# **Ryecross Farm Cottage**



#### **Contact Details:**

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Shaftesbury Dorset SP7 0BH England

£ 390.00 - £ 1,198.00 per week











The historic market-town of Shaftesbury sits 750 feet above sea-level, looking down onto the Blackmore Vale.

### **Facilities:**

- Communications: Broadband Internet
- Entertainment: TV
- Kitchen: Cooker, Fridge
- Price Included: Linen, Towels

### **Room Details:**

Sleeps: 4

1 Double Room

2 Single Rooms

1 Twin Room

1 Bathroom

# **About Shaftesbury and Dorset**

It was founded 1100 years ago by King Alfred who built a fortified settlement here ad went on to build the Abbey which draws tourists throughout the year. Gold Hill is one of the most famous locations in Shaftesbury and in one of the cottages that sits on its top, you'll find the Town Museum which holds samples of the buttons which once made Shaftesbury so famous. Lying on the border of Wiltshire, staying in Shaftesbury also puts you within easy reach of other attractions, such as Stonehenge, the Compton Abbas airfield and the beaches of Poole and Bournemouth. About 5 miles north-east of Shaftesbury are the remains of Wardour Castle, which has never been restored since it was besieged during the English Civil War. Half an hour away are the fossilised beaches of Lyme Regis and Charmouth.



# **Recommended Attractions**

#### 1. Goodwood

Art Gallery, Historic Buildings and Monuments, Nature Reserve, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Tours and Trips, Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions, Zoos Farms and Wildlife Parks, Bistros and Brasseries, Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms, Horse Riding and Pony Trekking, Shooting and Fishing, Walking and Climbing



Motor circuit, Stately Home, Racecourse, Aerodrome, Forestry, Organic Farm Shop, Festival of Speed, Goodwood Revival

Chichester, PO18 0PX, West Sussex, England

### 2. Goodwood Races

Festivals and Events, Horse Racing



Under the family of the Duke of Richmond, Goodwood Races sits only five miles north of the town of Chichester.

Chichester, PO18 0PS, West Sussex, England

#### 3. Arundel Castle and Gardens

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands



This converted Castle and Stately Home is over 1000 years old, and sits on the bank of the River Arun in West Sussex

Arundel, BN18 9AB, West Sussex, England

### 4. Chichester Cathedral

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Tours and Trips



This 900 Year Old Cathedral has been visited millions of times by people of all faiths and denominations.

Chichester, PO19 1PX, West Sussex, England

### 5. Petworth House

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands



Petworth House is a grade 1 listed building from the 17th Century. Set in an idyllic 700-acre Deer Park, it makes a great day out for viewing the historic building and walking in the verdant park surrounding it.

Petworth, GU28 0AE, West Sussex, England

#### 6. Bucklers Hard

Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions



Bucklers Hard is a 18th century maritime village which is situated on the Beaulieu River, it has a stunning Marina and plenty to see in the village. Brockenhurst, SO42 7XB, Hampshire, England

#### 7. Beaulieu Estate

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions



Beaulieu is siutated in the New Forest National Park, it is the perfect place for a fun day including museums, the historic abbey and the list goes on

Brockenhurst, SO42 7ZN, Hampshire, England

### 8. Paultons Park

Theme Parks



Paultons Family Theme Park is a great day out, there are a wide selection of rides allowing you to have the must fun and exciting day out.

The New Forest, SO51 6AL, Hampshire, England

#### 9. Dunster Castle

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands



National Trust Property with subtropical terraced garden

Dunster, TA24 6SL, Somerset, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 10. Exmoor National Park

Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Horse Riding and Pony Trekking, Shooting and Fishing, Walking and Climbing



Beautiful national park spanning Somerset and Devon

Dulverton, TA22 9HL, Somerset, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 11. Babbacombe Model Village

Childrens Attractions





Thousands of miniature buildings, people and vehicles capture the essence of England's past, present and future

Babbacombe, TQ1 3LA, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 12. Quince Honey Farm

Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions, Zoos Farms and Wildlife Parks, Shops



World famous honey farm - the largest in the country

South Molton, EX36 3AZ, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 13. Lynton and Barnstaple Railway

Tours and Trips, Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms, Railways



A restored narrow gauge steam railway in the Exmoor National Park area of North Devon. One mile of the original 19 miles has so far been re-opened.

