

# *Golf in Ireland's Ancient East*

TAILOR MADE GOLF BREAKS TO IRELAND

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# Why Choose Club Choice?



Expert Knowledge



Value for Money



Personalised Service



Financial Security

# What's included in a Club Choice Tour?



## Golf

We work with a large variety of links and parkland courses ranging from local gem's to some of the world's best courses.



## Accommodation

Whether it's 5 Star luxury or 3 Star Self Catering, our partner accommodation providers have every option covered.



## Car Hire

If you are flying, then vehicle hire is a great option as it gives you the independence to go where you want, when you want.



## Excursions

Perhaps you want a day away from the course or your partner would like to experience some of our world famous heritage sites.



## Ferry

We have an exciting partnership with Stena Line Ferries on the Irish Sea, so taking the car, coach or minibus on your golf trip has never made more sense.



## Transfers

Sometimes it's easier to just let someone else do the driving and so we can arrange for 9 seater minibuses or 54 seater luxury coaches to take you there.

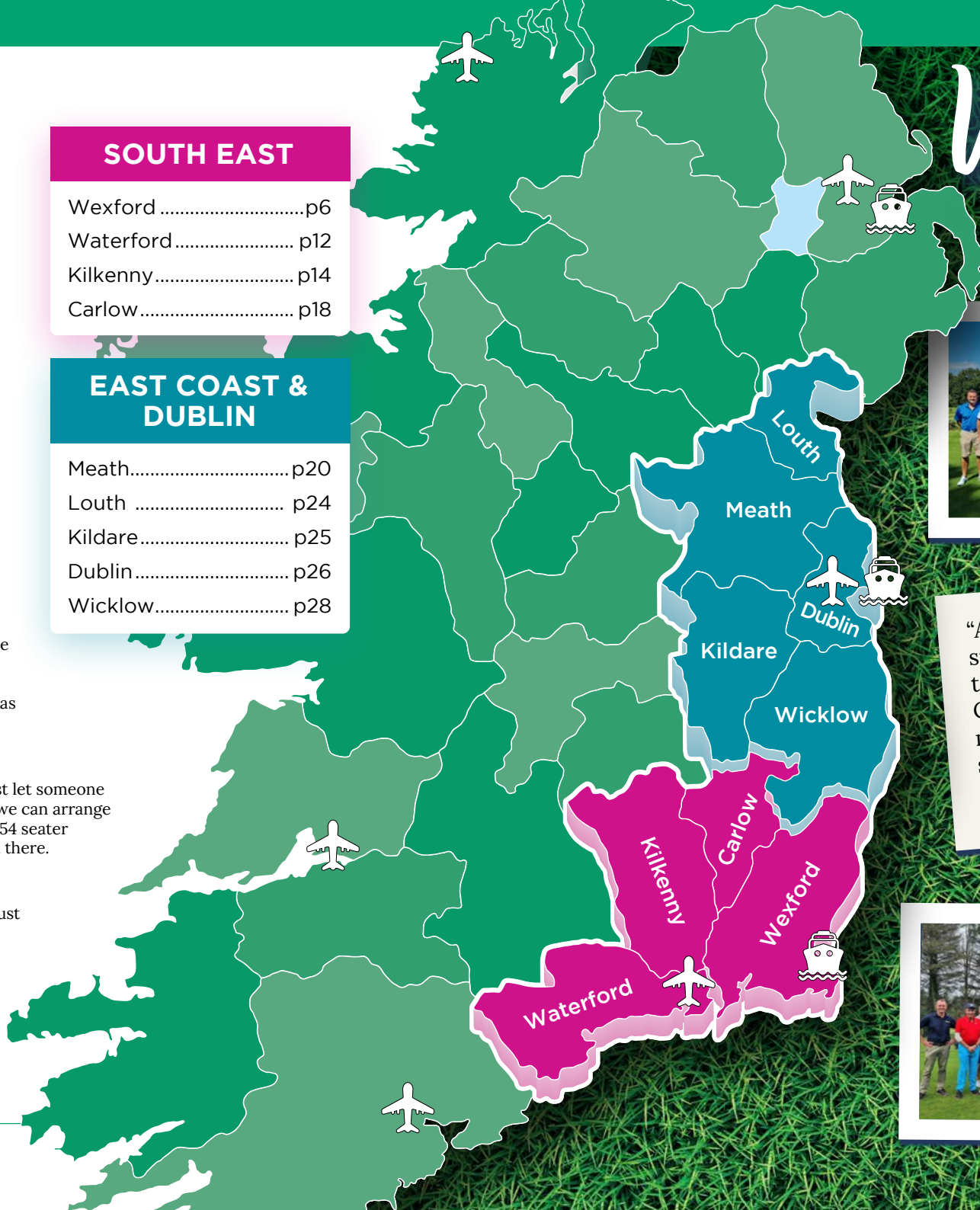


## Food

A full irish breakfast is a must before hitting the fairways but we can also cater for evening meals, private presentation dinners and even recommend local resaurants.

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# What our clients say...



"Thank you Tiernan. Everything ran exceptionally well with no issues what so ever. I am looking forward to booking next years golf trip with Club Choice Ireland already."

*Paul, Weston-super-mare*

"A truly wonderful trip with special thanks as always to Tiernan and all staff at Club Choice Ireland, you made it all seamless and spectacular for us all. many, many thanks!"

*Steve, Preston*



"We had a fabulous 5 day South East golf tour arranged as usual by Tiernan of Club Choice. The golf courses, accommodation and organisation was fantastic."

*Stan, Cardiff*





# Who are Club Choice?

## Tiernan Byrne

As managing director of Club Choice, Tiernan is first to review an enquiry and the last to sign off on an itinerary for a client. His attention to detail and understanding of 'what the client wants' is responsible for thousands of visiting golfers wanting to return again.

Tiernan play's off a 6 handicap but spends most of his round criss-crossing the fairway. Somehow he makes it work.



## Larry Byrne

Larry spends the majority of his time on the ground in the various markets meeting and greeting our customers. He is the one you are most likely to meet on the tee at one of the Club Choice Golf Days which are held all over the United Kingdom. His passion and entrepreneurial spirit is infectious.

Larry play's off a 17 handicap and should never be taken on for a fiver.



**With over 50 years' combined experience in the Irish golf industry, the father & son team of Larry & Tiernan Byrne are the experts you want looking after your golf trip to Ireland's Ancient East.**

Club Choice Ireland is the regional golf marketing group for the 'Ireland's Ancient East' region and one of the leading incoming golf tour operators in the country. We are a full member of the International Association of Golf Tour Operators and are fully endorsed by our national Tourism bodies, the Irish Government and thousands of satisfied customers.



## S O U T H E A S T

*Wexford | Waterford | Kilkenny | Carlow*

With the sunniest climate in Ireland, the South East region promises a wonderful golfing holiday experience you'll never forget. With ferry connectivity through Rosslare Port and direct motorway to Dublin Airport, this region is easily accessible to all. The South East is alive with a colourful mix of festivals, horse racing and quality golf, so please...come and join in!



