

Notes for Editors: The Show is organised by Essex Tourism Association, and further photos of this year's Show can be obtained from Carol Jolly upon request.



**TOURISM AND LEISURE SHOW
AT
THE FIVE LAKES RESORT, TOLLESHUNT KNIGHTS, MALDON, ESSEX
THURSDAY 25TH FEBRUARY 2010
10.00AM – 3.30PM**

Stand space will officially go on sale in August for the annual Tourism & Leisure Show (now in its 15th year), but there has already been an over-whelming interest in next year's show, with exhibitors from this year already having booked a stand, and many inquiries being received from potential new exhibitors.

Being the only show in the East of England focusing on Group Travel, it has earned itself a well-deserved reputation as being great value for money, attracting genuine "quality" visitors, and first-class exhibitors.

Visitors to the Show are always amazed at what they have on their doorstep, as well as further afield, and are faced with a huge amount of ideas for great days out and short breaks including an array of historic houses, river boat trips, castles, theme parks, gardens, destinations and much more throughout the South and East of England, London and beyond.

***** NEW FOR 2010*****

"A Taste of Essex"

A select area of quality producers and restaurants from around the County, giving visitors the chance to sample their wares and menus, and make those vital food connections with Essex such as Maldon and Mersea Oysters and Wilkins & Sons world famous preserves.

There is also the chance to win some fabulous prizes in the many competitions run by Exhibitors and Essex Tourism Association, including a short break for two at The Five Lakes Resort, with breakfast and dinner included, or dinner for two in the AA rosette Camelot Restaurant.

The Show is open to Group Travel organisers and the General Public, and both visitors and exhibitors to the Show are being offered great rates to stay at the Hotel on the 24th and/or 25th February. Call 01206 562878 for further information.

Further information and FREE tickets to the Show can be obtained from Carol Jolly, Show Organiser on 01206 562878, email: carol@hidden-treasures.co.uk or by visiting: www.TourismAndLeisureShow.co.uk

FREE Admission
FREE on-site Car & Coach parking
FREE exhibitor catalogue for every visitor
FREE seminars
FREE entertainment
FREE gifts for all visitors to the Show between 2.30pm – 3.30pm
FREE courtesy coach from Witham Railway Station every hour from 9.40am to the venue, PLUS Kirbys coach from Rayleigh at 10.00am

Ends