

# **Historical Landscapes Spring Programme**

designed by Cornwall Discovered in association with Gillian Hovell

# Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022

A 5-night fully escorted Cornish cultural tour, with all accommodation, entrance fees, guiding and transportation within Cornwall included. Hosted by award-winning writer and historian Gillian Hovell aka 'The Muddy Archaeologist'

# From £930 per person \* based on double/twin occupancy



#### **Inclusions**:

100% Financial Protection for your holiday Friendly & knowledgeable Cornwall Discovered escort throughout your expedition Award-winning historian as your host 5 nights' carefully selected accommodation on bed and breakfast basis Breakfast and light lunch throughout the programme (evening meals been left free for independent dining options) Welcome dinner on day 1 All transportation whilst within Cornwall All entrance fees, listening devices and local guiding where required

Transfers to and from the train station at the beginning and end of your holiday





### Not included in the tour:

Transfers to and from Cornwall Travel insurance Anything not mentioned in the tour description

#### Itinerary

#### Day 1 - Arrive in Bodmin and check into hotel

Arrive in Cornwall and check in to your centrally located hotel. Due to the nature of this tour, and in line with our green ethos, we strongly advise coming to Cornwall by train. Transfers from Bodmin Parkway station to the hotel are included.

This evening a welcome group dinner is included so that you can meet your travelling companions.

#### Day 2 - Exploring Bodmin Moor

Today we set off to explore the vast landscape of Bodmin Moor. Steeped in both fascinating prehistoric history and more recent industrial heritage, there is plenty to discover. Highlights will include Trevethy Quoit, The Hurlers and Minions Heritage centre. Some scenic sightseeing will also be included.

Today we will move to another hotel situated further west in Cornwall.

#### Day 3 - A Visit to Cornwall's North Coast Wonder

No visit to Cornwall is complete without a trip to Tintagel Castle. As well as being enchanted by the tales of King Arthur as we explore this impressive coastal site, we will learn about the latest excavations that have taken place here and the intriguing links with the Mediterranean world. Again, there will be plenty of scenic Cornish viewpoints included as well.

#### Day 4 - Discovering the Heritage Coastline

Today we will combine some beautiful Cornish scenery, and 'Poldark-esque' landscapes with perhaps one of the county's most important archaeological sites. Standing atop of Carn Brea hill, you will not only learn all about the importance of the archaeological finds here but enjoy wonderful views of the rolling Cornish countryside too.

#### Day 5 - Delving into West Cornwall

Saving the best to last? Our final day explores some of West Cornwall's wonders. Starting with Ancient Chysauster, we will also explore Botallack Mine, Carn Euny and The Merry Maidens. As always, we will aim to combine this historical wealth with plenty of stunning Cornish viewpoints along the way.

#### Day 6 - Departure

Transfer to Penzance Station for your return journey

## **Green Highlight**

In line with our sustainable ethos, we always want to contribute to a greener way of travel and so this itinerary has been designed so that guests can arrive by train, and all transportation within Cornwall is included for the group. We will also set aside some time for a beach clean during this itinerary. Cornwall Discovered always aims have our included meals in sustainable restaurants offering scrumptious options which only use fresh, local produce.

