



OUR TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. THESE TERMS

- 1.1 What these terms cover. These are the terms and conditions on which we supply products to you, whether these are goods, services, or digital content.
- 1.2 Why you should read them. Please read these terms carefully before you submit your order to us. These terms tell you who we are, how we will provide products to you, how you and we may change or end the contract, what to do if there is a problem and other important information. If you think that there is a mistake in these terms or require any changes, please contact us to discuss.

2. INFORMATION ABOUT US AND HOW TO CONTACT US

- 2.1 Who we are? We are Wealden Railway Company Limited trading as Spa Valley Railway a company registered in England and Wales. Our company registration number is 01936470 and our registered office is at West Station, Nevill Terrace, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, TN2 5QY. Our registered VAT number is GB 411 1380 53.
- 2.2 How to contact us. You can contact us by writing to us at:
2.2.1 email at enquiries@spavalleyrailway.co.uk; or
2.2.2 post to West Station, Nevill Terrace, Royal Tunbridge Wells, Kent, TN2 5QY.
- 2.3 How we may contact you. If we must contact you, we will do so by writing to you at the email address or postal address you provided to us in your order.

- 2.4 "Writing" includes emails. When we use the words "writing" or "written" in these terms, this includes emails.

3. OUR CONTRACT WITH YOU

- 3.1 How we will accept your order. Our acceptance of your order will take place when we email you to accept it, at which point a contract will come into existence between you and us.
- 3.2 If we cannot accept your order. If we are unable to accept your order, we will inform you of this in writing and will not charge you for the product. This might be because the product is out of stock, because of unexpected limits on our resources which we could not reasonably plan for, because we have identified an error in the price or description of the product or because we are unable to meet a delivery deadline you have specified.
- 3.3 Your order number: We will assign an order number to your order and tell you what it is when we accept your order. It will help us if you can tell us the order number whenever you contact us about your order.
- 3.4 We only sell to the UK. Our website is solely for the promotion of our products in the UK. Unfortunately, we do not deliver to addresses outside the UK.

4. OUR PRODUCTS

- 4.1 Products may vary slightly from their pictures. The images of the products on our website are for illustrative purposes only. Although we have made every effort to display the colours accurately, we cannot guarantee that a device's display of the colours accurately reflects the colour of the products. Your product may vary slightly from those images.
- 4.2 Product packaging may vary. The packaging of the product may vary from that shown in images on our website.

5. YOUR RIGHTS TO MAKE CHANGES

If you wish to make a change to the product you have ordered, please contact us. We will let you know if the change is possible. If it is possible, we will let you know about any changes to the price of the product, the timing of supply or anything else which would be necessary because of your requested change and ask you to confirm whether you wish to go ahead with the change. If we cannot make the change or the consequences of making the change are unacceptable to you, you may want to end the contract (see clause 8: Your rights to end the contract).

Any changes to products and bookings such as but not limited to date and times incur a £10 administration fee.

6. OUR RIGHTS TO MAKE CHANGES

- 6.1 Changes to the products. We may change the product:
- 6.1.1 to reflect changes in relevant laws and regulatory requirements; and
- 6.1.2 to implement minor technical adjustments and improvements, for example:
- (a) to address a security threat;
 - (b) in respect of train rides on both our diesel trains and steam locomotives, there may be last-minute repairs required to the carriage(s) that you have booked a seat on which may require us to use different carriages

- meaning that you may have to be allocated a different seat to the one that you selected when booking your ticket(s);
- (c) in respect of our dining train experiences, our suppliers may have not been able to deliver the advertised product to us before your train experience and we will have to use an alternate/product instead;
- (d) in respect of our dining experiences, we may have to change items on the menu at the last minute if we have experienced any issues and/or difficulties receiving any of these items from our suppliers; and
- (e) in the event that one of our steam locomotives is unavailable and/or requires last-minute repairs and is unable to operate, we will arrange for a diesel operated train to pull the carriages for your train ride and/or experience event, which will mean that the only change to your trip and/or experience is the type of engine pulling the carriages but, in all other respects, your trip and/or experience will remain the same.
- (f) These changes will only have a minor effect on your use and enjoyment of the product.

