

WEST COUNTRY CHALLENGE



Tour Highlights

- ✓ Safe and Secure High Quality Holiday Park Accommodation
 - ✓ Located opposite Brean Sands Beach
 - ✓ Established Rugby Festival
- ✓ Next door to 'Brean Theme Park' and 'Brean Splash Waterpark'
 - ✓ Fantastic Evening Entertainment
 - ✓ Watch Premiership Rugby at Bristol Bears
 - ✓ Full Financial Protection

The West Country Challenge 2026

Dates - EASTER HALF TERM HOLIDAYS

Friday 27th March – Monday 30th March 2026

Age Groups Minis (U7-U12's) Juniors (U13-U15's)

Accommodation Venue

Unity Holiday Park, Somerset
Beachside Holiday Park, Somerset

Rugby Venue

Yatton Rugby Club





Your Accommodation

Unity Holiday Park is one of the most famous and well known holiday parks in Somerset and is a very high standard compared to other parks in the area. With it's breath taking seaside location and boasting a 7 mile award winning beach of golden sand literally on your doorstep, it is the perfect location for your end of season rugby tour.

In addition it's easily accessible location with a host of popular activities on your doorstep such as the thrill seeking 'Brean Theme Park' this will make the perfect location for your **West Country Challenge** rugby tour.

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The Unity resort has one of the highest quality of static caravans available and they will provide you with all the home comforts to ensure you have an enjoyable break.

There are a wide range of different options available to suit your needs and include all the essentials you need for a truly relaxing stay.

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Your Accommodation

As well as the caravans the site also has a large area for camping and touring vans. So if you want to bring your own you can!

This could be a great way to not only experience this fantastic weekend with access to all the amenities of the complex but also help keep the costs down for your members.

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Activities at the Park

Whilst for many playing rugby is the highlight of your tour, it is also a fantastic opportunity to enjoy unique activities together with your team mates and Unity Holiday Park offer a variety of these that you can pre-book for your group to enjoy such as the Ten Pin Bowling Alley and the Pump Track for BMX and Scooters to name a few. **In addition Burleigh Travel can help arrange exclusive discounts to the nearby Theme Park, Splash Waterpark and other nearby attractions. (Contact us for details)**



The Entertainment

The evening entertainment programme has always proved very popular with our groups where you will be able to enjoy the varied acts provided by the holiday park in RJ's which are **included in your tour costs**.

The venue also offers arcades and a number of indoor activities which the children love and the onsite bar is always alive with laughter and rugby stories!

If you don't fancy cooking you can always use one of the many on site restaurants and take aways including Indian, Chinese, Fish and Chips, Pizza or traditional pub grub in the Tavern.



Visit Brean Sands Beach

While there is plenty to do at your Holiday Park Accommodation another reason for touring to Brean is to enjoy this wonderful award winning beach location literally across the road from the holiday park.

A day at the beach is a great way to enjoy some group time together without breaking the bank. Simply enjoy a light training session on the sand, compete in an inter club touch rugby competition and cool off in the sea.

There is plenty of room on this 7 mile stretch to ensure a great time whatever you do



Brean Splash Waterpark

The whole family will enjoy Brean Splash Waterpark. With a 25 metre, 6 lane, heated indoor swimming pool, and additional shallow baby pool. As well as a splash zone fun pool and slides, including indoor Rainbow Rings & Disco Waterslides. Choose your tune and sound effects whilst you ride the disco slide, warning flashing lights!

You'll be spoilt for choice on whether to swim or play!

(additional cost applies)



Brean Theme Park

Within a 100 metres from the sand dunes and next to your holiday park accommodation! A visit to the Brean Theme Park will be another highlight of the tour for all the family.

It has over 40 attractions including indoor and outdoor Roller Coasters, the Wild Water Log Flume, Dodgems, Crazy Boats, Wipe Out, the JetSpin, Waveswinger, and the UK's best Ghost Train – Terror Castle! There really is something for all ages and all adrenaline levels.

