



The **one** with the view

WELCOME TO LINDETH FELL



We do hope that you enjoy your stay at Lindeth Fell. Our aim is to provide a friendly and peaceful atmosphere, in an elegant and well run country house. If there is anything we can do to improve your stay please do not hesitate to ask us.

The Kennedy family

Diana, Sheena, Jo and Kate

and our wonderful team

Linda Hartill ~ Deputy Manager

Cath Tarney ~ Duty Manager

Claire Thompson ~ Chef

Erin ~ General Assistant

Georgia ~ General Assistant

Andrew Bond Smith ~ Gardener

Jo Pearson ~ Book keeper

We hope our guests will enjoy the grounds, including the tarn, bowls, croquet and mini golf. You will find the croquet and mini golf equipment in the summer house, but please ask at reception for the bowls.

If you are walking into Bowness or Windermere, please do take care as some sections of the road do not have a pavement. We recommend you walk down Longtail Hill, instead of the Kendal Road, as this road is less busy with traffic. Please ask at reception for a map if you would like directions. It takes approximately 20 minutes to walk down to Lake Windermere, but remember it is all uphill back to the hotel!

- ACCOUNT PAYMENT** The reception is normally open from 8.30 am to 11.00 pm. If you wish to leave before 07.30am, please pay the night before. We accept cash, personal cheques, MasterCard and Visa.
- BAR AND WINES** We have a fully stocked bar and wine list. Drinks can be ordered throughout the day until 11.00 pm.
- DEPARTURES** Please vacate your room by 11.00 am on the day of departure so that we can service the room in time for guests' check in from 3.00 pm.
- GENERAL SERVICES** A selection of emergency toiletries are held in the office. Extra pillows, shoe cleaning basket, iron and ironing board and drying facilities are also available upon request.
- HOSPITALITY TRAYS** Trays are supplied and regularly replenished in all rooms. Please inform us if you require fruit, herbal or other speciality teas. If you prefer fresh milk in your room please ask at reception.
- INTERNET** Wi-Fi is available please ask at reception for details.
- LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANING** A same day laundry and dry cleaning service can be provided by Windermere Dry Cleaners, 17 Main Road, Windermere. Laundry bags and price lists can be found in your room. There is a trouser press for use by guests on request.
- MEAL TIMES** Breakfast 8.00 – 10.00 am
Refreshments, snacks and light meals are available from 10.00 am – 9.00 pm. Morning coffee and afternoon tea can either be served in your room, in the lounges or out on the terrace.
- Please be aware that the eating of any food purchased from outside of the hotel is not allowed. Should any evidence of this be found, a charge equivalent to 1 nights stay will be applied immediately against the credit/debit card used to secure your reservation.
- MINI BUS TOURS** “Mountain Goat” and “Lakes Supertours” operate half day and full day tours. Guests can be collected from the Hotel and dropped back at the end of the tour. Private car tours are also available. Please ask at reception for details.

NEWSPAPERS

Please order your newspapers the previous evening and they will be on your table at breakfast.

NOTICE BOARD AND LOCAL TOURIST INFORMATION

Our notice board by the reception displays maps and local information. Tourism leaflets are displayed underneath. The blue lounge has a selection of Lakeland Guide Books and Magazines. Feel free to borrow these but please do return them after use for the benefit of other guests.

PICNIC LUNCHESES

Picnic lunches can be provided. It would be most helpful if you can order your picnic the night before.

ROOM SERVICE

Breakfast can be served in the bedrooms. Please place your order with reception the previous evening.

SMOKING

In line with Government legislation, the hotel and summer house are non smoking areas.

TELEPHONE CHARGES

You have a direct dial telephone in your room. Please dial "9" for an outside line. "0" for reception.

Peak rates are applicable from 8.00 am to 6.00 pm
Off peak rates are applicable from 6.00 pm to 8.00 am.

TELEVISIONS

The hotel has satellite reception offering guests the following programmes: **BBC 1, BBC 2, ITV 1, ITV 2, Channel 4 and 5, Film 4, BBC News.** By pressing 9 on the remote control, the menu for these programmes will be shown.

SOME USEFUL NUMBERS

MEDICAL

Doctors

Goodly Dale Health Centre, Windermere - Appointments 015394 45159
Goodly Dale Health Centre, Windermere - Pharmacy 015394 43139

Hospitals

Westmorland General, Kendal 01539 732288
Lancaster Royal Infirmary 01524 65944
Furness General, Barrow in Furness 01229 870870

Chemist

Boots, 10 – 12 Crescent Road, Windermere 015394 43093

DENTISTS

Alistair Morgan & Assoc, St John's Road, Windermere 015394 43378
Mint Dental Practice, 26 Victoria Terrace, Windermere 015394 46882
Windermere Dental Practice, 54 Main Road, Windermere 015394 46135

BANKS AND BUILDING SOCIETIES IN WINDERMERE AND BOWNESS

There are various banks and building societies:

HSBC, Nat West, Barclays, Santander, Yorkshire BS

POST OFFICES

21 Crescent Road, Windermere 015394 43245
2 St Martin's Parade, Bowness on Windermere 015394 46964

FLORISTS

Brackens of Bowness 015394 42869
Valerie Ann 015394 42068

HAIRDRESSERS

You will find several hairdressers in Windermere village and in Bowness on Windermere

PLACES IN THE LAKE DISTRICT YOU MAY WANT TO VISIT

Abbot Hall, Art Gallery and Museum, Kendal - A mixture of art, culture, history and exhibitions. The old coach house is home to the Museum of Lakeland Life and Industry with a vast collection of items. Coffee house on site.