6.2 More significant changes to the products and these terms. In addition, as we informed you in the description of the product on our website, we may make the following changes to the product, but if we do so we will notify you and you may then contact us to end the contract before the changes take effect and receive a refund for any products paid for but not received:

- 6.2.1 in the event that one of our trains breaks down and/or requires last-minute repairs and is unable to operate, we will inform you of this as soon as possible to let you know of either:
- (a) alternative dates and times to reschedule your train experience; or
 - (b) give you the option to end the contract and receive a refund.
 - (c) we cannot under any circumstances be held responsible for any costs incurred for travel or accommodation and strongly recommend you take out a form of travel insurance for your own protection.

6.3 Updates to digital content. We may update or require you to update digital content, provided that the digital content shall always match the description of it that we provided to you before you bought it.

7. PROVIDING THE PRODUCTS

7.1 Delivery costs. The costs of delivery will be as displayed to you on our website.

7.2 When we will provide the products.

- 7.2.1 If the products are goods. If the products are goods, we will deliver them to you as soon as reasonably possible and in any event within 30 days after the day on which we accept your order.
- 7.2.2 If the products are one-off services. We will begin the services on the date set out in the order. The completion date for the services is as told to you during the order process.
- 7.2.3 If the product is a one-off purchase of digital content. We will make the digital content available for download by you as soon as we accept your order.
- 7.2.4 If the products are ongoing services or a subscription to receive goods. We will supply the services, goods or digital content to you until either the services are completed or the subscription expires (if applicable) or you end the contract as described in clause 8 or we end the contract by written notice to you as described in clause 10.

7.3 We are not responsible for delays outside our control. If our supply of the products is delayed by an event outside our control, then we will contact you as soon as possible to let you know and we will take steps to minimise the effect of the delay. Provided we do this we will not be liable for delays caused by the event, but if there is a risk of substantial delay you may contact us to end the contract and receive a refund for any products you have paid for but not received.

7.4 If you are not at home when the product is delivered. If no one is available at your address to take delivery and the products cannot be posted through your letterbox, we will leave you a note informing you of how to rearrange delivery or collect the products from a local depot.

7.5 If you do not re-arrange delivery. If you do not collect the products from us as arranged or if, after a failed delivery to you, you do not re-arrange delivery or collect them from a delivery depot we will contact you for further instructions and may charge you for storage costs and any further delivery costs. If, despite our reasonable efforts, we are unable to contact you or re-arrange delivery or collection we may end the contract and clause 10.2 will apply.

7.6 When you become responsible for the goods. A product which is goods will be your responsibility from the time we deliver the product to the address you gave us.

7.7 When you own goods. You own a product which is goods once we have received payment in full.

7.8 What will happen if you do not give required information to us. We may need certain information from you so that we can supply the products to you, for example:

- 7.8.1 as part of our standard booking process for train events and other special events, we will require the usual information of your name, email address, home address and telephone number;
- 7.8.2 any dietary and/or allergens requirements that you may have in respect of any of our products that offer food and/or drink options;
- 7.8.3 verification of your age in respect of any of our products that involve either the sale or serving of alcohol;

7.8.4 whilst not a mandatory requirement, if you are booking a place for a child and would like the child to receive a gift (as part of the experience) that is age-specific and/or traditionally associated with a specific gender, you can inform us of how old the child is and/or their gender so that an appropriate gift can be given.

If so, this will have been stated in the description of the products on our website. We will contact you in writing to ask for this information. If you do not give us this information within a reasonable time of us asking for it, or if you give us incomplete or incorrect information, we may either end the contract (and clause 10.2 will apply) or make an additional charge of a reasonable sum to compensate us for any extra work that is required as a result. We will not be responsible for supplying the products late or not supplying any part of them if this is caused by you not giving us the information, we need within a reasonable time of us asking for it.

7.9 Reasons we may suspend the supply of products to you. We may have to suspend the supply of a product to:

7.9.1 deal with technical problems or make minor technical changes;

7.9.2 update the product to reflect changes in relevant laws and regulatory requirements;

7.9.3 make changes to the product as requested by you or notified by us to you (see clause 6).