Martinhoe Cross, Parracombe, EX31 4RA, Devon, England

Phone: 01598 763487

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 14. Blackpool Sands Beach Devon

Beaches, Childrens Attractions, Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms, Shops, Sailing and Watersports



Award-winning family beach with turquoise blue sea giving it an almost Mediterranean feel.

Dartmouth, TQ6 0RG, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# **15. Slapton Sands and Torcross**

Beaches, Childrens Attractions, Sailing and Watersports



Fantastic pebble beach in Devon

Slapton, TQ6, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!



#### 16. Saunton Sands Beach

Beaches, Childrens Attractions, Sailing and Watersports



3 miles long sandy beach, ideal for families and popular with surfers

Saunton, EX33, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

#### 17. h2outdoor Adventure Activities North Devon

Tours and Trips, Cycling and Mountain Bikes, Horse Riding and Pony Trekking, Sailing and Watersports, Walking and Climbing, Guided Walks, Guided Tours and Day Trips



A fantasic selection of adventure activites in North Devon. Sea kayaking, canoeing, surfing, coasteering, mountain biking, pony trekking & high ropes are just some of the activities we offer. Suitable for children, groups, stag/hen & corporate

Woolacombe, EX34 7BZ, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 18. Westward Ho! Beach

Beaches, Childrens Attractions



Over 2 miles of sandy beach in North Devon

Westward Ho, TQ1, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 19. Horse riding holidays in North Devon Croyde

Childrens Attractions, Horse Riding and Pony Trekking



Roylands riding stables cater for all abilities and offer horse riding holidays.

Croyde, EX33, Devon, England

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 20. The Milky Way Adventure Park

Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions, Indoor and Outdoor Play Areas





North Devon's largest undercover family attraction.

Bideford, EX39 5RY, Devon, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 21. Lundy Island

Beaches, Tours and Trips, Childrens Attractions, Pubs and Bars, Walking and Climbing



Lundy Island and Nature Reserve

Bideford, EX39 2LY, Devon, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 22. Tintagel and Tintagel Castle

Beaches, Historic Buildings and Monuments, Lochs Lakes and Waterfalls, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions, Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms, Pubs and Bars, Shops



Breathtaking ruined castle on the Cornish Coast - mythical home of King Arthur

Tintagel, PL34, Cornwall, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 23. Lanhydrock

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions, Indoor and Outdoor Play Areas, Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms, Restaurants



Magnificent late Victorian country house with extensive servants' quarters, gardens and wooded estate

Bodmin, PL30 5AD, Cornwall, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 24. Lost Gardens of Heligan

Parks Gardens and Woodlands





One of the most popular botanical gardens in the UK

St Austell, PL26 6EN, Cornwall, England

"A great day out for everyone. Highly recommended by us as a family. Plenty of space for kids to run around.Beautiful gardens and walks."

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 25. Newquay Zoo

Zoos Farms and Wildlife Parks



One of the nations's best zoos, home of many of the world's endangered species.

Newquay, TR7 2LZ, Cornwall, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 26. Fistral Beach

Beaches, Sailing and Watersports



World Famous surfing Beach in Newquay, Cornwall

Newquay, Cornwall, Cornwall, England

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 27. The Cross Keys Restaurant in Kippen

Pubs and Bars, Restaurants



Traditional and comfortable inn situated in the village of Kippen, Stirlingshire. We serve food all day from soups to sirloins, with home made pies and puddings to finish. Every Sunday is roast day featuring two types of roast.Children Welcome.

Kippen, FK8 3DN, Stirlingshire, Scotland

Phone: 01786 870293

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 28. The Black Watch Museum

Visitor Centres and Museums





Regimental Museum of the Proud and Ilustrious Black Watch Regiment in Perth Scotland

Perth, PH1 5HR, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 29. Gloagburn Farm Shop and Coffee Shop near Perth

Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms, Shops



The Gloagburn Farm Shop and Café are a local business of high quality offering local produce as well as a café.

Tibbermore, PH1 1QL, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

#### 30. Scone Palace

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands



Scone Palace occupies a unique position in Scottish History

Perth, PH2 6BD, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

#### 31. Scone Palace

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands



Former crowning place of the Kings of Scotland, stunning setting in beautiful grounds. A stately home to visit.

