

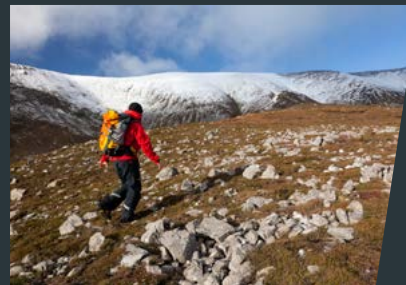
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Accommodation & Food

For accommodation & food listings in Mayo, check out the following websites:

Castlebar
www.visitcastlebar.com

Westport & Environs
www.destinationwestport.com

Barony of Erris and North Mayo
www.errisbeo.ie

Ballina & North Mayo
www.northmayo.ie

Crossmolina & Environs
www.crossmolina.ie

Newport
www.newportmayo.ie

Mulranny
www.mulranny.ie

Achill Island
www.achilltourism.com

Clare Island
www.clareisland.info

Inishturk
www.inishturkisland.com

Destination Westport
www.destinationwestport.com

Georgina Campbell Guide
www.ireland-guide.com

Gourmet Greenway
www.mulrannyparkhotel.ie

Good Food Ireland Guide
www.goodfoodireland.ie

Ireland Blue Book
www.irelands-blue-book.ie

Irish Restaurant Association
www.rai.ie

John & Sally McKenna Guide
www.guides.ie

Lonely Planet
www.lonelyplanet.com/ireland/counties-mayo-sligo/restaurants

Taste of Ireland
www.tasteofireland.com

Art Venues

Áras Inis Gluaire
Belmullet Arts Centre. Multi-purpose arts centre, with exhibition, theatre & workshop spaces.
E-mail: info@arasinisgluaire.ie

Áisleann Bhéal An Mhuirthead,
Belmullet, Co. Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 97 81079
E-mail: info@arasinisgluaire.ie
Web: www.arasinisgluaire.ie

Ballina Arts Centre
Multi-purpose arts centre, with exhibition, theatre & workshop spaces.
E-mail: info@ballinaartscentre.com
Barrett St. Ballina, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 96 73593
E-mail: ballinaartscentre@gmail.com
Web: www.ballinaartscentre.com

Ballinglen Arts Foundation
Gallery, artists' studios & print studios
Main Street, Ballycastle, Co. Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 96 43184
E-mail: baf@iol.ie
Web: www.ballinglenartsfoundation.org

Charlestown Arts Centre
Multi-purpose arts centre, with exhibition, theatre & workshop spaces.
Barrack Street, Charlestown, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 94 92 55812
E-mail: charlestownartscentre@gmail.com

Custom House Studios & Gallery
Gallery, artists' studios & print workshop.
The Quay, Westport, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 98 28735
E-mail: info@customhousestudio.ie
Web: www.customhousestudios.ie

Linenhall Arts Centre
Multi-purpose arts centre, with exhibition, theatre & workshop spaces.
Linenhall Street, Castlebar, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 94 90 23733
E-mail: linenhall@eircom.net
Web: www.thelinenhall.com

O'Dwwyer Arts Centre
Arts Resource Centre with workshops
The Old School House, Lismirrane, Swinford, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 94 9384809
E-mail: lismirranearts@gmail.com

Heinrich Böll Cottage
International artist's residence
visual arts, music, literature.
Dugort, Achill, Co. Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 28735
Email: hbolachill@anu.ie
Web: www.heinrichboellcottage.com

Kiltimagh Town Hall Theatre
Theatre & Visual Arts Space
IRD Kiltimagh, Kiltimagh, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 94 9381494
E-mail: reception@ird-kiltimagh.ie
Web: www.ird-kiltimagh.ie

Stronach Gallery
Ballycroy National Park Visitor Centre, Ballycroy, Co. Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 87 6666633
Web: www.stronachgallery.com

Swinford Cultural Centre
Theatre & visual arts space.
Swinford, Mayo
Tel: + 353 (0) 94 9251495
E-mail: tmelia@mayococo.ie

Water Based Activity Providers

West Mayo

Adventure Islands, Westport
Web: www.theadventureislands.com
Email: fun@theadventureislands.com
Tel: +353 (0) 98 26907
Mob: +353 (0) 86 1970313

Adventure West, Westport & Louisburgh
Web: www.adventurewest.ie
Email: info@adventurewest.ie
Tel: +353 (0) 87 3627828

Clew Bay Bike Hire, Westport
Web: www.clewbaybikehire.ie
Email: info@clewbaybikehire.com
Tel: +353 (0) 98 37675

Surf Mayo, Westport & Louisburgh
Web: www.surfmayo.com
Email: info@surfmayo.com
Tel: +353 (0) 87 6212508

