



# HASTINGS DIESELS LIMITED

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## THE ESSEX COAST EXPRESS

*A Day Excursion to Clacton-on-Sea*

**Saturday 13th September 2014**

Our second excursion of 2014 takes us on a run via the Great Eastern main line to the Essex coast resort of Clacton-on-Sea. We will be calling at our normal pick up points to Kensington Olympia before heading off around the North London line. On our outward run we will travel via the little-used 'Graham Road' curve to visit London's Liverpool Street terminal station for a photograph stop. From Liverpool Street we take the main line via Romford, Shenfield, Chelmsford and Colchester before branching off to our destination. It is thought that this will be the first visit of a Hastings DEMU to the Clacton branch line.

It is expected that we will have just over three hours at our destination. The seafront is about a ten minute walk from the station, and the town has most of the major shopping facilities close by.

Our return route is basically the same as our outward, although this time we join the North London line at Stratford for our journey around to Kensington Olympia, before continuing on to Hastings calling at the same stations as our outward run.

Our train has a well-stocked Buffet Car and a selection of hot and cold snacks and drinks will be available at reasonable prices throughout times of travel. Included in the Club Class fare are food and drinks throughout both journeys, and an evening meal with wine will be served on our way home. Why not spoil yourself?

**DUE TO OPERATIONAL REASONS CLUB CLASS ACCOMMODATION WILL BE LIMITED AND NOT AVAILABLE FROM BROMLEY SOUTH OR KENSINGTON OLYMPIA**

***TIMINGS AND DETAILS ARE OVERLEAF. A BOOKING FORM IS BELOW.***

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**TO:** Hastings Diesels Ltd. (Tours), Railway Depot, Bridgeway, St. Leonards-on-Sea. TN38 8AP

**FROM :** Name

Address

Telephone

E-mail address

Acknowledgement of booking is sent by e-mail; please enclose an **additional** SAE if one is required by post.  
Bookings and ticket issue is subject to the HDL 'Code of Conduct' being observed by all those travelling.

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**Provisional Timings** : These timings are approximate; final arrangements are not expected from Network Rail until quite near the date of the excursion.

Hastings	depart	07.35	Clacton-on-Sea	depart	16.30
St. Leonards Warrior Sq	depart	07.40	Kensington Olympia	approx.	19.15
Battle	depart	07.50	Bromley South	approx.	19.55
Etchingham	depart	08.05	Tonbridge	approx.	20.40
Tunbridge Wells	depart	08.25	Tunbridge Wells	approx.	20.50
Tonbridge	depart	08.40	Etchingham	approx.	21.15
Bromley South	depart	09.15	Battle	approx.	21.30
Kensington Olympia	depart	10.00	St. Leonards Warrior Sq	approx.	21.40
Liverpool Street (photo stop)		11.00	Hastings	approx.	21.45
Clacton-on-Sea	approx.	13.00			

**Fares** : For travel from any of the stations listed above to Clacton and back the standard fare is £58, or £220 for a bay of four seats; Club Class (**not available from Bromley South or Kensington Olympia**) is £84 per seat. There is a £5 supplement for travelling in power cars.

**Please Note** : Discounted 'bay of four' fares are not available in power cars, or for Club Class.

**Club Class** : Travel at a seat with a table, and refreshments are provided throughout the trip plus a meal with wine on the way home. Why not spoil yourself? Travel is likely to be in a DEMU trailer coach, or an additional £5 ensures travel in 'Tunbridge Wells' power car.

**Power cars** : A £5 supplement should be added to individual (not bay) fares for travel in power cars, either Club Class or with standard seating. Capacity is limited.

**Refreshments** : Our train includes a Buffet Car and a selection of hot and cold snacks and drinks will be available throughout the day at reasonable prices. There is also a trolley service.

**Booking** : Please **complete both sides** of the booking form below, cut it off, then send it to the address shown with a cheque for the appropriate amount and a SAE for return of your tickets.

**Smoking is not permitted in any part of our train, nor anywhere on railway premises**

**For further information** (including enquiries about seat availability),  
please send an e-mail to <2014@hastingsdiesels.co.uk>,  
or telephone 01424 812254 [*answerphone at certain times*].

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**Travelling from** \_\_\_\_\_

**Seats required:** \* Please state if you have a preference for CEP or DEMU coaches

\_\_\_\_\_ standard seats at £58 each\*

\_\_\_\_\_ bays of four standard seats in trailer coaches\* at £220 per bay

\_\_\_\_\_ **CLUB CLASS** seats at £84 each (Not from Bromley South or Kensington Olympia)

\_\_\_\_\_ **POWER CAR** supplement £5 each Club Class or Standard (see above)

**Cheque** (made payable to Hastings Diesels Limited) **enclosed for £** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please also enclose a stamped addressed envelope for return of your tickets;  
these will be sent with confirmed timings a few days before the trip.**