

# Event Information:

## Pleasure Excursion to Kew Gardens

### Timetable

- 09:00 – 09:30** Registration and refreshments (tea, coffee, and pastries) in the Cubic Foyer at London Transport Museum. Please arrive at the main museum entrance.
- 09:30 – 10:00** Curator talk: **For Business and Pleasure – London Transport’s poster art and its promotion of London (including Kew Gardens)**
- 10:15** Bus departure
- 11:45 (approx.)** Arrival at Kew Gardens, Elizabeth Gate
- 12:00 – 13:00** Exclusive Kew Gardens tour
- 13:00** Picnic pick-up at Temperate House
- 13:00 – 15:00** Free time. Please note: You are welcome to stay at Kew Gardens until it closes at 19:00, or join us to go back to London Transport Museum on the heritage bus. Please advise us on the day.
- 15:00** Meet outside of Victoria Gate to board the bus
- 15:15** Bus departure
- 16:30 (approx.)** Arrival at London Transport Museum
- 16:30** Self-guided museum visit (the museum closes at 18:00)

Any further questions?

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### Lunch options

Your ticket includes a picnic by Newens, the Original Maids of Honour, containing:

- Selection of Traditional Tea-Sandwiches (5 pieces)
- Two Cocktail Sausage Rolls
- Mixed Leaf & Cherry Tomato Salad with Dressing
- Two Scones with Strawberry Jam and Clotted Cream

You can upgrade to a luxury picnic for an extra £10, which contains:

- Selection of Traditional Tea-Sandwiches (5 pieces)
- Two Cocktail Sausage Rolls
- Mixed Leaf & Cherry Tomato Salad with Dressing
- Slice of Quiche
- Slice of Home-made Pie
- Two Scones with Strawberry Jam and Clotted Cream
- Slice of Cake
- Maids of Honour Tart

Your picnic will come in a Maids of Honour plastic bag and include napkins and cutlery.

For an extra £8, you can purchase the Newens Deluxe Canvas Tote Bag (pictured below), which your picnic will be packaged in on the day, and which is yours to keep as a souvenir.



Vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, and dairy-free options are available. Please inform us of any food allergies or intolerances upon booking.

Drinks are available to be purchased in the [cafés and restaurants at Kew Gardens](#).

We recommend bringing a supply of drinking water with you.

Any further questions?

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The booking office is open 7 days a week from 10.00 – 17.30

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## General information

**Guest age** – Guests aged 16 or under must be accompanied by an adult.

**Registration** – Upon arrival at the museum, please register in the Cubic Foyer.

**Access** – Due to the nature of older vehicles there is no step free access or place to safely accommodate wheelchairs on the bus. We can store wheelchairs at the Museum during the tour. There are mobility scooters available at Kew Gardens. Please let us know of any accessibility requirements at the point of booking.

**Bathroom facilities** – Bathroom facilities are available at the Museum before and after the tour, and at Kew Gardens.

**Boarding** – Museum staff will be available to help you board the bus.

**Late arrivals** – Please note that the bus cannot wait for latecomers. If anyone in your party arrives after the bus has departed London Transport Museum in the morning or Kew Gardens in the afternoon, refunds cannot be given.

**Dogs** – Dogs are not permitted. Please contact us in advance if you are bringing a service animal.

**Food and drink / lunch options** – whilst food and drink can be taken on the bus, we ask that you keep your area tidy. In the morning, light refreshments will be available (tea, coffee, pastries). The ticket price includes a picnic provided by Newens the original Maids of Honour in Kew, which you can upgrade to a luxury picnic for an added £10. See “lunch options” above for picnic contents. This choice has to be made at the point of booking. Please let us know of any dietary requirements and food intolerances or allergies in advance.

**Photography** – we encourage photography at the event, however tripods are not permitted.

**Journey time** – the journey between Covent Garden to Kew will take approximately 90 minutes, but this time may vary subject to traffic conditions.

**How to get here** – The event starts at the Museum, in Covent Garden. You can find the map and address under the [Getting here](#) page on London Transport Museum’s website.

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