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The Royal Geographical Society (with IBG) has just published a brand new walk in Llandudno

Town walk

3 miles long



Self guided

Free to download

Discover why this site was chosen for a seaside resort in the Victorian era Explore the planned town with its grid system, promenade and elegant hotels Learn what rules and regulations ensure that the town's character is preserved Find out how the town has adapted to changing economic circumstances





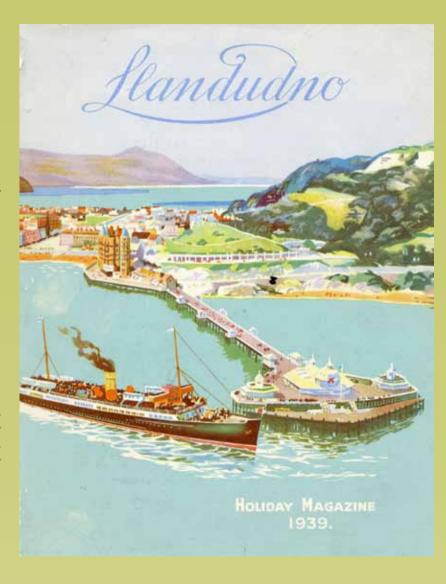
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Explore the elegant seaside town of Llandudno

Promenades, Piers, Punch and Judy – all essential elements of the British seaside resort. You can find these and much more in Llandudno on the North Wales coast.

On this 3 mile walk you will discover why the marshland behind Llandudno Bay was chosen for a new seaside town intended to rival the great resorts of the Mediterranean.

Walk along broad avenues and the curved seafront to appreciate how the design of the town was carefully planned. Admire elegant hotels and find out about the regulations that controlled the size and design of buildings. Enjoy a quiet stroll in well-tended gardens and the thrill of going on the pier.





Llandudno attracted wealthy clientele who came to stay in exclusive hotels for the season, as well as ordinary families from the industrial cities who came for their annual holidays year after year.

While cheap package holidays threatened many British seaside resorts find out how Llandudno has adapted to the changing circumstances while maintaining its character.

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