

## Easy connections into the Harrogate line

### Connections to Harrogate can be made at Leeds from:

- stations within West Yorkshire
- stations on the Settle – Carlisle line
- stations from South Yorkshire and the Midlands
- stations from Greater Manchester and Lancashire

### or at York from:

- stations from Hull and Scarborough
- stations from Doncaster, the south and London
- stations from Darlington, Durham and Newcastle
- stations from Scotland

## Places to visit

### Leeds

Leeds Art Gallery	<a href="http://www.leeds.gov.uk/artgallery">www.leeds.gov.uk/artgallery</a>
Leeds City Museum	<a href="http://www.leeds.gov.uk/citymuseum">www.leeds.gov.uk/citymuseum</a>
Royal Armouries	<a href="http://www.royalarmouries.org/visit-us/leeds">www.royalarmouries.org/visit-us/leeds</a>

### Harrogate

Betty's Tea Rooms	<a href="http://www.bettys.co.uk">www.bettys.co.uk</a>
Harrogate Climbing Centre	<a href="http://www.harrogateclimbingcentre.com">www.harrogateclimbingcentre.com</a>
Mercer Art Gallery	<a href="http://www.harrogate.gov.uk">www.harrogate.gov.uk</a>
Royal Pump Room Museum	<a href="http://www.harrogate.gov.uk">www.harrogate.gov.uk</a>

### Knaresborough

Knaresborough Castle and Courthouse Museum	<a href="http://www.harrogate.gov.uk">www.harrogate.gov.uk</a>
Mother Shipton's Cave	<a href="http://www.mothershiptonscave.com">www.mothershiptonscave.com</a>

### York

National Railway Museum	<a href="http://www.nrm.org.uk">www.nrm.org.uk</a>
Jorvik Viking Centre	<a href="http://www.jorvik-viking-centre.co.uk">www.jorvik-viking-centre.co.uk</a>
York Castle Museum	<a href="http://www.yorkcastlemuseum.org.uk">www.yorkcastlemuseum.org.uk</a>
York Dungeons	<a href="http://www.the-dungeons.co.uk/york">www.the-dungeons.co.uk/york</a>
York Minster	<a href="http://www.yorkminster.org">www.yorkminster.org</a>

## Useful Information

### Tickets

We offer a wide range of tickets, including Anytime/Off-Peak Day Single or Return and Duo tickets (for two adults) on the Harrogate line. Fares information can be found on our website [www.northernrail.org](http://www.northernrail.org) or call National Rail Enquiries on 08457 48 49 50.

### Where to purchase

Tickets can be purchased at any staffed station or from conductors on trains when starting your journey from unstaffed stations or when the ticket office is closed. Ticket offices are provided at Harrogate, Horsforth, Leeds and York stations, where a full range of tickets can be purchased.

### Bicycles on the train

Our trains are able to carry a maximum of two bicycles – these are carried free of charge on a first-come-first-served basis.

## Tourist Information

Harrogate and Knaresborough: [www.enjoyharrogate.com](http://www.enjoyharrogate.com)  
Leeds: [www.visitleeds.co.uk](http://www.visitleeds.co.uk)  
York: [www.visit-york.org](http://www.visit-york.org)  
Yorkshire: [www.yorkshire.com](http://www.yorkshire.com)

## Timetable Information

For full details of train times, please pick up timetable guide 29. Timetables can also be downloaded from our website. Alternatively, call National Rail Enquiries on **08457 48 49 50**.

## Contact



### Customer Helpline

For comments, enquiries and complaints telephone 0845 00 00 125  
email [customer.relations@northernrail.org](mailto:customer.relations@northernrail.org)  
textphone 08456 045 608  
[www.northernrail.org](http://www.northernrail.org)



### Fares and Service Information

National Rail Enquiries telephone 08457 48 49 50  
textphone 0845 60 50 600  
[www.nationalrail.co.uk](http://www.nationalrail.co.uk)



Northern Rail Ltd: a joint venture of Serco and Abellio.  
Registered No: 04619954. Registered Office:  
Serco House, 16 Bartley Wood Business Park,  
Bartley Way, Hook, Hampshire RG27 9UY, UK.

# Great days out by train!

## Harrogate Line

Leeds – Harrogate – Knaresborough – York



## The Harrogate Line

Discover Harrogate and Knaresborough; both are stylish and enchanting and offer a great deal to enjoy. Elsewhere along the line there are interesting and quaint villages to discover, and don't forget to look out for the Red Kites flying overhead. Previously an endangered species, these beautiful birds have been successfully reintroduced into this part of Yorkshire and are now a regular sight around the line.



Bettys Café, Harrogate

Starbeck  
Knaresborough



Knaresborough Castle  
© ?????

