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WALKING HOLIDAYS IN THE UK

2026

ENGLAND – SOUTHERN YORKSHIRE DALES - MALHAMDALE

8-day / 7-night centre-based at Newfield Hall – one-hotel guided walking tour

Soak up the wonderful scenery, experience the atmosphere of solitude of the heather moorland, and explore picture postcard villages. A Guided Walking holiday based in Malhamdale is an ideal way to explore the land of hills and valleys, of waterfalls, caves and rivers known as the Yorkshire Dales. On this guided walking holiday, there is a chance to ascend Pen-y-ghent and Ingleborough or enjoy stunning walks in Wharfedale and Ribblesdale. Awe-inspiring Malham Cove was once a waterfall and is now a spot to watch rock climbers scaling the sheer cliffs. You may like to scramble up the rock chasm of Gordale Scar or perhaps admire the more tranquil Janet's Foss waterfall. On your free day perhaps visit nearby Skipton, with its well-preserved medieval castle or the Brontë parsonage in Haworth, or tour White Scar cave, the largest show cave in Britain.

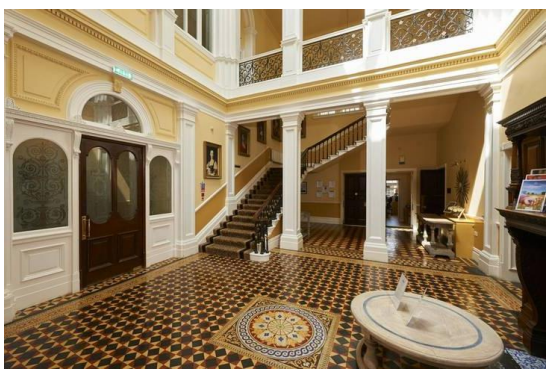
Cost from: **$2390** per person twin share Single room supplement on request
Mid / high season supplement from **$320 - $705** per person on selected departures

2026 Departures: 27 February, 6, 13, 27 March, 3, 10 April, 8, 15, 22 May, 5, 12, 19 June, 3, 10, 17, 31 July, 7, 21 August, 4, 18, 25 September, 2, 23 October, 20 November

Includes: 7 nights in comfortable hotel room with ensuite bathrooms, full board (breakfast, packed lunch and dinner), experienced walks leader, 5 guided walks, local transport associated with the walks.

Not Included: Transport to/from the house, drinks, personal expenses, transport/activities on your free day.

Accommodation: Retaining its 19th century grandeur, **Newfield Hall** is our most stately Country House. With excellent accommodation and facilities, extensive grounds and heated indoor swimming pool, it is also one of our most popular locations for guided walking holidays. Ask about Premium rooms (for a supplement).



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Trip Grading: Moderate to long distances, mostly on well-defined paths, though some routes are over rough, rocky terrain in remote countryside. Most walks will have sections over steeper terrain and some may require sustained ascents and descents. Easier walks 10-13km with up to 400m of ascent, medium walks 12-17km with up to 480m of ascent, harder walks 16-22km with up to 700m of ascent in a day.

Suggested itinerary (routes are determined each day by walk leaders – subject to change):

Day 1: Arrival day
Arrival day – plan to arrive at your accommodation mid-afternoon.

Day 2: Airton and the River Aire
A circular walk exploring the Aire Valley, visiting the villages of Airton, Malham and Kirkby Malham with its 15th Century church, the 'Cathedral of the Dales'. The harder walk also ascends the moor to the superb viewpoint of Weets Top for extensive views of the limestone landscape.

Day 3: Ribblesdale and Pen-y-ghent
Magnificent views are on offer, whether you choose to walk over the rolling hills to Feizor then alongside the River Ribble to Settle; follow the Pennine and Ribble Ways from and back to Horton-in-Ribblesdale with views of the arched Ribblehead viaduct and the Three Peaks; or ascend via Churn Milk Hole to the summit of Pen-y-ghent.

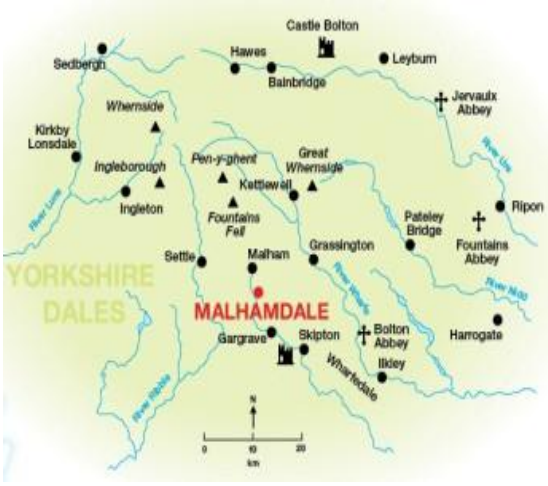
Day 4: Free day
Free day, no organised walks. Perhaps explore the amazing rock formations of White Scar Cave; visit the Brontë parsonage in Haworth; or enjoy a ride on a scenic railway over the iconic Ribblehead viaduct.

Day 5: The Dales Way through Wharfedale
Walk from Linton, a delightful village with a 12th century church through the charming villages of Thorpe and Burnsall then follow the Dales Way along the River Wharfe to Grassington. The more challenging walks ascend Conistone Dib or the Rylstone Ridge before also finishing in Grassington, a traditional Yorkshire village with cobbled streets, tearooms, quirky shops and galleries.

Day 6: Upper Wharfedale and Kettlewell
We walk on varying routes to Hubberholme and its ancient church, with a 16th Century rood screen and furniture by Robert Thompson – 'the Mouseman of Kilburn'. Some routes continue up the hillside for extensive views down the dale or ascend Scar House and to the summit of Buckden Pike. All walks end in the charming, quiet village of Kettlewell, which has some lovely tearooms for afternoon refreshment.

Day 7: Malham Cove
Varying routes take us to the pretty woodland waterfall of Janet's Foss and serene Malham Tarn. Longer routes visit the collapsed cave system of Gordale Scar and gain expansive views of the limestone landscape.

Day 8: Departure day
Tour ends after breakfast.



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