

Historic Oakham is one of those charming English market towns, once visited never forgotten. A delightful selection of stylish shops, quirky cafés and fabulous restaurants await the visitor.

You can explore the town's hidden alleyways, covered shopping areas and quaint back streets and discover wonderful, unique independently owned and run businesses you may never have known were there - by using Charlie's Guide!

Now with a direct train link to London, Oakham is a town not to be missed. The finest hidden gems it has to offer are all included in this guide.

This guide has been compiled and funded by the enthusiastic local independent retailers listed.

## Food & Drink

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## Shopping

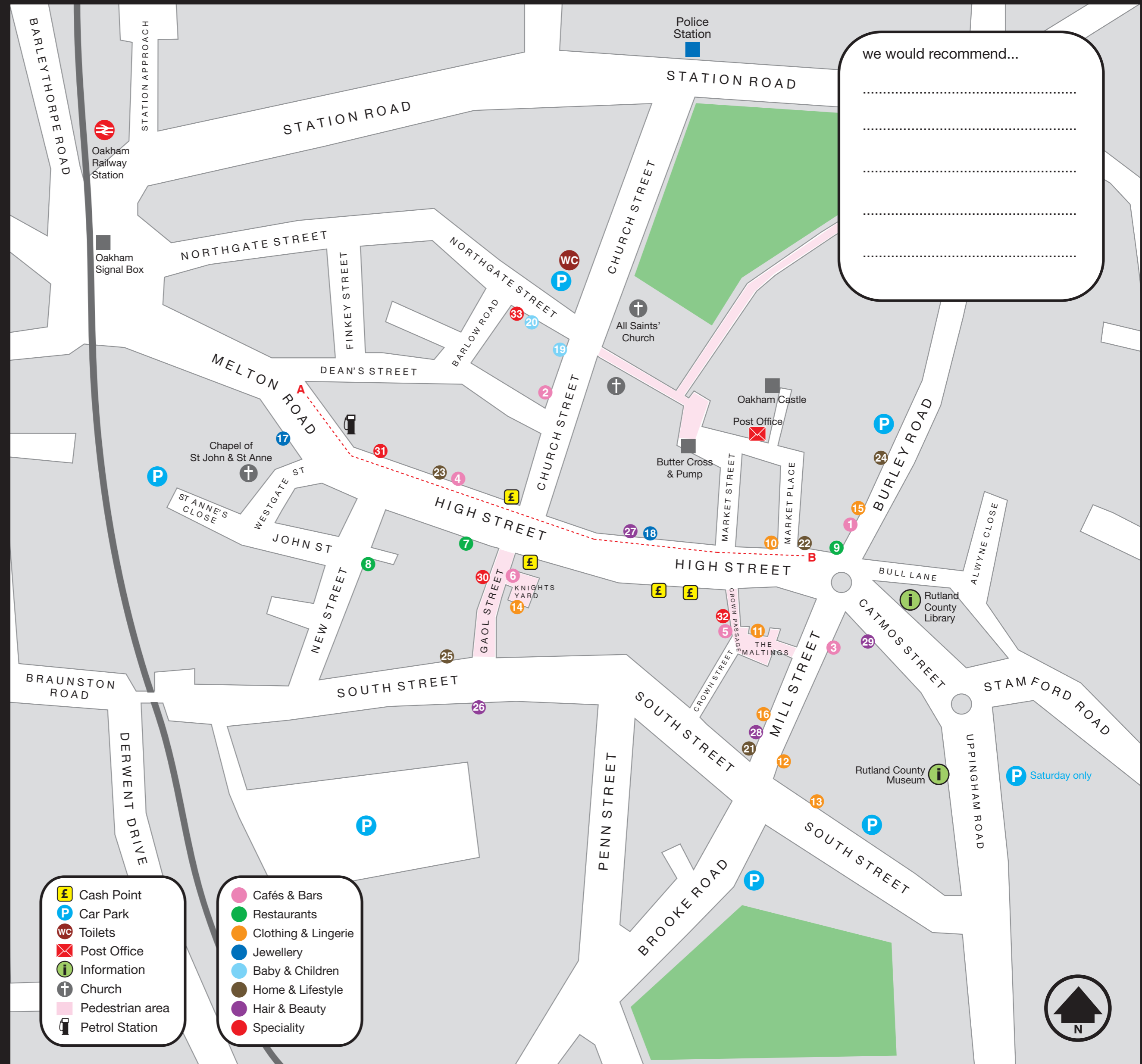
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A-----B Walking from A to B indicated on the map represents a gentle 5 minute walk.