7.10 Your rights if we suspend the supply of products. We will contact you in advance to tell you we will be suspending supply of the product unless the problem is urgent or an emergency. If we have to suspend the product, we will adjust the price so that you do not pay for products while they are suspended. You may contact us to end the contract for a product if we suspend it, or tell you we are going to suspend it, in each case for a period of more than 21 days and we will refund any sums you have paid in advance for the product in respect of the period after you end the contract.

7.11 We may also suspend supply of the products if you do not pay. If you do not pay us for the products when you are supposed to (see clause 12.4) and you still do not make payment within 14 days of us reminding you that payment is due, we may suspend supply of the products until you have paid us the outstanding amounts. We will contact you to tell you we are suspending supply of the products. We will not suspend the products where you dispute the unpaid invoice (see clause 12.6). We will not charge you for the products during the period for which they are suspended. As well as suspending the products we can also charge you interest on your overdue payments (see clause 12.5).

8. YOUR RIGHTS TO END THE CONTRACT

8.1 You can always end your contract with us. Your rights when you end the contract will depend on what you have bought, whether there is anything wrong with it, how we are performing and when you decide to end the contract:

8.1.1 If what you have bought is faulty or misdescribed you may have a legal right to end the contract (or to get the product repaired or replaced or a service re-performed or to get some or all of your money back), see clause 11;

8.1.2 If you want to end the contract because of something we have done or have told you we are going to do, see clause 8.2;

8.1.3 If you have just changed your mind about the product, see clause 8.3. You may be able to get a refund if you are within the cooling-off period, but this may be subject to deductions, and you will have to pay the costs of return of any goods;

8.1.4 In all other cases (if we are not at fault and there is no right to change your mind), see clause 8.6.

8.2 Ending the contract because of something we have done or are going to do. If you are ending a contract for a reason set out at 8.2.1 to 8.2.5 below, the contract will end immediately, and we will refund you in full for any products which have not been provided and you may also be entitled to compensation. The reasons are:

8.2.1 we have told you about an upcoming change to the product or these terms which you do not agree to (see clause (a));

8.2.2 we have told you about an error in the price or description of the product you have ordered, and you do not wish to proceed;

8.2.3 there is a risk that supply of the products may be significantly delayed because of events outside our control;

8.2.4 we have suspended supply of the products for technical reasons, or notify you we are going to suspend them for technical reasons, in each case for a period of more than 21 days or

8.2.5 you have a legal right to end the contract because of something we have done wrong.

8.3 Exercising your right to change your mind (Consumer Contracts Regulations 2013). For most products bought online you have a legal right to change your mind within 14 days and receive a refund. These rights, under the Consumer Contracts Regulations 2013, are explained in more detail in these terms.

8.4 When you don't have the right to change your mind. You do not have a right to change your mind in respect of:

8.4.1 passenger transports tickets (which include train tickets) and catering & leisure activities for a specific date or period (which include any of our experience tickets);

8.4.2 digital products after you have started to download or stream these;

8.4.3 services, once these have been completed, even if the cancellation period is still running;

8.4.4 products sealed for health protection or hygiene purposes, once these have been unsealed after you receive them;

8.4.5 sealed audio or sealed video recordings or sealed computer software, once these products are unsealed after you receive them; and

8.4.6 any products which become mixed inseparably with other items after their delivery.

