

## 1 Castle Area



**19th Century Grade I listed Tudor Gothic Castle** built in 1830 by Christopher Rice Mansel Talbot, with spectacular staircase to explore.

### The Castle Courtyard

with café, gift shop, toilets, baby changing facilities and starting point for park walks. Charlottes Pantry, our onsite café is now part of the national Chatty Café scheme. For more information visit our website.

**MCP Outdoors** - stockists of quality outdoor clothing brands can be found in the Gift Shop.

**The BBQ Area** is at the rear of the castle and available for private hire.

**The Castle Train Station** is at the front of the castle.

## Margam Park Adventure



Provider of mountain biking, canoeing, kayaking, stand up paddle boarding, archery, orienteering, raft building and bike / pedal go kart hire. For more info visit [www.margamparkadventure.co.uk](http://www.margamparkadventure.co.uk)

## 2 The Orangery & Gardens



### The 18th Century Orangery

Is one of the most prestigious **wedding venues** in South Wales. With its unique architecture it was completed in 1790 and is the longest Orangery in Britain. For more information visit [margamorangery.com](http://margamorangery.com)

### The Monastic Ruins

Date back to 1147, they were part of the Cistercian Abbey.

### The Gardens

Are second to none, with well established trees and shrubs which provide breathtaking views all year round.

### The Grade II listed Citrus House

Is a large glass house of early date retaining considerable architectural character. It has been recently restored and now houses a collection of citrus plants.

## 3 Fairytale Land

### A magical children's village

With miniature houses, adventure castle and play areas. Food and drink available from our Seasonal Catering Outlet (open seasonally).

## 4 Adventure Playground

### Explore our newly refurbished playground.

Swing, tunnel, slide, and climb your way through over 40 exciting play points. **Suitable for ages 6-12.**

## 11 The Deer Herd

**The deer herd today roams freely through 500 acres of the parkland.**

It can be dated back to Norman times although references are made to deer in this area during the times of Roman occupation. The herd originally, exclusively Fallow deer has been added to and now boasts Red and the endangered Pere David deer.



### The Cloud Wifi

Available in the Castle Visitor Centre Courtyard, the Castle and The Orangery.

## The Margam Estate

The Park provides, within its boundaries, a unique landscape among the valleys and hills of South Wales. Uplands, copses, lakes and parklands have provided a vast range of natural habitats.

The Park offers great walks for all abilities and spectacular views over the neighbouring landscape.

## 10 The Pulpit viewpoint

Provides excellent views over to Devon, Somerset, The Gower Peninsular and the Glamorgan Heritage Coast.

## 9 The wooded mound behind the castle

Was inhabited by the Silures, a fierce Iron Age tribe. It was the site of their hill fort.

## 8 Perched on the top of the hillside at the western edge of the park

Hen Eglwys (Cryke Chapel), is a roofless ruin of a chapel dating to the monastic period. The views from here are spectacular.

## 7 The Farm Trail

Come and visit all the animals, Glamorgan cattle, Llanwenog & Badger Face sheep, Welsh pigs and Buff Orpington Hens are just some of the interesting and rare breeds you can meet. The Glamorgan cattle are our speciality. You may have seen the herd in the fields next to our main entrance car park. The can be recognised by their chestnut coloured coat and broad white stripe along the backbone, down the tail and under the belly.

## 6 Go Ape



### Go Ape is the UK's No.1 Forest Adventure experience.

Fly down zip-wires, leap off Tarzan Swings whilst enjoying breathtaking scenery.

For more information phone **0845 0948753** or visit [goape.co.uk/Margam](http://goape.co.uk/Margam).

## 5 Margam Discovery Centre



**Margam Discovery Centre provides a range of high quality environmental education opportunities for schools and organised groups provided by Field Studies Council.**

The centre is a state of the art low carbon footprint building. For further information please contact us on **01639 895636**. (Please note there is no public access apart from toilets when the centre is open).



### Symbol Key

- Park Entrance Cabin
- Train Station  
Check times on arrival
- Course Fishing
- Parking
- Toilets
- Food and Drink  
Check opening times on arrival

## 12 Dog Wash

Use our self-service Dog Wash, the first of its kind in Wales. Keep your car & home clean for a low cost. Featuring warm water, 2 speed dryers and environmentally friendly products. Fun & easy to use!