



FERNHURST HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Outing to Sissinghurst Castle Gardens, Cranbrook Kent Wednesday 1 August 2018

Depart Vann Road, Fernhurst at **8 am** (*arriving Sissinghurst approx 10.30/11 am*)

Return to Fernhurst at **3.30/4pm** (*back in Fernhurst at approx 5.30 pm*)

Sissinghurst is a National Trust garden and grounds. Historic, poetic, iconic; a refuge dedicated to beauty. Vita Sackville-West and Harold Nicolson fell in love with Sissinghurst Castle and created a world renowned garden. Vita Sackville-West, the poet and writer, began transforming Sissinghurst Castle in the 1930s with her diplomat and author husband, Harold Nicolson. Harold's architectural planning of the garden rooms, and the colourful, abundant planting in the gardens by Vita, reflect the romance and intimacy of her poems and writings.

Refreshments: There is the Granary Restaurant serving hot food + rolls and light snacks from 12 noon - 3 pm also the Diary Coffee Shop selling tea, coffee, cold drinks, light bites etc. Anyone wishing to take a picnic is very welcome to do so and there are plenty of picnic benches around the kitchen garden, lakes etc.

Please note: Bookings / Payment must reach **Daphne Lawes** no later than **Monday 2 July 2018** If you would like us to acknowledge receipt of your cheque please enclose a SAE. **Cheques will not be banked before Monday 16 July 2018**

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To: **Mrs D Lawes, Weatherslade, 6 Glebe Road Fernhurst, Haslemere, Surrey.
GU27 3EH Tel: 01428 653437**

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Please reserve _____ place(s) for the Sissinghurst at £30 *each* (**coach and entry to grounds and gardens**) or *National Trust members* £18 *each* (**coach fare only**).

Members of National Trust please remember to bring your membership card which will be scanned on the coach when we arrive.

Names of those for whom you are buying tickets:

I enclose my cheque made payable to **Fernhurst Horticultural Society** in the sum of £ _____

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