Ireland West Sea Kayaking/Saoirse na Mara
Web: www.irelandwestseakayaking.com
Email: saoirsenamara@gmail.com
Tel: +353 (0) 86 1733610

Horizon Adventures & Education Centre

Web: www.horizonireland.com
Email: info@horizonireland.com
Tel: +353 (0) 98 35844

Pure Magic Kite Surfing, Dugort, Achill Island

Web: www.puremagic.ie/achill
Email: achill@puremagic.ie
Tel: +353 (0) 85 2439782

Achill Surf & Kayak, Achill Island

Web: www.achillsurf.com
Email: info@achillsurf.com
Tel: +353 (0) 87 2371506

Blackfield Surf School, Achill Island

Web: www.blackfield.com
Email: info@blackfield.com
Tel: +353 98 43590
Mob: +353 (0) 87 2495175

Bellycragher Boat Club, Mulranny/Achill

Web: www.bellacragherboatclub.jimdo.com
Email: butlersea@gmail.com
Mob: +353 (0) 87 6579348

Achill Outdoor Centre, Achill Island

Web: www.achilldivecentre.com
Tel: +353 (0) 98 47253

Achill Island Scuba Dive Centre, Achill Island

Web: www.achilldivecentre.com
Tel: +353 (0) 87 2349884

North Mayo

UISCE, Ely Bay, Belmullet

Web: www.uisce.ie
Email: eolas@uisce.ie
Tel: +353 (0) 97 82111

Elements Kite Surfing / kite Safari Ireland

Web: www.elementskitesurfing.com
Email: info@elementskitesurfing.com
Tel: +353 (0) 86 2463358

Wave Sweeper Sea Adventures, Belmullet

Web: www.wavesweeperseaadventures.com
Email: info@wavesweeperseaadventures.com
Tel: +353 (0) 87 3459551
or +353 (0) 87 2312989

Dive West, Belmullet

Web: www.divewestireland.com
Email: seanlavelle@eircom.net
Tel: +353 (0) 97 85939
Mob: +353 (0) 86 8365983

Belmullet Sub Aqua Club,

Ballyglass, Belmullet
Web: www.errisbeo.ie/tours/belmullet-sub-aqua-club/
Email: belmulletsubaqua@gmail.com

Paddle & Pedal

Ballina & Environs
Web: www.paddleandpedal.ie
Tel: +353 (0) 87 6808955

Ferries to Offshore Islands

Clare Island Ferry Co Ltd., Clare Island

Tel: +353 (0) 98 23737

O'Malley Ferries, Clare Island & Inishturk

Tel: +353 (0) 86 8870814

Leneghan Ferries to Inishbiggle

Tel: +353 (0)87 1269618

Mayo's Iconic Mountains & Sea Cliffs

Croagh Patrick

764m also known as the Reek locally, is located 8km west of Westport town.

Mweelrea

814m is the highest mountain in Connaught and overlooks Killary Harbour - Ireland's only fjord.

Nephin or Nefin

806m is the second-highest peak in Connaught.

Ox Mountains

Located along the Mayo / Sligo Border.

Slievemore

671m is the highest peak on Achill Island.

Croaghauan

688m the tallest sea cliffs in Ireland (higher than the cliffs of Moher)!

Minaun

466m located on Achill Island

Knockmore

462m is the only peak located on Clare Island

Buckoogh - part of the Nephin Beg Mountain Range

588m located near Srahmore.

Birrencorrugh - part of the Nephin Beg Mountain Range

698m located near Keenagh.

Knockaffectagh

517m

Tawanaghmore

340m located near Belderg

Glinsk

304m peak located in Erris, along the North Mayo Coastline.

Dooneaton

260m peak located near Pollatomis

Slieve Carr

721m located along the ancient Bangor Trail, near Bangor Erris

Benwee Head

255m sea cliffs near Ceathrú Thaidhg, higher than the Cliffs of Moher!

Vistor Centres/ Attractions

Ballintubber Abbey

Ballintubber, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9030934
Web: www.ballintubberabbey.ie

Clew Bay Heritage Centre

The Quay, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 26852
Web: www.westportheritage.com

Croagh Patrick & Croagh Patrick

Visitor Centre

Murrisk, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 64114
Web: www.croagh-patrick.com

Granuaile Centre

Louisburgh, Co Mayo
Tel : +353 (0) 98 66341

Henningan's Heritage Centre
Killasser, Swinford, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9252505
Web: www.hennigansheritage.com

Jackie Clarke Collection
Ballina, Co. Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 96 73508
Web: www.clarkecollection.ie

Mayo Memorial Peace Park
Castlebar, Co Mayo
Email: info@mayomemorialpeacepark.org

