

kate & tom's

Extraordinary holidays, celebrations & adventures



Enjoying your stay at Hilltop Hall

Everything you need to get the most out of your stay

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Arrival

Where We Are

Property Name:

Address:

Trevor Hall Road

Llangollen

Denbighshire

Postcode:

LL20 7UP

Check in and check out

Check in time:

4pm

Check out time for 2 night weekend booking:

4pm Sunday

Check out time for 3 night weekend booking:

10am Monday

Check out time for 7 night week bookings:

10am Friday

Arrival

Getting To Us

The best postcode to use with satnav is:

LL20 7UP

Nearest train station and distance:

Ruabon

The nearest airport is:

Liverpool

Reliable taxi service:

B&L Taxis

27 West View

Chirk

Wrexham

LL14 5HN

01691 776444

www.chirk.net/taxis.html

Cooking & dining - chef services

Catering Services

Dinner by Design

Francis Road, Moss, Wrexham, LL11 6EH
www.dinnerbydesign.co.uk

Dinner by design keep their menus as locally sourced as possible, using high quality and organic ingredients. Whether it's a cocktail party, a family dinner or a six course fine dining experience, they have the perfect tailor made service for you, contact them for more details.

Cooking good

Unit 18, Mile Oak Industrial Estate, Maesbury Road, Oswestry, Shropshire, SY10 8GA
01978 727 433
www.cookingood.co.uk

Cooking Good is a fantastic service delivering high quality, bespoke catering. With experience of catering for BBQ's hog roasts, canape parties, buffets as well as private events, they have the expertise to make your events memorable. The food is lovingly created, using fresh, locally sourced produce. Providing tailor made services and inventive menus.

Cooking & dining - great places to eat & drink

Nearest pub

Sun Trevor

Sun Bank, Llangollen, Denbighshire LL20 8EG
01978 860651
www.suntrevor.co.uk

This friendly local pub, provides a warm and comfortable atmosphere for you to enjoy a nice cold drink, or a hearty meal. The food is all freshly prepared and locally sourced and cooked fresh to order.

Best pubs

The Bridge End Hotel

Mill St, Llangollen, Clwyd LL20 8RY
www.bridgeendhotel.com

A friendly and atmospheric pub overlooking the river Dee, with real ales and a great menu of familiar comfort food.

Gales Wine Bar & Hotel

18, Bridge Street, Llangollen LL20 8PF
01978 860089
www.galesofllangollen.co.uk

Situated in one of Llangollen's oldest streets, this relaxed pub, offers real ales and an great menu with some traditional hearty classics.

The Corn Mill

Dee Lane, Llangollen LL20 8PN
01978 869555
www.brunningandprice.co.uk/cornmill

A traditional but friendly pub, with a great selection of Ales. It is positioned in a great place with some excellent views.

The Swan Inn

Pontfadog, Llangollen, Wrexham LL20 7AR
01691 718273
theswaninnpontfadog.co.uk

This family-run pub has bags of character. With a fantastic range of ales and ciders, as well as a nice menu consisting of some classic Welsh dishes.

Cooking & dining - great places to eat & drink

Best restaurants

The Chester Grosvenor

Eastgate, Chester CH1 1LT, Cheshire, England
01244 324024

[/www.chestergrosvenor.com/simon-radley-restaurant](http://www.chestergrosvenor.com/simon-radley-restaurant)

The Chester Grosvenor offers the glitter of a Michelin star. This award winning restaurant has four AA rosettes and is regularly reviewed by the Sunday Times.

Gallery restaurant & Steakhouse

15 Chapel Street LL20 8NN, Llangollen
01978 860076

www.thegalleryrestaurantllangollen.co.uk

A popular favourite amongst Llangollen residents. The Gallery have an excellent seasonal menu, tailored around fresh local produce. Their speciality being the Welsh fillet steak.

Fouzi's Café Bar & Pizzeria

7 Bridge St, Llangollen LL20 8PG, United Kingdom
01978 861 399

www.fouzis.com

This authentic Italian café and pizzeria has a fantastic selection of Italian classics to choose from. The pizzas are freshly made with Fouzi's homemade dough and the pasta is created using Italian inspired recipes.

The Bank Wine Bar and Bistro

43 High Street, Wrexham LL13 8HY, Wales
01978 266669

www.thebankwrexham.com

This family run business is a fantastic and fun bistro centered in the heart of Wrexham. They have an extensive food menu, catering for breakfast, lunch as well as dinner, it's a really friendly and relaxed environment to enjoy a special evening.

Cooking & dining - shopping for food

Larger supermarkets

Tesco Cefn Mawr Superstore

Off Well Street, Cefn Mawr, Wrexham, Clwyd LL14 3AT
0345 671 9431
www.tesco.com

The Co-operative Food

Regent St, South West and Wales, Llangollen, Denbighshire LL20 8HN
01978 861199
www.co-operativefood.co.uk

Butchers

Jones Butchers

16 Castle Street Llangollen, Wrexham LL20 8NU
01978 860650
jonesonlinebutchers.co.uk

This award winning butchers, offer a fantastic selection of freshly cut and locally sourced produce.