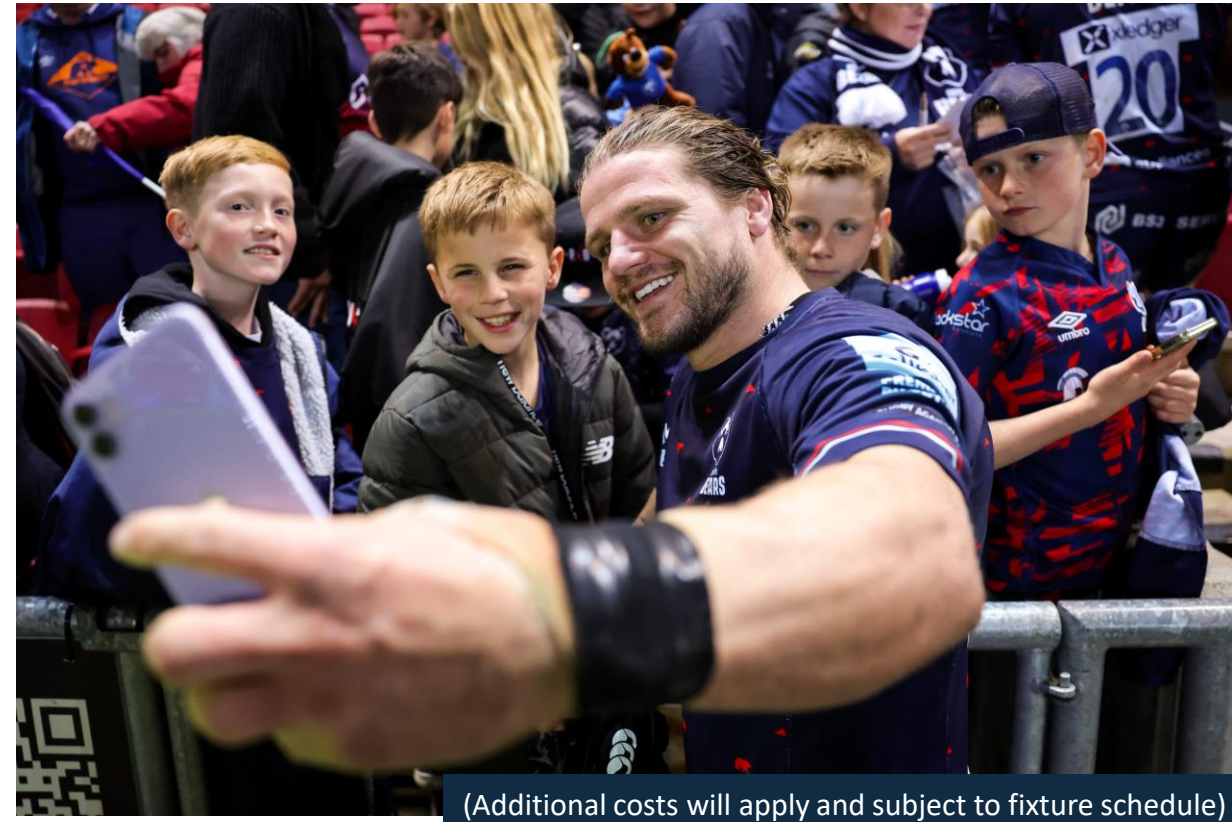
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Incorporate a visit to watch and experience the atmosphere of a Gallagher Premiership Rugby game with a host of stars on show at Bristol Bears (Subject to fixture schedule)



Watch the game LIVE at Ashton Gate, one of the most atmospheric grounds in the Gallagher Premiership



(Additional costs will apply and subject to fixture schedule)



West Country Challenge 28th & 29th March



For **over 30 years**, Burleigh Travel have been arranging for teams to participate in festivals that combine a great mix of local and touring teams, resulting in some of the largest and most established festivals.

Yatton Rugby Club, located in a village to the south of Bristol and with links to Bristol Bears who visited the club with Ellis Genge this summer for the Bears Community Foundation Player Development Camp, will host the event. The festival will take place for juniors on Saturday 28th & for minis on Sunday 29th March. The festival will be run in accordance with England Rugby regulations which will ensure your teams will play **as much rugby as is permitted for your age group**.

At the Festival you will be joined by other touring teams as well as the hosts and other local clubs to make for an enjoyable and memorable experience at this friendly club with excellent facilities.





