Lists of Beaches and Managers by District

East Devon

Speak to the Beach Clean Co-ordinator: Pete Blyth (Beach Safety Officer) email: pblyth@eastdevon.gov.uk Telephone: 07734 568866

He will be able to help locate the Beach Owner (if not already known) and can lend equipment.

East Devon District Council Beaches

- Axmouth and the Axe estuary,
- Seaton,
- Beer,
- Sidmouth (not East Beach), Jacob's Ladder,
- Budleigh,
- Exmouth, Exmouth back beach (AKA Shelly or Pirates Bay)

National Trust Beaches

Contact: Lucy Buckingham (Lead Ranger) Tel: 01297 680507, email: Lucy.buckingham@nationaltrust.org.uk

- Branscombe,
- Littlecombe Shute,
- Weston (below the Donkey Sanctuary),
- Lincombe (no access),
- Salcombe Regis,
- Sidmouth East Beach
- Orcombe beach, Exmouth

North Devon

Contact Laura Carolan for information about beach ownership within the AONB (North Devon

AONB Support & Communications Officer)

Tel: 01271 388628 Email: laura.colan@devon.gov.uk

She also has equipment that can be borrowed for Beach Cleans.

Private beaches:

- **Combe Martin beach**
  Combe Martin Parish Council Tel: 01271 883611 or 01271 882364

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- **Croyde beach**
  Ruda Holiday Park Tel: 01271 890477

- **Heddons Mouth**

- **Tunnels Beach, Ilfracombe**
  Tel: 01271 879882

- **Instow beach**
  Christie Estates Tel: 01271 342558

- **Mortehoe beach**

- **Putsborough beach**
  Rob Tucker Tel: 01271 890230

- **Saunton beach and Crow Point**
  Christie Estates Tel: 01271 342558

- **Taw Estuary (Braunton side, including Velator Quay)**
  Part by Braunton Parish Council 01271 812131

- **Watermouth beach**
  Watermouth Cove Ltd Tel: 01271 862504

- **Woolacombe beach and Barricane**
  Parkin Estates Tel: 01271 870234

- **Woody Bay**

North Devon District Council owned beaches

Contact the Estates Office 01271 388281

Ilfracombe beaches

- Hele Bay
- Capstone
- Larkstone
- Raparee
- Wildersmouth
- Lee Bay
- Ilfracombe harbour

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Lynton

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Managed by Lynton and Lynmouth Town Council – 01598 752384

South Hams

Contact the Localities team Localities@swdevon.gov.uk

Teignbridge

Contact the Beach and Resorts general email: resorts@teignbridge.gov.uk

Torridge District

Contact Laura Carolan for information about beach ownership within the AONB (North Devon AONB Communications Officer)

Tel: 01271 388628 Email: laura.carolan@devon.gov.uk

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Private Beaches

- **National Trust:** Peppercombe, Welcombe Mouth & South Hole, East Titchberry & Shipload Bay, Windbury Head, Brownsham, Bucks Mills, Burrough Farm, Northam
- **Hartland Quay** – Stookleigh Estate
- **Green Cliff & Abbotsham** – South West Coast Path
- **Clovelly** – Clovelly Estates

Torridge DC owned

- **Northam Burrows**

  Rose Roberts – Deputy Ranger

  Tel: 01237 479708. Email: northam.burrows@torridge.gov.uk

- **Westward Ho!**

  The Beach Manager, Torridge District Council

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