



PIGEON SHOOTING IN SCOTLAND



Scotland has strong hunting traditions and offers a wide range of different hunting opportunities. Our Scottish partner offers fantastic pigeon shooting in southern Scotland. It is an incredibly beautiful area with varied farmland, small woodlands, hedgerows, and some gently rolling terrain, an ideal habitat for wood pigeons.



Challenging hunt



Requires moderate level of fitness



Accommodation in a hotel



Shotgun Hunt

HIGHLIGHTS & DESCRIPTION

Pigeon shooting in Scotland



Overview

Background

We have an exclusive partnership with a family-owned hunting hotel of international top class. This is an offer for hunters seeking the ultimate Scottish hunting travel experience, with accommodation tailored specifically for hunters and their companions – and, not least, first-class hunting opportunities in close proximity to the hotel. The family's purpose in acquiring the hotel in April 2007 was to combine the perfect stay with the perfect hunting on an ????????? estate. In other words, a complete hunting experience where both accommodation and hunting grounds are tailored to the hunter, and where the partner offers extensive experience and a high level of service.

The family that runs the hotel has access to more than 40,000 hectares of professionally managed hunting within a 35-minute drive from the hotel.

Accommodation

The hotel, located just one hour from Edinburgh Airport, is beautifully situated on the banks of the River Tweed in the heart of the Scottish Borders – the border region towards England in the south. From most of the rooms and lounge areas, there are views of the river.

The hotel is a luxuriously furnished 4-star property with an outstanding restaurant. The cuisine is naturally based on game and seasonal local produce. The hotel is equipped with a secure gun room for storing guests' firearms and

HIGHLIGHTS

- Beautiful and stunning scenery
- Pigeon shooting in an ideal area for wood pigeons
- Passionate guides
- The hunt organiser puts in extensive preparation to ensure the best possible hunting experience



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ammunition, as well as a drying room for wet hunting clothing. For several years, the hotel has received the prestigious award “Scottish Country Sports Hotel of the Year” in recognition of the service it provides to its hunting guests.

The Hunt

The pigeon shooting is conducted in the traditional way using hides, decoys, etc. Between 2–8 hunters can participate at a time – the more, the better, as it helps keep the pigeons moving.

The best periods are after harvest in July/August/September or during the spring months of March, April, and May, when shooting takes place over newly sown fields.

Results will naturally vary depending on weather conditions and shooting ability. The success of the hunt also depends heavily on the stage of the crops and the timing of sowing and harvesting. However, under the right conditions, very successful days can be experienced.

Over the years, the average has been around 20 pigeons per hunter per day, but results depend on many factors, and days with over 100 pigeons are certainly not uncommon under optimal conditions.

The host and his professional team will continuously ensure that hunters are moved to the locations where pigeons are most active, helping to ensure that everyone gets the most out of the day.



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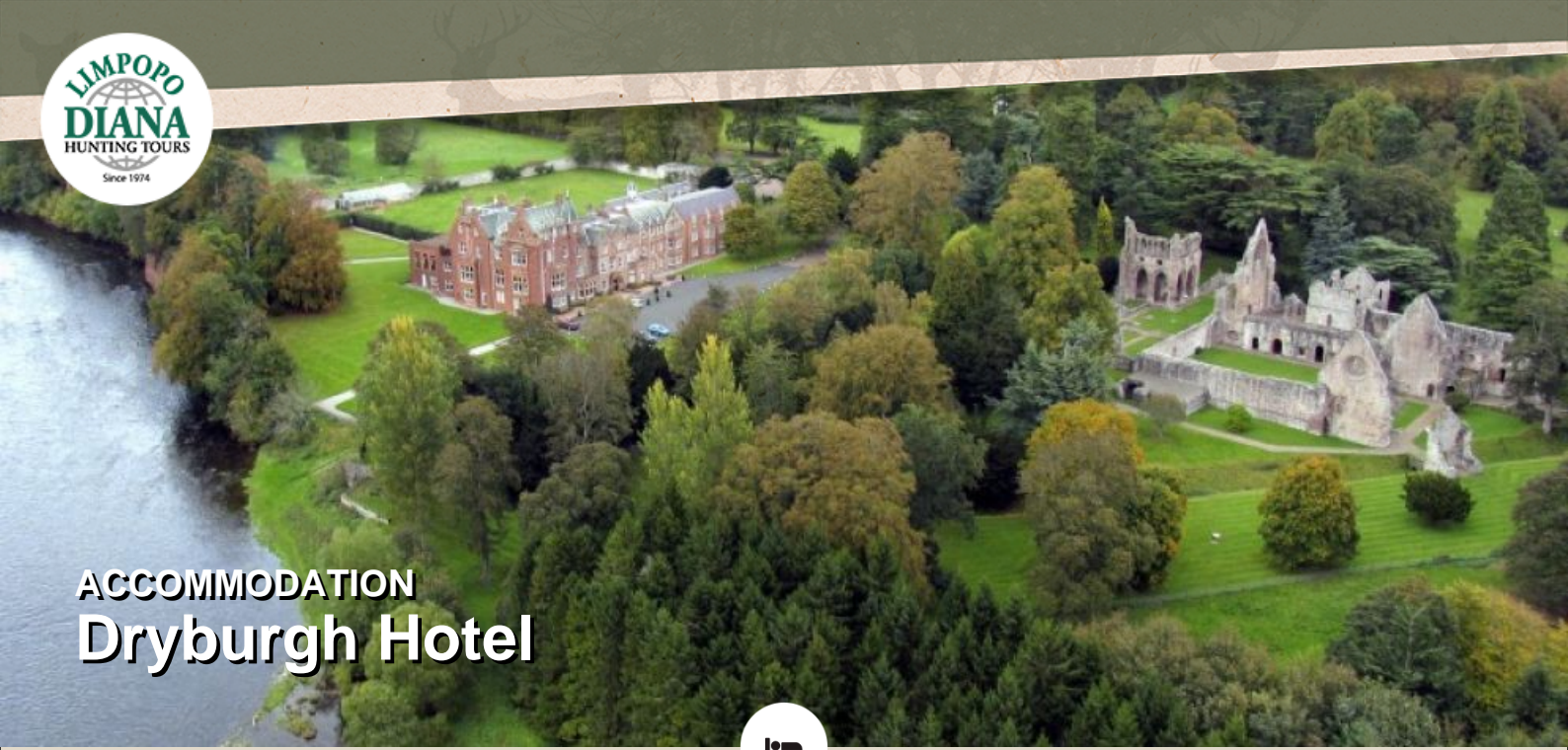
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ACCOMMODATION Dryburgh Hotel