# WELCOME TO COUNTY WEXFORD

## Welcome to Wexford

Located on the most south easterly tip of Ireland, otherwise known as the sunny southeast, lies County Wexford. From winding coastal roads, dramatic landscapes and breathtaking views to movie star beaches, unforgettable experiences and magical memories, Wexford has something for everyone. With some of the country's best sheltered beaches along over 250km of coastline, iconic historic attractions and some of Ireland's most famous links & spectacular parkland golf courses situated at the cornerstone of Ireland's Ancient East, Wexford enjoys an desirable location bursting with nature and adventures just waiting to be explored.

## Things to Do & Places to Go

Wexford was reported as the sunniest county in Ireland so it's easy to think only of beach days when considering your holiday plans but Wexford is host to a number of exciting activities and adventures for all ages to explore, creating precious moments in stunning settings. Woodland walks, beautiful animals and a fantastic restaurant awaits in Wells House and Gardens, whilst Dunbrody Famine Ship experience will provide an eye-opening tour of Irish history brought to life as you



Johnstown Castle



Hook Lighthouse

board a replica ship, followed by lunch in a spectacular, glass-front restaurant setting.

The Irish National Heritage Park on the banks of the picturesque River Slaney will take you on an unforgettable journey through Ireland's past where you will experience stories, sights and sounds that shaped our country. For the outdoorsy people, grow your sea legs on a boat trip to the Saltee Islands or enjoy the thrill of kite surfing on Duncannon beach.

## Wexford's Movie-Star Beaches

So good that even Hollywood has visited, Wexford boasts a series of stretched sandy beaches ideal for building sandcastles, water-sports enthusiasts, sunrise sea swimming and simply enjoying the sand between your feet as you fall in love with Wexford. These include the 13km oasis of golden sand that is Curracloe Beach and further south, Ballinesker beach, both renowned for their filming of both Saving Private Ryan and Brooklyn movies, as well as Cahore Beach, Kilmore Quay and other sheltered, safe beaches like Rosslare Strand, Poulshone Beach, Ballinoulart Beach and Europe's longest continuous stretch of beach, Morristcastle Beach, amongst many more!

## Cornerstone of Ireland's Ancient East

For holiday-makers interested in history and culture or something out of the ordinary, Wexford has a vibrant history just waiting to be discovered. The county is home to a series of historical and architectural sights and some of the most scenic areas of Ireland's Ancient East such as Hook Peninsula, Johnstown Castle, Colclough Walled Gardens, Loftus Hall and Tintern Abbey that can be enjoyed as part of a tour or on a leisurely walk followed by a tasty lunch. You won't have time to get around them all, so choose wisely!



Courtown Woods

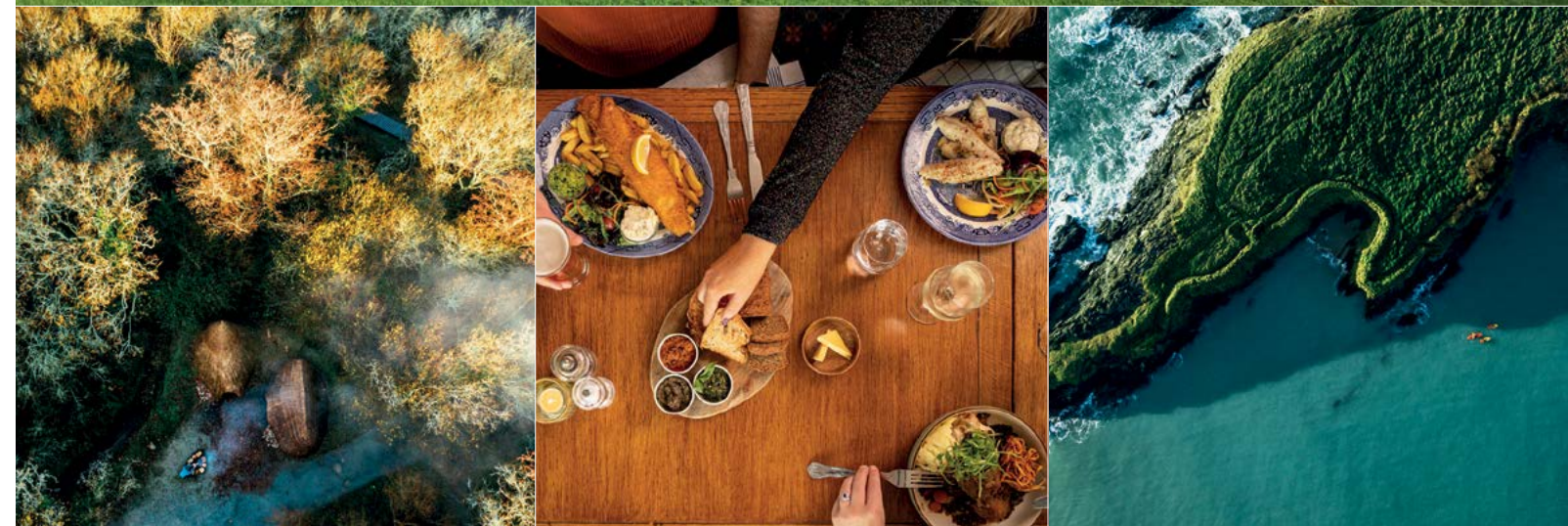
*Wexford is the ideal golf destination; with some of Ireland's most famous links & spectacular parkland courses dotted around the county. Whether you seek amazing golf courses, relaxation, culture or adventure, Wexford offers a world of possibilities in 2022.*



# WEXFORD

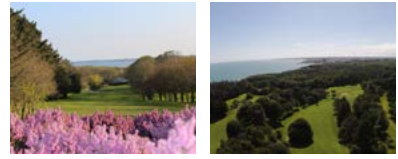
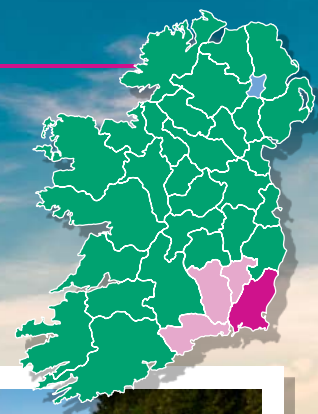
Find adventure, heritage, great food experiences and even better golf.

Plan your trip at [VisitWexford.ie](https://www.visitwexford.ie)





# South East Wexford



## Courtown Golf Club Wexford

Courtown Golf Club is a picturesque and challenging golf course located only an hour from South Dublin. Founded in 1936, Courtown is a mature parkland course, par 71 and almost 6,000 metres in length. With it's panoramic views of the South Irish Sea, it provides a delightful distraction to many a bad shot.

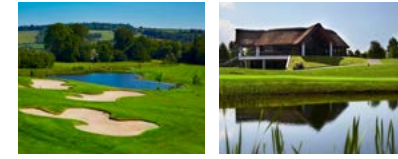
The course has something for everyone making it an ideal choice for a group to visit.



## Ferrycarrig Hotel Wexford

The nationally renowned Ferrycarrig Hotel boasts one of the most inspiring locations of any hotel in Wexford, with sweeping views across the River Slaney. Enjoy superb, award winning bar food at the Dry Dock Bar followed by great entertainment or perhaps dine in the superb Reeds Restaurant overlooking the estuary.

The Ferrycarrig Hotel is the perfect base when touring the South East of Ireland on your golfing holiday.