- 8.5 How long do I have to change my mind? How long you have depends on what you have ordered and how it is delivered.
- 8.5.1 Have you bought services (for example, an experience ticket for one of our events). If so, with the exception of dining train products, you have 14 days after the day we email you to confirm we accept your order. However, once we have completed the services you cannot change your mind, even if the period is still running. If you cancel after we have started the services, you must pay us for the services provided up until the time you tell us that you have changed your mind. The cut off for dining experiences is a minimum of 28-days prior to the event running, cancellations 28-days or less prior to the experience will not be entitled to a refund but we may try to sell the experience to another person or persons. There are no refund entitlements any for no-show customers or late comers, our train services operate on time and visitors must arrive in good time for the experience they are booked on.
- 8.5.2 Have you bought digital content for download or streaming (for example, a mobile phone app)? If so, you have 14 days after the day we email you to confirm we accept your order, or, if earlier, until you start downloading or streaming. If we delivered the digital content to you immediately, and you agreed to this when ordering, you will not have a right to change your mind.
- 8.5.3 Have you bought goods (for example, an item from our gift shop), If so, you have 14 days after the day you (or someone you nominate) receives the goods, unless:
- Your goods are split into several deliveries over different days. In this case you have until 14 days after the day you (or someone you nominate) receives the last delivery to change your mind about the goods.
 - Your goods are for regular delivery over a set period. In this case you have until 14 days after the day you (or someone you nominate) receives the first delivery of the goods.
- 8.6 Ending the contract where we are not at fault and there is no right to change your mind. Even if we are not at fault and you do not have a right to change your mind (see clause 8.1), you can still end the contract before it is completed, but you may have to pay us compensation. A contract for goods or digital content is completed when the product is delivered, downloaded, or streamed and paid for. A contract for goods is completed when the product is delivered and paid for. A contract for services is completed when we have finished providing the services and you have paid for them. If you want to end a contract before it is completed where we are not at fault and you have not changed your mind, just contact us to let us know. The contract will end immediately, and we will refund any sums paid by you for products not provided but we may deduct from that refund (or, if you have not made an advance payment, charge you) reasonable compensation for the net costs we will incur as a result of your ending the contract.
- 9. HOW TO END THE CONTRACT WITH US (INCLUDING IF YOU HAVE CHANGED YOUR MIND)**
- 9.1 Tell us you want to end the contract. To end the contract with us, please let us know by doing one of the following:
- 9.1.1 Email. Email us at enquiries@spavalleyrailway.co.uk. Please provide your name, home address, details of the order and, where available, your phone number and email address.
 - 9.1.2 Online. Complete the form www.spavalleyrailway.co.uk on our website.
 - 9.1.3 By post. Print off the form www.spavalleyrailway.co.uk and post it to us at the address on the form. Or simply write to us at that address, including details of what you bought, when you ordered or received it and your name and address.
- 9.2 Returning products after ending the contract. If you end the contract for any reason after products have been dispatched to you or you have received them, you must return them to us. You must either return the goods in person to where you bought them, post them back to us at West Station, Nevill Terrace, Royal Tunbridge Wells, Kent, TN2 5QY or (if they are not suitable for posting) allow us to collect them from you. Please email us at enquiries@spavalleyrailway.co.uk for a return label or to arrange collection. If you are exercising your right to change your mind you must send off the goods within 14 days of telling us you wish to end the contract.
- 9.3 When we will pay the costs of return. We will pay the costs of return:
- 9.3.1 if the products are faulty or misdescribed; or
 - 9.3.2 if you are ending the contract because we have told you of an upcoming change to the product or these terms, an error in pricing or description, a delay in delivery due to events outside our control or because you have a legal right to do so as a result of something we have done wrong; or
- In all other circumstances (including where you are exercising your right to change your mind) you must pay the costs of return.
- 9.4 What we charge for collection. If you are responsible for the costs of return and we are collecting the product from you, we will charge you the direct cost to us of collection. If we need to collect the product from you, we will contact you beforehand to inform you of what the cost of collection will be.
- 9.5 How we will refund you. We will refund you the price you paid for the products including delivery costs, by the method you used for payment. However, we may make deductions from the price, as described below
- 9.6 Deductions from refunds if you are exercising your right to change your mind. If you are exercising your right to change your mind:

