

# BROOK HOUSE KIRBY SIGSTON, NORTHALLERTON DL6 3TE



A Particularly Attractive & Immaculately Presented Country Property with Good Sized Grounds, Gardens & Paddocks

- Immaculately Presented 17<sup>th</sup> Century Cottage
- Substantial Grounds & Gardens
- Scope to Provide Additional Accommodation
- Solid Wood Double Glazing Oil CH
- Extending to 3.7 Acres or Thereabouts
- Idyllic yet Accessible Rural Location

Price: Offers in the Region of £650,000 - £700,000



### Brook House, Kirby Sigston, Northallerton DL6 3TE

#### **SITUATION**

Northallerton5 miles A.19½ mileStokesley9 ½ miles Thirsk8 ½ milesTeesside17 miles Leeds / York45 milesNewcastle40 miles Yarm15 miles

A.1 10 miles

(all distances are approximate)

**Brook House** is very pleasantly situated ¼ mile West of the A.19 Trunk Road. It is located in a pleasant rural position, nicely set back from the minor road, which leads from Northallerton to the A.19. It is therefore within easy reach of the thriving and popular market towns of Northallerton, Thirsk and Stokesley and is also within reasonable travelling distance of York, Leeds, Newcastle and surrounding area.

Whilst being able to enjoy a very pleasant rural position the property has an excellent proximity to the A.19 which puts it within comfortable commuting distance of Teesside, Yarm, York, Leeds, A.1 and A.66 and the road network beyond.

The East Coast mainline train stations at Northallerton links London to Edinburgh and brings London within 2 ½ hours travelling. There is a station at Darlington. Additionally, via the trans-pennine line that calls at these stations, there is direct access to Newcastle, Middlesbrough York, Leeds, Manchester, Liverpool and Manchester Airport.

A full and comprehensive range of educational, recreational and medical facilities together with good High Street shopping are available in the local market towns of Northallerton, Thirsk and Stokesley and for larger town requirements Middlesbrough, Teesside and York are all within easy commuting distance.

The property is beautifully positioned within sight of the Hambleton Hills, in this very picturesque part of North Yorkshire very close to the North Yorkshire Moors National Park and within reasonable reach of the North Yorkshire Dales National Park and within an hour of the coast at Whitby, Scarborough and Redcar.

#### **AMENITIES**

**HUNTING** – is with the Hurworth. Although the property is close to the Bedale, Bilsdale, York & Ainsty North and Zetland, and many other well known packs are within easy boxing distance.

**RACING** – Catterick, Thirsk, Ripon, York, Beverley, Wetherby, Sedgefield, Redcar, Doncaster and Newcastle.

**FISHING & SHOOTING** – the property is attractively placed just off the edge of the North Yorkshire Moors National Park and within easy reach of the Yorkshire Dales. It is close to local well known course and game fishing rivers and is in an area renowned for its quality shoots and good fishing.

The sporting rights on the property are in hand.

**GOLF** – Thirsk, Northallerton, Bedale, Catterick, Richmond and Darlington.

**SCHOOLS** – the area is well served by good state and independent schools. Comprehensive Schools can be found at Northallerton, Darlington, Richmond and Thirsk. Independent Schools include Yarm, Polam Hall at Darlington, Teesside High, Ampleforth, Queen Mary's at Baldersby, Cundall Manor, Sedburgh and Barnard Castle.

**CYCLING & WALKING** – the area is famous for its interesting and attractive walks, being relatively close to the North Yorkshire Moors and within easy reach of the North Yorkshire Dales. The countryside around this property particularly lends itself to walking, cycling and riding. Nearby is the locally renowned area of Osmotherley which is a thriving centre for walkers and ramblers and those seeking to explore the delights of the Hambleton Hills. The property lies close to the Lykewake Walk and the Cleveland Way.

**SPORT & LEISURE CENTRES** – Northallerton, Bedale, Richmond, Darlington. There are football, rugby and health clubs to be found at Northallerton, Yarm, Hurworth and various venues in the Teesside area.

**HOSPITALS** – The Friarage Hospital at Northallerton is the renowned locally renowned hospital.

#### DESCRIPTION

**Brook House at** Kirby Sigston comprises a stone built with pantile roof detached 17<sup>th</sup> Century country cottage property of character and distinction which has been previously extended and under the present ownership has been refurbished with an eye to quality and detail and represents an immaculately presented, well laid out and spacious family property which retains a host of attractive architectural features.

The property has oil fired central heating and wooden sealed unit double glazing.

The property is approached from the front over grass verge which is presently in bloom with daffodils. There is a central pathway to the front door and the property is entered under covered entrance through hardwood front door with central glass light.

The front of the property is nicely set back from the road and access is gained through wooden gates posts with twin five bar gates with post and picket fences to side onto an extensive area of tarmacadam and chippings hardstanding offering parking, driveway and storage for any number of vehicles, caravans etc. and giving access to the detached triple garage. The garage has three wooden double doors to front and a corrugated roof, to the side of which is a continuation onto chippings hardstanding off the tarmac which then runs around to the rear where there is an additional area which is presently used as chippings hardstanding and storage but could subject to Purchasers requirements provide for a larger building which would have an excellent access.