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## Cafés & Bars

- 1 Angels Bistro, 2 Burley Road. LE15 6DH. 01572 755853**   
Family run bistro serves freshly prepared food, all in all - Great food, Great coffee and great atmosphere.
- 2 Beans, 14 Church Street. LE15 6AA. 01572 759801**  
www.beanscoffeestop.co.uk  
Interesting cosy interior and a lovely sunny courtyard to the rear. Beans is a quality coffee shop with fantastic snacks and delicious milk shakes!
- 3 Calico, 6 Mill Street. LE15 6EA. 01572 724867**  
Contemporary Bar and Restaurant in tasteful surroundings.
- 4 The Chocolate Bar, 49a High Street. LE15 6AT. 01572 724554**  
www.echocolatebar.co.uk  
A haven for chocolate lovers! A spacious and vibrant shop and café which serves tasty snack lunches, coffee, tea and of course delicious chocolate drinks.
- 5 The Crown Tavern, 7 Crown Walk, High Street. LE15 6BZ. 01572 756523**  
Cosy bistro bar with homemade honest traditional English lunches. Great value for money.
- 6 The Lounge Café, 2b Gaol Street, Knights Yard. LE15 6AG. 01572 722127** www.theloungecafe.co.uk  
Licensed Café with sheltered outside courtyard. Fabulous breakfasts and freshly prepared food served all day. Interesting themed evenings, please call for more details.

## Restaurants

- 7 The Admiral Hornblower, 64 High Street. LE15 6AS. 01572 723004**  
www.hornblowerhotel.co.uk  
At the very heart of Oakham this beautifully restored 17th century listed farmhouse hotel, restaurant and bar. Dine inside or out in the huge outside courtyard garden. Superb cellar to include 3 traditional hand drawn ales.
- 8 The Dining Room, 8 New Street. LE15 6BA. 01572 722479**  
Contemporary Indian cuisine. Innovative dishes and meticulously selected wines create an atmosphere of relaxed elegance.
- 9 The Voujon Balti Hut, 4 Burley Corner, High Street. LE15 6DU. 01572 722372**  
www.voujonrestaurant.co.uk  
The essence of good food is time. Stylish air conditioned restaurant with a licenced bar.

## Clothing & Lingerie

- 10 Biba Woman (currently Vive M), 2 Market Place. LE15 6DT 01572 774306**  
www.bibawoman.co.uk  
Biba Woman; Irresistible, affordable, fashionable clothing and accessories.
- 11 Brief Encounter, 8 The Maltings, Mill Street. LE15 6EA. 01572 770770**  
Wide selection of Designer lingerie, nightware and swimwear.
- 12 Cavells, 16 Mill Street. LE15 6EA. 01572 770372**  
www.cavells.co.uk  
Providing the most stylish and select ranges of designer fashion for men and women outside London.
- 13 Cavells Outdoors, The Old Mill, South Street. LE15 6BG. 01572 772502** www.cavellsoutdoors.co.uk  
Stylish, sophisticated clothing and accessories for all your outdoor and countryside adventures.
- 14 Crucial Clothing, 7 Knights Yard, Gaol Street. LE15 6AG. 01572 724255** www.crucial-oakham.co.uk  
Exclusive, unique cutting edge designer clothing for men and women.
- 15 The Stock Room, 4 Burley Road. LE15 6DH. 01572 771069**  
Individual, feminine, sophisticated yet functional. Synonymous with creativity and an eye for detail. This is The Stock Room.
- 16 Woosters, 19 Mill Street. LE15 6EA. 01572 723697**  
www.woosters.co.uk  
Ladies and gents clothing with a wearable twist. Clothing taking you from daytime through to evening plus a wide range of accessories.