Ballycroy Visitor Centre
Ballycroy, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 49996
Web: www.ballycroynationalpark.ie

Michael Davitt Museum
Straide, Foxford, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9031022

Foxford Woollen Mills
Foxford, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 92556104
Web: www.foxfordwoollenmills.com

Deserted Village
Slievemore, Achill, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 47353
Web: www.achilltourism.com

National Museum of Country Life
Turlough Park House, Castlebar, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9031755
Web: www.museum.ie

Ceide Fields Visitor Centre
Ballycastle, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 96 43325
Web: www.ceidefields.com

Croagh Patrick Visitor Centre
Murrisk, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 64114
Web: www.croagh-patrick.com

Westport House
Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 27766
Web: www.westporthouse.ie

Blue Flag Beaches

Mayo has a total of thirteen Blue Flag Beaches. Details relating to all of these beaches are listed underneath:

Bertra Beach - Westport
Located 12 km west of Westport Town. Bertra lies at the foot of Croagh Patrick Mountain which towers at 2510 feet above Clew Bay.

Old Head Beach - Louisburgh
Located 16kms west of Westport Town. This beach is sheltered by cliffs and woodland.

Carrowmore Beach- Louisburgh
Located 1km from Louisburgh Town. It is a machair beach which is low and flat with windswept land plains. It is set in a rocky outcrop in a small bay at Clew Bay.

Clare Island Beach
Located on the east side of the island adjacent to the harbour. Clare Island lies at the entrance to Clew Bay in Co Mayo some 5kms from the mainland.

Mullaghroe Beach - Belmullet
This beach is located on the Belmullet peninsula, about 10kms south of Belmullet Town.

Elly Bay Beach - Belmullet
This beach is located on the Belmullet peninsula, about 9kms south of Belmullet Town.

Dugort Beach - Achill
This beach is located at the base of Slievemore in Dugort village on Achill Island.

Golden Strand Beach - Achill
Located on Achill Island approximately 2 kms east of Dugort village.

Keel Beach- Achill
Located at keel on Achill Island.

Keem Beach - Achill
This small beach is located 10kms west of Keel village.

Doogea Beach - Achill
Located at the south west tip of the Minnaun Cliffs, approx 8 kms from Achill Sound. Doogea beach lies within a designated S.A.C. site. This site extends between the village of Keel and Doogea which is a picturesque fishing village.

Mulranny Beach
Located south west of Mulranny village.

Ross Beach - Killala
Located approximately 5 kms north of Killala town, along the shore line of Killala bay.

Mayo Trails - Walking

Mayo has so much to offer the walking enthusiast, from its largely unspoilt, clean countryside, varying landscapes, unique scenery and rich heritage and folklore mark it as the ideal walking destination. Mayo offers all kinds of trails including Mountain, Coastal and Island, Rural and Urban Greenways and National Loop Trails. The variety of trails on offer is endless. Listed underneath you will find some details relating to some of the accredited approved trails now available throughout the county.

National Loop Walks

Details	Total
Foxford	2
Bonniconlon	2
Clare Island	2
Inishturk Island	2
Achill Island - Dooega	1
Inishbiggle Island	2
Newport - Letterkeen	3
Newport - Letermaghera	1
Mulranny	2
Belmullet - Carrowteige	3
Belmullet - Erris Head	1
Castlebar - Clogher Bog Loop	1
Tourmakeady	1
Cong	2
Crosmolina - Keenagh	1
Crossmolina - Enniscoe House	1

Woodland / Coillte Trails

Details	Total
Ballina - Belleek	2
Foxford - Drummin	1
Cong	2
Westport - Tanyard	1
Westport - Brackloon	1
Ballycastle - Sheskin	1
Tourmakeady	1
Moore Hall	1

Greenways

Details	Total
Westport Town 2.5km	1
Great Western Greenway - Westport - Achill	1
Claremorris - Giants Trail	1
Castlebar - Lough Lannagh	1
Castlebar Town to the National Museum of Country Life, Turlough	1

Long Distance Waymarked Ways

Details	Total
Croagh Patrick Heritage Trail	1
Tochar Padraig	1
Western Way	1
Foxford Way	1
Bangor Trail	1
Achill Spur	1

Further Information relating to all the Mayo Walks & Trails is available from www.mayowalks.ie & www.mayotrails.ie

Mayo Trails - Cycling

On-road Cycle Trails

Details	Total
Westport Cycle Hub (Trails ranging in distance from 8km-24km)	4
Achill Cycle Hub (Trails ranging in distance from 12km-44km)	3
Belmullet Cycle Hub (Trails ranging in distance from 37km-52km)	4
Louisburgh Cycle Hub (Trails ranging in distance from 4km-19km)	4

Greenways

Details	Total
Westport Town 2.5km	1
Great Western Greenway - Westport - Achill	1
Claremorris - Giants Trail	1
Castlebar - Lough Lannagh	1
Castlebar Town to the National Museum of Country Life, Turlough	1

Further Information relating to all the Mayo Cycling Trails is available from www.greenway.ie & www.mayotrails.ie

Fishing in Mayo

Mayo is regarded as a key destination for angling enthusiasts around the world. The principal town for angling is Ballina and it is branded as the Salmon Capital of Ireland, reflecting the quality of angling available on its river Moy.

