

THE ARTS SOCIETY - BLACKWATER
Visit to Eltham Palace and Gardens - Wednesday 19th June 2019

Eltham is a unique marriage between a medieval Tudor palace and a 1930's millionaires mansion. From the 14th Century to the 16th Century it was an important Tudor palace, where monarchs often stayed and hunted in the surrounding parks. After centuries of neglect Eltham was leased to Stephen and Virginia Courtauld, who built an up-to-the-minute house here that incorporated the great hall. The result is a masterpiece of 20th Century design. English Heritage assumed responsibility in 1984 and have systematically restored the great hall and interiors of the house and gardens to their original state.

To visit Eltham Palace today is to be transported to the Art Deco glamour of the house and gardens and the medieval times of the great hall Not to be missed.

Itinerary

9am	Depart Wickham Bishops Church car park, CM8 3LA, (not the village hall).
10.30am	Arrival and Coffee/Tea biscuits in the restaurant
11.15am	Guided Tour of Eltham Palace in two groups
1.00pm-2.00pm	Sandwiches, cake, fruit and tea/coffee available in the restaurant for £ 9.00 per head or you can bring a picnic.
2.00pm -3.30pm	Explore the Gardens and Shop
3.30pm	Depart and arrive home 5.30pm
COST	Members £45 Guests £48 Lunch £9

The Arts Society Blackwater regrets that no refund will be given for cancellation within 72hrs of the visit, and prior to that a refund is only possible if a replacement can be found

Reservations with payments (cheques preferred) payable to The Arts Society Blackwater
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