

VISIT ONE: Tuesday 21 May 2019

Mere Historical Society
Kew Gardens and Kew Palace

The Royal Botanic Gardens at Kew is a mecca for garden lovers. It is a UNESCO World Heritage site of over 300 acres with many listed structures of historical importance. The Gardens have 250 years of history but are also paving the way for the future with two national bases for research into botanical studies. So while you're wandering through the gardens and enjoying the many delights, scientists are working away in offices and laboratories behind the scenes.

After our guided tour of the Palace you will be free to spend your time as you wish. Don't forget The Shirley Sherwood Gallery of Botanical Art, and the Marian North Gallery. Entrances to all are included. Comfortable walking shoes are advised or you may want to save your feet by using the drop on/off land train, (£5 for an all-day ticket). There is a choice of places to eat, or bring a picnic.

We will leave Salisbury Street Car Park at 8.00am and return by around 7pm.

Cost: MHS Members £35, non-members £38 per person.

Includes coach and tip, garden etc entrance and guided tour of Kew Palace.

For more details please ring Caroline Cook 01747 861797

Please use the booking form provided

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No receipts will be given but you will be contacted should any problems arise.

Refunds given only if visit does not run.

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Booking form (Refunds given only if visit does not run)

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Name(s).....

Address.....

.....Telephone Number

Sum enclosed £..... **(Check: have you paid your MHS membership fee of £10 for 2019/20?)**

Please send your cheque(s) (a separate one if paying your MHS fee too), payable to Mere Historical Society with the detached booking form to:

Caroline Cook, 20 Lovage Way, Mere, Wiltshire BA12 6RU

(Contact me if you prefer to pay online),