

Smallhythe Place & Tenterden

Thursday 13th June 2024



This 16th century house and barn was the beloved home to the actor Ellen Terry – great aunt to Sir John Gielgud. She was celebrated for her stage performances making Smallhythe her retreat. She had the barn converted into a theatre. The garden is a joy of old English roses and there is a Tudor church nearby. (3-minute walk).

We will be having a guided tour of Tenterden in the afternoon.

Timetable

9 am Coach leaves The Ark

10:30 Arrive at Smallhythe and have complimentary tea/coffee +biscuits.

11:00 A talk will be given in the barn theatre.

11:30 Free to view house and garden

12:30 We leave by coach for Tenterden and take lunch – many small cafes.

2 pm, We meet our history society guides at the Town Hall and will be divided into 4 small groups.

Easy walks are provided or just visit the small museum.

3:30 pm, We leave for The Ark.

Please note that if you are **not** a member of The National Trust there is a charge of £10.50 at Smallhythe.

Costs £38 Cheques payable to “Turners Hill Arts Society”

BACS -Sort Code **60-07-17** Acc. **96664339** add name/trip as reference

Please email our treasurer lindsay@lindsaywilliams.co.uk and the trip organiser rosiescho@btinternet.com with full details of trips paid for this way

Note:- Once the society has committed to expenditure, refunds can only be made in exceptional circumstances.

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Please make sure that someone else on the tour has your contact details in case of emergencies.