Lakes of Mayo

Lough Conn, Cullin and Mask are noted for their top quality wild brown trout fishing, particularly during mayfly season, and also produce salmon. Carrowmore Lake, near Bangor Erris, also provides excellent salmon and sea trout fishing for the fly angler in tranquil surroundings. Other popular game fisheries include Lough Beltra and Burrishoole (near Newport).

Sea Angling

Mayo's main deep sea angling centres are located at Clew Bay just off the west coast, Belmullet (Erris) and Killala located off the North Mayo Coast. Boats are available to hire, with excellent skippers. Shore angling can also be practised extensively and the area is also noted for its high-quality saltwater fly fishing too.

Further details and information is available from www.fishinginireland.info or inland Fisheries Ireland - Ballina +353 (0) 96 22788

Mayo Golf Courses

There is a good variety of Golf Courses available including both links and parkland. Details relating to all of the various clubs are listed underneath.

Castlebar Golf Club

Rocklands, Castlebar, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9021649
Web: www.castlebargolfclub.ie

Ballina Golf Club

Laughy, Ballina, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 96 21050
Web: www.ballina-golf.com

Ballinobe Golf Club

Clooncastle, Ballinrobe, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9541118
Web: www.ballinobegolfclub.com

Clew Bay Golf Club

Cleggan, Kilmeena, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 41730
Web: www.clewbaygolf.com

Ballyhaunis Golf Club

Ballyhaunis, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9630014
Web: www.ballyhaunisgolfclub.com

Mulranny Golf Club

Mulranny, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 36262
Web: www.mulrannygolfclub.com

Westport Golf Club

Golf Course Road, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: 353 (0) 98 28262
Web: www.westportgolfclub.com

Claremorris Golf Club

Castlemagarrett, Claremorris, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9371527
Web: www.claremorrisgolfclub.com

Carne Golf Club Belmullet

Carne, Belmullet, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 97 82292
Web: www.carnegolflinks.com

Achill Golf Club

Keel, Achill, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 43456
Web: www.achillgolf.com

Swinford Golf Club

Swinford, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9251378
Web: www.swinfordgolf.com

Cong Golf Club

Cong, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9546003
Web: www.ashford.ie/golf

Equestrian Centres in Mayo

Ashford Equestrian Centre

Cong, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9546507
Web: www.ashfordequestrian.com/index.php/en/

Calveys Equestrian Centre

Keel, Achill Island, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 87 9881093
Web: www.calveysofachill.com

Claremorris Saddlery & Equestrian

Galway Road, Claremorris, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9362992
Web: www.hanleyshorses.com

Iceford Stables

Quay Road, Ballina, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 96 70776
Web: www.icefordstables.com

Upper mace Equestrian Centre

Barnacarroll, Knock, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 87 8395233
Web: www.uppermaceequestrian.ie

Westport Woods Hotel & Riding Centre

Quay Road, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 25811
Web: www.westportwoodshotel.com/activities/horse-riding

Walking & Cycling Tour Operators in Mayo

Listed underneath you will find a listing of walking and cycling tour operators that's currently available within Co Mayo.

Slainte Ireland Tours

Kiltartan House, Bohernasup, Ballina, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 96 73311
Mob: +353 (0) 87 2144483
Email: slainte@slainteirelandtours.ie
Web: www.slainteirelandtours.ie

Trek West Tours

Ballina Road, Foxford, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 87 2540334
Email: info@trekwesttours.ie
Web: www.trekwesttours.ie

Croagh Patrick Walking Tours

Belclare, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 98 26090
Email: gerry@walkingguideireland.com
Web: www.walkingguideireland.com

Electric Escapes

Lochmara, Sheeaune, Westport, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 87 7451155
Email: info@electricescapes.ie
Web: www.electricescapes.ie

Tourism Pure Walking Holidays

Breaffy Road, Castlebar, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 94 9027797
Mob: +353 (0) 86 8318748
Web: www.tourismpurewalking.com

Dulra Nature Tour

Elly, Clochar, Belmullet, Co Mayo
Tel: +353 (0) 87 6656114
Email: info@dulra.ie

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Ireland's best
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