To the side of the driveway the property open up onto a grass paddock which runs down to the brook which meanders through and divides it from the rear paddock which presently is rough grazed with a bridge between the two. The rear paddock was cut last year and in all it extends to 3.7 acres or thereabouts.

To the rear of the property there is gated access off the driveway past purpose built log store and plinth mounted oil tank into the extensive and good sized rear gardens and grounds which are predominantly laid to lawn with numerous established trees and this excellent area provides a particularly attractive backdrop to the property. Adjacent to the rear of the property are steps up to a natural laid stone flagged patio which extends across the back where there are patio doors from the property. There are useful double gates providing vehicular access for tractor etc. to the rear gardens as well as a separate gated access to the far side of the property adjacent to a nice secluded children's play area which was a former orchard

Some of the principle features of the property include:

- Superb Fitted Kitchen/Breakfast Room with attached pantry
- Good Range of Reception Rooms including Sitting Room, Dining Room and Family Room together with Downstairs Shower Room and a substantial Utility Room.
- Above the Family Room there are now two Double Bedrooms with galleried landings.
- Superb Master Bedroom with large En Suite Bath/Shower Room/Dressing Room.
- 3 Further Double Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Useful attached refurbished range of stone built agricultural buildings to the rear, which are presently used now as a Home Office and large storage and freezer / utility room. These rooms offer tremendous potential to provide a separate annexe or could be utilised for studio etc.

The property is therefore one of character and substance, enjoying a superb rural location which is nonetheless ideally placed for access to the local and national centres of commerce together with easy access to some outstanding countryside, whilst having well laid out and spacious accommodation, further potential for extension and would ideally lend itself for accommodation by an extended family unit.

An early inspection of the property is particularly recommended to appreciate the presentation, position and potential.

#### ACCOMMODATION

From the front into:

### Entrance Hall 2.30m x 4.27m (7'7" x 14')

Plus deep door recesses which have beamed lintels over. Laminate oak floor. Beamed ceiling. Ceiling light point. Double radiator. Useful understairs storage area. Stairs to First floor. Window Door to Sitting Room and Dining Room.

#### Sitting Room 6.12m x 3.96m (20'1" x 13')

With a feature exposed brick chimney breast with natural stone lintels and a natural stone hearth together with a hearth mounted multi fuel stove. Exposed attractive heavily beamed ceiling. Ceiling light point. Two wall lights points. Wooden double glazed french doors out to rear patio and garden. 2 double radiators. TV and telephone points.

#### Dining Room 4.01m x 4.29m (13'2" x 14'1")

Exposed beamed ceiling. Centre ceiling light point. Ornamental cut stone fire surround set into a former chimney breast. Oak flooring. Double radiator. Built in carved pine wine rack with cupboard storage over. Separate original door from the hallway. Door into:

### Breakfast Kitchen 6.57m x 4.84m (21'7" x 15'11")

Which nicely divides into kitchen and breakfast area with the kitchen having a mix of pith oak and painted carved units all of which are topped with granite work surfaces. Inset Belfast sink and grooved drainer to side with adjacent Siemens built in dishwasher with unit matched door to front. Plinth mounted Esse Stove set into stove recess with tiled back and sides. Inset extractor and light with carved oak surround and display shelf over. Built in unit matched eye level pantry cupboard. Two ceiling light points. Double radiator. Built in bench

seat to front window which nicely accommodates a breakfast table. Granite splashbacks. Natural quarry tiled floor. Stable door out to rear and door into:

### Pantry 2.76m x 2.03m (9'1" x 6'8")

Part exposed stone wall. Granite worktop. Wall mounted shelving. Ceiling light spots. Tiled floor. Space for a substantial larder fridge.

Door from Kitchen into:

# Family Room 5.76m x 5.74m (18'11" x 18'10")

With oak floor. Ceiling light point. 2<sup>nd</sup> stairway to first floor giving access to two double guest rooms. 2 double radiators. TV and telephone point. Porthole window to side. Twin windows to front. Door to:

### Downstairs WC & Shower Room 2.05m x 1.98m (6'9" x 6'6")

With a natural stone floor and suite comprising shower cubicle with Triton trance electric power shower. Matching wall mounted wash basin with mixer tap over, duoflush WC. Wall mounted Ventaxia extractor fan. Ceiling light point. Heated towel rail. Opaque window.

Further door off Family Room into:

### Utility Room & Boot Store 6.45m x 4.06m (21'2" x 13'4")

Doors to outside. Scope to incorporate this room and the office to provide for an annexe or separate additional sitting room etc. Heavily beamed with predominantly concrete floor. Extensive shelved storage. Trianco Eurostar oil fired central heating boiler. Fitted work surface beneath which is space and plumbing for washing machine and space for dryer. On the opposite wall is a pair of light oak fronted base cupboards with brick plinth between with plinth mounted Belfast sink. Numerous power points and light points.

