



Harbour



Open air pool



War Memorial



Dunnottar Woods



New Year Fireballs

Services (see also town centre map overleaf)

Kincardine Community Hospital Kirkton Road. No A&E, but can treat minor injuries sustained within previous 48 hours.

What to see and do

(see also www.stonehavenguide.net)

Dunnottar Woods Lovely woodland walks at all times of year. See also Walks 3 & 4

Mineralwell Park Park with play park, football pitches, model car track, large grassy areas and nice walks. Venue for seasonal events, Firework Display, Stonehaven Juniors Football, and Stonehaven & District Model Car racing Club

Dunnottar Castle spectacular ruined castle in stunning clifftop location. The earliest parts are from the 1290s, around the time William Wallace – Braveheart – attacked the English garrison and won back the castle. In the 1600s, the Scottish Crown Jewels were sent here for safe keeping, causing a siege by Cromwell’s army. The Jewels were smuggled out and taken to Kinneff Old Kirk. Open all year (daily except 25 & 26 Dec and 1 & 2 Jan). Tel: (01569) 766320 www.dunnottarcastle.co.uk Bus stops for castle

St Ciaran’s Kirk, Fetteresso Ruins (mostly from 1700s) of church dedicated by David de Bernham, Bishop of St Andrews in 1246, in picturesque Kirktown of Feteresso. St Ciaran (or Kieran) was a Celtic Saint from Argyll

War Memorial on the Black Hill between Dunnottar Castle and the town. Built in 1923, the memorial links the sky, the cliffs and the sea and was designed to look like a Greek temple ruin – a symbol of all the lives ruined by the First World War. Also commemorates those who lost their lives in the Second World War

Chapel of St Mary & St Nathalan, Cowie. Ruins of church dedicated in 1292 to St Mary of the Storms. Interesting gravestones from 1700s showing the tools of the trade of those buried there. See Walk 1

Stonehaven Golf Club Visiting golfers welcome. 18-hole, 5103 yd parkland clifftop course with stunning views. Tel: (01569) 762124

Cowton Riding Centre Hacking and trekking in the Mearns countryside Tel: (01569) 760305

Halymyres Stables BHS approved riding centre Tel: (01569) 762310

Logie Trout Fishery Fly fishing, Rainbow, Brown, Blue and Brook Trout Tel: (01569) 762611

Fetteresso Forest walks and cycling trails at Swanley, near Stonehaven.

Stonehaven Paddle Boarding (far end of harbour)

Fishing: Rivers Cowie and Carron (both banks) from the railway bridges to the sea. Permits available at the Pet shop, 21 Cameron Street Stonehaven Tel: (01569) 762082

Other attractions near Stonehaven: including: Dizzy Rascals playcentre, Fettercairn Distillery; Grassic Gibbon Centre; Fowlisheugh RSPB Reserve; Kinneff Old Church; Mill of Benholm; Storybook Glen; Stone Circles; St Cyrus National Nature Reserve. More information from www.stonehavenguide.net

Where to eat (see also town centre map overleaf)

Kirktown Garden Centre Restaurant by Kirktown of Fetteresso Tel: (01569) 764343

View Restaurant Stonehaven golf club

There are also other restaurants on the coast and in the countryside around Stonehaven, including: Lairhillock Inn & Crynoch Restaurant near Netherley; the Creel Inn at Catterline; and Castleton Farm Shop & Restaurant (signposted on A90 South).

Where to shop (see also town centre map overleaf)

Kirktown Garden Centre by Kirktown of Fetteresso. Garden centre & gifts for the home.

Where to stay (see also town centre map overleaf)

Crawfield Grange 4 star B&B and 15 Shorehead B&B (see 14 on Townmap) Tel: (01569) 730115

The Dog House at Toadhall (Awaiting grading) Studio Apartment Tel: (01569) 731734 or 07546312921

Woodside of Glasslaw 4 star Guest House Tel: (01569) 763799

Ambleside 4 star B&B Tel: (01569) 731105

Chapel of Barras Farm 4 star Farmhouse Tel: (01569) 750437

Schonwald 4 star B&B Tel: (01569) 731272

Lairhillock Lodge 4 star Guest House Tel: (01569) 731866

Dalriada Luxury Lodges (01569) 769189

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Stonehaven is a town of around 11,000 people, and has a wonderful location on Stonehaven Bay, with a hinterland of hills, river valleys and forests. There is a wide choice of things to see and do, both in the town and nearby. The Sustrans National Cycle Route No 1 and Nave Nortrail Coastal walking route pass through the town.

