

EXPERIENCE ONE OF THE WORLD'S GREAT ROAD JOURNEYS

3. Binevenagh



Limavady BT49 OJD

Binevenagh Mountain was formed 60 million years ago by molten lava. With steep cliffs, stretching over six miles it provides a stunning backdrop for expansive views across the Inishowen peninsula and miles of golden sand at Benone beach.

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6. Mountsandel



Mountsandel I Coleraine BT52 1TL

Mountsandel is the earliest known settlement site in Ireland. Archaeologists uncovered evidence here of a Mesolithic (Middle Stone Age) settlement dated to 7700-7400BC. The earthen fort is thought to date back to Norman times. Access is free.

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9. Bushmills Distillery



Distillery Road, Bushmills BT57 8XH

Ireland's oldest working distillery (dating from 1608) offers a guided tour to experience all the sights, smells and noises of whiskey production. Onsite facilities include the 1608 Bar, Restaurant, Gift and Whiskey Shop. The tour is not suitable for those with mobility difficulties and children under 8 years are unable to tour, but are welcome on the site.

T: +44 (0)28 2073 3218 **www.bushmills.com**

12. Carrick-a-rede Rope Bridge



119a Whitepal Rd, Ballintoy BT54 6LS

The Carrick-a-rede Rope Bridge traverses a 20 metre wide chasm 30 metres above the sea. It was traditionally erected by salmon fishermen to get to the rocky island that today offers fantastic views across to Rathlin Island as well as amazing flora, fauna and bird life. Pre-booking for group tours is required. Admission charge.

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15. Joey and Robert Dunlop Memorial Gardens



Castle Stre Ballymone BT53 6JR

Memorial gardens celebrating the famous Dunlop brothers, Joey and Robert Dunlop, reflecting on their achievements in the world of motorbike road racing. Open all year round. Admission free.

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18. Arthur Cottage



The thatched cottage and interpretative

centre at Arthur Cottage, Cullybackey is the

Ancestral Home of the 21st President of the

USA, Chester Alan Arthur. Admission charge.

Dreen, Cullybackey BT42 1EB

Country Park consisting of 191 hectares of mixed woodland, colourful gardens, walking trails and coastline. Modern visitor centre with gift shop and café. Parking charges apply.

21. Carnfunnock Country Park

T: +44 (0)28 2826 2471 www.carnfunnock.co.uk

1. 17th Century City Walls



44 Foyle Street, Derry, BT48 6AT

Derry-Londonderry is the only remaining completely walled city in Ireland and one of the finest examples of Walled Cities in Europe. The Walls, which are approximately 1.5km in circumference, form a walkway around the inner city and provide a unique promenade to view the layout of the original town.

T: +44 (0)28 7126 7284 **www.visitderry.com**

4. Downhill Demesne and Mussenden Temple



Mussenden Ro Castlerock BT51 4RP

Downhill Demesne offers the stunning landscape of the 18th century mansion of the eccentric Earl Bishop, now lying in ruins, and the magnificent Mussenden Temple, perched on the cliff edge.

Extensive parkland, gardens and woodland walks. Also, learn about life in a 17th century thatched cottage at Hezlett House in Castlerock. Admission charge.

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7. Whiterocks Coastal Park



The sandy beach at Whiterocks
Coastal Park is backed by dunes
and white limestone cliffs which are rich
in biodiversity. The beach leads westwards
to the town of Portrush or east towards
Dunluce Castle on the cliff top path,
enjoying views of The Skerries and the
wider coastline. A popular venue for

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water sports but be aware of rip tides.

10. The Giant's Causeway



44 Causeway Road, Bushmills BT57 8SU

The Giant's Causeway is Northern Ireland's first UNESCO World Heritage Site. The geological phenomenon of 40,000 basalt columns was formed by volcanic eruptions over 60 million years ago. Discover the legend of the Giant Finn Mac Cool at the award-winning Visitor Centre. A minibus service to the Causeway stones is provided at a small charge. Park and Ride Service from Bushmills. Admission charge.

