

Friends of National Museum Wales
 Cathays Park, Cardiff CF10 3NP

Berkeley Castle, Dr Jenner Museum & St Mary's Church
Tuesday, 23 August 2016

Berkeley Castle - Berkeley Castle is a beautiful and historic castle, begun in 1154 and is still the home of the Berkeley family. Steeped in over 860 years of British history, it is best known as the scene of the brutal murder of Edward II in 1327 and for being besieged by Parliamentary troops in 1645. The state apartments contain magnificent collections of furniture, rare paintings and English and continental tapestries. Some of the world famous Berkeley silver is on display in the Dining Room and many other rooms including the Great Hall, the Morning Room (the former mediaeval chapel, with its unique painted ceiling) and the kitchens are available to view. The Castle is surrounded by lovely terraced gardens with flower borders, a lily pond, Elizabeth I's bowling green and sweeping lawns.

Dr Jenner's House - Dr Edward Jenner (1749-1823) born in Berkeley, pioneered vaccination (against smallpox) at this house (The Chantry) and it is said his work has saved more lives than any other man who has ever lived. Jenner's development of the first-ever vaccine eventually led to the eradication of smallpox in 1980 and the development of the Science of Immunology. The Edward Jenner Museum at The Chantry opened to the public in 1985. This beautiful Queen Anne Style Manor House was Jenner's home from 1785 until his death in 1823. This visit will really bring Dr Jenner's story to life.

St Mary's Church, Berkeley - Standing beside Berkeley Castle, it is notable for its medieval wall paintings, detached tower, table tombs, and memorials to the Berkeley family.

The programme for the day:

8.45 am	Depart from National Museum, Cathays Park	12.30 pm	Lunch
9.00 am	Depart from Wild Gardens Road, Roath Park	2.00 pm	Dr Jenner Museum & St Mary's Church
10.00 am	Arrive at Berkeley Castle for Tea/Coffee/Biscuits	4.30 pm	Depart Berkeley Castle
10.45 am	Guided Tour of Castle (2 Groups)	5.30 pm	Arrive at Cardiff (approximately)

The cost of the visit, which includes coach, admission to Berkeley Castle, Gardens and Butterfly House, Dr Jenner Museum & Gardens, tea/coffee/biscuits on arrival, two-course lunch with tea/coffee, inclusive of all gratuities is **£46**. If you wish to join this visit, please send a cheque payable to 'Friends of NMW', together with the completed form to:

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Please include a stamped addressed envelope only if you have not provided an email address or you wish to receive a priority voucher should the visit be oversubscribed.

Deadline – Please book by Thursday, 4 August at the very latest.

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Visit to Berkeley Castle & Dr Jenner Museum – Tuesday 23 August 2016

Name(s):

Address:.....

.....Post Code.....Tel. No.....

Mobile No. Email:

Please reserve.....places(s) for the above visit. I enclose a cheque of £ (£46 per person) and a SAE (if you do not have an email address)

I / We will board the coach at the Museum, Cathays Park / Wild Gardens Road, Roath Park.
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MENU SELECTION – please indicate in table below:

Main Course	Poached Salmon, New Potatoes, Salad	Beef Lasagne & Garden Salad
Pudding	Lemon Posset with Biscuit	Fruit Crumble & Custard

I/We confirm membership of the Friends of the National Museum of Wales.....