- 9.6.1 We may reduce your refund of the price (excluding delivery costs) to reflect any reduction in the value of the goods, if this has been caused by your handling them in a way which would not be permitted in a shop. If we refund you the price paid before we are able to inspect the goods and later discover you have handled them in an unacceptable way, you must pay us an appropriate amount.
- 9.6.2 The maximum refund for delivery costs will be the costs of delivery by the least expensive delivery method we offer. For example, if we offer delivery of a product within 3 – 5 days at one cost but you choose to have the product delivered within 24 hours at a higher cost, then we will only refund what you would have paid for the cheaper delivery option.
- 9.6.3 Where the product is a service, we may deduct from any refund an amount for the supply of the service for the period for which it was supplied, ending with the time when you told us you had changed your mind. The amount will be in proportion to what has been supplied, in comparison with the full coverage of the contract.
- 9.7 When your refund will be made. We will make any refunds due to you as soon as possible. If you are exercising your right to change your mind then:
- 9.7.1 If the products are goods and we have not offered to collect them, your refund will be made within 14 days from the day on which we receive the product back from you or, if earlier, the day on which you provide us with evidence that you have sent the product back to us. For information about how to return a product to us, see clause 9.2.
- 9.7.2 In all other cases, your refund will be made within 14 days of your telling us you have changed your mind

10. OUR RIGHTS TO END THE CONTRACT

- 10.1 We may end the contract if you break it. We may end the contract for a product at any time by writing to you if:
- 10.1.1 you do not make any payment to us when it is due and you still do not make payment within 21 days of us reminding you that payment is due;
- 10.1.2 you do not, within a reasonable time of us asking for it, provide us with information that is necessary for us to provide the products, please refer to clause 7.8 for examples of such information;
- 10.1.3 you do not, within a reasonable time, allow us to deliver the products to you or collect them from us; or
- 10.1.4 you do not, within a reasonable time, allow us access to your premises to supply the services.
- 10.2 You must compensate us if you break the contract. If we end the contract in the situations set out in clause 10.1 we will refund any money you have paid in advance for products we have not provided but we may deduct or charge you reasonable compensation for the net costs we will incur as a result of your breaking the contract.
- 10.3 We may withdraw the product. We may write to you to let you know that we are going to stop providing the product. We will let you know at least two weeks in advance of our stopping the supply of the product and will refund any sums you have paid in advance for products which will not be provided.
- 10.4 In the event of a locomotive, rolling stock or infrastructure failure or the unavailability of staff or volunteers to enable the safe operation of the Spa Valley Railway and we cannot operate trains we may end the contract. Refunds will be given in this eventuality, however, the Spa Valley Railway cannot be held responsible for any external costs, such as but not limited to travel, accommodation or other costs incurred, and we would strongly advise persons take out a form of travel insurance.
- 10.5 In the event we have to cancel a product due to costs implications and lack of pre-sales to justify the products operation or for any other reason that we cannot operate trains/the product we may end the contract. Refunds will be given in this eventuality. We cannot however the Spa Valley Railway cannot be held responsible for any external costs, such as but not limited to travel, accommodation or other costs incurred and we would strongly advise persons take out a form of travel insurance.

11. IF THERE IS A PROBLEM WITH THE PRODUCT

- 11.1 How to tell us about problems. If you have any questions or complaints about the product, please contact us. You can write to us at enquiries@spavalleyrailway.co.uk. Alternatively, please speak to one of our staff / volunteers.
- 11.2 Summary of your legal rights. We are under a legal duty to supply products that are in conformity with this contract. See the box below for a summary of your key legal rights in relation to the product. Nothing in these terms will affect your legal rights.

Summary of your key legal rights

This is a summary of your key legal rights. These are subject to certain exceptions. For detailed information please visit the Citizens Advice website www.adviceguide.org.uk or call 03454 04 05 06.

If your product is goods, for example guidebooks, model railway items, Spa Valley Railway branded products such as cups, glassware, keyrings or souvenirs, the Consumer Rights Act 2015 says goods must be as described, fit for purpose and of satisfactory quality.

During the expected lifespan of your product your legal rights entitle you to the following:

- a) Up to 30 days: if your goods are faulty, then you can get an immediate refund.
- b) Up to six months: if your goods can't be repaired or replaced, then you're entitled to a full refund, in most cases.
- c) Up to six years: if your goods do not last a reasonable length of time, you may be entitled to some money back.

