

Getting Around on Land

Tresco Bike Hire – Contact the Bike Hire shed on 01720 422 849 or [tresco.co.uk/bike hire](http://tresco.co.uk/bike%20hire)

Island Transfers – *your transport to and from the airport for all St. Mary's flights.*

Tel: 01720 422 126 Mobile 07789 296 218

Scilly Cart Hire – *Golf buggy hire on St. Mary's* - Located at Porthmellon Business Park, booking advised, please bring your driving licence. Sorry but you must be under 80. If you would like to book a Buggy, please call 01720 422 121 or visit www.scillycart.co.uk

St. Mary's Bike Hire - *Discover the beauty of St. Mary's by bike* - Hire a bike, electric bike, pull along, tandem, pushchair, wheelchair or mobility scooter for a part day, day or week. Located on The Strand. Call 07552 994 709 or visit www.stmarysbikehire.co.uk

Island Rover - *Conducted mini-bus tours of St. Mary's* including full commentary and stops at selected viewpoints for photos. Tours last approx. 70 mins. Fares £14 per head. Sorry, no dogs or children under 5 yrs. Tours normally depart Holgate's Green at 10.15am & 1.30pm Monday to Saturday. Please note, tours do not run for fewer than 4 people.

St Mary's Community Bus – *Bus Service running from April to October.* Sunday Service: 3rd Sunday in May to 1st Sunday in September. Timetable available from TIC. For info/bookings call 07810 435 417.

Boating and Water Sports

St. Mary's Boatmen's Association – *Daily direct and scenic boat trips around the islands* - Trips advertised daily at the TIC, on boards around Hugh Town and website. Tickets available from the Tourist Information Centre & kiosk on the quay, take advantage of the 10 tickets discount available at both. Call 01720 423 999 or visit www.scillyboating.co.uk

Scilly Yacht Charters – *Charter your own private yacht with expert skipper.* Experience the beautiful scenery and wildlife in a unique way. Call 01720 422 188 or 07899 716 566 or visit www.scillyyachtcharters.co.uk

Sea Quest Glass Bottom Boat- *Experience the unique wildlife, landscape & history of Scilly above and below the sea.* Morning, afternoon and evening trips. For weekly schedules and booking, visit: www.seaquestscilly.com or ring 07884 055 122

The Sailing Centre, St. Mary's 01720 424 919 – Sailing, windsurfing, kayaks and paddle boarding. St Mary's 01720 422 060 www.sailingscilly.com

Scilly Fishing & Boat Charters – *Thrilling fishing expeditions, wildlife trips, and romantic sunset cruises. We have the perfect boat and trip for you.* To book your trip call James on 07880 237 121 www.scillyfishingandboatcharters.com

Kayak Scilly – *The best way to see the islands, wildlife and enjoy the great outdoors.* Phone Liam on 07717 337 876 or Murray on 07443 923 373 www.kayakscilly.com

Endeavour Rib Service - Fast, exciting and safe water taxi service between the Islands. Call 07471 932 964

Raptor Boating - *Fast, fun & suitable for all the family!* Offering advertised wildlife and scenic tours, a water taxi service, private charter and mainland transfers. Call 07729 127 877 raptorboating.co.uk

St. Martin's Watersports - *Kayak & SUP hire from Par Beach, St. Martin's.* To book call 07470 711 857 www.stmartinswatersports.co.uk

St. Agnes Boating – *Offers wildlife safaris, scheduled and sea taxi services.* Boat service between St. Agnes and the other Islands. 01720 422 704 www.stagnesboating.co.uk

Hut 62- Boat hire from Bryher, Tresco & St. Martin's. Motorboats, sailing boats, kayaks and pedal boards by the hour, day, or week. Tel 07979 393 206 www.hut62.co.uk

Tresco Boats – See www.tresco.co.uk/arriving/trescoboats for schedules and booking

A Selection of Places for Food and Drink

Karma St Martin's - Cloudeley Shovel Restaurant Tel: 01720 422 368 for bookings.

Hell Bay Hotel & The Crab Shack, Bryher. To book call 01720 422 947 or visit www.hellbay.co.uk

Troy Town Ice Cream, St. Agnes. Tel: 01720 422 360

Coastguards Lookout, St. Agnes – To contact message via Facebook.

The New Inn - Tresco. Tel: 01720 424 849

The Flying Boat Café – Tresco. Tel: 01720 424 068

The Ruin Beach Café – Tresco. Tel: 01720 424 849

The Garden Café – Tresco. Tel: 01720 424 108

Star Castle – Booking essential. Please call 01720 422 317

Juliet's Garden Restaurant - Call to book for evenings 01720 422 228

Longstone Café – Open daily. Please call 01720 422 410 or email longstonelodge@yahoo.com for Friday lobster supper delivery.

On The Quay Cafe – Pasties, sausage rolls etc and drinks for your day out.