## Bunclody Golf & Fishing Club Wexford

Bunclody Golf and Fishing Club is situated in 300 acres of breath-taking parklands in the former Hall-Dare Estate on the Carlow Wexford border.

Opened in March 2009 it is already ranked in the top 20 parkland courses in Ireland and in 2019 hosted the Irish PGA Championship tournament. This Championship course runs over 7,000 yards and has a diversity of golf holes, rarely seen on one golf course.



## Clayton Whites Hotel Wexford

Renowned as one of the very best 4 star hotels in Ireland you will be certain of top quality accommodation and service at Clayton Whites Hotel. Located in the heart of medieval Wexford Town, guests are spoilt for choice when it comes to dining & relaxation, with the Terrace Restaurant, Library Bar or more casual Coffee Dock, all offering excellent, locally sourced fare. And after a tough day on the golf course you can retire to the onsite Tranquillity Spa & Wellness Centre including the fantastic thermal suite.



## Enniscorthy Golf Club Wexford

Enniscorthy Golf Club is a superbly manicured parkland golf course, with mature, tree-lined fairways, excellent greens and great natural beauty in the foothills of the Blackstairs Mountains. It is located right in the center of Co Wexford and is only about 1 hour's drive from south Dublin and 45mins from Rosslare ferry port.

A terrific golf course and a warm, friendly welcome awaits you at Enniscorthy Golf Club.

“Time after  
time it delivers.  
Wexford is a  
truly wonderful  
place to play golf.  
We always enjoy  
coming back  
here.”

Huw, Carmarthan

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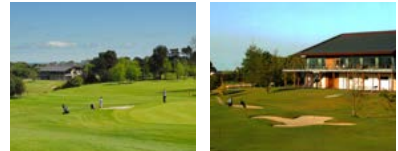
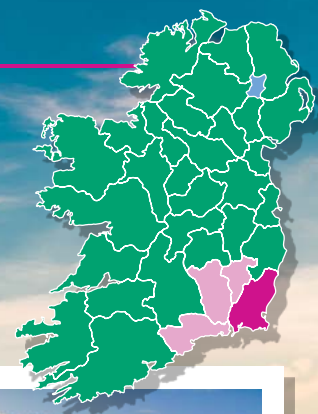
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## Wexford Golf Club Wexford

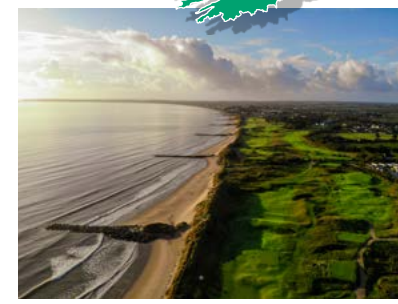
Wexford Golf Club is a beautiful 18 hole parkland course situated in the heart of Wexford town. The course which was upgraded in 2006, is a 71 par course measuring 5,950 metres from the championship tees and provides a challenge for players of all standards. The course and clubhouse offer magnificent town and sea views. After your round of golf, relax and enjoy superb food and a drink in the visitor friendly bar & restaurant.



## Kelly's Resort Hotel & Spa Wexford

Kelly's Resort Hotel & Spa is Wexford's leading luxury resort hotel, set along 5 miles of Rosslare's sandy beaches just twenty minutes from Wexford Town and only 2 minutes from Rosslare Golf Links. This resort hotel features 118 rooms, two superb restaurants and a world-class spa. Luxury and Hospitality combined at it's very best.

The Resort was recently voted 'Ireland's Favourite place to Stay' by Independent.ie Travel readers.



## Rosslare Golf Links Wexford

Rosslare Golf Links is the only true 'links' golf course in the south east of Ireland offering golfers of all abilities that unique links golfing experience

Situated on a narrow sandy peninsula overlooking Wexford Harbour the club is home to two unique and challenging golf courses. The championship 'Old Course', established in 1905, and the 12 Hole 'Burrow Links' course.

This is a links golfing experience not to be missed.



## Coast Hotel Rosslare Wexford

Situated in the heart of idyllic Rosslare Strand Village in Co. Wexford, Coast Hotel is the perfect location for a golfing holiday in the South East of Ireland. Conveniently located just a 10-minute drive from Rosslare Europort features incl. an on-site bar & restaurant, free parking and free Wi-Fi throughout.

As a guest at Coast you are literally only 2 mins from the 1st tee of the regions finest golf course, Rosslare Golf Links.



## St. Helen's Bay Golf Resort Wexford

St. Helen's Bay Golf Resort is located in one of Ireland's most beautiful bay's and boasts a challenging 18 hole championship golf course, designed by Ryder Cup hero Philip Walton. The course has since 1993 developed into an enjoyable test of golf, climaxing with two of the best finishing holes in Irish golf! St. Helens Bay has always been a favourite for visiting groups as it has everything a travelling golfer would need and a warm welcome to match.

“A simple ferry crossing and you're there in 15mins. What a golf destination. We love coming back to Rosslare and Wexford.”

Julie, Cardigan

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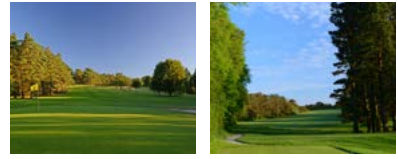
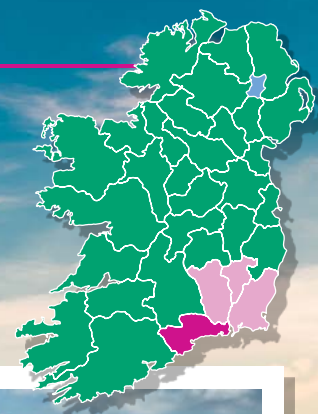
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# South East Waterford



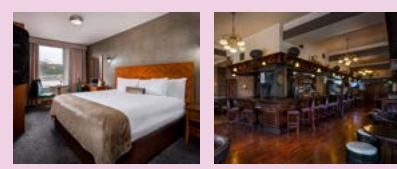
**Waterford Golf Club**  
*Waterford*

Founded in 1912, Waterford Golf Club is situated on a hill overlooking the historic city of Waterford in the sunny South East of Ireland. The front 9 was designed by Willie Park (twice Open Champion), and the back 9 was designed by the great James Braid, five times Open Champion. Together they successfully created one of the finest inland courses in South East Ireland with one of the most dramatic finishes you will have the pleasure of playing.



**Treacy's Hotel Waterford**  
*Waterford*

Treacy's Hotel, Spa & Leisure Centre is set in a picturesque location overlooking the River Suir, in the heart of Ireland's Oldest City. Spacious guest accommodation has been designed with your comfort in mind. Timbertoes Bar serves a delicious selection of home cooked meals in the atmosphere of a traditional Irish pub. Or try Crokers Restaurant offering a wide variety of dishes; all created using the finest, freshest, Irish ingredients.



**Faithlegg Golf Club**  
*Waterford*

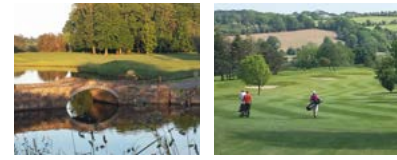
Located just 4 miles from Waterford City, Faithlegg Golf Course is set in a stunning parkland estate of some 200 acres. The course offers a championship yardage of 6,674 yards, with a combination of challenging dog legs, fast greens and blind shots that will test any golfer's approach play and putting precision.

