

FAIRFORD & DISTRICT U3A

Trip to Visit the Mary Rose Museum at Portsmouth Historic Dockyard

Tuesday March 25th 2014

We are planning a day trip to the historic dockyard at Portsmouth, the highlight will be to see the Mary Rose and its artefacts. The morning will be free to visit the Victory, Warrior, or the museums and we will then visit the Mary Rose in the afternoon.

The exciting, new £27 million Mary Rose Museum opened its doors to visitors on Friday 31st May 2013. The Tudor ship that captured the world's imagination when she was raised from the seabed in 1982 is the only sixteenth century warship on display anywhere in the world and the brand new Museum built around her reunites her with many of her 19,000 artefacts and crew.

Our timetable will be to leave Fairford at 8am to arrive at Portsmouth around 10am; members will then have around 2 hours to see the Victory, Warrior, take a harbour tour or visit one of the other attractions in Portsmouth before breaking for lunch. Lunch will be at your own expense and convenience and will be at a venue of your choice either at one of the facilities within the dockyard or at a restaurant nearby or at Gunwharf Quays which is about a 5 minute walk from the Dockyard. We will then have a 1:30pm timed entry to the new Mary Rose Museum before we leave Portsmouth at 5pm to arrive back in Fairford for 7pm. There will be an opportunity to purchase refreshments at the end of the Mary Rose visit after 4pm.

The cost including entrance to all the attractions at the dockyard including the Mary Rose museum, transport, gratuities etc. will be £30.00 per person. Please note lunch and refreshments etc. are not included and are at your own expense.

Please reserve a place with a deposit of £10 per person by the next general meeting 7th January 2014. Places will be reserved in the strict order of receipt to a committee member.

Balance due (£20) by Gen meeting 4th March 2014 (deposits returnable only if seats re-booked)

-----Reservation and Deposit Slip-----

To be returned to a U3A committee member by General Meeting 7th January 2014

Please reserve ____ place(s) for the U3A visit to the Mary Rose on Tue 25th March 2014

Name(s): U3A Member(s).....

Address:.....

Mobile Tel No:..... Email:.....

Cash/Cheque enclosed for the deposit amount:

Please make cheque payable to Fairford & District U3A