

Annual Events in Warwick	
Warwick Races	23 dates throughout the year
Warwick Carnival	July/August
Warwick International Festival	June
Annual Mop Fair	October
Warwick Words (Festival of literature and spoken word)	November
Warwick Town Bonfire	November/December
Warwick Victorian Christmas Evening	December
Carols at Warwick Castle	December

There are a variety of excellent restaurants, pubs, cafes and take-aways all within easy walking distance of the town to suit all tastes. An Eating Out in Warwick Guide is available from the Tourist Information Centre or www.warwick-uk.co.uk/eating-out.asp

Where To Eat

Contact Warwick Tourist Information Centre for an accommodation guide which includes a wide variety of serviced and self catering establishments. Why not call into or telephone the Tourist Information Centre and take advantage of our accommodation booking service, or visit www.warwick-uk.co.uk for on-line booking.

Where To Stay

All the major churches hold services in Warwick – see their notice boards for times. There is also an historic Friends Meeting House, Unitarian Chapel and various other non-conformist churches in the town.

Churches

Warwick has a wide variety of small specialist shops located around the Market Place and Swan Street. Smith Street is separate from the centre but is still a lively shopping area.

Shopping

General Information

Population	25,434
Market Day (Farmer's 3rd Friday each month)	Saturday/general retail
Library (closed Sunday)	01926 412488
County Records (closed Sunday & Monday)	01926 412735
Golf Course (at Racecourse)	01926 494316
Swimming Pool	01926 495353
Police Station	01926 410111

Entertainment

Apollo 4 Cinema, Leamington Spa www.apollocinemas.co.uk	0871 223 3448
Arts Centre, University of Warwick www.warwickartscentre.co.uk	024 7652 4524
Belgrade Theatre, Coventry www.belgrade.co.uk	024 7655 3055
Bridge House Theatre, Warwick www.bridg housetheatre.co.uk	01926 776438
Loft Theatre, Leamington Spa www.loft-theatre.co.uk	01926 426341
Playbox Theatre, The Dream Factory, Warwick www.playboxtheatre.com	01926 419555
Priory Theatre, Kenilworth www.priorytheatre.co.uk	01926 863334
Royal Cinema, Leamington Spa www.royal-spa-centre.co.uk/cinema.html	01926 888997
Royal Spa Centre, Leamington Spa www.royal-spa-centre.co.uk	01926 334418
Royal Shakespeare Theatre, Stratford www.rsc.org.uk	0870 6091110
Talisman Theatre, Kenilworth www.talismantheatre.co.uk	01926 856548
Tenpin Bowling, Leamington Spa www.tenpin.co.uk	01926 885444

Warwick Tourist Information Centre

The Court House, Jury Street
Tel: 01926 492212
Fax: 01926 494837
E-mail: warwicktic@btconnect.com
Opening times daily 09.30 - 16.30



Warwick Tourist Information Centre Website at: www.warwick-uk.co.uk includes an on-line accommodation booking service, places of interest and much more. Visit it today.

Whilst visiting Warwick make your first stop the Tourist Information Centre situated in the Court House, Jury Street, in the centre of the town.

Our knowledgeable staff will be able to help you make the most of your visit supplying information on Warwick and the surrounding area.

If you are looking for a place to stay our staff will be able to assist you with booking overnight accommodation. Also, we can make advanced reservations for your next stop en-route. Warwick Tourist Information Centre has a wide range of publications, local guides, maps and souvenirs to help you make the most of your visit.

We look forward to welcoming you to Warwick.

How to Get Here

By Car – M40 motorway junction 15 then A429 to Warwick.

By Coach – Regular services of National Express. Tel: 08705 808080 www.nationalexpress.com

By Bus – Stagecoach. Tel: 01788 535555 or Traveline Tel: 0870 6082608 www.warwickshire.gov.uk

By Train – Use Warwick town railway station for Warwick Castle and town. Warwick Parkway is situated approximately two miles from Warwick town centre and Castle. Trains are available to Birmingham, Stratford upon Avon, London (Paddington and Marylebone) and intermediate stations. Use Leamington Spa for connections to Banbury, Coventry, Oxford and intermediate stations. Tel: 08457 484950. www.nationalrail.co.uk

Distance from Warwick

Kenilworth	6 miles / 9km
Leamington Spa	3 miles / 4km
Stratford upon Avon	9 miles / 15km
Coventry	12 miles / 19km
Birmingham	24 miles / 38km
Birmingham Airport	18 miles / 29km
Oxford	50 miles / 81km
London	94 miles / 152km



warwick visitors guide



attractions for everyone

• Warwick Castle



Tel: 0870 442 2000
www.warwick-castle.co.uk

Britain's Greatest Mediaeval Experience

This is not history behind glass, this is history that you live for yourself. Experience a mediaeval household preparing for battle in 'Kingmaker' or meet Daisy, Countess of Warwick, in 'A Royal Weekend Party'.

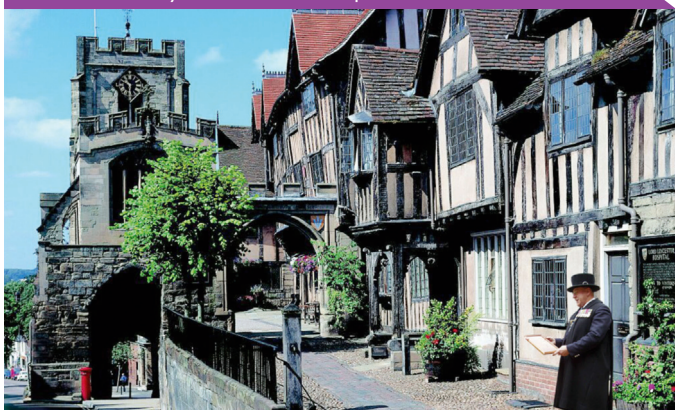
Throughout the year there is a fantastic programme of special events including jousting tournaments, and themed suppers on most Fridays and Saturdays.