The course was designed by Paddy Merrigan and is one of Waterford's "must play" courses.



**The Fitzwilton Hotel**  
*Waterford*

The 4 star Fitzwilton Hotel is located in the heart of Waterford City with convenient access to Dublin and Rosslare port. The hotel has 90 contemporary style bedrooms, with many offering views across Waterford's cityscape and the River Suir. For dining options, the Met Bar Café and Chez K's Restaurant offers extensive menus for all tastes. The hotel is a short drive from some of the South East's top golf courses and is the ideal base for your golfing getaway to Waterford.



**Waterford Castle Golf Club**  
*Waterford*

For the ultimate golfing experience that will stay with you for a lifetime, Waterford Castle truly is an island dream! The unique Waterford Castle Golf Club is Ireland's only true island golf resort. Designed by Des Smyth, former Ryder Cup player & Vice Captain, and opened in 1992, this 18-hole, par 72 championship golf course, leads you through mature woodland and parkland measuring 6,814 yards, off the medal tees.

“A city with everything. Great history, super food and wonderful golf courses. Thoroughly enjoyable!”

Mike, Newport

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# THE ONE KILKENNY EXPERIENCE

Kilkenny has the best of both worlds, a modern city rooted in its historic past, surrounded by lively villages, country pursuits, unrivalled trails with wonderful scenery, family activities and rural escapes. Situated in the South East of Ireland alongside the scenic River Nore and just under 90 minutes from Dublin, two hours from Cork and three hours away from Belfast, the City and County quietly offers the very best of Ireland twelve months of the year.

With its lively nightlife, medieval heritage, cultural attractions, outdoor activities, Arts and Crafts scene, retail therapy and festivals, Kilkenny city and county has something to suit all tastes and interests.



Currently the Irish Foodie Destination of the year, Kilkenny is famed for its contemporary food and hospitality. From local producers to food festivals, farmers markets and food trails, cookery schools, gastro pubs and quality restaurants throughout the county including Michelin star dining experiences in the Lady Helen and Campagne restaurants. Kilkenny has a rich brewing history, with craft beer brewers and whiskey and gin distilleries. Take a tour of Smithwicks which began in 1710 in the heart of the City or experience the authenticity of an Irish pub in rural Kilkenny with local beer, gin and whiskey along with traditional Irish music.

There is rarely a quiet month with Kilkenny being the city of festivals, hosting the Savour food festival, Kilkenny Arts Festival, Tradfest, Kilkenny Roots Festival, Cat Laughs Festival, Kilkenomics and Kilkenny Animated.

This summer Kilkenny will see the return of the 2022 Horizon Irish Open, to Mount Juliet Estate. Mount Juliet Estate is Ireland's leading country estate and championship golf course, located just 20 minutes from Kilkenny city. The Horizon Irish Open will bring some of the world's finest golfing professionals to Kilkenny along with fans from around the world.



Kilkenny is the embodiment of Medieval Ireland and the city is best discovered by foot. Take in the uniqueness of Kilkenny city's medieval cobbled streets and landmarks. Ireland's Medieval Mile in Kilkenny city stretches from two of the most iconic buildings, the 12th century Kilkenny Castle and the 13th century St Canice's Cathedral, a religious site since the 6th Century, with historic buildings like Rothe House in between. The Medieval Mile Museum is located in the city and offers an interactive tour into ancient Ireland.

Kilkenny's countryside has many walking trails, river walks and woodland walks which is a great way to experience the stunning views of the countryside. There are many



scenic villages such as Inistioge which have been the setting for three major films, The Secret Scripture, Widows' Peak and Circle of Friends. Medieval Kilkenny can also be explored by visiting sites such as Jerpoint Abbey. The county of Kilkenny is the ideal place to discover medieval architecture first hand.

Kilkenny is famous for its crafts with many international people descending upon Kilkenny in the 1960's with the foundation of the Kilkenny Design Centre. Today opposite the castle, it remains at the heart of craft in Kilkenny which is now also home to The National Design and Craft Gallery, Ireland's leading centre for contemporary craft and design. There are many craft studios throughout the county including Jerpoint Glass in Thomastown, The Bridge Pottery in Burnchurch and Nicholas Mosse in Bennetsbridge..



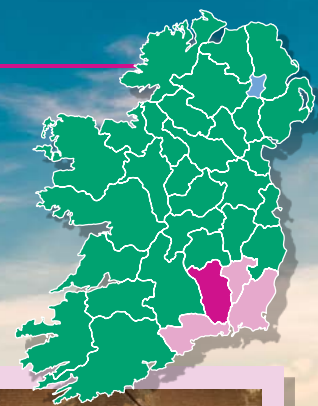
Horse racing is a staple feature of Irish culture, Kilkenny has a picturesque premier racing track located just 15 minutes from the city in Gowran Park, located in the Annaly Estate. Gowran Park hosts 17 race meetings throughout the year featuring both national hunt and flat race meetings. For all race meetings there are complimentary buses from the Parade in Kilkenny.

To find out more visit:  
[www.visitkilkenny.ie](http://www.visitkilkenny.ie)



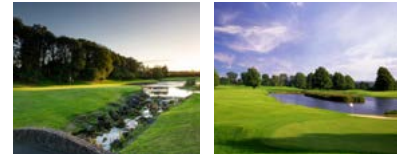


# South East Kilkenny



★★★★★  
**Hunter's Yard** (Mount Juliet)  
Kilkenny

The elegant courtyard of Mount Juliet Estate is home to the bright and spacious rooms of The Hunter's Yard. A tranquil hideaway adjacent to the Jack Nicklaus designed golf course and only a few paces from the treatment rooms and the tempting menus of the Hound Restaurant at Hunter's Yard, which offers all-day dining. Hunter's Yard Hotel includes 93 bedrooms with conference and banquet facilities for up to 180 guests. This is a golfers getaway, to the highest standards.



**Mount Juliet Golf Club**  
Kilkenny

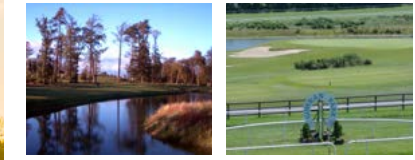
To play golf at Mount Juliet is to experience up to 7,200 yards of visionary, a Jack Nicklaus Signature Designed Parkland, set across 180 acres of rolling Irish countryside. Magnificent specimen trees, miles of rushing river and verdant pastures all play their part, bringing sensational natural beauty to a course that is ranked among the world's finest parkland courses and has played host to numerous unforgettable tournaments incl. being chosen to host the 2021 & 2022 Irish Open.



★★★★★  
**Manor House** (Mount Juliet)  
Kilkenny

The Manor House is the beating heart of the estate and has been ever since the first Earl of Carrick and his wife Juliet first made it their home in 1750. Step through its pillared entrance way and you enter a place out of time: lovingly preserved for the present-day; intimately updated in the most faithful manner.

A sense of romance touches every inch of the Manor House, and nowhere is this more apparent than in the 32 unique bedrooms.



