

Jersey

Be different this autumn and dip into island life. Jersey is the ultimate escape, where autumn comes late and carefree days just seem to linger.

'Live the Life' this autumn!

Feel the warmth of the sun on your back as you meander along berry-filled lanes with leaves crunching underfoot, listen to the waves crashing on the shore and feel the sea breeze in your hair. Each day is a new adventure as you contemplate what lies ahead. Explore the 96-mile network of 'green' country lanes by pedal power, or for those adrenalin junkies among you, why not experience blokarting along the beautiful expanse of St Ouen's Bay.

Whatever the weather, medieval castles and award-winning museums await your discovery. Meet the lowland gorillas at the world-famous Durrell Wildlife Conservation Trust or for a unique experience, relive the enemy occupation during WWII at the Jersey War Tunnels. If you are looking for a top-up tonic, why not treat yourself to a luxury spa break and discover the low-duty shopping delights of the island's capital, St Helier, with its array of high-street names, boutiques and designer stores.

For pure indulgence, good food has been one of Jersey's attractions for many years and the island boasts



Above: Looking towards Rozel Bay on Jersey's rugged north coast

an international reputation for its range of restaurants and cooking styles. Savour gourmet dishes in award-winning restaurants, gutsy, honest cooking at country pubs or simply excellent staples in beachside bistros. This autumn, join islanders in the much anticipated 'Tennerfest' (1 October – 12 November), which, as the name suggests, sees many of the island's top eating establishments offer mouth-watering menus for as little as £10!

As Christmas approaches, see for yourself how islanders celebrate the festive season. Jersey is ablaze with light and colour during La Fête dé Noué (1 – 24 December). Take advantage of the late night shopping, street theatre, ice skating, traditional craft markets, ghoulish nocturnal walks and the magical Moonlight Parade through the streets of St Helier.

Whether you are rediscovering Jersey or experiencing it for the first time, invigorate your spirits and 'Live the Life' this autumn!

Festival Highlights

Whatever time of year you visit, Jersey offers a full programme of festivals and events to complement your stay. This autumn and winter's festival highlights include:

Channel Islands Festival of Arts & Crafts 27 September – 1 October

This annual craft fair welcomes artisans from across the UK showcasing their skills, including workshops and demonstrations.

Tennerfest 1 October – 12 November

Dine in style with mouth-watering set menus prepared by internationally renowned chefs for as little as £10!

Harvest & Halloween Festival 6 – 31 October

Experience a taste of Jersey as we celebrate the harvest period. Activities include walks, tours, special menus and the highlight of the month, the annual Jersey Cider Festival.

Jersey Marathon 8 October

This new course runs through the streets of St Helier before heading along delightful country lanes.

International Choir Festival 12 – 15 October

Jersey plays host to choirs from Europe and beyond with numerous concerts across the island, culminating in the Open Final Competition.

Artisan Showcase 12 – 15 October

Featuring some of the finest craft workers from the UK and Jersey. Activities include demonstrations and workshops as well as the opportunity to purchase some unusual gifts.

La Fête dé Noué 1 – 24 December

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For further details, including a list of 2007 Festivals & Events, visit www.jersey.com

"Each day is a new adventure"



Above, left: Ayush Wellness Spa, Hotel de France; right: Old Court House, St Aubin's Harbour

Getting There

Getting to Jersey couldn't be easier - you can fly there in under an hour from many regional airports including London Gatwick, London City and Stansted or sail by fast ferry from the south coast. For a copy of 'Pure Jersey' - your essential autumn/winter Holiday Planner, call 08704 537 739 and quote ADVES, or visit www.jersey.com/autumn and take advantage of a range of special offers.