

Laurab190389
Singapore, Singapore

Perfect for us

Left on Sep 20, 2016 for a stay in Sep 2016

1 people found this review helpful

My husband and I stayed in the ground floor apartment with our 5 month old son for 4 nights. It was exactly what we were looking for. The apartment itself was spotlessly clean and well maintained. A travel cot and highchair had been left out for us, which was really helpful. As the weather was good, we were able to make use of the BBQ and found everything we needed including charcoal and firelighters in the shed. St Helen's was a peaceful and pretty village. We enjoyed exploring the local area, including walks down to the harbour and into nearby Bembridge. We also had an enjoyable meal in the Vine Inn pub. We would certainly recommend this place and would be happy to return in the future.

GMP41
Horsham, United Kingdom

Very Good Flat in Lovely Location

Left on Jul 21, 2016 for a stay in Jul 2016

We stayed in the downstairs flat which was the perfect size for the two of us. It is located in a quiet road so, although the bedroom overlooked the road, we weren't bothered by any street noise. No parking outside, but there are spaces to be found around the green. Nice little patio area, which we didn't use too often as there was building work going on at the house at the bottom of the garden (however this obviously will be a short term occurrence). The beach is a short walk away as is the Duver which is an interesting area. There are two restaurants nearby and the one we went to (Dans Kitchen at the top of the road) was very good, as was Vine Inn. St Helens is a lovely village and I'm sure we will return. The villages either side (Bembridge and Seaview) are also worth a visit.

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Your response:

"Unfortunately one of the joys of holidaying in the Isle of Wight is the slower pace of life which has had a detrimental effect on this occasion. Living on the mainland I find it hard to believe that the building work has still not been completed and I am really sorry that this impacted on the holiday. I am endeavouring to contact the neighbours to ask the builders to be more sensitive.
Angela"

tazdevil2016
Wolverhampton, United Kingdom

Excellent place to stay

Left on Jul 13, 2016 for a stay in Jun 2016

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We enjoyed our stay in the upstairs apartment. It was just what we wanted for our first visit to the Isle of Wight. It was very homely and comfortable. We will definately return to this property. Just a shame there is no parking but it did not spoil it for us as parking was not too far away on the green.

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Rachel R

Lovely flat near beautiful bay and beaches.

Left on Apr 12, 2016 for a stay in Apr 2016

We had a lovely stay at Drayton Villas. We stayed in the upstairs flat which was clean, spacious and had all we needed. The main bed was comfortable, however the sofa bed was quite small and not too comfortable. This flat has plenty of room for a family of 4. The host was extremely helpful, sending clear instructions prior to our arrival and was easily contactable and efficient when we lost Wi-Fi due to those in the downstairs flat switching it off on their departure.

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Your response:

"Thanks for review. I do advise groups of adults that downstairs sofa bed is bigger. Fine for smaller children or lightweights. I think it might be time to upgrade!"

Alexis R
Wrexham, United Kingdom

Excellent stay, lovely apartment

Left on Sep 2, 2015 for a stay in Jul 2015

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Had a lovely time, the apartment was clean and comfortable with everything we needed, lovely village with really nice welcoming local pub with serve good food, nice atmosphere and friendly locals. A perfect base for visiting the island. Already hoping to booked again next year,

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sladie
Orpington, Kent

Lovely!

Left on Jun 24, 2015 for a stay in Jun 2015
We stayed in the downstairs apartment, and it was excellent! We had everything we needed for a weeks holiday. A comfortable, sweet little place, harbour down the road, and within easy reach of everywhere else! Might very well come back next year!
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Ann K
Ennis, Ireland

Excellent apartment

Left on Aug 20, 2014 for a stay in Aug 2014
We spent a very enjoyable week in the upstairs apartment. It had everything you needed including washing machine, iron and ironing board etc. we travelled with two young kids and the apartment was well equipped for them including stair gate. Lovely quiet location with all amenities closeby. Will definitely return.
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richa004

Such a lovely place to spend a week... or longer!

Left on Jul 17, 2013 for a stay in Jul 2013
My girlfriend and I spent a week here during Wimbledon week and were blown away by how lovely the apartment and St Helen's was. Everything about the place was better than we could have dreamed of - the kitchen had everything we needed, the living room was large enough for a family of 4, the bathroom was clean and functional and the bedroom had plenty of storage. We especially liked the large windows which you could open to get a lovely sea breeze in and the cutting edge TV which had connections for just about anything. There were board games, books and DVDs to provide entertainment if you run out of things to do on the island. The only downsides I would say is that the sofa bed is only as comfortable as a sofa bed can be so to spend a week on it is not advised. There is also a lack of wifi so prepare to spend a week disconnected from the world. Would definitely stay again though!
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Alistair G

Very comfortable - excellent location

Left on Jun 11, 2013 for a stay in Jun 2012
Drayton cottages is a brilliant location. It is situated just off the village green, a short walk to the beach and within walking distance from several restaurants and pubs. The apartment has all the amenities required including outdoor space for a barbecue.

Kim C
Chichester, England, United Kingdom

Clean, comfortable, accommodation

Left on Jan 28, 2013 for a stay in Jan 2013
We loved staying here at Drayton villas, it was so clean and comfortable, to me it was home from home, you had all you needed for your stay there, you were within easy reach of visiting places of interest, you have some lovely walks around the village and down the beach, you have a lovely t shop in the village, the top apartment you have sea views, I really do recommend this property to rent for a holiday, myself and my husband will most certainly go back. All the people that have stayed there previous to us all highly recommend it. The downstairs property is suitable for elderly, both properties were good for family's
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Yvette Y

A homely, warm and clean villa

Left on Nov 17, 2012 for a stay in Oct 2012
My friends and I found the villas very clean and a very homely place to be. Offers a pleasant walk to the beach, getting caught up in the tide and socking wet was fun. Very well situated for travel around the Isle of Wight.
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Anna A

Island Retreat

Left on Apr 19, 2012 for a stay in Apr 2012

From start to finish our stay at 'The Villas' was simply 'Great'. From the hassle free booking, straight forward instructions into the property & the welcome folder where very helpful. The holiday let was very clean, fresh and modern with the bedroom overlooking a quiet street. Plenty of extra linen & towels if required. It didn't matter that we couldn't park outside the property, it was only a short walk to 'The green' & was a delightful added difference to the daily trips out. We were fortunate to have good weather and brought our bikes, which we were secured in the back yard overnight. The local area is beautiful and very easy to access on foot, with some very disirable cafes, pubs & restaurant on your doorstep. Leaflets can be found in the lounge of the holiday let. We would definetly stay here again.

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Gilly186299

Southampton, United Kingdom

Clean & comfortable accommodation

Left on Aug 6, 2011 for a stay in Jun 2011

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Ideal location for base to visit attractions. Comfortable & clean. Bathroom dated but adequate. No dishwasher in kitchen, but did not really cause a problem. Private courtyard garden. Local pub good value, and tea-rooms also. Very enjoyable local walks to thhe small beach area.. We had a really enjoyable break here and would come again in future.

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