**Gowran Park Golf Club**  
Kilkenny

In 2001, Gowran Park developed this unique 18 hole golf course to complement its renowned race meetings. The course meanders in and around 130 acres with 5 holes within the racecourse boundary and the remainder in the mature woodland and lake settings of the Annaly Estate. With the magnificent backdrop of the Blackstairs Mountains this par 71 golf course provides an excellent test for golfers of all levels.



★★★★★  
**Hotel Kilkenny**  
Kilkenny

The stylish Hotel Kilkenny provides fabulous facilities of the highest standard whilst still maintaining the personal & friendly touch. Offering 138 spacious bedrooms, a chic restaurant Taste, urban style Pure Bar & Active Club, Hotel Kilkenny is an ideal base for visiting this medieval city on a golfing break. Kilkenny's lively pub-and-entertainment circuit, including proximity to some of Ireland's top golf courses, makes this a top golfing gateway destination for all.




**Kilkenny Golf Club**  
Kilkenny

Kilkenny Golf Club is one of the most visited courses in the south-east. Close to the popular tourist town from which it takes its name, the course has a long history dating back as far as 1896. A Par 71 course, golfers of any ability will find much to test and challenge them. With beautifully manicured greens, no trip to Ireland's sunny South East would be complete without a round of golf here. Visitors, both individuals and groups, are always welcome at Kilkenny Golf Club all year round.


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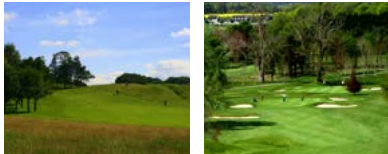
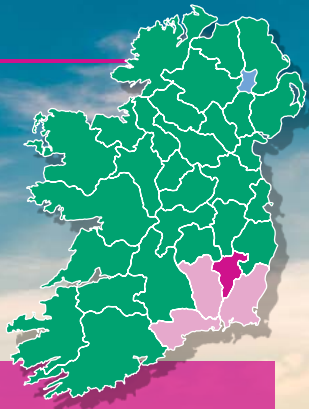


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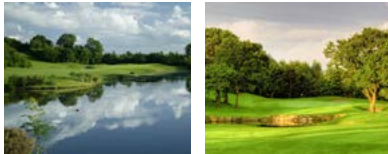
## Carlow



### Carlow Golf Club

*Carlow*

Set in the beautiful green countryside of the South East, Carlow Golf Club is an 18-hole parkland course laid out in a former wild deer park attached to the former Bruen Estate. The course has a sandy subsoil, which is links-like with undulating terrain, numerous elevated trees, several excellent doglegs and small slick putting surfaces. The 16th hole at Carlow Golf Club has been noted by Christy O'Connor Senior, as the best 16th hole in Ireland.



### Mount Wolseley Golf Club

*Carlow*

Designed by the late, great Christy O'Connor Jnr, the Golf Course at Mount Wolseley is an idyllic and lush parkland course that tests every facet of the players' games while also providing hole by hole enjoyment. Take the opportunity to golf in the footsteps of some of the world's greatest golfers on the magnificent Golf Course at Mount Wolseley which is firmly established as one of Ireland's premier Parkland Courses.

“We just love it here. The courses are superb and the welcome we receive each year is genuine. Thank you!”

Ian, Leamington Spa



## EAST COAST & DUBLIN

Meath | Louth | Kildare | Dublin | Wicklow

The East Coast & Dublin Region is one of the most densely populated areas of golf in all of Ireland. Boasting some of the worlds finest links courses along with some truly breath-taking parklands, it's a golfer's paradise. Getting here, by air or sea, really couldn't be easier with Dublin International Airport and Ferry Port only minutes drive from your first tee off.



# Boyne Valley, where the Adventure Begins

The Boyne Valley is situated in the east of Ireland and only 30 minutes outside Dublin city. It is Ireland's ancient capital and its most sacred and mythical landscape.

## Discover Boyne Valley: Heritage and History

Virtually every important event in Irish history took place in the Boyne Valley, making it the best place to start your holiday in Ireland. Some of its best-known attractions include the 5,000 year old burial chambers at Newgrange and Knowth, part of the Brú na Bóinne UNESCO World Heritage Site and the interpretive centre at the Battle of the Boyne Site.

From brave knights, castles and round towers to tales of emigrants, monks and ancient civilisations, Ireland's Ancient East is brimming with stories, culture, attractions, festivals and fun. Boyne Valley is the birthplace of Ireland's Ancient East and has some of the world's most mythical landscapes.

### Highlights include:

- A quick 30-minute journey time from Dublin
- World famous prehistoric sites of Newgrange and Knowth and their newly refurbished Brú na Bóinne Visitor Centre
- Journey the Boyne Valley Drive and explore the best of the area
- Trim Castle – the best preserved Anglo Norman Castle in Ireland
- Medieval abbeys at Mellifont and Bective
- Preserved head of St. Oliver Plunkett, at St. Peter's Church, Drogheda
- Neolithic tomb complex at Loughcrew, Oldcastle
- The Hill of Tara, a site of royal inauguration and Ireland's ancient mythical capital

## Discover Boyne Valley: Festivals and Events

The Boyne Valley has a packed calendar of Events and Festivals with something of interest for everyone.

From musical events, to cultural festivals and country fairs, the Boyne Valley has it all. And that's not to mention the great racing calendar, including the Irish Grand National at the Fairyhouse Easter Racing Festival.

Autumn brings Halloween which originated in Co Meath over 3,000 years ago. The Spirits of Meath festival is stuffed full of scary and family-friendly events, in addition to the new and exciting Púca Festival offering folklore, food, myth and music.

Christmas experiences, and markets provide a magical way to experience the Boyne Valley in Winter. Or perhaps you will be one of the lucky lottery winners to visit Newgrange at the Solstice! For more on our exciting range of events see [discoverboynevalley.ie/whats-on](https://discoverboynevalley.ie/whats-on)

## Discover Boyne Valley: Award Winning Food Destination

The Boyne Valley, once the seat of the High Kings of Ireland brings to you, food experiences fit for any King or Queen. The rolling farmlands are home to a growing number of artisan producers where their products are used in a number of restaurants and eateries. Check out the calendar of events from

The Boyne Valley Food Series which celebrates our land, our heritage, our people, and of course our produce.

## Discover Boyne Valley: Activities

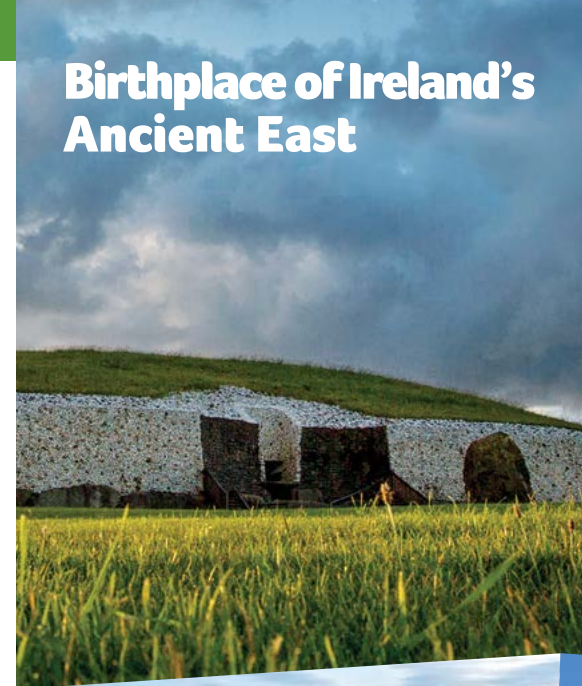
There are also plenty of opportunities for fun-filled family adventures in the outdoors! Explore Boyne Valley's abundance of heritage sites by boat, bike and foot. Cycle along the Royal Canal Greenway, wander around Newgrange or take the Trim River Walk to marvel at Trim Castle. Why not take in a hands on interactive museum experience at the Irish Military War Museum or a family adventure to Tayto park or Funtasia. Finish your day with a paddle in the handcrafted traditional Kerry Naomhóg currachs down the Boyne With Boyne Boats.