On The Quay Restaurant – Booking essential. Contact 01720 423 525

Bell Rock Hotel – Booking essential. Tel: 01720 422 575

Hugh St Café – Tel 01720 422 734

The Hall Restaurant – Booking essential Tel 01720 419 436

St Mary's Golf Club & Bistro – Booking essential. Tel 01720 422 692

Tregarthen's Hotel - Booking essential. Tel 01720 422 540

The Mermaid Inn – Tel: 01720 422 701

Old Town Inn – Tel: 01720 422 301

Gig Shed Café, Porthmellon Beach – Dietary requirements catered for. Tel: 07737 721 599

Activities

Tresco Abbey Garden – Open daily 10 - 4, last entry 3.15. Adults - £18, under 16s - £5, concessions - £17

St. Mary's Riding Centre – Fully licenced, insured & British Horse Society approved. To book email: horsesonscilly@gmail.com or Tel: 01720 423 855

Adventure Scilly – bespoke activities & great experiences. Yoga, sea dips & swims, trail running, swim runs and retreats. Contact Bryonny on 07815 818 831

COSMOS - *The perfect place to look up into the unpolluted darkness and study the universe.* The observatory on St. Martin's located in the middle of the island behind the Community Hall. Opening times are seasonal. Visit www.cosmosscilly.co.uk for more info.

Scilly Walks – Join Dr Katharine Sawyer, qualified archaeologist for a range of guided walks and boat trips to many historical sites on both the inhabited and uninhabited islands. Email: katharine@scillywalks.co.uk for further details.

Island Wildlife Tours – Enjoy a relaxed walk looking at the natural history of Scilly with wildlife guide Will Wagstaff. For information about daily walks, visit the TIC or see the board on St. Mary's quay.

St. Martin's Vineyard & Winery – *Take the Tour, Taste the Wine.* Self-guided tours and tastings. For full details please visit stmartinsvineyard.co.uk/visit or call to find out opening hours for the week ahead! Tel 07936 710 262 or email stmartinsvineyard@gmail.com

St. Mary's Library - *Located on the Porthcressa Promenade.* Tel 01720 424 499 Email library@scilly.gov.uk

Isles of Scilly Golf and Bowling Club, St. Mary's - Open to members and non-members. Clubhouse open to non - members. Turn up on the day, call 01720 422 692 or visit islesofscillygolfandbowlsclub.co.uk

Thai Massage, Nails & Waxing. *Enjoy the unique experience of a 1hr traditional Thai Massage* for harmonising and activating vital energies or a therapeutic oil massage as an excellent method of relaxation and healing. Available in studio situated within Cut Loose Hair Salon, St. Mary's. Phone 07788 696 837 or 07748 404 751

Old Town Inn, Old Town, St. Mary's – Scilly's venue for films, music, quizzes, bingo and more! www.oldtowninn-scilly.co.uk Tel: 01720 422 301

The Parish Church, St. Mary's- *all weather fun with an activity quiz for all ages!* Any time of day except Sunday mornings. Available in English, French and Dutch.

Kernow Coasteering- *Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly's best adventure experiences!* Offering adventurous days out for total beginners to seasoned adrenalin junkies. Min. age 9. Tel: 07734 343 954 or email info@kernowcoasteering.co.uk

Isles of Scilly Wildlife Trust – Drop in to Quay House in Hugh Town to get the latest wildlife news and find out what the Trust is up to.

Tresco Island Spa – contact thespa@tresco.co.uk or tel. 01720 424 075 for reservations.

VISIT ISLES *of* Scilly

THINGS TO DO

Correct as of 11.05.2025

Shopping and Arts and Crafts

Phoenix Craft Studios – *Open studios and workshops offering a range of craft classes.* Located on Porthmellon Business Park, open daily between 10-5 Mon to Fri & 10-12.30 Sat. Come & browse or enrol in a craft class in jewellery and tiffany glass, glass painting, ceramic painting, silk scarf painting and more. Call 01720 422 900 or see www.phoenixstainedglass.co.uk

Tamarisk Gallery – Work by artists from Scilly, Cornwall and beyond. Hugh Town, St. Mary's

Sophie Hooper Jewellery Studio, The Bank, Hugh Town, St. Mary's - Jewellery inspired by Scillonian textures. Open Mon - Fri. www.sophiehooper.co.uk

Lucy-Tania Boutique, Tresco – island life, island style with a Tresco twist. Open Tues – Sat 11 - 5

Gallery Tresco – Art gallery nestled on the shoreline of new Grimsby harbour. Current hours Mon – Fri from 10 - 4

Chris Hall Photography, Professional photographer - capturing your memories. Family photographs, newborns, portraits, weddings, events and pets. contact@chris-hall-photography.co.uk or Tel. 07975 798 434

RNLI Lifeboat Shop on the lifeboat slip. Opening times vary. Call ahead to check Tel 01720 423 890

Charity shop – *Worth a root around for clothes, kitchenalia, games, children's goods and knick-knacks.* Tuesday 2-4pm and Sat 10-12noon, located in the Church Hall.

Churchtown Farm, St. Martin's – *Scilly's postal flower service.* Pop in and see how scented Scilly Flowers are grown and delivered to any UK address. Open every day 9-5pm. Call in person to order the perfect island gift. Call 01720 422 169 or visit www.scillyflowers.co.uk

Veronica Farm Fudge, Bryher – Delicious, buttery vanilla fudge handmade in the farm kitchen. Tel 01720 422 862 or www.veronicafarmfudge.co.uk

Scilly Succulents, Bryher – Grown on Veronica Farm, just meters from the Atlantic Ocean. Tel. 07540 521 137 or visit www.scillysucculents.co.uk

Tresco Stores – At New Grimsby. From everyday essentials to the gourmet.