages to enjoy. If you are looking for adrenaline-fuelled thrills, there is a sensational collection of extreme rides, plus a great choice of junior and family attractions. With over 140 species of reptiles, mammals and birds, plus our amazing penguin pool and Muddy Duck Farm, you can enjoy an amazing view of the animal kingdom.





For Couples

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

[Lotherton Hall](#) - 11 miles away

Explore a fine Edwardian country home with extensive grounds, Red Deer Park, bird garden, nature trails, historic stables and carriage houses, gardens and walks and two children's play areas.

[RHS Garden Harlow Carr](#) - 13 miles away

RHS Garden Harlow Carr is one of four public gardens run by the Royal Horticultural Society and is located on the western edge of Harrogate in North Yorkshire. Very much part of the Yorkshire countryside, Harlow Carr is a delight in every season.

[The Trinity Centre, Leeds](#) - 14 miles away

Housed under a giant iconic glass roof, Trinity Leeds is located in the heart of the city. Covering 3 floors and open 7 days a week you can shop until 8pm from Monday - Saturday and then go on to enjoy dinner and a drink at over 20 superb bars and restaurants late into the night.

[McArthurGlen Designer Outlet, York](#) - 21 miles away

Set within a beautiful landscaped garden setting, McArthurGlen York Designer Outlet is a must visit fashion and shopping destination. Home to over 120 designer brands, you'll also find a great selection of cafes and restaurants.

[Masham](#) - 33 miles away

Masham is built on the banks of the River Ure, where the water has been extracted to brew beer for many years. Today there are two well-known breweries in the town - the Black Sheep and Theakston's. Both have excellent visitor centres which explain the brewing process and offer beer tasting.

[Yorkshire Sculpture Park](#) - 33 miles away

The only one of its kind, Yorkshire Sculpture Park is an international centre for modern and contemporary art, experienced and enjoyed by thousands of visitors every year. Explore open-air displays by some of the world's finest artists, enjoy fascinating exhibitions throughout four stunning galleries, be inspired by the natural beauty of an historic estate.

[Aysgarth Falls](#) - 51 miles away

These wonderful falls are spectacular all year round, as thousands of gallons of water cascade over the series of broad limestone steps. There are many well-marked walks around the falls, from an easy stroll to something a little more challenging. There is a variety of birdlife including kingfisher, wagtails and dippers searching the rock pools for food.





Historical

Step back in time and uncover both Wood Hall's and Yorkshire's rich heritage and cultural legacy.

[Wood Hall](#)

History is all around you at Wood Hall, with the present building erected in 1750. The house passed through many owner's hands and has a plethora of stories to tell. Be sure to discover more during your stay.

[Harewood House](#) - 7 miles away

Harewood sits at the heart of Yorkshire; one of the treasure houses of England, the house was built in the 18th century and has art collections to rival the finest. There are exhibitions of contemporary art, an award-winning educational department, renowned Bird Garden and over 100 acres of exquisite gardens.

[Temple Newsam](#) - 17 miles away

One of the most celebrated historic houses in the country; this Tudor-Jacobean mansion has over forty restored rooms open to view. Explore the mansion, see a variety of rare breeds in the farm, and walk the expansive park land and beautiful gardens.

[Newby Hall & Gardens](#) - 20 miles away

This graceful country house, epitomises the Georgian 'Age of Elegance'. The award-winning gardens boast one of Europe's longest double herbaceous borders and a thoughtfully designed Adventure Garden for children, with a miniature railway, island fort, boating and water play. A stylish shop, top class restaurant and quality plant stall complete a wonderful family attraction.

[Bolton Abbey](#) - 28 miles away

With just under 30,000 acres of beautiful countryside, over 80 miles of footpaths and ample space to run around and enjoy the fresh air, there is something for all ages. Explore the ruins of the Priory and discover a landscape full of history and legend, wander along the riverside, woodland and moorland paths.

[Yorkshire Air Museum](#) - 27 miles away

The Yorkshire Air Museum is the largest independent air museum in Britain and is also the location of The Allied Air Forces Memorial. Situated in a 22 acre parkland site on the former World War II RAF Bomber Command Station at Elvington near the City of York, the Museum/Memorial is located on the largest and most original WWII station open to the public.

[Skipton Castle](#) - 30 miles away

Over 900 years old, Skipton Castle is one of the most complete and best preserved medieval castles in England and is well worth a visit.

Visitors can explore every corner of this impressive history-rich castle, which withstood a three-year siege during the Civil War.

[Castle Howard](#) - 38 miles away

Home to the Howard family for over 300 years, Castle Howard is a magnificent 18th century residence set within 1,000 acres of breathtaking landscape in the Howardian Hills, an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Visit and enjoy world-renowned collections, stunning architecture and inspiring family stories.



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