Perth, PH2 6BD, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

#### 32. Glamis Castle

Historic Buildings and Monuments



Childhood home of Her Majesty Queen Elisabeth The Queen Mother

Glamis, DD8 1RJ, Angus and Dundee, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 33. The Scottish Crannog Centre

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Visitor Centres and Museums





Archaeological Open-Air Museum

Kenmore Aberfeldy, PH15 2HY, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

# Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 34. Enchanted Forest in Perthshire

Festivals and Events, Lochs Lakes and Waterfalls, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Live Music and Comedy



The Enchanted Forest offers visitors a unique opportunity to experience the outdoors, at night and with spectacular imagery. You will experience a lighting show that is out of this world.

Pitlochry, PH16 5LA, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

#### 35. Blair Castle

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Cafes Coffee Shops and Tearooms



Historic Castle

Blair Atholl, PH18 5TL, Perth and Kinross, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 36. Balmoral Castle

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Visitor Centres and Museums



5 Star visitor attraction set amongst the magnificent scenery of Royal Deeside

Balmoral, AB35 5TB, Aberdeenshire, Scotland

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 37. Chateau de Hautefort

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands



Magnificent 17c Castle perched on a hill in a beautiful area of France.

Hautefort, 24390, Dordogne, France

"THis chateau is off the hook."

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!



### 38. Dunrobin Castle Golspie Sutherland

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Visitor Centres and Museums



Seat of the Duke of Sutherland. Originally built in 1401 and rebuilt in 1835. Castle Tour and Falconry Displays a Must. Open between April and Oct

Golspie, KW10 6RS, The Highlands, Scotland

"Castle of fairy tales which looks dramatic from the sea. Falconry display and museum worth visiting too."

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

# 39. Brora golf club

Golf



Brora Golf Club, a traditional links course, designed by James Braid, where little has changed since he left in 1923.

Brora, KW9 6QS, The Highlands, Scotland

"Wonderful Braid course in top 100 best courses UK and Ireland."

Highly Recommended by Ryecross Farm Cottage!

### 40. Loch Venachar

Lochs Lakes and Waterfalls



Loch Venachar, The Trossachs

Callander, FK8 3EN, Stirlingshire, Scotland

"There is a great walk down the southside of the Loch leading past the sailing club and if you branch right you can reach the Byre Inn."

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### 41. Longleat Safari Park and House

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Zoos Farms and Wildlife Parks



World Famous Stately Home and Safari Park in Wiltshire

Warminster, BA12 7NW, Wiltshire, England

### 42. Athelhampton House and Gardens Dorset

Historic Buildings and Monuments, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Tours and Trips, Visitor Centres and Museums, Pubs and Bars, Restaurants, Cinemas, Theatres, Shops





Athelhampton House, located outside Dorchester in Dorset. Tour the house and gardens. Topiary Restaurant, Long Hall Restaurant, Gift shop, Cinema & Outdoor Theatre. Wedding & Conference Venue

Athelhampton, DT2 7LG, Dorset, England

### 43. Challenge Leisure

Childrens Attractions, Shooting and Fishing



Challenge Leisure is a great outdoor sport leisure activity company, it has many great activities to enjoy for the perfect day out.

Ringwood, BH24 2SB, Hampshire, England

# 44. Monkey World in Dorset

Nature Reserve, Zoos Farms and Wildlife Parks



Monkey World is set in 65 acres of Dorset woodland and provides sanctuary for over 150 primates.

Wareham, BH20 6HH, Wiltshire, England

### 45. Bovington Tank Musuem

Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions



With almost 300 tanks and fighting vehicles on exhibition from 26 countries it is the second-largest collection of tanks/ armoured fighting vehicles.

Bovington, BH20 6JG, Dorset, England

### 46. Snowtrax

Childrens Attractions, Winter Sports

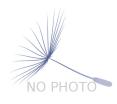


Snowtrax is a fun outdoor activity centre for all the family there are plenty of great things to do such as skiing and snowboarding.

Christchurch, BH23 6AW, Dorset, England

# 47. Kingston Maurward Gardens and Animal Park

Nature Reserve, Parks Gardens and Woodlands, Tours and Trips, Visitor Centres and Museums, Childrens Attractions, Zoos Farms and Wildlife Parks, Shops



A tranquil, peaceful and intimate spot, the gardens are beautifully situated in undulating Dorset countryside, with a lake, canals, broad sweeping and formal gardens. Animal Park with rare breeds

Dorchester, DT2 8PY, Dorset, England



# 48. Stonehenge

Historic Buildings and Monuments



World famous world heritage site in Wiltshire.

Amesbury, SP3 4RG, Wiltshire, England



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