If your product is digital content, for example a mobile phone app, the Consumer Rights Act 2015 says digital content must be as described, fit for purpose and of satisfactory quality:

- a) If your digital content is faulty, you're entitled to a repair or a replacement.
- b) If the fault can't be fixed, or if it hasn't been fixed within a reasonable time and without significant inconvenience, you can get some or all of your money back.
- c) If you can show the fault has damaged your device and we haven't used reasonable care and skill, you may be entitled to a repair or compensation

If your product is services, for example a train experience, the Consumer Rights Act 2015 says:

- a) You can ask us to repeat or fix a service if it's not carried out with reasonable care and skill or get some money back if we can't fix it.
- b) If you haven't agreed a price beforehand, what you're asked to pay must be reasonable.
- c) If you haven't agreed a time beforehand, it must be carried out within a reasonable time.
- See also [Exercising your right to change your mind \(Consumer Contracts Regulations 2013\)](#).

11.3 Your obligation to return rejected products. If you wish to exercise your legal rights to reject products you must either return them in person to where you bought them, post them back to us or (if they are not suitable for posting) allow us to collect them from you. We will pay the costs of postage or collection. Please email us at enquiries@spavalleyrailway.co.uk for a return label or to arrange collection.

12. PRICE AND PAYMENT

12.1 Where to find the price for the product. The price of the product (which includes VAT) will be the price indicated on the order pages when you placed your order. We take all reasonable care to ensure that the price of the product advised to you is correct. However please see clause 12.3 for what happens if we discover an error in the price of the product you order.

12.2 We will pass on changes in the rate of VAT. If the rate of VAT changes between your order date and the date we supply the product, we will adjust the rate of VAT that you pay, unless you have already paid for the product in full before the change in the rate of VAT takes effect.

12.3 What happens if we got the price wrong. It is always possible that, despite our best efforts, some of the products we sell may be incorrectly priced. We will normally check prices before accepting your order so that, where the product's correct price at your order date is less than our stated price at your order date, we will charge the lower amount. If the product's correct price at your order date is higher than the price stated to you, we will contact you for your instructions before we accept your order. If we accept and process your order where a pricing error is obvious and unmistakable and could reasonably have been recognised by you as a mispricing, we may end the contract, refund you any sums you have paid and require the return of any goods provided to you.

12.4 When you must pay and how you must pay. We accept payment with all major Credit or Debit Card providers, Cash, or online Client Gateway – including but not limited to Optomany, Stripe and PayPal. When you must pay depends on what product you are buying:

12.4.1 For goods, you must pay for the products before we dispatch them. We will not charge your credit or debit card until we dispatch the products to you.

12.4.2 For digital content, you must pay for the products before you download them.

12.4.3 For services, you must make payment of the full price of the services before we start providing them.

12.5 We can charge interest if you pay late. If you do not make any payment to us by the due date, we may charge interest to you on the overdue amount at the rate of 3% a year above the base lending rate of Barclays bank plc from time to time. This interest shall accrue on a daily basis from the due date until the date of actual payment of the overdue amount, whether before or after judgment. You must pay us interest together with any overdue amount.

12.6 What to do if you think an invoice is wrong. If you think an invoice is wrong, please contact us promptly to let us know. You will not have to pay any interest until the dispute is resolved. Once the dispute is resolved we will charge you interest on correctly invoiced sums from the original due date.

13. OUR RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE SUFFERED BY YOU

13.1 We are responsible to you for foreseeable loss and damage caused by us. If we fail to comply with these terms, we are responsible for loss or damage you suffer that is a foreseeable result of our breaking this contract or our failing to use reasonable care and skill, but we are not responsible for any loss or damage that is not foreseeable. Loss or damage is foreseeable if either it is obvious that it will happen or if, at the time the contract was made, both we and you knew it might happen, for example, if you discussed it with us during the sales process.

13.2 We do not exclude or limit in any way our liability to you where it would be unlawful to do so. This includes liability for:

13.2.1 death or personal injury caused by our negligence or the negligence of our employees, agents or subcontractors;

13.2.2 fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation;

13.2.3 breach of your legal rights in relation to the products as summarised at clause 11.2; and

13.2.4 defective products under the Consumer Protection Act 1987

13.3 When we are liable for damage to your property. If we are providing services in your property, we will make good any damage to your property caused by us while doing so. However, we are not responsible for the cost of repairing any pre-existing faults or damage to your property that we discover while providing the services.

