WIMBLEDON - WHO'S FOR TENNIS?

WEDNESDAY 22ND MAY 2024



So plans are now completed for our much anticipated trip to Wimbledon, the home of tennis. A guided tour and plenty of time for the amazing Tennis Museum is the plan.

Our award-winning behind the scenes private tour of the grounds is the perfect way to see this world famous site. Expertly led by a friendly Blue Badge Guide, you'll see the facilities used by the worlds best tennis players as well as broadcasters, learn how Wimbledon's distinctive grass is cared for and how the site has changed and improved each year. The tour includes a visit to some of the iconic courts, including centre court, 'Henman Hill' and the Members' Tea Lawn. It's a delightful 90 minute tour.

In the afternoon we visit the fascinating Museum and experience the history and traditions of the Championships. Get up close to the famous trophies, feel the fabrics of tennis fashions from the Victorian period, test your skills on the Batak wall and learn how the Championships have developed since 1877. Experience inter-active galleries, witness the power of Martina Navratilova and so much more.

A glimpse of the itinerary:

08.45	Gather at The Steyning Centre for 9.00 coach departure.
10.30	Arrive Wimbledon tennis for comfort break and coffee.
11.30	Private tour begins.
13.00	Tour ends, time for informal lunch break in The Wingfield Café or
	picnic if you wish.
14.00	Free time for Museum and Shop – a delight.
16.00	Gather for departure and possibly time for a cuppa.
16.15	Coach departs and arrives Steyning approximately 18.00.

The cost of the trip £55 per person for a wonderful day out, including the coach (and driver tip), the private tour and Museum. Members and friends welcome.

Secure your place now by confirming with Colin Harvey (01903 418887) or <u>colinharvey45@yahoo.co.uk</u> and paying a £10 per person deposit.