Stonehaven is at the eastern edge of the Highland Boundary Fault, created around 400 million years ago when an ancient ocean closed and two continents crashed together. North of the Fault, which runs south west across Scotland, is the high ground of the Grampian Mountains. North of Stonehaven, most older buildings are granite; in the town and to the south most are red sandstone. The rocks of the coast here are unique and fascinating.



More information- www.stonehavenguide.net www.visitabdn.com www.aberdeen-grampian.com



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STONEHAVEN WALKS

Walks 1-4 on this map; 5 - 8 overleaf. See also shorter walks under 'What to see and do'

1 NORTH OF STONEHAVEN

Option 1 to Chapel of St Mary and St Nathalan aprox 1 mile / 1.6 km Market Square, Allardice Street, David Street, road to Golf Club, at access to Golf Club path to the right and to the Chapel. Option 2 to Cliff path aprox 3/4 mile / 1 km Market Square, Market Lane, Promenade, Helen Row, Boatie Row, cliff path (closed beyond view point) Access to cliff path also at car park north of Cowie (see 12 on Town map).

2 WAR MEMORIAL & DUNNOTTAR CASTLE aprox 3 miles / 5.5 km Market Square, Market Lane, Bay Walk, Old Pier, Shore Head, Wallace Wynd, Castle Street, Bervie Braes, War Memorial, coastal path, access to Dunnottar Castle, linking path to road, road to Bervie Braes, Castle Street, Wallace Wynd, Shre Head, Old Pier, Bay Walk, Market Lane, Market Square.

3 DUNNOTTAR CASTLE & DUNNOTTAR WOODLAND PARK aprox 4 miles / 7.2km Market Square, Market Lane, Bay Walk, Old Pier, Shore Head, Wallace Wynd, Castle Street, Bervie Braes, War Memorial, coastal path, access to Dunnottar Castle, path linking to road, cross road to former radio station, East Newtonleys farm, footpath along A957 (attention - busy road!), Glasslaw Bridge, car park, Glasslaw Gate into Dunnottar Woodland Park, main path following signs for Carron Gate (passing Lady Kennedy's Bath), Gallows Hill & Ice House, cross minor road, Walled Garden, Shell House, Chapel Park, Carron Gate, Carron Gardens, Low Wood Road, Dunnottar Avenue, Bridgefield, Allardice Street, Market Square.

4 DUNNOTTAR WOODLAND PARK circular walk, approx 2 miles / 4km Market Square, Allardice Street, Bridgefield, Dunnottar Avenue, Low Wood Road, Carron Gardens, Carron Gate into woodland park, main path following signs for Glasslaw Gate - passing Chapel Park, Shell House, Walled Garden, cross minor road, Gallows Hill & Ice House, Lady Kennedy's Bath (turning point), stables, site of Dunnottar House, cross minor road, Chapel Park, Carron Gate - Carron Gardens, Low Wood Road, Dunnottar Avenue, Bridgefield, Allardice Street, Market Square.

5 OLD TOWN & HARBOUR aprox mile / 1.2km Market Square, Market Lane, Bay Walk, Old Pier, High Street, Arbutnott Place, Bridgefield, Allardice Street, Market Square.

6 BEACH & TOWN aprox 1 mile / 1.6km Market Square, Market Lane, Promenade, Beach Road, B979, David Street, Allardice Street, Market Square.

7 TOWN & PARK aprox 1 miles / 2.8km Market Square, Allardice Street, David Street, Cowie Water, model car track, under railway bridge, Slug Road, Evan Street, Market Square.

8 TOWN & PARK ALTERNATIVE ROUTE aprox 1 miles / 2.8km Market Square, Barclay Street, David Street, Cowie Water, model car track, pass railway bridge, stairs down to flat grassy areas, path crossing burn, uphill path to Baird Terrace, Baird Terrace, Bath Street, Ann Street, Evan Street, Market Square.

View point / Photo point All abilities, wheelchairs & baby buggies