Open all Year (except Christmas Day)

Daily Summer 10.00 – 18.00, Winter 10.00 – 17.00

Admission Charge

• Lord Leycester Hospital



High Street Tel: 01926 491422
www.lordleycester.co.uk

Fine Mediaeval timber-framed buildings, Chapel, Great Hall, galleried Courtyard and Guildhall. The Brethren's Kitchen provides morning coffee, light lunches and afternoon tea from March till October.

Open all Year (Closed Mondays)

Summer 10.00 – 17.00, Winter 10.00 – 16.00

Admission Charge

• The Master's Garden

The award-winning historic walled garden is open Easter to end September, Tuesday – Sunday 10.00 – 16.30

Small Admission Charge



• The Queen's Own Hussars Museum

Tel: 01926 492035
www.qohmuseum.org.uk

The Cavalry Regiment of the West Midlands – the past to the present Riding into Battle by Horse to Tank.

One of the three Warwick Military Museums

Normally Open Tuesday – Saturday
Summer 10.00 – 17.00
Winter 10.00 – 16.00

Within The Lord Leycester Hospital
No further Admission Charge



• Collegiate Church of St Mary



Old Square Tel: 01926 403940
www.saintmaryschurch.co.uk

Famous for its Beauchamp Chapel, Norman Crypt, Mediaeval/Tudor tombs & tower. Brass rubbing available.

Open all Year
Daily Summer 10.00 – 18.00
Winter 10.00 – 16.30

Church Admission Free

Tower open all year (weather permitting)

Tower Admission Charge

• Funky Monkeys



Cape Industrial Estate
Tel: 01926 409007
www.funkymonkeys.co.uk

Funky Monkeys is an exciting Children's Activity Centre with a difference... we cater for parents too! A combination of fantastic play facilities and a 'healthy eating' café within a clean, safe and secure environment is a must for all discerning parents.

Open all Year 10.00 – 18.30

Admission Charge

• Warwickshire Museum – Market Hall



Market Place Tel: 01926 412500 or 412501
www.warwickshire.gov.uk

Be greeted by a huge brown bear in the entrance; enjoy ancient jewellery, fantastic fossils, bees and bugs; trace the early history of Warwickshire and find places you know on the famous Sheldon Tapestry map. Also our exciting programme offers exhibitions which change every few weeks.

Open Tuesday – Saturday and Bank Holiday Mondays
10.00 – 17.00 (all year round)
Sundays 11.30 – 17.00 (April – September only)

Admission Free

• St John's Museum



St John's Tel: 01926 412132 or 412021
www.warwickshire.gov.uk

Changing exhibitions and displays that tell the stories of Warwickshire people featuring objects from our varied collections, experience the Victorian classroom, kitchen and laundry and have fun in the Discovery Room for under 5's. Also explore the Museum of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Open Tuesday – Saturday and Bank Holiday Mondays
10.00 – 17.00 (all year round)
Sundays 14.30 – 17.00 (April – September only)

Admission Free

• Warwickshire Yeomanry Museum



The Court House, Jury Street Tel: 01926 492212

Uniforms, swords, arms and a field gun taken in the charge at Huj 1917 by Warwickshire Yeomen.

Open Good Friday to Remembrance Sunday,
Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holiday Mondays
10.00 – 13.00 and 14.00 – 16.00
Other times by arrangement

Admission Free

• Mill Street and The Mill Garden



Tel: 01926 492877

This street is one of Warwick's mediaeval gems. The Mill Garden at the bottom of Mill Street is a beautiful secluded garden offering spectacular views of the castle and river.

Open daily April – October 09.00 – 18.00

Small Admission Charge

• St Nicholas Park

www.warwickboats.co.uk Tel: 01926 494743
Amusements: Tel: 01926 403866

Includes a crazy golf course, childrens amusement rides, outdoor paddling pool and boats for hire (summer only). Tennis, football courts, BMX/skateboard track, boules rink, recreation ground, indoor swimming pool, leisure centre and café.

• Saltisford Canal Trust

Budbrooke Road Tel: 01926 490006
www.saltisfordcanal.co.uk

Colourful canal urban fringe park, run by small local charity on the Saltisford arm of the Grand Union Canal. Gardens, picnic site, day hire canal boats with full handicapped access, canal side shop and information centre, refreshments, day fishing and overnight visitor moorings.

Open daily year round, Shop open 7 days a week
March – October, weekdays November – February

• Warwick Racecourse



For a fixture list or further information Tel: 01926 491553
www.warwickracecourse.co.uk

Warwick Racecourse is one of the leading National Hunt and flat courses and has a regular programme of 23 meetings throughout the year. The central grandstand incorporates the first stand built in 1809, amongst the oldest surviving in the country.

• Hill Close Gardens

Enquiries and group bookings
Tel: 01926 493337
www.hillclosegardens.warwick.uk.com

Victorian town gardens newly restored with Heritage Lottery Funding.

Open Easter – 8th October
Saturdays and Bank Holiday
Mondays 11.00 – 17.00,
Fridays and Sundays 14.00 – 17.00