The hotel, which is only an hours drive from Edinburgh airport, is beautifully located on the banks of the River Tweed in the heart of the Scottish Borders. Most of the rooms and public areas offer views over the river.

The hotel is a luxuriously furnished 4-star hotel featuring an exceptional restaurant. The menu, as you might expect, features many game dishes with seasonal, locally produced vegetables. The hotel provides a secure gun room, for safe storage of the guests weapons and ammunition, and also has a drying room where you can dry soaked hunting clothes.

In 2010 the hotel was awarded the prestigious “Scottish Country Sports Hotel of the Year” in recognition of the good service it provides for it’s hunting guests. It goes without saying that the hotel is ideal for both couples and for larger corporate events



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HUNTING AREA Melrose



The families aim, when they took over the hotel in April 2007, was to combine the perfect hunting hotel with perfect hunting in a fantastic district. A total hunting experience, where both accommodation and the hunting district has been tailored to the needs of the hunter, and the hunter can enjoy the benefits of our partner's wealth of experience and the high level of service he provides.

The family running the hotel has access to more than 40,000 hectares of professionally managed hunting, all with a 35 minute drive from the hotel. The possibilities available are overwhelming, and very varied in character. Woodcock and rough shooting is available almost right next to the hotel, while "walked up" rough shooting for game that can include ducks, together with goose shooting are all available at a number of nearby locations.

It is possible to shoot grouse over pointers and setters, as well as on world class, traditional driven shoots. It is also possible to arrange hunting for mountain hares, as well as drives for pheasants and partridges. Naturally it is also possible to arrange pigeon shoots and roebuck hunts.

The countryside in this area is absolutely beautiful, a mix of fertile farmland and Scottish hills. We can warmly recommend hunting here.



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Price and info on your tour

Specification of price

Prices

Description	Possible Lodging Dates	Price from (per. person)
Price per hunter	12. July 2026 - 25. October 2026	\$2,295.00

The price includes

- 2 days of mixed small game hunting
- 1 day hunting for hares
- 4 day stay at the beautiful country house hotel m.
Breakfast and dinner

The price does not include

- Flight to Edinburgh
- Rental car / Transfer
- Scottish weapon permit € 115,-
- Travel- and cancellation insurance
- Tips
- Cartridges
- Booking fee € 200,- per hunter
- Fee for bringing own shotguns on airplane
- EU-public liability insurance € 10,00,-
- Everything not listed under the "price includes"

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Exchange Rate

The price show for this tour is for guidance only as fluctuations in the exchange rate may need to be taken into account. The actual price of the tour will be agreed later.

