

explore the beautiful South Downs car-free

scenic Sunday bus rides between
Winchester, Hinton Ampner, Exton & Petersfield



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Here's a great way to get out and about and explore this part of the South Downs completely car-free.

The bus connects with Winchester and Petersfield Stations, and takes you through pretty villages and lovely scenery by way of several attractions, well worth getting off the bus to spend time at, and continuing or returning on a later one.



each one-way ride
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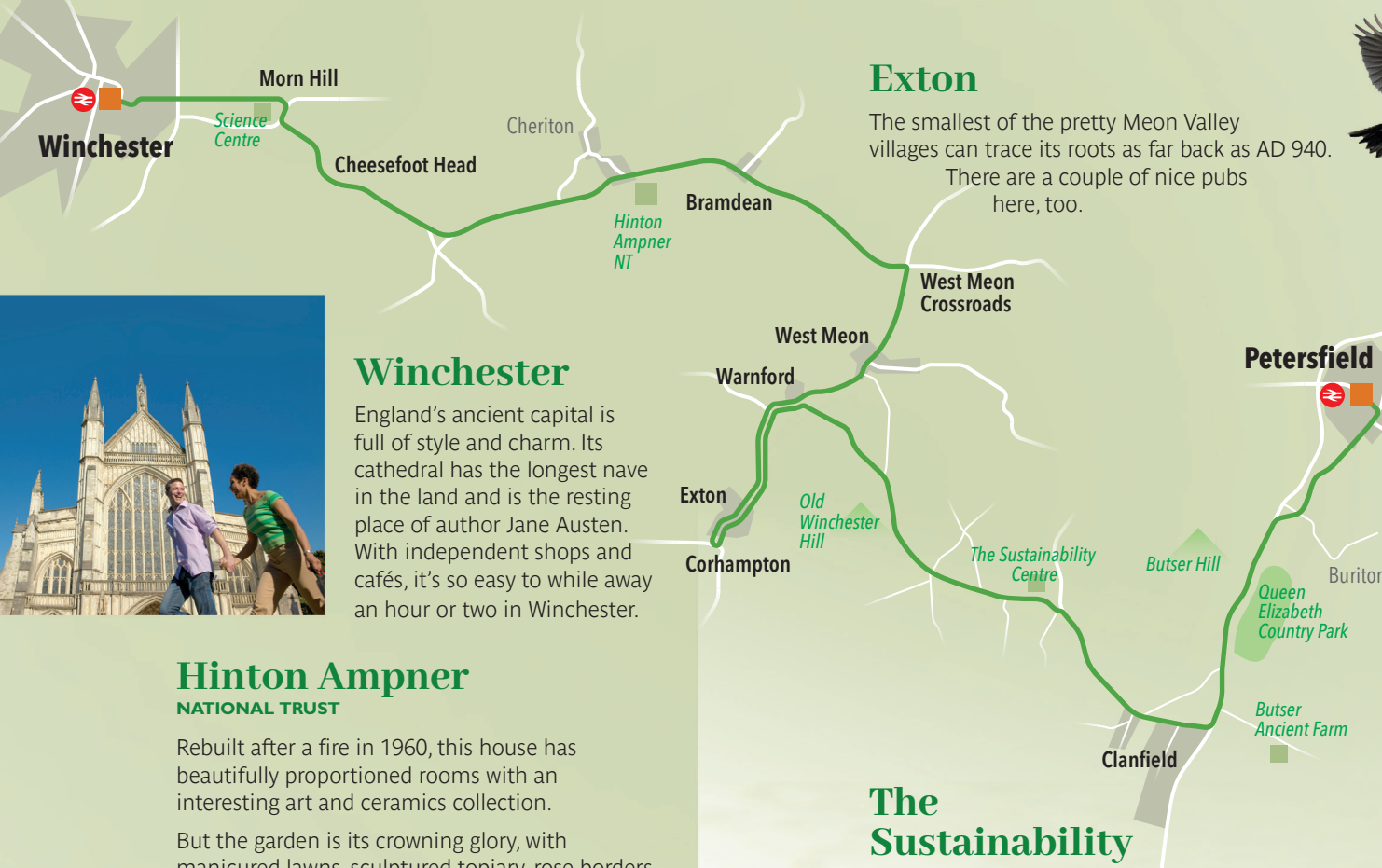
towards **Petersfield**

