

DO IT YOURSELF TRIPS

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT OFFICE

CONWY CASTLE AND CONWY FEAST 2016



DESCRIPTION:

Conwy Castle is one of the best surviving medieval castles in Britain. It has eight towers, a great hall, chambers and a kitchen plus a secluded inner area with private chambers and a royal chapel. From the battlements there are beautiful views of the mountains and the sea. The Conwy town walls attached to the castle are free to walk along, but you will need to pay to enter the castle itself.

Entry to castle walls: Free.

Entry to castle*: Adults £6.75, Students/Child £5.10 or Family (2 adults + 2 children) £20.25.

Conwy Feast is a great event for all ages and is a great opportunity to see, taste and buy some great local products. The festival includes food and drink, music and art. The Feast is on Saturday 22nd and Sunday 23rd October 2016. Many of the festivities are free but you will need to pay if you want to access the main food demonstration tents and for some of the live music/beer tents. You can buy a ticket on the day so you can take a look at what's on and decide when you get there!

Entry to street markets and activities: Free

Entry to food demos and evening entertainment: Saturday: £12, Sunday: £8. (2015 prices; 2016—tbc)

WEBSITES:

1. Conwy Castle cadw.wales.gov.uk/daysout/conwycastle
2. Conwy Feast www.conwyfeast.co.uk
3. Tourist Information www.visitllandudno.org.uk/towns-and-villages/conwy

HOW TO GET THERE:

Public Transport*:

Bus Time: 40-45 minutes. For local bus timetables, see www.arrivabus.co.uk
Cost: Adult £5.50/ Child £3.50/ Family £10 (buy a "Red Rover" ticket on the bus).
Details: Bus from Bangor to Conwy Castle Square ([Bus 5/5S/X5](#))
Last bus departs Conwy 22.15 on Saturday and Sunday.

Train Time: 20 minutes (direct train). For train journey planner, see ojp.nationalrail.co.uk
Cost: Adult £6.90 return / £4.55 return with railcard
Details: Saturday: Last train departs Conwy at 22.23
Sunday: Late trains depart Conwy at 20.53 and 23.53

Minibus/Taxi: If you are travelling in a largish group, it might be cheaper (?) to book a [taxi/minibus](#).

Car: 20-25 minutes from Bangor. There is limited free street parking, but several public 'pay-and-display' car parks. During Conwy Feast it is recommended that you use the Park and Ride service www.conwyfeast.com/travel/park-ride/ [Directions](#) (AA Routeplanner online).

MORE INFO: Conwy Tourist Information Centre: Muriau Buildings, Rose Hill Street, Conwy, LL32 8LD
Open all year. Tel: 01492 577566 Email: conwytic@conwy.gov.uk

* correct Sept 2015