## Discover Boyne Valley: Tee Time

From the great links at Baltray, Seapoint and Laytown/Bettystown to the highly rated challenging parkland courses at Headfort, Royal Tara and County Meath, the region offers great diversity. Golfers of all ages and standards will find a course to suit their game at Julianstown, Bellewstown and Knightsbrook with its magnificent hotel, spa and golf resort. Add in the magnificent Jack Nicklaus designed layout at Killeen Castle and you have a region that is second to none when it comes to offering variety and value.

Embark on your own adventure this summer and start planning at [www.discoverboynevalley.ie](https://www.discoverboynevalley.ie)

## Birthplace of Ireland's Ancient East



## Tee Time



## Boyne Valley Flavours



## Golf in the Great Outdoors



## Adventure Time

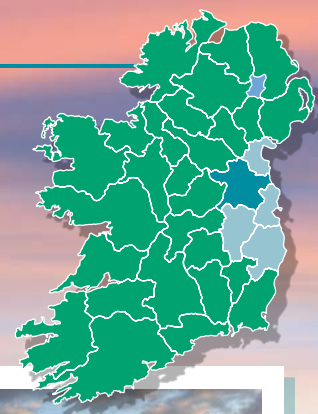


## More to Explore





# East Coast Meath



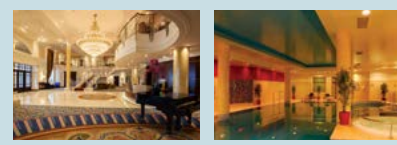
## Royal Tara Golf Club Meath

Nestling at the base of the Historic Hill of Tara in the Royal County of Meath, Royal Tara Golf Club is one of Ireland's most enjoyable and conveniently located golfing retreats. Reputably one of the finest inland members golf complexes renowned for its welcome to visitors. The goal of the club is to provide the highest standards of excellence in all areas with a level of service that can only be found at the most exclusive golfing venues.



## Knightsbrook Hotel, Spa & Golf Resort Meath

A golf hotel and resort unlike any other, Knightsbrook Hotel Spa & Golf Resort is situated in the designated heritage town of Trim, a mere 35 minutes from Dublin City Centre. The golf resort not only offers superb accommodation and unparalleled scenery, but also boasts an 18-hole championship golf course designed by former Ryder Cup Legend Christy O'Connor Jnr. The Resort has established itself as one of the premier golf resorts in Ireland.



## Knightsbrook Golf Club Meath

Designed by former Ryder Cup legend Christy O'Connor Jnr this challenging and incredibly creative course enjoys a stunning location with views over undulated fairways, testing greens and demanding water features. The clubhouse is spacious and contemporary with luxurious locker rooms, a well-stocked golf shop and Gulliver's Bar where you can enjoy a drink and a bite to eat after an enjoyable day on the greens.



## Headfort Golf Club (Old) Meath

A magnificent Parkland course established in 1928, blessed with gentle undulations and mature specimen trees. A fair but challenging test of your golfing skills awaits. The old course, formerly part of the Headfort Estate, was developed into an 18 hole course in 1956. Visitors from all over the world have enjoyed the experience of playing Headfort's old course. You will return to the friendly Clubhouse inspired by your golf and entranced by the beauty of the course.



## Headfort Golf Club (New) Meath

Christy O'Connor Jnr, the design of the new Championship course at Headfort, has made maximum use of this beautiful estate with the surrounding forests and the magnificent, mature, broadleaf trees dotted around the land. This course promises to be the jewel in the crown of Irish golfing circles. "It is the finest piece of land I have worked with," according to Christy O'Connor Jr. The Sunday Independent's Dermot Gilleece wrote: "This is potentially the most attractive 36-hole parkland facility in the country."

"Great golf  
& great fun.  
Every day was  
a pleasure. The  
Royal County  
really delivered"

Pam, Chester

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2 Rounds of Golf & Return Ferry  
**From £265pps\***

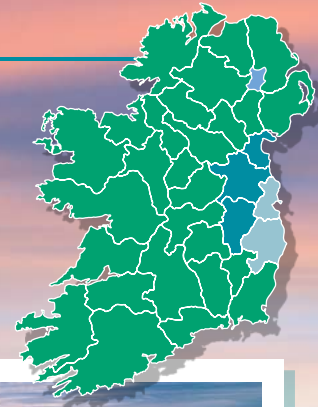
**Sample Package - Fly**  
4 Nights B&B in 4\* Hotel  
3 Rounds of Golf & Car Hire  
**From £360pps\***

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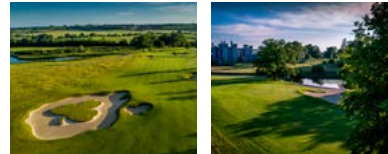
# East Coast

## Meath, Louth & Kildare



“The quality of the golf is truly spectacular. It’s a dream come true to play here. An unforgettable experience.”

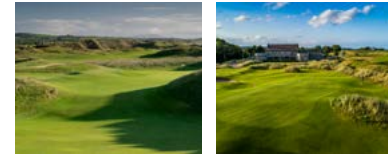
Doug, Savannah



### Killeen Castle Golf Club

Meath

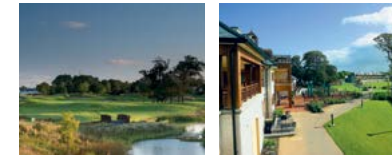
Home to a world class Jack Nicklaus Signature Golf Course, Killeen Castle Golf Club has been regularly voted Best Parkland Course in the greater Dublin area. Located only 30mins from Dublin City Centre and Dublin Airport, Killeen Castle is also home to a state-of-the-art clubhouse, offering luxurious locker rooms, along with exceptional dining facilities, together with Tour standard warm-up facilities. A must-play golf course for anyone serious about golf and looking for a memorable golf experience.



### County Louth Golf Club

Louth

County Louth Golf Club is often referred to as ‘Baltray’ and is located close to the historic town of Drogheda on Ireland’s east coast. It is just 40 minutes north of Dublin Airport and one hour from Dublin city. A historic member-owned club founded in 1892, the course is laid out in two nine-hole loops and is noted for excellent presentation standards and its many unique green complexes and is consistently ranked among the Top 10 courses in Ireland.



