



Arts Society Cambridge

College Gardens Walking Tour and Champagne Lunch Thursday, 21 June, 2018

This visit provides an opportunity to see two Cambridge College gardens as introduced by their head gardeners. Whether you are a keen gardener or whether you enjoy beautiful aspects in nature, this day has something for everyone. We begin the day at Wolfson College, one of Cambridge's youngest Colleges, catering mainly for graduate and foreign students. Head Gardener Mr Phil Stigwood has created gardens that are a source of pride with speciality areas including Winter gardens, Antarctic garden, 'bark berries and foliage garden' as well clematis and rose gardens. The College is regularly asked to provide tours and participates in the NGS Open Gardens network. After a champagne and sandwich lunch, we will then walk the short distance to Selwyn College on Grange Road. The College was founded in 1880 in the Tudor Gothic style. Close to the Sidgwick site – home to many of the main lecture halls of the university, it is ideally placed. Alumni of the College include actor Hugh Laurie and author Robert Harris. The College has lovely grounds and beautiful herbaceous borders. The day will finish mid-afternoon.

Programme:

11.00 Arrive Wolfson College Combination Room. The College entrance is along Barton Road, just opposite Grantchester Road Cambridge CB3 9BB. Parking spaces at Wolfson are limited. Please be aware of this and, if possible, find alternative parking in either Grantchester Road, Barton Road or Gough Way

11.05-11.30 Morning coffee/ tea and biscuits. A brief introduction to Wolfson College

11.30-12.30 An introduction to the Head Gardener at Wolfson College and a garden tour of varied and original plantings in different parts of the College grounds

12.30-1.45 A Sandwich and Champagne lunch at Wolfson College

2.00 – 2.30 Walk from Wolfson College, along Selwyn Gardens, to Selwyn College on Grange Road

2.30 – 3.15 An Introduction and garden tour of Selwyn College gardens

3.15-3.45 After the tour, you are free to return to your transport or stay and view the Selwyn gardens at your own pace

Cost: for the day is £28

Postal Applications: Please send a **booking slip and cheque made out to The Arts Society Cambridge** to:

Allison Ujejski, Anstey Hall Farm, 3 Grantchester Road, Trumpington, Cambridge CB2 9LH

We regret that refunds cannot be made for cancellations unless we can fill places from the wait list.

In the event of an emergency on the day, call

Allison Ujejski on 078 819 565 78 or Andrea Bronskill on 077 206 607 25

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I/We would like..... Place(s) on the visit "Cambridge Colleges Garden Tour"

Enclosed is a cheque, payable to The Arts Society Cambridge. Cost £28 per person

First Name(s).....Surname(s).....

Home Tel.....Mobile.....

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Dietary Requirements.....