Cattal Hammerton

Harrogate  
Hornbeam Park

### Horsforth

Horsforth is recorded in the Domesday Book of 1086AD and, until recently, was said to be England's largest village by population.

### Weeton

The famous Almscliffe Crag is a great walk and easy climb of a millstone grit outcrop (seen on the opening sequence to Emmerdale!), a great one for hikers, as it's only a couple of miles.

Pannal



Almscliffe Crag, Weeton  
© Welcome to Yorkshire

### Pannal

Keen golfers may be familiar with the name. Pannal Golf Course is one of just a few Yorkshire courses in recent years to have hosted The Open Regional Qualifier and other major events.

Weeton

### Leeds

The Royal Armouries always goes down great guns with visitors, while for the arts rather than arms, you have the pick of the Henry Moore Institute, Leeds Art Gallery, Opera North, the Northern Ballet, West Yorkshire Playhouse and much more. Leeds City Museum is a must-see. Or if your favourite must-do happens to involve shopping, once again, you're spoilt for choice.

### Headingley

Headingley is famous as the home of Yorkshire cricket and Leeds Rhinos rugby league team. This bustling student area also has plenty of lively pubs, trendy bars, restaurants and eateries, including two famous fish and chip fryers, Brett's and Bryan's.

### Hornbeam Park

Developed as a business centre, Hornbeam Park is also a campus for Harrogate College and now has pubs, restaurants and more besides. For exciting, exhilarating and healthy fun, the region's finest climbing resource, the Harrogate Climbing Centre, is right up there.

### Harrogate

Known as England's Floral Town, Harrogate's centrepiece is the Stray, a 200-acre area of beautiful, peaceful parkland. Nearby in the popular Montpellier Quarter shopping area you'll find the splendid Montpellier Gardens, and just a mile and a half out of town is RHS Harlow Carr, with fifty acres of stunning gardens and events throughout the year. Elegant Harrogate is also a famous spa town and you can take the waters and vapours at the Royal Pump Room Museum, which has Europe's strongest sulphur well. Or, to just relax, try the luxurious Turkish Baths and Health Spa, or take your seat in a genteel tea room. Mercer Gallery houses over 2,000 works of art, mainly from the 19th and 20th centuries, and the splendidly ornate Harrogate Theatre, known as the Grand Opera House, always offers a great line-up of events and shows.

## Knaresborough

Knaresborough Castle towers over the River Nidd, and you can explore the dungeon and underground sallyport as well as the Court House Museum which has an original Tudor courtroom. You can take a rowing boat on the river or walk its banks where you'll find Mother Shipton's Cave and Petrifying Well. The 15th-century prophetess was born here, and you can make a wish and see everyday objects that the petrifying well has turned to stone. Wednesday's the day if you like a good old-fashioned market, and the Town Crier is another fine tradition that Knaresborough has to shout about.

Poppleton



York Minster, York  
© Welcome to Yorkshire

York

### Hammerton

Hammerton station serves Kirk Hammerton village, named in the Domesday Book as Altera Hanbretone, meaning village on a hill. Now, the only building on the hill is the beautiful St John the Baptist's church.

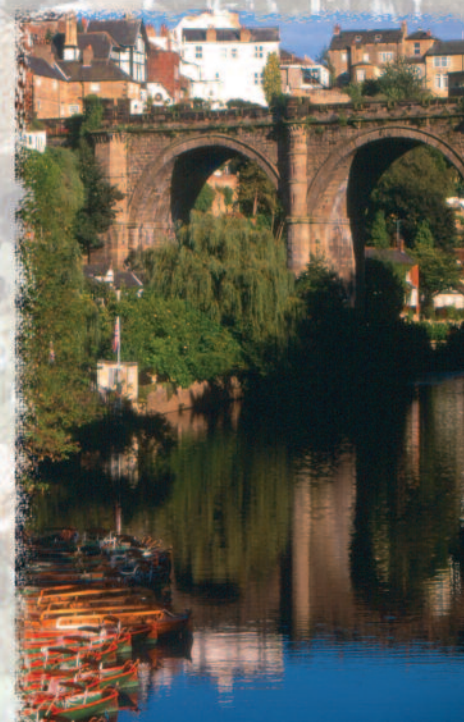
### Poppleton

The station serves the villages of Upper Poppleton and Nether Poppleton. The restored historic Tithe Barn at Manor Farm, Nether Poppleton, is over 450 years old.

### York

To begin with, the award-winning attractions include the National Railway Museum, Jorvik Viking Centre, Castle Museum, York Dungeon – the list goes on and on. To explore the history, just look around you.

Knaresborough viaduct, Knaresborough



Petrifying Well, Mother Shipton's Cave,  
Knaresborough © imagesofengland.com

Headingley  
Burley Park

Millennium Bridge, Leeds  
© Welcome to Yorkshire



Leeds

Valley Gardens, Harrogate