Delicatessens

Porter's Delicatessen

Market St, Llangollen, Denbighshire LL20 8PS
01978 862990
www.portersdeli.co.uk

A family run business with an excellent range of French, Spanish, Italian and British luxury foods, including hams, game, poultry and fish. As well as some fantastic local cheeses, jams and preserves.

Bakery

Chatwins

31 Castle St, Llangollen, Clwyd LL20 8RU
01978 860694
www.chatwins.co.uk

Chatwins is a traditional, locally run bakery, with a vast selections of breads, cakes, pastries as well as savory options, that are all freshly prepared and baked in store.

Things to do - activities & pampering

Outdoor activities

Llangollen Outdoors White Water Centre
Mile End Mill, Berwyn Road, Llangollen, LL20 8AD
www.llangollenoutdoors.co.uk

An action filled adventure sport centre, offering some fantastic water based and country pursuits. For an adrenalin filled activity, gorge walking is an excellent way to combine walking with wild swimming, plunge pools and natural water flumes. For those that enjoying white water rafting, tubing is a new craze that involves 3km of rapids.

Ty Nant Outdoors Ltd
Plas Ifa, Sun Bank, Llangollen, LL20 8ED
www.tynantoutdoors.com

.A fantastic outdoor experience with a huge variety of activities to enjoy. There are a number of canoeing and kayaking routes, including a canoeing tour across an aqueduct. There is also the opportunity to undertake a water based rescue course as well as group white water rafting.

Fishing

Llangollen Maelor Anglers
Llangollen, Denbighshire
www.llangollen-maelor-angling.com

The River Dee is one of the purest rivers in Europe, and is renowned for trout and grayling fishing, with salmon and sea trout throughout the season. There is a ten mile stretch of the River Dee that is open for fishing. For more details on locations and directions, please contact Llangollen Maelor Anglers for details.

Golf

Vale of Llangollen Golf Club
Holyhead Road, (A5), LL20 7PR
www.vlgc.co.uk

A beautiful course, with a superb undulating 18-hole course in complete tranquillity, providing some of the finest views of the countryside.

Walking

Llangollen History trail
www.nationaltrail.co.uk/offas-dyke-path/route/llangollen-history-trail

This fantastic 6 mile route begins in Llangollen and cuts across the countryside, past several historic landmarks including Llantysilio Church. Certain parts of the walk are more challenging than others with stiles, gates and rocky terrain.

Tennis

Wrexham Tennis Centre
Plas Coch Rd, Wrexham LL11 2BW
01978 265260
wrexhamtenniscentre.co.uk

Wrexham Tennis Centre has excellent sports facilities. Here you can take lessons to improve your game or just enjoy a friendly knock about.

Things to do - activities & pampering

Pampering

Elegance Spa

Wild Pheasant Hotel

Berwyn Road

Llangollen

Denbighshire

LL20 8AD

01978 860629

www.elegancespa.co.uk

Elegance spa is a stunning day spa retreat. With fabulous facilities, including all that you need to escape from the stresses of modern life. They offer a wide variety of exceptional spa treatments and massages all set within a beautiful location.

Top things to do with children

Dragon's Den Play Area

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17 Castle Street, Llangollen, North Wales, LL20 8NY
01978 861963
www.dragonsdenllangollen.co.uk

A brilliant indoor children's play centre, catering for children of all ages. There is a two storey play frame with slides and ball pools and a dedicated soft play area for smaller children.

Wrexham Waterworld

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Leisure and Activity Centre, Bodhyfryd, Wrexham
North Wales
LL13 8DH
01978 297300

This is a fantastic swimming pool suitable for the whole family. Not only can you take lessons here, but there are rapids, a bubble pool and a 65 metre long slide.

Alyn Waters Country Park

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Mold Road, Gwersyllt, Wrexham, North Wales
LL11 4AG
01978 763140
www.tinyurl.com/awcpdowtk

The largest country park in Wrexham, with fantastic cycling and pedestrian footpaths. There is an excellent nature reserve, as well as a visitor centre, wildlife exhibition, cafe and gift shop.

Pontcysyllte Aqueduct and Visitor

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Oswestry, Llangollen, Wrexham, North Wales
LL20 7YQ
0303 040 4040
www.canalrivertrust.org.uk/pontcysyllte-aqueduct-and-visitor-centre

This Grade I listed structure is 125ft high and provides stunning views onto the expansive valley below. You have the option of crossing over the aqueduct on foot, or by narrow boat, both of which are an exhilarating experience.

Llangollen Railway

Llangollen Railway

The Station, Abbey Road, Llangollen, North Wales
LL20 8SN
01978 860 979
www.llangollen-railway.co.uk

This heritage railway is located alongside the River Dee and runs through the beautiful Dee Valley, into the town of Corwen. The track is 10 miles long and during school holidays, also runs a special Thomas The Tank Engine train.

