

The Great British 'Break' Off

Make The Most of Britain's Holiday Hotspots This Summer

The summer holidays are drawing closer and, for those families wanting to avoid the airport antics this year, it's time to start planning a great British break. However, with so many great destinations to choose from, it can be hard to pick the perfect place for that all-important getaway.

With this in mind, holiday park operator Parkdean has put together a list of its most popular packages that are ideal for making the most of Britain this summer (whatever the weather may be). Placed amongst some of the country's most idyllic locations, Parkdean has over 24 resorts to choose from offering family-friendly fun and a range of home comforts. Here are just a few contenders for the great British break off.....

Catch the coast in Cornwall

- O What's on offer: With its famous golden sands, rolling surf and stunning views, Cornwall is one of Britain's most renowned coastal retreats. Add to this a range of adrenalin-fuelled activities and fantastic local attractions and you've got the perfect holiday hotspot.
- Top Attractions: Visit the Eden Project (voted the UK's best day out), the Flambards
 Experience family theme park or take advantage of the 12 areas of outstanding
 beauty and the great beaches nearby.
- Where to stay: Just one mile from the quaint fishing harbour at Looe; Parkdean's Looe Bay Holiday Park is a lively park in a glorious country setting. In addition to the beautiful sandy beach at Looe with fascinating rock pools; Looe Bay also offers a range of fantastic facilities. Splash around in the indoor swimming pool, let the kids run wild on the play areas and sit back with a drink in the Sundowner Club to enjoy live Showtime Entertainment in the evening.

Prices start from £303 for a 3 night break in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 4) starting 19^{th} or 22^{nd} July 2013. Alternatively, seven night breaks are available from £459 in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 4) starting 19^{th} July 2013.

• Have a nosey at Norfolk

- What's on offer: For beach lovers Great Yarmouth is a donkey-riding, sandcastle building heaven and thrill seekers can enjoy the fantastic Pleasure Beach so Norfolk is the perfect place to enjoy a fun filled family break.
- Top Attractions: Spend a day together on the rides at Pleasurewood Hills Leisure
 Park, go wild at Africa Alive (the walking family safari park) or explore the beautiful wildlife gardens at Thrigby Hall.
- Where to stay: Just four miles from the gorgeous Gorleston beach and six miles from the heart of Great Yarmouth, Parkdean's Cherry Tree Holiday Park is perfectly placed for a family holiday. This lively, countryside park also offers indoor and outdoor swimming pools; a pirate-themed crazy golf course; a fitness suite; an all-weather multi-sports court; a showbar with live family entertainment and much, much more. Prices start from £330 for a 3 night break in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 19th or 22nd July 2013. Alternatively, seven night breaks are available from £499 in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 19th July 2013.

• Dive into Devon

- O What's on offer: From the wild terrain of Exmoor to the county's world-class waves, Devon has lots to offer. Whether you'd prefer a stroll down one of the sixteen glorious beaches dotted along the Heritage coast or to indulge in a home-made Devonshire clotted cream tea, there's something for everyone to enjoy.
- O Top Attractions: Make the most of the fantastic all-weather fun on offer at The Big Sheep centre, go back in time at the Combe Martin Wildlife & Dinosaur Park or head off to gorgeous Croyde Bay.
- Where to stay: Parkdean's Ruda Holiday Park in Croyde, North Devon, is the perfect family retreat. Set right by the golden sands of the stunning Croyde Bay, it offers easy access to a wide range of local attractions as well as a host of family-friendly facilities on site including, a surf school; Cascades Tropical Adventure Pool; summer beach volleyball; an indoor soft play area; the Atlantic Blue entertainment lounge; plus loads more.

Prices start from £455 for a 3 night break in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 19th or 22nd July 2013. Alternatively, seven night breaks are available from £689 in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 19th July 2013.

Go wild in South Wales

- O What's on offer: From the rugged Glamorgan Heritage Coastline to pretty Carmarthenshire; the Garden of Wales, plus cultural landmarks and a buzzing night life, Wales offers something for everyone. Enjoy the peace and tranquillity of Brecon Beacons National Park or make the most of the archery, paintballing and karting available at Heatherton World of Activities.
- Top Attractions: Folly Farm Adventure Park & Zoo is the perfect place to entertain the little ones and, for those a little older, the Oakwood Theme Park offers a fantastic family day out.
- Where to stay: Parkdean's Pendine Sands Holiday Park is in a picturesque setting that's just minutes away from glorious beaches, fishing lakes and the bustling harbour town of Saundersfoot. On park facilities to enjoy include, an indoor swimming pool, The Duck Inn with beer garden and darts; a wildlife nature trail; The Sands Restaurant & Showbar with great family entertainment; an amusement arcade with pool tables and duck pond with decked picnic area.

 Prices start from £356 for a 3 night break in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 19th or 22nd July 2013. Alternatively, seven night breaks are available from £539 in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 19th July 2013.

Hangout in Dorset and Hampshire

- O What's on offer: Offering the stunning Jurassic Coast, bustling marinas and quaint market towns, Dorset and Hampshire is the ideal place to unwind. What's more, with attractions such as Monkey World and Poole Harbour to make the most of, there are plenty of family-friendly days out to be had too.
- Top Attractions: Sun yourself on the sheltered beaches of Lulworth Cove, hang out at Sandworld Sand Sculpture Park or visit the Cerne Abbas Chalk Man.
- Where to stay: Perfectly placed close to the stunning Jurassic Coastline, Parkdean's Sandford Holiday Park is a lively family park in a beautiful country setting. Alongside the great local attractions, visitors can also enjoy a host of fantastic facilities on the park including heated indoor and outdoor swimming pools, indoor and outdoor play areas, jungle themed crazy golf, Showtime Entertainment every night plus much more!

Prices start from £363 for a 3 night break in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 4), starting 19th and 22nd July 2013. Alternatively, seven night breaks are available from£549 in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 4), starting 19th July 2013.

• Set your sights on Scotland

- What's on offer: From the white sands and pretty seaside towns of Ayrshire to the soaring mountains and whisky-producing regions of the Northern Highlands,
 Scotland certainly deserves its world-class reputation.
- Top Attractions: Visit the stunning French chateau-inspired Dunrobin Castle, watch the famous single malt whisky being made at the Glenmorangie Distillery and see the spectacular waterfalls and leaping salmon at the Falls of Shin.
- Where to stay: With direct access to legendary Embo beach, guests at Parkdean's Grannie's Heilan' Hame Holiday Park may even be lucky enough to spot the local bottlenose dolphins from their windows! Surrounded by waterfalls and wildlife parks, this resort really does have a wealth of attractions on its doorstep. Those wanting to spend time on the park can also enjoy its facilities including, mini tenpin bowling; an adventure playground on the sand; Big Munch Takeaway; tennis courts; an indoor swimming pool plus spa bath; a dog walking area and a nine hole crazy golf course.

Prices start from £283 for a 3 night break in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 28^{th} June and 1st July 2013. Alternatively, seven night breaks are available from £449 in a two-bedroom caravan (sleeps up to 6), starting 28^{th} June.

Parkdean's 24 award winning holiday parks offer self-catering accommodation (with many new models for 2013) including home-from-home features and a range home-comforts - from flat screen TVs and fully fitted kitchens to central heating and spacious lounge areas. Many models also include a central lounge layout with the added benefit of a second bathroom. Plus, many non-smoking holiday homes are also available.

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