### The K Club - Palmer South

Kildare

The best way to describe the Arnold Palmer designed South Course at The K Club is that of an inland links course. However, its true attributes do not stop there. The course has many dramatic landscapes with dune style mounding throughout. This assists in making the course into a true Championship Golf Course with many vantage points for spectators to view golf professionals at work. This course has played host to some of European tour golf’s most exciting moments.



### Court Yard Hotel

Kildare

The Court Yard Hotel, built on the site where Arthur Guinness created his brewing empire, offers old world charm, beautiful original stone work and contemporary design. The Court Yard Hotel truly is Kildare’s best kept secret and ideal for golfing groups. You will be sure to receive a warm and friendly welcome accompanied by a comfortable and relaxing stay. Whether it’s for sport, entertainment or craic, The Court Yard has it all.



### The K Club - Palmer North

Kildare

The Arnold Palmer designed North Course at The K Club is quite simply, one of Europe’s most spectacular courses. It charms, it entices and invariably, brings out the very best in your game. Ranked regularly in the top 3 parkland golf courses in Ireland, this Arnold Palmer designed golf haven is a must play ‘badge of honour’ that has hosted the top golf players in the world. Host to The Ryder Cup in 2006, the 2016 Dubai Duty Free Irish Open and 11 European Opens.

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3 Nights B&B in 4\* Hotel  
2 Rounds of Golf & Return Ferry  
**From £340pps\***



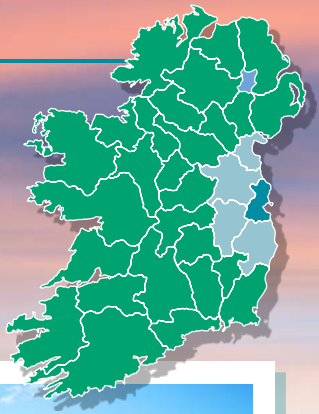
**Sample Package - Fly**  
4 Nights B&B in 4\* Hotel  
3 Rounds of Golf & Car Hire  
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# East Coast Dublin



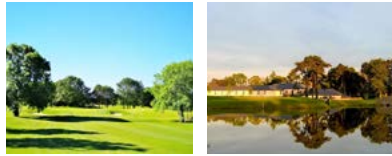
## Portmarnock Links Dublin

Portmarnock Links, which opened in 1995 and is located only 15min from Dublin Airport, is now a highly ranked championship links designed by Bernard Langer and architect Stan Eby. Players of all abilities will enjoy their experience while taking on an exciting mix of holes that provide elevation changes and coastal views. Portmarnock Links has played host to professional and amateur events alike including multiple Ladies Irish Opens and most recently the 2021 European Challenge Tour.



## Roganstown Hotel & Country Club Dublin

Roganstown Hotel & Country Club, is a beautifully restored Georgian House, tucked away on a quiet country road in North County Dublin, located just 10 minutes from Dublin Airport. Our bars and restaurants offer a variety of menus and dining options, while our extensive leisure centre includes an 18 metre swimming pool, steam room, sauna and full gym. Our 18 hole, Christy O'Connor Junior designed golf course is the jewel in Roganstown's crown.



## Roganstown Golf Club Dublin

At Roganstown you have the choice of two excellent courses; The Roganstown Course and The Swords Open Course. The Roganstown Course was designed by the great Christy O'Connor Jnr. This challenging course is set on a beautiful landscape with meandering water hazards adding an aesthetic quality to the course. The Swords Open Golf Course is an 18 hole parkland course on relatively flat terrain and proudly hosted the Irish PGA Southern Championship 2007, 2008 & 2009.



## St. Anne's Golf Club Dublin

101 years ago, St. Anne's Golf Club was founded as a 9-hole course with a modest clubhouse. Today we are proud custodians of a spectacular 18-hole links course, one of only 53 links courses in Ireland, sitting on the UNESCO Wildlife Sanctuary of Bull Island only 5 miles from Dublin city centre. Our impressive modern clubhouse enjoys unrivalled panoramic views of Dublin Bay. We look forward to welcoming you to our club in true St. Anne's spirit!



## Luttrellstown Castle Resort Dublin

Situated within the 567acre walled estate of Luttrellstown Castle sits the 18-hole championship parkland course. Magnificent mature trees throughout guide the course throughout the estate. The course measures over 7347 yards from the championship tees, making it a worthy test for golfers of the highest standard. The view from the 15th tee down across the Liffey Valley and Strawberry Beds is spectacular. Full practice facilities are available, including chipping and putting greens.

“So many different courses to choose from and all top quality. County Dublin is a super golf destination.”

Patrick, Sheffield

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3 Nights B&B in 4\* Hotel  
2 Rounds of Golf & Return Ferry  
**From £295pps\***



**Sample Package - Fly**  
4 Nights B&B in 4\* Hotel  
3 Rounds of Golf & Car Hire  
**From £385pps\***

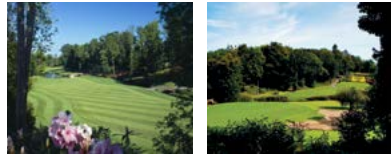
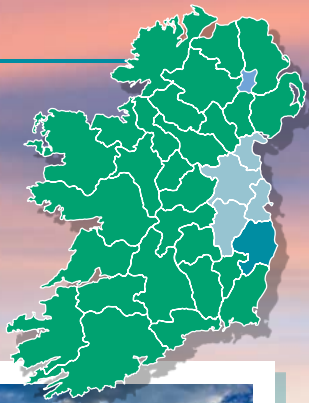


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# East Coast

## Wicklow



### Druids Glen Golf Club

Wicklow

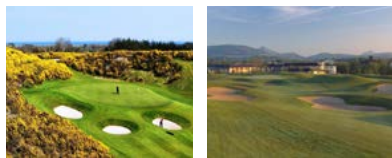
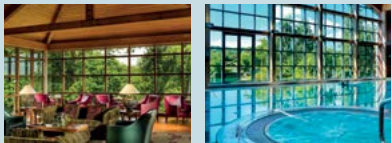
Known to many as the “Augusta of Europe”, this course is famous for hosting the Irish Open on four occasions. This is truly a course of Champions as Montgomerie, Garcia, Faldo and Harrington have all played here. So come, follow in the footsteps of golfing legends and play on Druid's Glen. Once you've walked off the 18th, relax in the 400 year old Woodstock House Clubhouse and share your golfing tales with friends.



### Druids Glen Hotel & Golf Resort

Wicklow

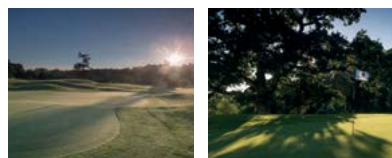
The perfect location for a golfing break in Ireland, where you can tee off on a course of champions in surroundings rich in history and prestige. At the 5 star Druids Glen Hotel & Golf Resort, nature and luxury meet to create a memorable escape. Nestled in 360 acres of countryside between the Wicklow Mountains and the Irish Sea, yet only thirty minutes from Dublin, Druids Glen provides a sanctuary from the hustle and bustle of everyday life.



### Druids Heath Golf Club

Wicklow

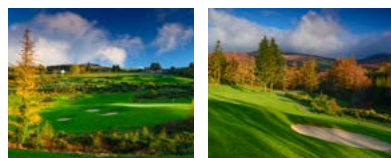
There are few places in the world that encapsulate the true spirit of the game of golf like Druids Heath. The mountains, Sea and rolling Irish Countryside provide stunning vistas throughout your round. The sea breeze calls for shot-making skills and imagination from the golfer. Host venue for the 2006 Irish PGA Championship, Druids Heath has played host to many leading Tour Players including double US Open Champion Retief Goosen.