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THE SPORTS TOUR SPECIALISTS

West Country Challenge Juniors - Saturday 28th March










West Country Challenge Minis - Sunday 29th March











The 2024 West Country Challenge

Age Group	Spirit of Rugby Winner	
U7	Enfield Ignatians	
U8	Hornets	
U9	Reeds Weybridge Rebel Girls	
U10	Pinner	
U11	Enfield Ignatians	



The 2024 West Country Challenge

Age Group	Winners	Runners-Up
U12	Clifton 	Hornets 
U13	Croesyceiliog 	Porthcawl 
U14	Porthcawl 	Hornets 
U15	Southmead 	Hornets 



Financial Protection

Burleigh Travel has always had consumer protection in place to make good any money paid to us in the event of the financial collapse or failure of an airline, hotel or any other provider. This pledge has been honoured since the foundation of Burleigh Travel over 30 years ago and no client has suffered financial loss from such a failure.

Total Payment Protection (topp) Policy cover:

For non-flight packages, in compliance with The Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018, an insurance policy has been arranged with Travel & General Insurance Services Limited (T&G) to protect customers' prepayments in the unlikely event of our financial failure and paid in respect of non-flight packages sold by the Policyholder as principal to the contract. In the unlikely event of financial failure please contact the claims helpline on 01702 811397. A copy of the policy is available on request.

This protection will not be available if you arrange your own tour or if you book through a company not offering this type of cover.



Burleigh Travel

Reviews 290 • Excellent 4.7



Customer Reviews ★★★★★

164 Reviews 4.0 Rating

Key Booking Points

When considering who to book your tour with, ask for evidence of the following key points, together with where on their website it explains how your tour is Financially Protected:

1. Established Company

An important consideration when deciding on who to book with is how established is the company. Burleigh Travel has been arranging rugby tours for over 30 years and as such we are one of the market leaders for mini and junior rugby tours. Every year several new companies set up and then disappear or offer sub-standard events so always check out their background and the customer feedback of their products. Our team have many links with the rugby world through playing and coaching at grass roots level which combined with our experience and knowledge will ensure you have a successful tour.

2. Customer Trustpilot & Google Reviews

We pride ourselves on the excellent feedback we have received from previous clubs like yourselves and have over 216 five-star Trustpilot reviews which can be found [here](#) and 117 five-star Google reviews [here](#). We feel these clubs are very reflective of your own group and consequently should help install confidence in the service you will receive from Burleigh Travel.

We would urge you to be very cautious of booking with anyone who does not have a similar amount of recent five-star reviews on these two key sites or if they do not even have a Trustpilot or Google review site registered.

3. RFU Approval

All of our 2024 UK Festivals were approved by the RFU and have been fully risk assessed, this is not the case with many other rugby festivals so please check with the county where the event is being held to see if permission was granted last season and if it's likely to be granted again before making a booking.

4. Insurance

We hold a £5 million public liability insurance cover to ensure that you and your members are fully protected when participating at our events, and we are aware many other companies do not have this, so please ask for evidence of this before making a booking.

Creating Memories

Burleigh Travel are very proud of the tours we have provided for more than 30 years. We have heard so many stories over the years of **team building, new friendships developing and life long memories being made.**

Many players, coaches and parents have missed out on the touring experience in recent times, but we hope you choose to join us at the West Country Challenge to **create these memories for your team!**





Chichester RFC U12 – West Country Challenge

The tour was great and Scott Laird was incredibly helpful every step of the way so thank you!

We used Burleigh travel to book a Rugby tour for 40 people (adults and children). The accommodation was great and the rugby tournament was well run with medals and a trophy for the best player.

We had to make changes along the way and they were always available and really accommodating and supportive.



Stowmarket U15's – West Country Challenge

Firstly, I'd like to thank you for the organisation. Everything went really smoothly and my players have really enjoyed themselves. The accommodation was a high standard and the onsite facilities were great.

The rugby was great too. A well organised event with a good standard of play.



Pinner RFC Minis – West Country Challenge

“Touring with Burleigh Travel is so easy from start to finish. The company provides excellent literature in reference to the tour itinerary, what you read is what you get. As a club we have travelled 4 times with Burleigh. Once many years ago and three times in successive years. When you arrive on the tour you are greeted at the arrival meeting then on the rugby festival day the staff are at the tent to register you and are available throughout the festival for response to any questions you may have. At the festival the company work hard to match clubs in games so as they are equally matched.

Overall, we at Pinner RFC have had a great experience when using Burleigh Travel and have already sorted our tour for 2025 with them.”