13.4 If defective digital content which we have supplied damages a device or digital content belonging to you and this is caused by our failure to use reasonable care and skill we will either repair the damage or pay you compensation. However, we will not be liable for damage which you could have avoided by following our advice to apply an update offered to you free of charge or for damage which was caused by you failing to correctly follow installation instructions or to have in place the minimum system requirements advised by us.

13.5 We are not liable for business losses. We only supply the products for domestic and private use. If you use the products for any commercial, business or re-sale purpose we will have no liability to you for any loss of profit, loss of business, business interruption, or loss of business opportunity.

14. HOW WE MAY USE YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

How we may use your personal information. We will only use your personal information as set out in our Privacy Policy at: <https://www.spavalleyrailway.co.uk/article.php/7/privacy-policy-cookies>.

15. OTHER IMPORTANT TERMS

15.1 We may transfer this Agreement to someone else. We may transfer our rights and obligations under these terms to another organisation. We will contact you to let you know if we plan to do this. If you are unhappy with the transfer you may contact us to end the contract within 7 days of us telling you about it and we will refund you any payments you have made in advance for products not provided.

15.2 You need our consent to transfer your rights to someone else (except that you can always transfer our guarantee). You may only transfer your rights or your obligations under these terms to another person with our written consent. We may withhold our consent if the person(s) to whom you propose to transfer your rights or your obligations under these terms to:

- 15.2.1 does not provide the information that we require from you at clauses 7.9 and 10.1.2 of these terms; and
- 15.2.2 cannot supply reasonable proof that he/she/they can cover the costs of the products remaining to be provided by us to you as agreed at the outset of your matter.

15.3 Nobody else has any rights under this contract (except someone you pass your guarantee on to). This contract is between you and us. No other person shall have any rights to enforce any of its terms.

15.4 If a court finds part of this contract illegal, the rest will continue in force. Each of the paragraphs of these terms operates separately. If any court or relevant authority decides that any of them are unlawful, the remaining paragraphs will remain in full force and effect.

15.5 Even if we delay in enforcing this contract, we can still enforce it later. If we do not insist immediately that you do anything you are required to do under these terms, or if we delay in taking steps against you in respect of your breaking this contract, that will not mean that you do not have to do those things and it will not prevent us taking steps against you at a later date. For example, if you miss a payment and we do not chase you, but we continue to provide the products, we can still require you to make the payment at a later date.

15.6 Which laws apply to this contract and where you may bring legal proceedings. These terms are governed by English law, and you can bring legal proceedings in respect of the products in the English courts. If you live in Scotland, you can bring legal proceedings in respect of the products in either the Scottish or the English courts. If you live in Northern Ireland, you can bring legal proceedings in respect of the products in either the Northern Irish or the English courts.

16. DINING TRAIN EXPERIENCES ADDITIONAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

16.1. All our dining trains are advance booking only, we cannot accept passengers on the day.

16.2. As these are immensely popular, we recommend that you book early to avoid disappointment.

16.3. Our trains depart promptly, we cannot wait for latecomers.

16.4. Due to the fixed seating and table layout bookings are made per complete table of two or table of four.

16.5. Tables of two will be sold on a first come, first served basis, and cannot be guaranteed under any circumstances.

16.6. Bookings can only be made with full payment; this includes coach parties and private charters.

16.7. Prices include train fare and meal but exclude drinks. Drinks are available from our waiting staff at additional cost.

16.8. Drinks advertised are subject to availability and may be altered on the day due to supply issues for a suitable alternative.

16.9. No discounts are available for our dining trains.

16.10. For logistical reasons we reserve the right to move your party to another carriage if necessary.

16.11. Only drinks purchased on board from our waiting staff may be consumed on any Spa Valley Railway dining train.

16.12. Diners who wish to bring their own wine (including sparkling) or champagne will be charged corkage per bottle.

16.13. Photos are for illustrative purposes only; actual product may vary.

16.14. No refunds will be made for missed Dining Experiences i.e., you were late for the train or did not arrive at the Spa Valley Railway. We are not able to transfer you to a future date unless the service was cancelled by us.