### Rathsallagh Golf & Country Club

Wicklow

This magnificent course opened in 1994 and was designed by Peter McEvoy and the late Christy O'Connor Jnr. It sits in beautiful parkland with mature woodland lining all the fairways. Rathsallagh is a golf course built to championship standard, routed over rolling terrain and with a number of burns, ditches and ponds that bring water into play on several holes. The course is beautifully maintained with challenging bunkers and hundreds of trees flanking the fairways.



### Macreddin Golf Club

Wicklow

Designed by Ryder Cup winning captain & player, Paul McGinley, Macreddin Golf Course is set in woodlands with tree-lined fairways and challenging layouts that favour players with an accurate shot off the tee. The course lies over opposing hillsides, with panoramic views across the valley available from many holes. The Irish Times described Macreddin Golf Course as “A thoroughly enjoyable golfing experience.” The course is located close to the village of Aughrim in scenic county Wicklow.

“We’ll never forget our golfing trip to the Garden of Ireland. Some terrific courses and amazing hospitality.”

Helen, Berlin

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3 Nights B&B in 5\* Hotel  
2 Rounds of Golf & Return Ferry  
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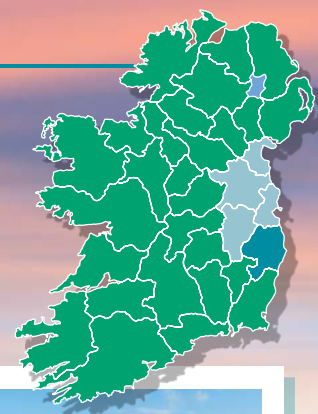
**Sample Package - Fly**  
2 Nights B&B in 5\* Hotel  
2 Rounds of Golf & Car Hire  
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# East Coast Wicklow



## Powerscourt Golf Club (West) Wicklow

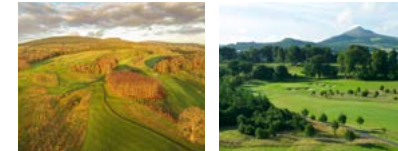
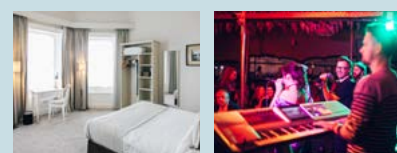
The West course at Powerscourt brings David McLay Kidd's experience and detail for a challenging, rewarding and highly enjoyable golf course to life. The beautiful scenery and the greens from the West course can be heard talked about in the clubhouse all evening long from our visitors who want a second chance at it.

It is no wonder that Powerscourt received the best overall parkland venue award 2014.



## The Martello Wicklow

The Martello Hotel is situated in a stunning location giving breath taking views across the Irish Sea and Bray Head. The Martello Hotel offers an unmatched combination of accommodation, dining, drink, music and late night entertainment in a lively, vibrant, modern setting on the seafront at Bray, County Wicklow, just 30 minutes from Dublin City Centre. The hotel provides 25 recently renovated hotel bedrooms and 19 self-catering apartments, which are ideal for golfers.



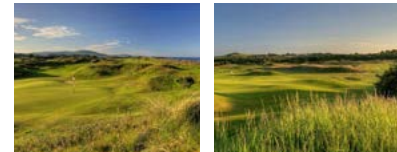
## Powerscourt Golf Club (East) Wicklow

There are not many places in the world like Powerscourt Golf Club, located only 30 minutes from Dublin airport. The East Course was designed by the talented golfer and successful Walker cup captain Peter McEvoy who brilliantly follows the contours of this mature and historic landscape. It has hosted the 1998 Irish PGA which three time major winner Padraig Harrington won in a playoff. The East course also hosted the 2001 Irish Seniors Open.



## Woodenbridge Golf Club Wicklow

Described as "Ireland's Augusta," Woodenbridge Golf Course is steeped in history. The current 18 hole layout was created in 1994 when the pre-existing 9 hole course – dating back to the 1890's – was extended. Seamlessly blending tradition and modern design, the course incorporates the flows of the Avoca and the Aughrim rivers, which come into play on ten of the holes. This makes Woodenbridge one of the most scenic courses you can play on in Ireland.



## Arklow Golf Club Wicklow

Established in 1927, Arklow Golf Club is an 18-hole seaside links course, renowned for being warm and inviting to all visitors from home and overseas. With the Irish Sea and mountains to the west, it offers tranquil and panoramic scenery all around. This wonderfully unique links course was originally formed by Hawtree & Taylor and is laid out over 6,516 yards with plenty of hollows, sand hills, marram grass and bunkers to be negotiated.

"We loved our golf break to Wicklow. The courses were wonderful and so accessible from our hotel."

Mike, Wirral

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# Taste of Wexford Golf Experience

18th – 22nd September 2022

*Four great days of unforgettable food, fun & fairways!*

Enjoy a Taste of Wexford – not just amazing food, but hospitality that's second to none and some of the most beautiful golf courses Ireland's Sunny South East has to offer. This is an event for the Gourmet Golfer.

You'll enjoy a four night stay at the 4 star Clayton Whites Hotel, conveniently located in the heart of Wexford Town. Each day, tee off at a different nearby golf course, ranging from the traditional Links of Rosslare with stunning seaside views to the gorgeous greens of parkland courses at Bunclody Golf & Fishing Club and Wexford Golf Clubs.

Your two inclusive evening meals will be served at award-winning local restaurants by skilled chefs using the finest and freshest local ingredients. Wexford is famous for its quality produce, and you'll quickly find out why.

The event is limited to 22 teams and has SOLD OUT early so be sure to book ASAP in order to avoid disappointment.

Entry is in teams of four people, any combination, any age, with Daily & Overall Prizes on offer. All participants must be a member of a golf club and have an officially recognised handicap. Each day your team will be split into two fourball pairs and play in a FBBB format opposite a pair from a different team. Your pairings are rotated each day.

Additional B&B and single supplements are also available. For more information go to [www.clubchoiceireland.com/golf-events](http://www.clubchoiceireland.com/golf-events)

**To book your team, contact Club Choice Ireland on 01-8011490 or email [info@clubchoiceireland.com](mailto:info@clubchoiceireland.com)**

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## Taste of Wexford Golf Experience

18th – 22nd September 2022

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**3 rounds of tournament golf:**  
**19th Sept:** Rosslare Golf Links  
**20th Sept:** Bunclody Golf Club  
**21st Sept:** Wexford Golf Club

**2 Evening Meals** in local Award Winning Restaurants

**Daily & Overall Prizes**

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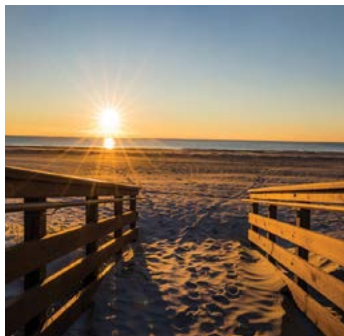
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