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Experience the atmosphere of preparations for a visit to its Command Post. Furnished as it was in 1918, it recreates the atmosphere... ●●●

Experience life as a medieval soldier in our sound and... ●●●

Children to ask for help to find the most haunted castle. Frequent ghost-seekers report a young girl, one of the many... ●●●

There is so much more to see and do at Dover Castle. For details of events, please ring 0870 333 1183.

HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

THE SECRET WARTIME TUNNELS
Sat 23- Mon 25 Aug
A different era of music each week. A different era of music each week.

THE HAUNTED CASTLE
Sat 25 - Fri 31 Oct
Enjoy a chillingly fun day out at Kent’s most haunted castle!

THE LIVING HISTORY SPECTACULAR
Sat 24 - Mon 26 May
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SPY SCHOOL
Sat 3- Mon 5 May
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HOLIDAY COTTAGES

DOVER CASTLE AND THE SECRET WARTIME TUNNELS

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KENT'S most haunted castle!
Dover Castle and the Secret Wartime Tunnels

Experience the majesty of the castle known as “the Key to England.” With its commanding position high on the White Cliffs of Dover, the fortress has protected England since before Norman times. Over the centuries, successive kings, castle constables and governors have added to its mighty defences and its rich history.

Great for Kids:
- Children will love the tunnel tour with its wartime sound effects
- Let their imaginations run as they hunt out spooky corners of the castle and climb spiral staircases
- Whole season of family friendly events
- Plenty of “run around” space
- Children’s meals and high chairs in café
- Baby changing facilities

SOMETHING WORTH TALKING ABOUT
Dover Castle is said to have at least nine ghosts. One of the most frequently reported is the young soldier in the narthex who stops visitors to ask for help to find “Helen.”

Travel deep into the white cliffs, through the labyrinth of tunnels where wartime personnel worked, slept and planned some of the most vital work of World War II. Soak up the atmosphere and imagine what it was like to be stationed here during the war.

NEW FOR 2008
Imagine life in the castle as a soldier towards the end of the First World War as you step into the Fire Command Post. Evacuated as it was in 1918, it recreates the atmosphere of the main control centre of the Royal German Artillery from which Dover’s coastal guns were directed in the vital defence of the harbour and Channel approaches. Opens and May 2008

- Step into the Great Keep and immerse yourself in the castle’s royal history
- Imagine life at the Tudor court in the reconstruction of preparations for a visit by Henry VIII
- Feel the sanctity and calm of the Thomas Becket chapel
- Experience life as a medieval soldier in our sound and light presentation of the Siege of 1216
- Explore the winking, dark medieval tunnels
- Marvel at the castle’s extraordinary defences as you tour the extensive battlements
- Take time in the fascinating Princess of Wales’ Royal Regiment Museum
- Discover the Roman lighthouse and Saxo church
- Relax in the Keep Café and gift shop

- Tour the Secret Wartime Tunnels deep within the White Cliffs of Dover
- Experience the atmosphere of the underground World War II hospital with its operating theatres
- Walk through the wartime plotting room and telecommunications centre
- Immerser yourself in the sounds and smells of World War II
- Watch authentic Pathé news clips from the era
- Enjoy superb views across the White Cliffs from Admiral Look-out
- Take a break in the themed Tunnels tea bar and shop and have lunch in the NAAFI restaurant

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- Archaeological stores open first weekend of each month
- Artefacts from over 2,000 years of history
- Meet the curator and see our medical surgeon and find out about cures.

HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS
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Event for 2008

- Sat 29 & Sun 30 Nov
  PANTO FUN
  Enjoy a chillingly fun day out at Kent’s most haunted castle.

DOVER CASTLE

- The Home of
- Kent’s most haunted

DOVER CASTLE AND THE SECRET WARTIME TUNNELS

TWO GIFT SHOPS AND CAFÉS AND...
It takes a whole day to explore this amazing castle. With plenty to see and do, inside and out, underground and overground, you can be guaranteed a day out to remember at any time of the year.

**Admiralty Look-out and Port War Signal Station**
Enjoy wonderful views of the White Cliffs of Dover. Spare a moment to see the statue of Vice Admiral Ramsay, who masterminded the evacuation of 338,000 troops from France in the 'Miracle of Dunkirk.' Explore the fire command post which opens late spring 2008.

**The Roman Pharos and St Mary-in-Castro Church**
See the 1st-century AD Roman “pharos” lighthouse and the Saxon church.

**Avranches Tower**
Guided tours available on the first Friday of every month.

**Keep Yard**
Here you will find our coffee shop and a gift shop. The huge siege engine marks the entrance to The Siege Experience. Visit the Princess of Wales’ Royal Regiment Museum.

**The Secret Wartime Tunnels**
Take our atmospheric tour through the labyrinth of tunnels which house the World War II Military Command Centre and underground hospital. You will find here the Tunnels tea bar and a gift shop.

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**Naafi Restaurant and the Pocket Pistol**
Our main restaurant serves lunches as well as all day refreshments. Look out for Queen Elizabeth I’s “Pocket Pistol”, a seven metre-long cannon!

**1216 Siege Experience**
Imagine life as a medieval soldier under siege as you walk through our sound and light exhibition.

**Something Worth Talking About**
Look out for the ghost of the Red Lady, who falls through the floors in the Keep. Listen out for the ghost of the headless drummer boy, who according to one legend was murdered when collecting garrison wages from the town.

**The Medieval Tunnels**
Enter these dark tunnels if you dare!

**The Great Keep**
Discover how the castle was prepared for Henry VIII’s visit in 1539 in our colourful reconstruction. Climb to the top of the keep and enjoy far reaching views of Kent and the Channel.

**Battlements Walk**
Explore the defences of this mighty fortress.
DOVER CASTLE

Adult £10.30
Concession £8.20
Child (5-15yrs) £5.20
Family ticket (admits 2 adults and 2 children) £25.80

Admission price includes entry to the Secret Wartime Tunnels, which is by guided tour and lasts approx. 50 mins, last tour 1 hour before castle closes. Last admission to site 30 mins before closing. Group discounts and party rates available. Prices may vary at special events.

OPENING TIMES
21 Mar-31 Jul: daily 10am-6pm
1-31 Aug: daily 9.30am-6pm
1-30 Sep: daily 10am-6pm
1-31 Oct: daily 10am-5pm
1 Nov-31 Jan: Thu-Mon 10am-4pm
1 Feb-31 Mar: daily 10am-4pm
Closed 24-26 Dec & 1 Jan

For more information, ring the property direct on 01304 211587

OTHER SITES TO VISIT – THE THREE CASTLES

Henry VIII left his mark on the fortifying castles of Dover, Deal and Walmer. Plan your day and visit all three, they are all within 30 minutes drive of each other.

Dover Castle

Dover Castle has a holiday cottage available to let. For reservations or information visit the web site www.english-heritage.org.uk/holidaycottages or contact 0870 333 1187

WALMER CASTLE

Deal Castle

Members of English Heritage can visit all these castles for free and make great savings on event days. Each adult member can bring up to 4 children with them for free. Ask at any site or visit www.english-heritage.org.uk/membership.
its rich history.

The Great Siege of 1216

Over the centuries, successive

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A fun look at the most gruesome

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