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13. Rathlin Island



6 miles north of Ballycastle

Rathlin lies just over 6 miles from Ballycastle and is popular with bird watchers, geologists, botanists, divers and sea anglers, anyone with a love for rugged wild scenery. Get close-up views of Northern Ireland's biggest seabird colony including puffins (seasonal) at the Rathlin West Light Seabird Centre. It includes several important natural heritage sites.

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www.rathlinballycastleferry.com
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16. Cushendun

Glens of Antrim



The conservation village of Cushendun has been protected by the National Trust since 1954. Steeped in character and folklore, it has a sheltered harbour and lies at the mouth of the River Dun and Glendun, one of the nine

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19. Slemish Mountain

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www.midandeastantrim.gov.uk



1 mile east of Broughshane

The legendary first known Irish home of Saint Patrick, the Patron Saint of Ireland, who is said to have tended livestock at Slemish as a slave boy in the 5th century.

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22. The Gobbins



68 Middle Roa Islandmagee BT40 3SL

The magnificently restored former late Victorian visitor attraction, the Gobbins Path is an absolutely stunning, dramatic series of tubular bridges, staircases and tunnels clinging to the cliffside just metres above the waves. Visitor centre with cafe and shop. Admission charge.

T: +44 (0)28 9337 2318 www.thegobbinscliffpath.com

2. Roe Valley Country Park



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Combining heritage and legend with the natural environment, the Roe Valley Country Park offers a variety of woodland and riverside walks ranging from 2-7 miles along the River Roe. Explore the Dogleap and

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T: +44 (0)28 7776 0650 (Greenlane Museum)
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5. Portstewart Strand



118 Strand Road Portstewart, BT55 7PG

Portstewart Strand, owned and managed by the National Trust holds the prestigious Blue Flag award. The Barmouth, is a nearby nature and wildlife reserve, offering an attractive habitat to migrant waterfowl, waders and nesting birds. Keys to bird hides are available from The National Trust North Coast Office. Admission charge.

T: +44 (0)28 7083 6396 www.nationaltrust.org.uk/portstewart-strand

8. Dunluce Castle



87 Dunluce Road, Portrush BT57 8UY

Dunluce is one of the most picturesque and romantic of Irish Castles. A defended site for over 1,000 years, the present castle ruins date mainly from the 16th and 17th centuries. Historical and archaeological exhibits are open to public viewing. Admission charge. Open all year except Christmas and New Year.

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11. Ballintoy



Harbour Road, Ballintoy BT54 6NA

Ballintoy village has a charming array of small shops, two churches, including the quaint white Ballintoy Parish Church. The picturesque fishing harbour can be found at the end of a small narrow winding road.

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14. Dark Hedges



Bregagh Road, Ballymoney BT53 8TP

This beautiful avenue of beech trees known as The Dark Hedges was planted by the Stuart family in the 18th century as an impressive entrance to their Georgian mansion, Gracehill House. Two centuries later, the trees remain a magnificent sight and have become one of the most photographed natural phenomena in Northern Ireland.

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17. Glenariff Forest Park



Glenariff Road, BT44 OQX near Vaterfoot

Glenariff Forest Park is a beautiful scenic area in one of the nine 'Glens of Antrim', with several walking trails through the forest and an exhibition centre. The unique waterfall walkway, 3 miles long passes through a National Nature Reserve. Facilities on-site. Parking charge.

T: +44 (0)28 7034 0870 www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles /glenariff-forest-park

20. Glenarm Castle



2 Castle Lane, Glenarm BT44 OBQ

Dating from the 18th century,
The Walled Garden at Glenarm Castle
is one of the oldest in Ireland. Open from
April through to mid-October, featuring
a tea room and shop, the Castle hosts the
annual Tulip Festival and Dalriada Festival.
Admission charge.

T: +44 (0)28 2884 1203 www.glenarmcastle.com

23. Carrickfergus Castle



Marine Highway, Carrickferg BT38 7BG

on the northern shore of Belfast Lough. Besieged in turn by the Scots, Irish, English and French, it played an important military role until 1928 and remains one of the best preserved medieval structures in Ireland. Admission charge.

Carrickfergus Castle is a Norman castle

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Causeway Coastal Route

Additional Scenic Routes Wild Atlantic Way



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Airports Ferry (This map is designed for illustration purposes only)



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