## Jewellery

- 17 Baubles & Bangles, 4 Melton Road. LE15 6AY. 01572 724177**  
www.baublesandbangles.co.uk  
Gorgeous, affordable, handmade individual jewellery with bespoke making service for that perfect match.
- 18 Stephen Diggle Jewellers, 17 High Street. LE15 6AH. 01572 722737**  
The most beautiful selection of jewellery in Oakham.

## Baby & Children

- 19 Kids & More, 20 Church Street. LE15 6AA. 01572 771775**  
Vast selection of beautiful babywear, children's fashion and School uniforms.
- 20 Little Creatures, 10b Northgate. LE15 6QS. 07712 187990**  
Quirky, fun clothing and gifts for young children, to include fantastic dressing up costumes.

## Home & Lifestyle

- 21 Elizabeth Stanhope Interiors, 27 Mill Street & 1 South Street. LE15 6EA. 01572 722345**  
www.elizabethstanhope.co.uk  
Full Interior Design service and thousands of metres of discounted designer fabric on the roll.
- 22 Furleys, 7 High Street. LE15 6AH. 01572 755539**  
www.furleys.co.uk  
A treasure trove of lighting, lifestyle accessories, presents and furnishings for the home.
- 23 Furleys, 51 High Street. LE15 6AJ. 01572 755170**  
www.furleys.co.uk  
With over 32 years experience, Furleys furniture shop is the place to shop for classic or unusual pieces, handmade in our workshops.
- 24 Furleys Barn, Burley Road. LE15 6AH 01572 770245**  
www.furleys.co.uk  
The Barn displays a wide range of pictures, paintings and popular painted furniture.
- 25 The Elephant Room, 61 South Street. LE15 6BG 07794 077459 / 07817 373511**  
A treasure trove of oriental arts and crafts, tucked away opposite Tesco.

## Hair & Beauty

- 26 The Beauty Room, first floor, 76 South Street. LE15 6BQ. 01572 755389**  
Vertical tanning, St.Tropez spray tan, facials, tinting, manicure, pedicure, nail extensions waxing, electrolysis and massage.
- 27 Shapers, 25 High Street. LE15 6AH. 01572 723273**  
Award winning salon. Fully trained experts in hair services and beauty treatments.
- 28 Cawthorne & Wright, 23a Mill Street. LE15 6EA. 01572 722774**  
www.cawthorneandwright.com  
West-end standard, contemporary chic hairdressing, courtesy of British Hairdressing Awards 2008 finalists.
- 29 Tonnerre, 18 Catmos Street. LE15 6HW 01572 723096**  
A high quality salon established in 1997 offering a personal friendly service.

## Speciality

- 30 Hambleton Bakery, Gaol Street. LE15 6AL. 01572 812995**  
www.hambletonbakery.co.uk  
The taste of goodness of traditional bread.
- 31 Music & More, 3 Grosvenor House, Melton Road. LE15 6AX. 01572 756578** www.musicandmore.co.uk  
Interesting range of musical instruments, accessories, printed music, classical CD's and giftware.
- 32 Rutland Deli, 8 Crown Walk, High Street. LE15 6BZ. 01572 770767**  
www.rutlanddeli.co.uk  
Rutland Deli, a slice of deliciousness.
- 33 Toot Sweets, 10b Northgate. LE15 6QS. 01572 757846**  
Step back in time at this traditional sweetie shop. Eclectic 1950's heaven!

**Oakham Market - Wednesday and Saturday.**