

Buckinghamshire Gardens Trust

To record and conserve the gardens and parks of historic Buckinghamshire To aid in the creation and restoration of gardens, parks and green spaces within the historic county

Patron: David Gladstone, Wotton House, Wotton Underwood, Buckinghamshire

Summer Events – 2020



Thursday 14 May - 10.30am to 12.30 noon Visit to Horatio's Garden, Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Mandeville Road, Aylesbury HP21 8AL

A guided tour of a garden, designed by Joe Swift, to support everyone affected by spinal injury.

The cost will be £10 for members and guests plus parking - £5 for 2-3 hours. The visit to include tea/coffee & cake. A map with directions to the garden will be sent to you.



Copies available at the talk Saturday 23 May - Talk/Book launch Jean Stone - Mavis Batey: Bletchley Codebreaker -Garden Historian - Conservationist

2.30pm at the County Museum, Aylesbury HP20 2QP £10 for members with £12 for guests with tea & cake.



Tuesday 9 June - 2.00pm to 4.00pm Visit to Peterley Corner Cottage, Perks Lane, Prestwood, Great Missenden HP16 0JH

This three acre garden has an acre of wild flowers, specimen trees, mature roses, herbaceous and other borders and formal lawns.

The cost of the visit will be £10 for members, £12 for guests, to include tea & cake.



Wednesday 1 July - 2.00pm A visit to Aston Pottery & Garden, Aston, Nr. Bampton, Oxfordshire OX18 2BT, with a guided tour of the gardens at 2.00pm

A combination of hand-decorated ceramics and inspired planting make an exciting visit to this rural pottery and garden.

The cost of the guided tour of the garden is £8 for members with £10 for guests. Coffee, lunch and tea are available at the Country Café.



Photo - The Daily Telegraph



Stowe Landscape Gardens, MK18 5EH Tuesday 14 July - 6.30pm A guided evening walk with Stowe's Head Gardener, Barry Smith, Richard Wheeler, NT Historic Gardens Specialist & Gillian Mason, Curator, to see the recently replaced statues

Recreations of the lost Nine Muses – goddesses of the Arts – return to Stowe.

The cost of the event will be £5 for members and £6 for guests. Please bring your NT card and meet in the former NT car park, entering by the Stowe School entrance.



Sunday 2 August A visit and social gathering with our neighbouring Oxfordshire Garden Trust at Rousham gardens, Rousham OX25 4QU - from 12 noon

On arrival refreshments will be provided by Oxfordshire Gardens Trust (donations welcome) but please bring your own picnic.

For those who wish, Charles and Angela Cottrell-Dormer extend an invitation to attend morning service at the beautiful Church of St Leonard & St James at 11.15am. The cost is £3 with the entry to the gardens £8 from the ticket machine at the gardens' entrance.



Tuesday 22 September Visit to, and guided tour of, Warden Abbey Vineyard, SG18 9LS, commencing at 2.00pm

A walk and talk around the vineyard discussing its history, the varieties of vines and the challenges of growing vines in our climate. To conclude with wine tasting and an opportunity to purchase, should you so wish.

The cost of the visit and guided tour will be £15.



Photo – Jug Parmar

Sunday 11 October Bucks Gardens Trust's AGM to be held at Wotton House, HP18 OSB, at 12 noon by kind permission of our Patron, David Gladstone

The AGM is, of course free, but a donation of £5 would be appreciated for the tour and tea.

In order to book events, please return the enclosed booking form to: Rosemary Jury, 11 Fledglings Walk, Winslow, Bucks MK18 3QU. Or contact at: rosemaryjury@wendoveremail.co.uk - phone 01296 715491

Further event details will be sent on booking.