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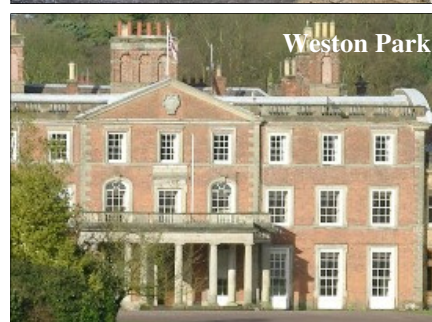
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If you love unspoilt countryside, historic towns, experiencing a sense of the past, enjoy good food, exercise and entertainment, then Shropshire is for you. So many people have written about Shropshire, yet so few know where it is or what makes it so seductive. But beware, those who are intrigued enough to visit are instantly captivated and guaranteed to return!

Included in the price of this fantastic break -

- **Iron Bridge Gorge** - Our forbears may have invented heavy industry, but in stark contrast to many of today's industrial projects, they never forgot the majesty of elegance or the importance of sheer beauty. Nowhere is this more artfully expressed than in the graceful lines and soaring arches of the world's first cast iron bridge.
- **Blists Hill Victorian Town** - Travel back over 100 years to experience the sights, sounds, smells and tastes of a recreated Victorian town. Enter a different world filled with Victorian characters in costume going about their daily life.
- **Severn Valley Railway** - what better way to discover Shropshire than on the Severn valley railway? Journey back in time on a vintage steam hauled train, meandering through unspoilt Worcestershire and Shropshire countryside of the Severn Valley.
- **RAF Cosford** - Aviation history is brought to life at the RAF museum. The museum has 70 historic aircraft on display such as the famous Spitfire, Messerschmitt and Vulcan.
- **Weston Park** - is one of the most welcoming Stately homes with as much character as any English castle and with as many stories as any royal home. Set within 1,000 acres of magnificent gardens and grounds; there is an endless choice of attractions for everyone including miniature railway, granary shop and gallery, stables coffee bar, medieval deer park, woodland walks, lakes and an orchard.
- **2 nights in the 4 star Q hotel Telford** – this luxurious 4 star hotel is situated in 170 acres of beautiful grounds. It features a sumptuous spa & pool with a eucalyptus steam room, ice fountain, and heated loungers. All of its bedrooms are super comfortable and have free wifi.
- **Dinner & Breakfast and Sunday Tea**
- **Coach travel throughout** - Departure from Pudsey, Leeds, Bradford, Huddersfield.
- **Escorted by Tour Manager**



- ◆ **Friday** - The coach will depart from Leeds at approx 08.00.hrs., then other points as shown, stopping en-route, we expect to arrive early afternoon at the historic town of Shrewsbury. There will be time to explore and perhaps grab a bit to eat, before we depart for the fantastic Weston Park. We will spend a few hours at this delightful stately home before we transfer to our hotel. Enjoy the leisure facilities before dinner.
- ◆ **Saturday** - After a leisurely breakfast, we depart for the Iron Bridge Gorge and Blists Hill Victorian Town. Later that day we'll visit the award winning RAF Museum Cosford, the only place where you can see Britain's V Bombers, Vulcan, Victor and Valiant. Visitors can also view the aircraft from an elevated gallery. We'll depart late afternoon to the hotel for dinner.
- ◆ **Sunday** - Enjoy a leisurely breakfast and the hotel's leisure facilities. We leave late morning for Bridgnorth, to experience a historic journey on the Severn Valley Railway. We stop for a delicious tea on our way home and expect to return around 19.00.hrs.

How to Book - Please call Hanson Exclusives on **0113 239 3300** to reserve a room.

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