

## Private Bookings

King's Lynn Town Guides also offer privately booked walks to individuals or to groups at any time of the day or days of the week. The cost of which is £30 per booking for up to 6 people (£5 per head for each additional walker over 6). All our listed walks can be booked privately. We can also provide gift certificates on request. For more information, please email [guides@kingslynnTownguides.co.uk](mailto:guides@kingslynnTownguides.co.uk).

## Talks

King's Lynn Town Guides can also deliver 'virtual' guided walks (talks), on request at Marriotts Warehouse in King's Lynn or on an organisation's own premises. For more information, please email [guides@kingslynnTownguides.co.uk](mailto:guides@kingslynnTownguides.co.uk).

All of our walks can also be booked online as *private walks or gifts*.



For more information or to book a walk:



Tourist Information Centre  
Saturday Market Place  
King's Lynn PE30 5DQ



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## Discover 'Britain's Most Surprising Town' with a Guided Walk around King's Lynn

All of our walks start at the Saturday Market Place, King's Lynn, outside the Tourist Information Centre (unless otherwise specified). All guided walks take approximately 2hrs and cost £5 per adult (free for under 18s). For more information, including full dates and times of all walks, or to book a place, visit [kingslynnTownguides.co.uk](http://kingslynnTownguides.co.uk).



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## Guided Walks around King's Lynn 2025



## Discover 'Britain's Most Surprising Town'

Explore King's Lynn on foot with our Town Guides 7 days a week during peak season

Experience the unique medieval townscape and historic waterfront

To book a walk visit  
[kingslynnTownguides.co.uk](http://kingslynnTownguides.co.uk)

For all other enquiries email  
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## Our Walking Seasons

**Early Season**  
(8 April –  
25 May)

**Peak Season**  
(26 May –  
28 Sept)

**Late Season**  
(29 Sept –  
1 Nov)

Our walking season is from Tuesday 8 April until Saturday 1 November. All our walks start at the Saturday Market Place, King's Lynn, outside the Tourist Information Centre (unless otherwise specified).

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We are bringing back our popular Summer Evening Walks, please visit our website for dates and details.

## Our Walks

### Historic Lynn

Starting in the Saturday Market Place and walking to the Tuesday Market Place, take in 1,000 years of history. Historic buildings, hidden courtyards and the river all reveal King's Lynn's story from small settlement to successful port and elegant town – along with the stories of the people who left their mark here.

**Early/Late Season:**  
Every Tuesday to  
Saturday at 2pm

**Peak Season:**  
Every Monday to Saturday  
at 2pm (Sundays 11am)

### A Medieval New Town: Saturday Market Place to St Nicholas' Chapel

The town had its origin around 1100 in the area we know as Saturday Market Place, expanding rapidly into the area that Bishop Turbe, Lynn's third Bishop, described as the New Lands. Starting at Saturday Market Place and finishing at St Nicholas' Chapel, we will explore the hidden medieval beginnings, the fine buildings we see now and the stories of some of the people who lived in them.

16 Jun (7pm), 1 Jul (11am), 8 Aug (11am), 22 Aug (11am), 3 Sep (11am)

### A Walk in the Park

Follow in the footsteps of Lynn's Georgian society and enjoy a stroll in The Walks, Lynn's historic urban park, in the heart of the town. The Walks is the only surviving 18th century town walk in Norfolk and was designated a Grade II listed Landscape in 1998 by English Heritage. *Meet in Tower Gardens.*

24 Jun (7pm), 15 Jul (7pm)\* – includes a visit to Red Mount Chapel, 19 Aug (6pm), 23 Sep (6pm)

### The River Walk

Take in both sides of the River Great Ouse, the artery that allowed Lynn to become such a rich and powerful town. See historic Lynn from a different perspective. *This walk takes up to 3 hours, including along rough ground on the riverbank and a ferry crossing. Meet at the Custom House. Please note you will need approx £2 for the ferry crossing.*

28 Jun (11am), 24 Jul (10.30am)\*,  
13 Aug (11am), 17 Sep (11am)

### The Hanse and the Warehouse on the Wash

Explore King's Lynn's long and illustrious maritime tradition, hear about the old and the new Hanseatic League, Lynn's maritime trade and discover historic buildings, one of which is the only surviving Hanseatic warehouse in England.

12 Jun (11am), 16 Aug (11am)

### Darker Lynn: Murders, Conflicts & Executions

Brace yourself as you discover ransoms, massacres, naked bodies, treacherous aristocrats, a missing body and the whipping post. Plus, the boiling and all the duckings, burnings, hangings and quarterings as we walk around Lynn and look at the buildings and places where it all took place.

20 Apr, 21 May, 24 Jun, 5 Jul (10.30am), 23 Jul, 9 Aug (10.30am), 19 Aug, 24 Sep, 11 Oct (10.30am)  
Walks commence at 6pm unless otherwise shown

### Sailors, Smugglers and Merchant Adventurers

King's Lynn was one of England's foremost ports from medieval times and evidence of our rich maritime history is to be found all along the waterfront streets. Brave sailors, local smugglers, and naval adventurers all have their tales to tell.

27 May (11am), 2 Jun (7pm), 20 Jun (11am), 30 Jun (7pm) 31 Jul (11am), 26 Aug (11am), 11 Sep (11am), 27 Sep (11am)

### The North End: Fishermen's Lynn

Fishing is probably the oldest surviving industry in the town. The fisherfolk community existed before the town came into being, sailing as far as Iceland to bring home the fish. Starting at St Nicholas' Chapel we will explore the area where a unique community that looked after its' own lived and worked from medieval time to present day. A community now lost, but the stories of the fisherfolk live on in the area known as the North End, the Fisher Fleet and beyond. *Meet outside St Nicholas' Chapel.*

23 Jun (7pm)

### Town Walls in the Civil War

Follow the historic town wall defences, while learning of the part they played during the siege of King's Lynn in the English Civil War. *This walk is about 2.5hrs long and contains some rough terrain. Meet at St Ann's Fort, opposite True's Yard. Please note that this walk ends at Boal Quay.*

19 May (10.30am), 10 Jun (7pm), 16 Jun (10.30am), 8 Jul (7pm), 14 Jul (10.30am)\*,  
22 Jul (7pm)\*, 5 Aug (6pm), 9 Sep (6pm)

### Gaywood Through Time

Gaywood's history is older than Lynn's. Explore the development of Gaywood from Bishop's residence, to rural village and the Bagge family estate, to the busy suburb of King's Lynn that we know today. *Meet outside King Edward VII Academy.*

9 Jun (7pm)

\* Festival walk