Armitt Museum, Ambleside – Explore the history, characters, life and art of the Lakes, together with changing exhibitions.

Blackwell House Arts and Crafts – one of Britain’s most important architectural treasures designed by Mackay Hugh Baillie Scott. Gallery displays and exhibitions. Lovely tearoom with garden terrace, lake views and home made food.

The World of Beatrix Potter Attraction – Follow the characters of Beatrix Potter’ books, her life as a hill farmer and the legacies of all her properties to the National Trust.

(NT) Beatrix Potter Gallery, Hawkshead – This 17 century building was once the offices of her husband, William Heelis, and remains largely unaltered since his day. The Gallery houses an annual changing exhibition of Beatrix Potter’s original drawings and illustrations.

(NT) Beatrix Potter’s Hill Top – House and garden where Beatrix Potter lived for a while, and where she wrote most of her books.

Brockhole National Park Exhibition Centre – Something for everyone – exhibitions, events, activities, children’s adventure park, woodland “high rope” course and café. Visit by boat with Windermere Lake Cruises.

Dove Cottage and the Wordsworth Museum – Discover William Wordsworth and the home he shared with his sister Dorothy – Adventurer, rebel, lover and poet. Exhibitions, shop, events, library.

(NT) Fell Foot Park, Lake Windermere – Explore and enjoy this pretty area of parkland alongside Lake Windermere with its rowing boats, kayaks and café. Take a boat across the lake to the Aquarium.

Holehird Gardens – Lakeland Horticultural Society’s ten acre hillside gardens with views over the Lakeland fells. Specimen trees, shrubs, rock and heather garden, alpine house, national collections, walled garden and stream gardens.

Holker Hall and Gardens – The home of Lord and Lady Cavendish, Holker has a lovely atmosphere. The gardens and grounds are extensive. Visit the “made in Cumbria” food hall and enjoy a meal in their café.

Kendal Museum – Natural history, archaeology, geology and local history. Wainwright was the curator for over 30 years, maps, drawings and boots on display.

Lakeland Motor Museum, Backbarrow – A unique road transport collection of 30,000 exhibits collected over 50 years – oozing with nostalgia. Combine with Lake Windermere cruise.

Lakes Aquarium, Lakeside – Walk under water and see giant carp and diving ducks, marvel at creatures from the British coast and watch otters swimming. Gift shop and café.

Lakeside and Haverthwaite Railway – Steam train from Lakeside to Haverthwaite. Railway sheds and historic implements at Haverthwaite. Café. Can buy combined ticket with Windermere Lake Cruise.

Levens Hall and Gardens – This Elizabethan mansion is the home of the Bagot Family and contains Jacobean furniture, fine paintings and early English patchwork. The world famous topiary gardens were laid out from 1694 and well worth a visit.

Muncaster Castle – The castle is owned by the Pennington family with historic furnishings and superb works of art. The castle is reputedly haunted. Its “World Owl Centre” houses over 50 species of owls and has daily displays in the afternoons. The gardens have early summer displays of magnolias, azaleas and rhododendrons.

Quaker Tapestry Exhibition, Kendal – Internationally created exhibition reveals a wealth of fascinating stories within 77 panels. Gift shop and café with restricted opening times.

Rydal Mount, Rydal – Another William Wordsworth home with lovely grounds.

(NT) Sizergh Castle and Gardens, near Kendal – Still lived in by the Strickland family, Sizergh has many tales to tell and certainly feels lived in. Old portraits, fine furniture and family photographs. Gardens, woodland and café.

(NT) Stagshaw Gardens, near Ambleside - A woodland of eight acres best visited in spring which is full of rhododendrons, azaleas and magnolias. Steep in places.

(NT) Town End, Troutbeck – historical farm house. The Brownes were a farming family in the Troutbeck valley but the house brings to life 400 years of history, with artefacts and wooden carvings. Limited opening times.

(NT) Wordsworth House and Gardens, Cockermouth – Step back in time in this Georgian town house where William and Dorothy enjoyed their childhood. Daily tastings of recipes that servants may have prepared, fruit and flower garden.

LAKE CRUISES

Windermere Lake Cruises - Cruise on Lake Windermere, stopping off on route at Brockhole, Waterhead, or Lakeside.

Coniston Cruises & Coniston Gondola from the Bluebird Cafe

Derwent Water Cruises from Keswick

Ullswater Cruises from Glenridding and Pooley Bridge