

The Yorkshire Coast Tour – Trip Itinerary

2024

Operated by Wildlife Tours & Education

Tour Dates

17th September to 20th September 2024

£1099

This is a trip focusing on migratory birds at Yorkshire Coast hotspots

Departure is from Norfolk early morning of 17th September and drop off is in Norfolk late evening 20th September. Pick up and drop off 'en-route' can be arranged.

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| Day 1 | Arrive Yorkshire Coast |
| Day 2/3 | Yorkshire Coastal Hotspots |
| Day 4 | Depart Yorkshire and head back to Norfolk |
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Siberian Accentor, Easington by Carl Chapman

Although we will endeavour to follow our planned programme due to bad weather and other considerations this is not always possible. You can rest assured that any alterations to our planned itinerary will be made to make maximum use of our time and weather conditions.

Overview

This is a tour of the Yorkshire coastline migration hotspots with an opportunity to see bird specialities not often encountered within the UK.

We shall search regular sites for birds occurring on their migration south from Scandinavia and other northern latitudes.

Day 1 - Tuesday

On our way to Yorkshire, picking up party members en route, we may well have the chance to call in at several locations to see some windblown waif or vagrant. We may also call at Potteric Carr on the floodplain of the river Torr to see if we can find a Bittern or two. We will arrive at our comfortable accommodation in East Yorkshire and have a good meal in preparation for the following days birding.

Day 2 – Wednesday

We will leave our accommodation and make our way to Spurn Point. Over the years this promontory into the North Sea has been landfall for many many rare birds within the falls of commoner migrants. There are lots of places to search for birds here and if we are lucky with the weather many thousands of migrants will be arriving.



Pallas's Warbler, Spurn Point by Carl Chapman

Day 3 – Thursday

We will venture further north to Scarborough, Filey and Bridlington. All have produced some good birds in the past.

Day 4 – Friday

We must take our leave of Yorkshire but there may well be an opportunity to call in to see birds at other reserves on our journey home. A call at the RSPB Blacktoft Sands may well be in order.

We will also be dropping off en route back to Norfolk.

What is included?

All meals and lunches from lunch on day 1 to lunch on day 4 are included within the price. The evening meal on day 4 will be at your own cost.

Transport to and from Norfolk and pick up en route at suitable locations.

Accommodation is normally in en suite rooms and lunches will be packed to give us more time in the field.

A single room supplement of £90 is payable although sharing can be arranged on most occasions.

What is not included?

All drinks with meals and items of a personal nature.

Any entrance fees to reserve areas we may visit. We think this is the fairest way of dealing with reserve entrance fees as some guests will have already paid annual membership fees and have free entry.

Further notes.

This is a trip which will give us the maximum amount of time in the field therefore early mornings and late evenings to make use of available light is usual. Most walking will be on level or gently undulating ground although a reasonable level of fitness is required.

RSPB members and Wildlife Trust Members are asked to bring along their membership cards.

Group Size.

4 Maximum

How to Book

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Siberian Stonechat by Carl Chapman