



Ullapool

“Stepping stone to the Northwest”

Ullapool is surrounded by outstanding scenery, wildlife and culture. A destination in its own right for nature, hillwalking, outdoor activities, music, arts, food and drink, festivals, history and Highland culture.



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Applecross Heritage Centre Our exhibition endeavors to share with you the ways in which we can find clues and evidence to unlock the past. Come back in time with us as we peel back the layers which reveal the fascinating and remarkable story of Applecross, dating back over 1300 years to 673.

Attadale Gardens include hill paths meandering through 20 acres of conifers and rhododendrons, along with many low level walks and attractions. Totally transformed after the 1980 storms, it is an artist's garden designed to frame the magnificent views of Skye and the surrounding hills. Waterfalls, Monet bridges, meconopsis, bamboo and candelabra primula are reflected in dark pools. Sculpture lurks in unexpected places.



Beinn Eighe Nature Reserve with a cluster of mountain peaks, ancient pinewoods, secretive crossbills and soaring golden eagles, it's no wonder that Beinn Eighe was Britain's first National Nature Reserve. You'll be amazed by the diversity of wildlife that thrives on this reserve. The trail network here offers something for everyone, whatever the weather.



Gairloch Heritage Museum takes you on a journey through time showing how local people lived and worked in Gairloch through the ages. Marvel at how stone age and bronze age people existed. Fathom the mysteries of a Pictish symbol stone. Relive life in the croft house, the school room and the village shop. Imagine joining a ceilidh at the end of a hard day on the croft, sustained by the produce of the dairy and illicit whisky.



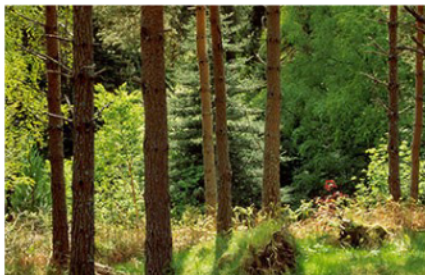
Knockan Crag Visitors travel to Knockan Crag from all over the world to admire the unique natural beauty of this rock formation and it is of particular interest to geologists. One of the main focal points is the Moine Thrust. A visitor center has been established here to present historical findings as well as display the unique artwork of Joe Smith.



Inverewe Gardens It's astonishing what you can grow in one of the most northerly corners of Scotland when you put your mind to it. Twisting through the soil on this patch of coast is a paradise of weird and wonderful botanicals, where the unexpected greets you at every corner. Inverewe is an inspiring place that celebrates mankind and the natural environment. Marvel at our heritage garden comprising species from across the globe, created from a barren wilderness in the 19th century. A tale of enduring love and commitment, it is a feast for your senses. Inverewe House is now a museum with a twist, where you are encouraged to interact with a variety of objects, play games and even take a piece of Inverewe home from our seed bank. The Sawyer Gallery hosts exhibitions throughout the year that reflect the characteristics of Inverewe and the surrounding environment.



Lael Forest Garden In the 19th century tree hunters travelled the world collecting rare seed and planting them in arboreta like this one. Spend some time in the exotic freshness of this extraordinary woodland and enjoy making your own discoveries. You'll come across rare and common trees and shrubs from nearly every country of the world, as well as some wonderful champion trees.



Leckmelm Arboretum planted in the 1870s, it was abandoned from 1945 to 1985. Since then it has been restored to its former Victorian glory. We hope you will enjoy the garden, its unusual rare trees and shrubs and its setting on the shore of Loch Broom, warmed by the Gulf Stream



Russian Arctic Convoy Museum is a project to develop a museum in memory of those who braved the convoys between Loch Ewe and Russia during the Second World War. Although not quite a museum as yet, the RACM project operates an intriguing and thought provoking exhibition looking at the history, artefacts, and information surrounding these convoys.



Ullapool Museum Explore how people lived, worked, played and learned through the ages. The museum holds a broad social history collection including objects related to crofting, the sea, education and learning. The Museum's crofting collection includes both large agricultural tools and small household objects. You can explore what life was like in a small crofting community and how homes in Lochbroom have changed.

