

Royal Marine Hotel Local Activities

To help make the most of your stay with us we have compiled an interesting and exciting list of activities including walking trips, water activities and much more in Dún Laoghaire and beyond for all the family.

We hope that you will find this useful as you plan your trip to the Royal Marine Hotel.

People's Park

The People's Park in Dún Laoghaire, near the hotel, features beautiful gardens for walks and relaxation. Families with kids can enjoy the playground, and on Sundays, a farmers' market with local products is available.

East Pier & Teddy's Ice-Cream

When in Dún Laoghaire, don't miss walking the East Pier for stunning views. The 3km round trip is suitable for children and those with minor walking difficulties due to the even ground surface. Visit Teddy's Ice Cream nearby for a treat before or after your walk.

Dún Laoghaire, Daley & Killiney Loop

A 14-kilometer loop trail near Dún Laoghaire offers scenic views and is rated as moderate. Starting from Dún Laoghaire, it passes through Sandycove and Dalkey, climbs to Killiney Hill's summit with views of Killiney Bay, before returning to Dún Laoghaire.

Bray to Greystones Cliff Walk

The linear walk from Bray to Greystones along the coastal path offers stunning views, well-maintained trails, and the option to return by DART. Greystones provides amenities and marine wildlife for walkers.

Sandycove Heritage Walk

A scenic 1-hour walk in a historic coastal village starting at People's Park, passing through The Metals Walkway, St. Joseph's Church, Glasthule Village, Sandycove Harbour, Joyce's Tower, and the Forty Foot.



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MoLI

Discover Ireland's rich literary heritage from past to present here in the historic UCD Newman House on St Stephen's Green in the heart of Dublin. Experience immersive exhibitions, view treasures from the National Library of Ireland.

Discount code available for hotel residents

Airfield Estate

Something different to everyone: a haven for gardening enthusiasts, animal & food lovers, families and peace-seekers. A hidden gem where people go for a breath of fresh air in the heart of Dublin.

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Jeanie Johnston

The Jeanie Johnston tells the story of the thousands of Irish people who fled the Famine and embarked on a treacherous voyage in the hope of a better life in North America.

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EPIC The Irish Emigration Museum

You won't find leprechauns or pots of gold here, but you'll discover that what it means to be Irish expands far beyond the borders of Ireland through the stories of Irish emigrants who became scientists, politicians, poets, artists and even outlaws all over the world.

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Discount Code: ROYALMARINE
*20% off admission



Dalkey Castle

Dalkey Castle & Heritage Centre offers a unique blend of medieval history and modern visitor experience. Living History guides take visitors through the castle, while the Writers' Gallery highlights Irish creativity. The Visitors Centre includes a multi-language interactive display.

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Irish National Sailing & Powerboat School

Just a 15-minute located in the the West Pier, offers various water activities, including dinghy, keelboat and powerboating courses, kayak and stand-up paddleboard rentals, and week-long children's summer courses. The school supplies all the necessary gear for a seamless and enjoyable experience on the water.

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Dublin Under Sail

Experience life on board our Traditional Sailing Vessel. Be a part of the crew, set the sails, heave the ropes, climb the rigging, and man the wheel. Enjoy the stunning beauty of the Dublin's iconic bay under the red-cloth sails of the "BRIAN BORÚ"

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City Kayaking

Experience the city from a different angle! Our river trip is the only way to actually paddle under the famous O'Connell and Ha'penny bridges! City Kayaking is a fantastic way to see Dublin's most famous landmark sites from a unique angle!

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Kildare Village

Explore 100+ brands at Kildare Village and uncover new arrivals, offers, new brands and more. You can pre-book your parking prior to your shopping trip, and why not visit early, for an even more enjoyable experience.

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Dublin Bay Cruises

Dublin Bay Cruises is a family owned business operating cruises between Dun Laoghaire, Dublin Port and Howth Harbours. Sailing to Dublin, City, Howth & Dalkey from Dún Laoghaire.

Pre booking essential

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Dublin Boat Tour

Dublin Boat Tour returns to Dublin Bay in 2024, offering new experiences afloat for all! Just a 15-minute walk from the hotel, the tour's headquarters at the West Pier offers excursions through Dublin Bay and Dalkey, as well as journeys into the heart of Dublin City along the River Liffey.

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Goat Boat Tours

An unforgettable intimate boat tour with a maximum of 11 passengers within the Dublin Bay UNESCO Biosphere. Witness incredible scenery, wildlife, jaw dropping houses and hear about the rich history of Dublin Bay. Departing Dún Laoghaire Harbour, the experience lasts 1.5hrs and all weather clothing and life jackets are provided.

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Wild Wicklow Tour

Embark on a journey to discover why Wicklow is famously referred to as "The Garden of Ireland" during a magical day trip. Explore the Wicklow mountains with this tour departing from Dublin.

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Walking Tour and Railway Ride of Scenic Coastal Dublin

Marina leads a half-day coastal tour in Dublin, from Dun Laoghaire to Wicklow mountains, visiting villages, historical sites, and modern attractions. Activities include cliff walks, train rides, and tasting local ice cream.

Discount code available for hotel residents



Big Bus Dublin

Big Bus Dublin bus tours provide the perfect introduction to the city and the best photo opportunities of iconic landmarks from the top deck.

Contact Reception to book your tickets



