



## **PRINTABLE ROAD DIRECTIONS TO THE DEAN FOREST RAILWAY, LYDNEY, GLOUCESTERSHIRE**

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### **By Road from the South West:**

To get here by road from the south-west on the M5 (Somerset/Devon), take the M5 north up to junction 15 (the M4 interchange) and turn left to head west over the old Severn Bridge on the M48 across the river following signs to Chepstow and the Forest of Dean. The bridge toll is payable on the English side of the river just after junction 1.

- Exit the M48 at junction 2 (the first after the bridge) and turn into Chepstow. Drive down through Chepstow on the A48 crossing the River Wye into England. Follow signs to Lydney and Gloucester. About 15 minutes drive later you should be at Lydney.

- Head into Lydney town, and when you have crossed our level crossing, past a short row of shops, take the first left turn onto the B4234 to Whitecroft and Parkend. You will find us about 1.5 miles along this wooded road, in a clearing on your left. The Dean Forest Railway has a large, free car park here.

### **By Road from South Wales:**

To get here by road from South Wales on the M4, take the M4 east up to junction 23 just before the new Severn Bridge, where you should turn off onto the M48 to Chepstow. Take the Chepstow exit (junction 2) off the M48 just before the old Severn Bridge (don't miss it or you will be crossing the River Severn.)

- Drive down through Chepstow on the A48 crossing the River Wye into England. Follow signs to Lydney and Gloucester. About 15 minutes drive later you should be at Lydney.

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### **By Road from the North:**

To get here by road from the north on the M5 (Birmingham), take the M5 south to junction 11, the Cheltenham / Gloucester exit.

- Turn right, off the interchange, to be on the A40 dual carriageway to Gloucester. At the first roundabout, take the third major exit for Ross-on-Wye and the Forest of Dean (at about the two o'clock position). This takes you on the dual carriageway that skirts the north of Gloucester. At the next roundabout go straight over (second exit). This takes you over the River Severn to the next roundabout, which again you go straight over (second exit).

- Follow the A40 signs to Ross-on-Wye and Chepstow up to the next roundabout, where you should take the first exit onto the A48, following signs for Lydney and Chepstow. About 25 minutes later you should be at the right turn for Lydney, where you will find a 'Steam Railway' tourism sign.

- Head into Lydney town down the hill, over two pedestrian crossings and just after the second crossing, take the right turn onto the B4234 to Whitecroft and Parkend. You will find us about 1.5 miles along this wooded road, in a clearing on your left. The Dean Forest Railway has a large, free car park here.



## **By Road from the East:**

To get here by road from the east on the M4 (Swindon/London) take the M4 west as far as junction 21 where you should turn off left following signs to Chepstow and the Forest of Dean on the M48, to cross the river on the old Severn Bridge. The bridge toll is payable on the English side of the river just after junction 1.

- Exit the M48 at junction 2 (the first after the bridge) and turn into Chepstow. Drive down through Chepstow on the A48 crossing the River Wye into England. Follow signs to Lydney and Gloucester. About 15 minutes drive later you should be at Lydney.

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## **Check before travelling:**

We also advise that you check with the Dean Forest Railway prior to travelling to ensure that we have passenger train services running on the day of your visit. Our 24 hour DFR Information Line is 01594 843423. Or our general enquiries number, open 11am-4pm March to Christmas, weekends only January and February is 01594 845840.