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GAME Pigeon shooting in Scotland



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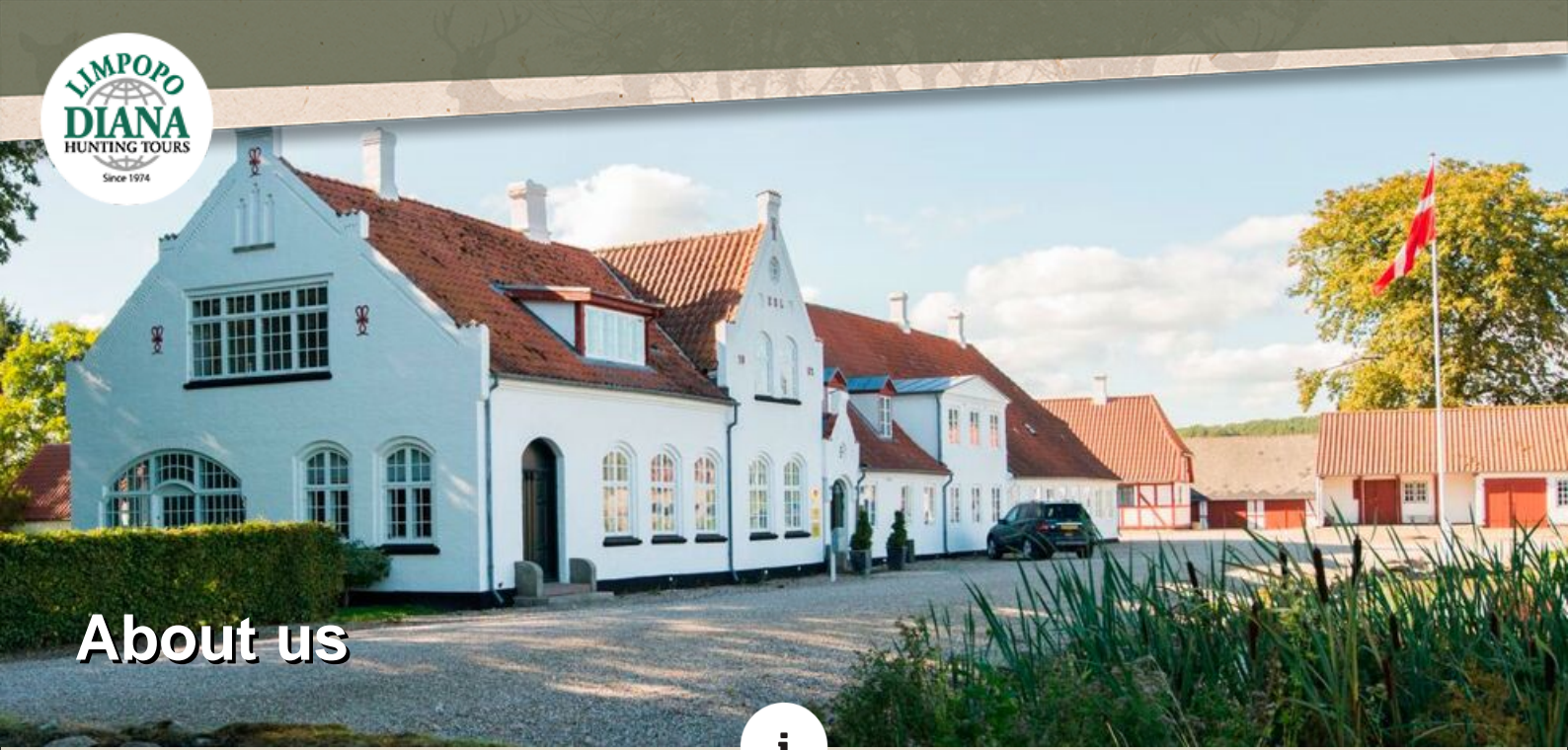
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About us



Limpopo & Diana Hunting Tours

Limpopo & Diana Hunting Tours Limpopo Travel and Diana Hunting Tours – which today are one and the same company - are built on more than four decades of experience in the hunting travel industry. Diana Hunting tours was founded in Svendborg back in 1974 by the internationally known figure in the hunting tour industry, Jan Krossteig, who today remains shareholder and chairman of the concern.

Over the years the company has grown into the world's largest hunting travel office, with hunting partners in more than 40 counties and customers from around the world. This has only been possible because of the strength of our customers faith in our company, our partners and the service we provide. We take great pride in the fact that a significant number of our customers are "regulars" you not only travel with us frequently, but also bring with then new customers into our business.

The hunting travel market has never been as chaotic as it is at present. There have always been a mass of smalland medium sized agencies trading on the market, but in recent years the rise of the internet has really opened up the market for direct booking and packages sold by "agents" of more or less transparent character and by agencies based abroad.

A large number of hunters have had their fingers burnt booking "cheap" packages, which rarely proceed as promised, Generally it is only when things go wrong that the unfortunate hunter who bought the tour first realises what the difference between a good Danish travel agency - with all the security that entails -and a questionable foreign seller, really is.

What we offer our customers is a rather unique level of security. Our experienced staff really know our destinations and can provide highly qualified advice tailored to the customer's individual requirements. If you book your hunting tour through us you also have a guarantee against the unlikely event of bankruptcy through the Danish Travel Guarantee Fund. Our long standing membership of the Danish Travel Agency Association is also a guarantee for professional service throughout all the proceedings that a hunting tour entails - also in the event of something not going quite as planned. As one of our customers you can expect around the clock support, via our emergency hotline, in the event of anything at all going wrong.

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