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A VISIT TO BROADWAY, SEZINCOTE HOUSE, and MORETON-IN-MARSH

Tuesday 28 April 2015

Picturesque Broadway is notable for its varied shops, restaurants, and its two contrasting museums, both of which are likely to appeal to Friends.

Based in a seventeenth century building on the High Street, the Ashmolean Broadway features exhibits from the Ashmolean in Oxford. The displays of fine and decorative art from the 17th to 21st centuries include paintings by Gainsborough, Reynolds, Millais, and Landseer. A modest entrance fee of £6 (concessions £4.50) is payable.

Quite different in conception is the Gordon Russell Design Museum, which celebrates the work of Sir Gordon Russell, the renowned twentieth century furniture designer. Conveniently located, the extremely well-presented museum is of interest not only to a specialist audience. The admission fee is £4 (concessions £ 3.50).

The owners of privately-owned Sezincote House just outside Moreton- in-Marsh normally open the house and gardens to the public, on a limited basis, only from May onwards but we have been able to negotiate a prior private Friends' visit. The Grade 1 listed property is unique, the house in the neo-Mughal style dating from the year 1805. During the afternoon we shall have a conducted tour of the house plus access to the renaissance-style gardens.

From Sezincote it is a short ride to Moreton for a light tea at the four star Manor House Hotel.

- 8.45am Depart National Museum Cardiff
- 9.00am Depart. Wild Gardens Road, Roath Park.
- 10.45am approx – Arrive Broadway
- 2.00pm Depart. Broadway
- 2.30pm Arrive Sezincote
- 3.45pm Depart. Broadway
- 4.15 pm Tea at Manor House Hotel.
- 5.15 pm Depart Moreton-in Marsh, arriving Cardiff 7.00 pm approx.

The charge for the trip is £34 to include coach, entry to Sezincote, afternoon tea, and gratuities. Please send your cheque made payable to the Friends of NMW to Roger Gagg at 15 Llandennis Avenue, Cyncoed, Cardiff CF23 6JD with an SAE. Tel: 02920 752338.

To: FRIENDS NMW: Broadway, Sezincote, and Moreton-in-Marsh, 28 April 2015

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I enclose a cheque for £ in favour of Friends of National Museum Wales and a stamped self-addressed envelope. I shall be boarding at National Museum Cathays Park / Roath Park.