

How To Find Us



SAT NAV: SO42 7XB



M27 exit junction 2
Follow brown signs from Beaulieu

Open daily from 10am Except Christmas Day

Closes: 4.30pm (winter months)

5.00pm (Easter to end of September)



Parking for a full day is included in the admission price.
Dogs on leads welcome within the grounds. Only registered assisted dogs are permitted in the buildings.

BIG VALUE

Great value family tickets and Annual Pass offer available when you visit. From March 2017 buy your tickets in advance or as a gift online from the website.
bucklershard.co.uk

GROUPS WELCOME

Parties of 15+ can take advantage of our generous group rates.
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BUCKLER'S HARD - WHERE THE NEW FOREST MEETS THE RIVER



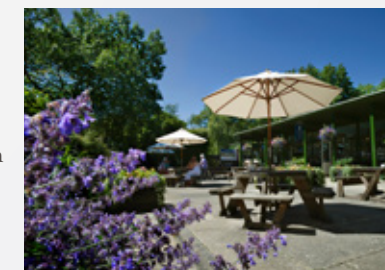
ANNUAL PASS OFFER

Annual Pass includes: unlimited access to the Village, Chapel, Shipwright's Cottage, Maritime Museum and The Buckler's Hard Story. You can also enjoy a 10% Museum shop discount, discounts on River Cruises and all day parking. Ask at admissions for details or buy online from the website.



FOOD & DRINK

A range of light refreshments and drinks can be enjoyed inside or on the garden terrace of the Captain's Cabin Tea Rooms. You are welcome to picnic within the grounds of the village.



SHOPS

The Maritime Museum and Captain's Cabin Tea Rooms sell a range of nautical gifts, models, books and toys, plus souvenir items.



2017 ADMISSION PRICES

Adult £6.90

Senior £6.40

Child £4.70

Family £19.70

Includes all day parking and admission to all on-site attractions. River Cruise charged separately. Advance tickets available online from March 2017

Child prices apply to ages 5-17 inclusive. A family ticket covers one adult and up to four children or two adults and up to three children. Prices valid until 31.12.17



ACCESSIBILITY

Due to the historic nature and riverside location of Buckler's Hard, some areas are less accessible to visitors with mobility impairments. Please phone or see website.



BUCKLER'S HARD

Step back in time to the 18th century village where ships for Nelson's Navy were built



**Maritime Museum
& The Buckler's Hard Story**
Historic 18th Century Cottages

Woodland Trail

St Mary's Chapel

Tea Rooms

River Cruises

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COTTAGE DISPLAYS



Step through the door of a worker's cottage and back in time to the 18th century to find out about the home life of the villagers and their families. In summer, Living Historians adopt the 'characters' of real people who lived and worked in the village during its shipbuilding heyday.

ST MARY'S CHAPEL



Once the village school, this quaint chapel seats just 40 people. Peer through a viewing window near the altar to see where excavations revealed a hidden cellar believed to have been used by 18th century smugglers.

SS PERSIA



Torpedoed by a German U-boat in World War One, the sinking of *SS Persia* almost claimed the life of John, 2nd Baron Montagu of Beaulieu. Now 100 years on, see artefacts recovered from the wreck and discover the surprising links between this tragedy and the history of motoring.

Buckler's Hard was once a hive of shipbuilding activity providing ships for Nelson's Navy. Today it is unspoilt by the passage of time...



MARITIME MUSEUM & THE BUCKLER'S HARD STORY

The fascinating story of the village begins with its foundation in the 1720s by John, 2nd Duke Montagu, who had intended it as a trading port. Instead it became famous for the merchant and military ships it built, including the warship Admiral Lord Nelson described as his 'favourite', *HMS Agamemnon*.



Listen in on conversations between villagers of the past in the 18th century New Inn and follow the stories of the 19th and 20th century residents in exhibitions about village life and the century of shipbuilding that took place here.



SHIPWRIGHT SCHOOL



See the replica 18th century shipwrights' workshop, part of an ongoing project to keep shipbuilding skills alive for generations to come. For courses see ibteportsmouth.co.uk

THE WAR EFFORT

Learn more about the wartime story of the Beaulieu River in an exclusive film presentation, revealing the contribution made by Buckler's Hard to victory in the Second World War.



RIVER CRUISE



This tranquil 30 minute cruise wends its way along the river, accompanied by commentary which reveals the history and wildlife that inhabits its banks. Cruises operate between Easter and the end of October - separate charges apply.

WOODLAND TRAIL



Follow the Woodland Trail, identify trees and discover how timber from Buckler's Hard was sourced to construct ships for the British navy.

SOLO CIRCUMNAVIGATION

2017 marks the 50th anniversary of the completion of Sir Francis Chichester's historic solo round-the-world voyage in *Gipsy Moth IV*, which started from the Beaulieu River. See a special exhibition, and on selected days, see *Gipsy Moth IV* moored up on the river. Check website for details.