Top places to visit & shop nearby

Chester

Chester is a pretty town on the River Dee and has excellent transport links to Manchester and also Liverpool. Chester has a fantastic range of activities and sights to experience. The Roman ruins are perhaps it's most special feature and are the best preserved example of Roman architecture in the UK.

In the old part of the city, the 'Rows' is a shopping area, easily recognised by it's two levels of Tudor styled timber. There are so many activities and sights to see. Children will love Chester Zoo, with over 400 different species of animals to discover, whilst adults will love the quaint market villages, stately homes and fabulous spas.

Grosvenor museum

Built in 1885 to house the Chester Archaeological Society's collections, the museum exhibits the history of Chester, it's art, natural history and silver heritage. They also run monthly and often weekly exhibitions and events which are worth a visit.

Chester Zoo

Chester Zoo is one of the world's leading conservation centres and is home to 12,000 animals and 400 different species. The zoo offer regular show and tell sessions, as well as meet and greet where you have the opportunity to meet the animals up close and personal. There is a fantastic riverboat ride and a monorail over the giraffe enclosure giving a unique perspective and a fantastic view of the animals, exhibits and gardens.

Wrexham

Nestled between the Welsh mountains and the lower Dee valley, Wrexham is the largest town in North Wales. Well known for it's history as a market town, the town currently is home to four markets, three of which are indoor and one weekly outdoor market that takes place on Monday's at Queen's Square.

Alongside the town's market traditions, Wrexham town centre is built up of independent retailers and big name brands. Just outside of the main town centre is Eagles Meadow Shopping Complex, which has recently been developed. There are also some fantastic historical heritage sites to visit in and around the area that are a must see. Here are a few recommendations.

Pontcysyllte Aqueduct

Created to hold 1.5 million litres of water, this 1,00ft long structure was built in the 19th century to transport raw materials and produce in and around Cefn Mawr. Today however it is a visitor's hot spot, providing visitors thrilling walks or canal boat rides, looking out onto the stunning views of the River.

Valley Crucis Abbey

A prime example of British architectural history, this 13th century abbey was largely destroyed by Henry VII's split with the catholic church. However the remains have been restored and are the best preserved example in Wales.

Erddig Hall

Part of the National Trust, this stunning building provides insight into the lives of the 17th century upper classes. There are over 1200 acres of beautiful gardens and the surrounding park is the perfect place for a leisurely stroll, or even a picnic.

Useful information

Hilltop Hall at a glance

Bedrooms and Bathrooms

- Sleeps 14 in the main house, with room for a further 6 in the apartment at an additional charge
- Seven bedrooms, two of which have an ensuite bath or shower room
- The main house has three super kingsize bedrooms, one double bedroom and one twin bedroom
- The apartment has two double bedrooms
- One of the super kingsize beds is zip and link and can be setup as either super kingsize or twin
- Six bathrooms
- Downstairs WC
- Sofa beds
- The apartment is available at an additional charge. Please enquire for details

Cooking and Dining

- Dining table seats 28 comfortably
- Fantastic chef available for a special meal or throughout the weekend
- Drop-off meals available
- One gas range cooker and hob, one electric oven and hob, one Aga with two ovens and two hot plates
- Coal BBQ, coal not provided
- Tables and chairs on terrace
- Great dining nearby
- Online deliveries

Children Welcome

- Toys, books and DVDs for children
- Swings
- Two cots available
- Two high chairs available

Where We Are

- The postcode is LL20 7UP
- Llangollen
- The nearest train station is Ruabon, a 24 minute drive
- The nearest airport is Liverpool
- Taxis available
- Plenty of parking available

Things to Do Inside

- 42" TV with Sky
- Wi-fi
- DVD Player and DVDs
- iPod Dock
- Piano
- Library
- Games room with pool table

Useful information

Things to do Outside

- 150 acres of woodland, gardens and grounds
- Croquet set
- Swings

Activities

- Country pursuits available nearby, including clay pigeon shooting
- Horse riding
- Bushcraft
- Canoeing
- White water rafting
- Pampering

Top Things to Do for Children

- Park Hall Farm
- Ice cream factory
- Erddig Hall

Payment Process

- We take a one third deposit at the time of booking
- The balance is due three months before the date booked

Cautionary Deposit

- £1000 refundable deposit

House Restrictions

- Two well behaved dogs allowed, sleeping downstairs in the utility room
- Noise policy in place
- Hen parties welcome
- Not suitable for stag parties

Arrival and Departure

- Check in 4pm
- Check 10am

What's included

- Linen
- Towels
- Welcome hamper
- Essentials
- Utilities

Guest Reviews

"We have the most amazing time. A stunning house and a friendly welcome – nothing was too much trouble. Thank you so much and see you again!" - Joanie

"Not only a beautiful house with fantastic views, but a real sense of family and a warm welcome too!" - Lucas

"Best holiday yet. Fabulous house. Will be back next year. Thanks." - Jennifer