16.15. CORKAGE PRICES:

16.15.1. £20 Wine

16.15.2. £60 Champagne or Prosecco

16.15.3. £45 Wine box

16.16. MENU & DIETARY REQUIREMENTS:

16.16.1. All our dining trains have a fixed menu which will be available on the website for each date.

- 16.16.2.** If you require the vegetarian or gluten free option, this must be ordered in advance.
- 16.16.3.** To avoid embarrassment on the day, please give details on the booking form or at least two weeks before if any member of your party has any special dietary requirements or allergies that require a different meal to be provided (which is however subject to availability and anything under two weeks we cannot guarantee to accommodate) e.g. vegan, vegetarian, gluten free, dairy free, no nuts, no red meat, no mushrooms, no shellfish, etc.
- 16.16.4.** It is impossible for us to provide an alternative to the fixed menu if we are only advised on the day.
- 16.16.5.** We regret that it is not possible to cater for the following dietary requirements: Diabetic, Vegan, Dairy Free, Nut or any other allergies on some of our Dining Services. For details, please view the booking information for your chosen service.
- 16.16.6.** A list of allergens is available on request.

16.17. REFUNDS, CANCELLATIONS AND CHANGES TO BOOKINGS:

- 16.17.1.** There is no refund available or transfer to a future date for 'no show', late running customers or passengers that go to the incorrect station or otherwise miss their booked departure for whatever reason.
- 16.17.2.** All booking alterations, no matter how minor incur a £10 admin fee.
- 16.17.3.** Cancellations notified in writing, at least four weeks before the booked date will be refunded less a £10 admin fee, the form to do so is below.
- 16.17.4.** Shorter notice cancellations are not entitled to a refund, but the Spa Valley Railway will try to re-sell the tickets.
- 16.17.5.** Cancellations must be in writing, sent to us by email, [click here](#) for our contact form.
- 16.17.6.** If you wish to make an alteration a £10 admin fee will be charged, and our Customer Service Team must be contacted with at least 4 weeks' notice.

16.18. WHEELCHAIR ACCESS:

- 16.18.1.** Our carriages used for dining were built in the 1960's and due to their internal dimensions physically disabled persons can only be accommodated if they are not confined to a wheelchair.

16.19. TOILET FACILITIES:

- 16.19.1. Our train is equipped with toilets, however, there are occasions when these facilities may not be available there are also toilets available at Tunbridge Wells West, Groombridge and Eridge.

16.20. CHILDREN:

- 16.20.1. High Weald Belle Sunday Luncheon, Afternoon Tea, Faulty Towers Dining Experience and Murder Mystery trains are not recommended for children under the age of 18. Under 18s are not permitted to book or travel on The Kent Gin Train or The Kent Whisky Train experiences. Fish & Chip Lunches and Suppers plus Cream Teas are available to book for children.

16.21. NOTE:

- 16.21.1. Whilst every effort is made to haul part of our dining trains with a steam locomotive and our coaches as described, there may be the need to use a heritage 1960s diesel locomotive or other carriages subject to necessity.
- 16.21.2. The Spa Valley Railway reserves the right to make such changes for whatever reason without prior notice being given.
- 16.21.3. We cannot be held responsible for any costs incurred by the visitor/passenger/customer for transport, accommodation or otherwise associated with a visit to the Spa Valley Railway in the event we are forced to close or cannot operate the train for whatever reason. We strongly recommend persons take out a form of appropriate travel insurance if this is a concern to them.

SCHEDULE I

Cancellation Form

(Complete and return this form only if you wish to withdraw from the contract)

To: Wealden Railway Company Limited t/a Spa Valley Railway (with registered company number 01936470) whose registered office is at West Station, Nevill Terrace, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, TN2 5QY. Email: enquiries@spavalleyrailway.co.uk

I/We [*] hereby give notice that I/We [*] cancel my/our [*] contract of sale of the following goods [*]/for the supply of the Ordered on [*]/received on [*],

Name of consumer(s):

Address of consumer(s):

Signature of consumer(s) (only if this form is notified on paper):

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Date:

[*] Delete as appropriate

following service [*],