**Stairs to First Floor from Family Room** are stripped pine balustrade and spindles and lead up to half landing which then has split staircases to left and right leading up to:

### **First Floor Double Guest Rooms**

### Left Hand Room 2.74m x 5.45m (9' x 17'11") max to undereaves

Potential office / storage areas. Exposed beaming to wall. Velux roof light. Double radiator. Light point.

#### Right Hand Guest Room 4.23m x 5.56m (13'11" x 18'3") max

Velux roof light. Double radiator. Exposed beaming to wall. Wall light point.

From Main Entrance Hall are Main Stairs to First Floor with stained and polished pine balustrade and spindles leading up to:

Main Landing 2.49m x 3.20m (8'2" x 10'6")

With ceiling light point.

#### **Master Bedroom Suite Comprising:**

### Double Bedroom 4.01m x 4.32m (13'2" x 14'2")

With an original beamed ceiling. Exposed stone reliefs to chimney breast and wall. Upper mezzanine roof storage. Inset wall light spots. 2 Double radiators. TV point. Great views out over rear garden and field. Steps up to and through archway

## En Suite Bath & Shower Room 3.25m x 4.13m (10'8" x 13'7" max)

Into under eaves 2 double wardrobes with stained and polished pine door to front. Built in shelved linen cupboard and a central basket storage area. The main room has a wood laminate floor. Centrally mounted bath on claw feet. Separate fully tiled shower cubicle with Triton electric shower. Matching Waverley pedestal wash basin and low level WC. Tiled splashback with shaver mirror over. Ceiling light point. Inset velux roof light. Double width cast radiator.

#### Bedroom 2 3.66m x 2.86m (12' x 9'5")

Wood laminate floor. Double radiator. Ceiling light point. Great views out onto rear garden.

#### Bedroom 3 2.51m x 3.20m (8'3" x 10'6")

With ceiling light point. Double radiator.

#### L Shaped Family Bathroom 1.95m x 3.17m (6'5" x 10'5") max overall

Slate tiled floor and main wall. Ball and claw mounted bath having chrome mixer tap with shower attachment over. Matching pedestal wash basin and WC. Ceiling light point. Double radiator.

#### **OUTSIDE**

Attached to the property are:

#### Outhouses

Stone built and rendered with a pantile roof. There are original stable doors with internal pine plank doors and are presently used as:

# Home Office 3.73m x 3.52m (12'3" x 11'7")

Beamed ceiling. Ceiling light point. Power points. 2 night storage heaters. Upper level picture window. Wooden stable door.

Extensive hardstanding giving access to the Garage

### Garage

8.23m x 6.40m (27' x 21')

Timber framed and clad. Presently used as triple garage with 3 double doors to front and has light and power.

### GENERAL REMARKS AND STIPULATIONS

#### VIEWING

By appointment with Northallerton Estate Agency – Tel: (01609) 771959.

#### TENURE

Freehold with Vacant Possession upon Completion.

#### SERVICES

There is mains water and electricity. Drainage is to a septic tank.

#### **COUNCIL TAX**

We are verbally informed by Hambleton District Council that the Council Tax Band is G.

#### LOCAL AUTHORITY

Hambleton District Council, Civic Centre, Stone Cross, Northallerton, North Yorkshire – Tel: (01609) 779977.

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Only those fixtures, fittings and equipment specifically referred to are included in the sale. All furniture, garden ornaments, carpets and curtains and items normally described as tenants fixtures are excluded from the sale except where specifically mentioned in these particulars as being included.

#### MODE OF OFFERING

The property is offered for sale initially by Private Treaty. Please note that **TIM PENNINGTON BSC (HONS)** is dealing with the sale of this property. If you would like to discuss any matter concerning the sale and in particular if you are seriously interested in purchasing this property then please kindly record your interest with him as soon as possible.

#### **USEFUL ADDRESS**

#### DISTRICT COUNCIL

Hambleton District Council, Civic Centre, Stone Cross, Northallerton, North Yorkshire – Tel: (01609) 779977

### **COUNTY COUNCIL**

North Yorkshire County Council, County Hall, Northallerton, North Yorkshire – Tel: (01609) 780780

#### **ELECTRICITY**

Northern Utility Services Ltd, Dundas Street, The Stonebow, York YO1 2PQ – Tel: (01423) 568894

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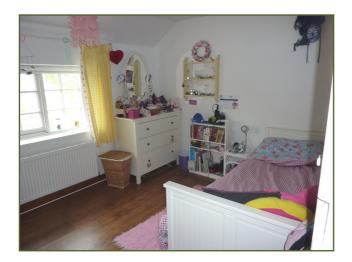


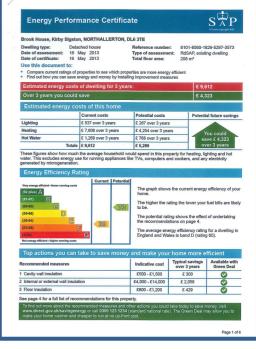












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