



Parcevall Hall Gardens are situated in Wharfedale, in the heart of the beautiful Yorkshire Dales National Park. Located off the B6265 and close to the village of Appletreewick, it is approximately 9 miles north-east of Skipton, 21 miles from Harrogate and 32 miles from Leeds. Coach parties, guided tours and party bookings can all be accommodated by special arrangement. Dogs on leads are welcome. Please contact us for further information.



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#### **Opening Times**

The Gardens are open 1 April-31 October, 10am-6pm last admission 5pm.

#### Tea Room

The Tea Room is open April-September.

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# Parcevall Hall Gardens WHARFEDALE

Twenty four acres of beautiful woodland gardens in the magnificent Dales countryside





## Peaceful...

Nestling in a tranquil and picturesque setting that is steeped in history, Parcevall Hall Gardens are considered to be a fine

example of the Arts & Crafts movement and are the only RHS and English Heritage registered gardens open to the public in the Yorkshire Dales National Park. The gardens were laid out from

### Reflective pools, splashing streams, rock gardens and terraces

1927 onwards by the late Sir William Milner (1893-1960), a farsighted architect, horticulturalist and plantsman, who designed them to be totally in harmony with the surrounding landscape. After purchasing the derelict shell of, then restoring and developing Parcevall Hall as his home, he took full advantage of the geography to create a unique garden that provides year round interest unrivalled in the Yorkshire Dales.

## Tranquil...

Filled with surprises at each turn and corner the 24 acres of formal and woodland gardens, which include many specimen trees and shrubs collected from Western China and The Himalayas, rise up the hillside and command impressive views of Simon's Seat and Wharfedale. At the top of the gardens an alkaline soil overlays limestone rock which allowed Sir William to create a natural rock garden

considered to be the finest of its kind in Northern England whilst at the foot of the hill an acidic soil overlays gritstone, making it ideal for

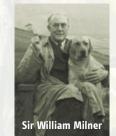
Glorious views of Simon's Seat and Wharfedale

rhododendrons. There are also woodland trails, a herb garden, camellia walk and the chapel garden to enjoy. The grounds are a gardener's delight, as well as being a wonderful place to visit for anyone looking to enjoy a tranquil stroll in glorious surrounds.

The Grade II listed Hall is not open to garden visitors and is used by the Diocese of West Yorkshire and The Dales as a retreat house and conference centre, but its architectural features can be appreciated from several vantage points including the historic rose garden and intricate terraces.

## Refreshing...

The delightful Tea Room is situated in a peaceful setting on the route between Simon's Seat and Troller's Gill.



Seating 20 people inside and 16 people outside in a terrace area, the varied menu includes homemade soup, tasty snacks and a selection of delicious cakes.

A guidebook covering the history of Sir William Milner, Parcevall Hall and Gardens (including map of the gardens and grounds), can be purchased from the Ticket Office.

