

Created by Nature to last a lifetime



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Browse the amazing range of Honister green slate products in our gallery. It's the finest available - the queen has it on her roof! 'The Rolls Royce of Stone.' Delivered to your door.

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Visitor Centre

Everything slate, including bespoke and the extremely unusual For house and garden. Buttermere and Westmorland Green Slate' is 450 million years old. It's going to last! And they say our ladies' powder room is better than those in Harrods!



Luxury 5* Accommodation

www.discoverparadigm.com Tel: 01900 825011 Contact: Jan Wilkinson



FREE Factory Trail



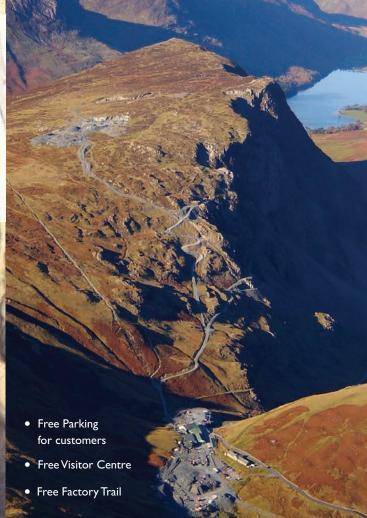
OUR REMARKABLE HERITAGE & HISTORY

It is very likely that slate was worked at Honister shortly after the Norman Conquest and by the late 1600's it was well established. Early 'open-sky' workings were along the top of Honister Crag but by the mid 1700's slate mining had developed extensively with miners tunnelling into the crag to work rich deposits underground. Today there are two separate quite extensive active slate mines within the crag. The Kimberley Mine produces a dark olive-green slate while the Honister Mine produces lighter grey-green products.



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England's last working Slate Mine



Open 7 Days a Week

BOOK ONLINE

24hr Booking Facility

Mine Tours, Via Ferrata's, Climb in the Mine, Infinity Bridge, Retail, Trade and Café.

Honister, Honister Pass, Borrowdale, Keswick, Cumbria CA12 5XN. SatNav.: CA12 5XN Grid Reference: NY 20587 / 14167

Tel: 017687 77230

Group Discounts available. Group Educational Tours can be arranged.

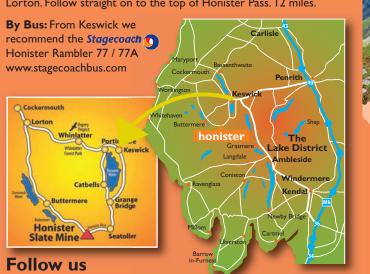
६ Visitor Centre compliant for those with disabilities.

Togs with owners on a lead are welcome in the Visitor Centre. We regret we are unable to accommodate them on tours. Kennels are available, please ask.

GETTING HERE

By Car: From Keswick, take the B5289 signposted 'Borrowdale' to Honister Pass. 8 miles.

From Cockermouth take the B5289 signposted 'Buttermere' via Lorton. Follow straight on to the top of Honister Pass. 12 miles.













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Outside Adventure Inside Adventure

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Scaling heights you would never think possible, includes three exciting bridge crossings very deep underground in a 380ft cavern.

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Infinity Bridge so named because often you are unable to see the other end!
Strung across a breathtaking gorge high up on the mountain, 1,500ft above the valley floor below. The Longest in Britain!

Via Ferrata Xtreme which takes the Via Ferrata

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'Sky Walking' in the Lake District....
Inch your way across the daunting
'Burma Bridge', suspended above
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You'll be guided and secured to the mountain by cable throughout, you do not need previous climbing experience.

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the Via Ferrata

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Step out of

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Mine Tours

Guided Mine Tours of England's oldest working slate mine wind their way through the 900 year old mine deep in the heart of the former volcano, Fleetwith, taking in narrow passages and incredible cathedral-like caverns. There are also specialist ecological and industrial heritage tours on Honister Crag during the summer.

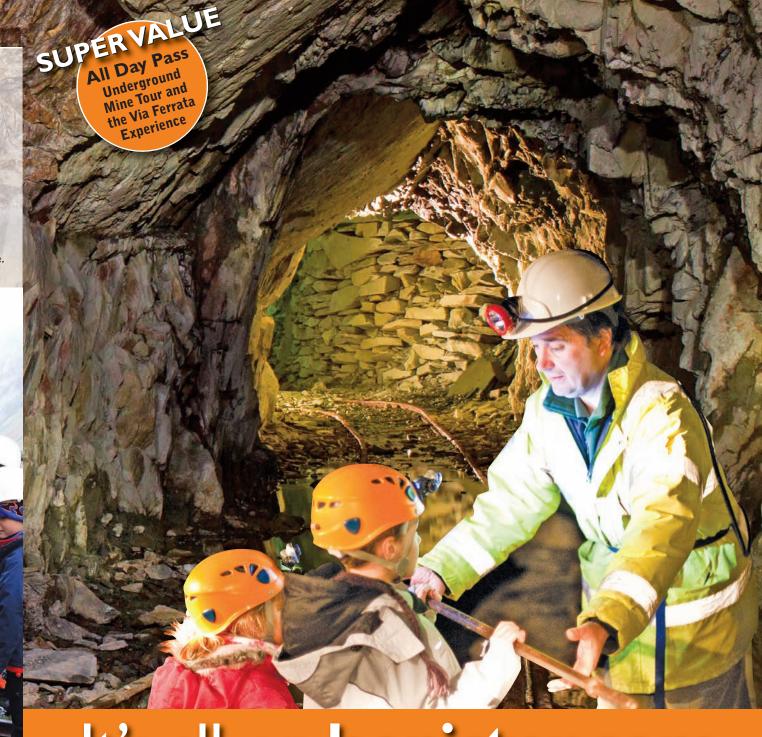
Daily from 10.30
Check online 24/7 for times and prices
Family & Group discounts available

Kimberley Tour: Suitable for all ages, mainly on the flat.

Our most popular tour.

Honister Tour: Go out on the edge, then up and deep inside.
(Subject to weather and safety conditions).





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