Winchester rail station	0915	1315	
Winchester Broadway	0920	1320	1730
Winchester Science Centre	0925	1325	1735
Cheesefoot Head	0930	1330	1740
Hinton Ampner House	0935	1335	1745
Bramdean Fox Inn	0940	1340	1750
West Meon crossroads	0945	1345	1755
Exton A32 Stocks Lane	0955	1355	1805
Old Winchester Hill car park	1010	1410	1815
Clanfield Green Lane	1022	1422	1826
A3 QE Country Park & Butser Hill	1026	1426	1829
Petersfield Square	1035	1435	1837
Petersfield rail station	1040	1440	1840

towards **Winchester**

Petersfield rail station	1050	1450	1850
Petersfield Square	1052	1452	1852
A3 QE Country Park & Butser Hill	1100	1500	1859
Clanfield Green Lane	1103	1503	1902
Old Winchester Hill car park	1115	1515	1912
Exton A32 Stocks Lane	1130	1530	1922
West Meon crossroads	1140	1540	1932
Bramdean Fox Inn	1145	1545	1936
Hinton Ampner House	1150	1550	1940
Cheesefoot Head	1155	1555	1945
Winchester Science Centre	1200	1600	1950
Winchester Broadway	1205	1605	1955
Winchester rail station		1610	2000

travel info [bluestarbus.co.uk](https://www.bluestarbus.co.uk) 01202 338 421



Winchester

Science Centre

Morn Hill

Cheesefoot Head

Cheriton

Hinton Ampner NT

Bramdean

Exton

The smallest of the pretty Meon Valley villages can trace its roots as far back as AD 940. There are a couple of nice pubs here, too.

West Meon Crossroads

West Meon

Warnford

Exton

Corhampton

Old Winchester Hill

The Sustainability Centre

Butser Hill

Petersfield

Queen Elizabeth Country Park

Butser Ancient Farm

Clanfield



Butser Ancient Farm

Travel back through 10,000 years to learn about everyday life in the past. This open-air museum and research centre includes a reconstructed Roman villa, Celtic village, Stone Age farm and Saxon halls.

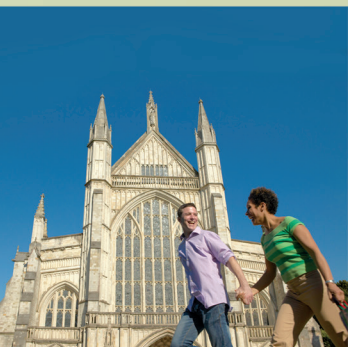
Queen Elizabeth Country Park

Choose from a variety of walking routes, whether for a short stroll or a longer ramble. There's an adventure trail for older children and a tots' play area for younger ones. Hire a bike here and follow some great trails.



Winchester

England's ancient capital is full of style and charm. Its cathedral has the longest nave in the land and is the resting place of author Jane Austen. With independent shops and cafés, it's so easy to while away an hour or two in Winchester.



Hinton Ampner

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Rebuilt after a fire in 1960, this house has beautifully proportioned rooms with an interesting art and ceramics collection.

But the garden is its crowning glory, with manicured lawns, sculptured topiary, rose borders and sweeping views across the South Downs.

There is a café in the former stable block.

check opening hours at nationaltrust.org.uk



The Sustainability Centre

In an idyllic setting, discover how easy it is to make positive changes to life and work at this beacon for sustainability set in 55 acres of woodland and natural chalk downland.

Old Winchester Hill

Roam through 150 acres of National Nature Reserve that's home to many species of plants and wildlife. Climb to the top for views over rolling hills as far as Portsmouth, Southampton and even the Isle of Wight on a clear day.



Butser Hill

Enjoy fabulous views from the top of Butser Hill, the highest point on the South Downs.

Petersfield

Once an important coaching stop on the London to Portsmouth road, Petersfield is a great place to visit. Enjoy the lively town square.

Take a look at Petersfield Museum, the Physic Garden and the Norman church of St Peter's.

