William Morris House, Epping Forest & Cream Tea Cruise

Friday 20th September 2024



Arts & Crafts man William Morris was born in the Lee Valley village of Walthamstow just below Epping Forest. An award winning gallery dedicated to his life and work is now housed in his splendid Georgian Manor house.

We leave Hartley by 9.00 a.m. to arrive at the House by 10.30 where we will meet our Blue Badge Guide with enough time for refreshments (not included) the Guide will give us a good insight into the man before we follow the trail through the beautiful rooms that illustrate his many talents and interests from wallpaper and furniture.

We then head through Epping Forest, hearing about the long history of this ancient hunting ground, as we head to the genteel old market town of Epping for free time to buy lunch. Then it is on to Broxbourne in the Lee Valley Park for the 90-minute cruise with a cream tea served on board a comfortably appointed broad beam boat. You will be heading home from Broxbourne 5.15pm.

The cost of £67 is inclusive of coach, entry into the House, Blue Badge Guide, the Cruise and Cream Tea

A deposit of £20 will secure your place

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