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DATES IN 2015

Steam experience days in **green**
Diesel experience days in **orange**

Saturday 11th April
Sunday 26th April
Saturday 9th May
Saturday 16th May
Sunday 17th May
Sunday 31st May
Sunday 7th June
Saturday 13th June
Saturday 28th June
Saturday 11th July

Sunday 19th July
Sunday 6th September
Saturday 19th September
Sunday 20th September
Sunday 27th September
Sunday 4th October
Sunday 11th October
Saturday 17th October
Saturday 24th October
Sunday 25th October



To check availability and to book:



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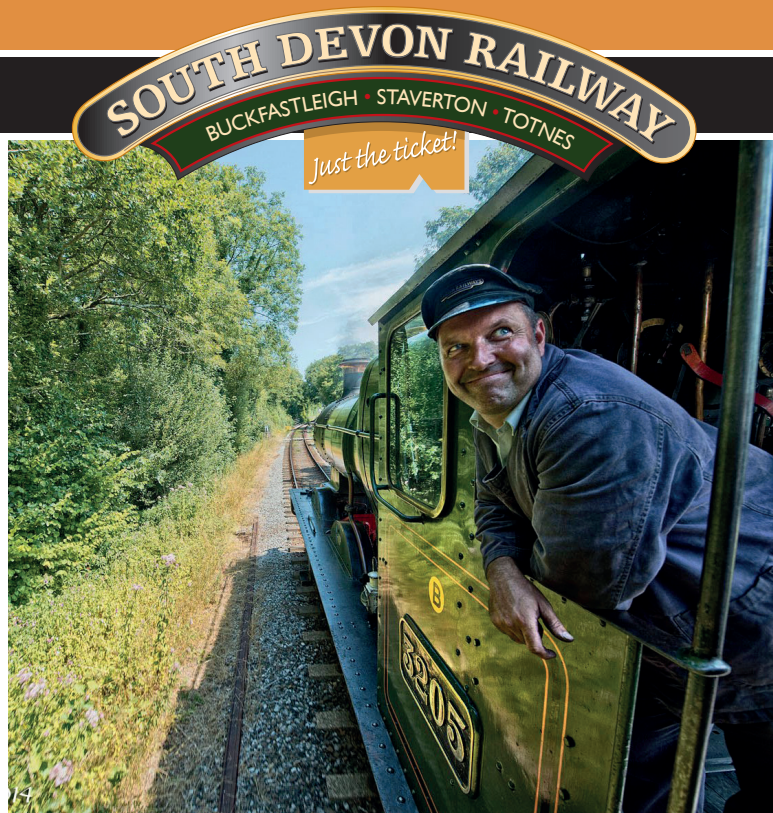


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JUMP ON THE FOOTPLATE AND STEP BACK IN TIME



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DRIVE A REAL ENGINE!

Drive a Train is an unforgettable gift or a treat for yourself! You can experience the thrill of driving and firing a real Great Western Railway steam locomotive or heritage British Railways main line diesel engine for a whole day.

- Whole day experience
- Guided tour of the workshops and loco shed
- Take the controls
- Bring friends for free
- Three round trips (two on the diesels)
- Personalised certificate

You are very welcome to bring a small group of guests who will travel in the train.

To book, or to buy South Devon Railway Drive a Train gift vouchers, go online at www.southdevonrailway.co.uk. Alternatively, you can call us on 01364 644 370 or email driveatrain@southdevonrailway.org

STEAM EXPERIENCE

Book on at Buckfastleigh in the morning and join the loco crew to help prepare for the day's activities. You'll then have the chance to experience life on the footplate! There can be up to four participants on each course and two people at a time will travel on the engine with the driver and fireman. Whilst one acts as fireman, the other will take the regulator of a Great Western Railway steam engine.

The other participants travel on 'the cushions' with the guard to wait their turn. The four participants change over regularly during the day so that everyone has equal time on the footplate. After three round trips, your day will finish at about 4.40 p.m.

Steam days cost **£425 per person**.



DIESEL EXPERIENCE

You will have a full day of action and enjoyment as you make two round trips (28 miles) in the cab of one of our British Railways heritage diesels. On one trip there will be the chance to act as the second man. On the other trip, it is time to occupy the driver's seat and take charge of the train.

Up to a maximum of five people can book on each course.

Diesel days cost **£300 per person**.