

Cycle Tour 2017 - Westonbirt

Dear all cycle tourists

I hope you're well and looking forward to this year's cycle tour in Westonbirt, Gloucestershire, staying in Westonbirt School, Tetbury, GL8 8QG, where we shall, hopefully, enjoy a week of cycling in the beautiful Cotswolds.

ARRIVAL The tour will begin on the Sunday with dinner at 18:30. Please feel free to arrive from 16:30.

MORNINGS Breakfast will be at 08:00

EVENINGS The evening meal is at 18:30pm, there is a honesty bar on site, which will be £2.50 a pint of ale or cider – this year we will be enjoying Bath Ales, which I'm sure many of you are familiar with.

FACILITIES We will have access to a gym and swimming pool.

ACCOMODATION All of the rooms are single rooms. Some facilities may be shared.

TOWERS – We ask each tourist to run a tower, and fund a tower donation for each tower – this will be set at the same amount as previous years of £15 per tower. You will also be responsible for checking with the contact for access arrangements. Gloucester Cathedral charge £2 per person for the trip to ring there. If you are visiting for the day, there is a charge of £5, or £1 per tower, whichever is lower.

PAYMENT Many of you have paid in full, some have just paid a deposit, some have not yet paid a deposit. If you have any outstanding money to pay, please do so, to the usual acc (35129827) and sort code (070116). Please accompany this payment with an email to ybrctmailing@gmail.com, as well as ensuring that you put your name in the bit which allows you to identify the payment to the recipient. Both of these make my life simpler. The cost is £39 per night – if you are staying under 3 nights then there is an additional one-off £5 surcharge on top of this to cover the extra staffing.

TRAVEL - It is your responsibility to arrange and finance your travel to and from the tour.

WHAT TO BRING – Ensure that you bring a roadworthy bike, locks, clothes to cycle in, waterproofs etc etc. Contrary to advice from previous years, you don't have to pack too lightly – changes of clothes are recommended. Bedding and towels are provided.

DISCLAIMER - I make all the arrangements for accommodation and towers but I do not supervise attendees on the tour. Each tourist is responsible for his or her own sensible behaviour at all times. Cycling has its dangers and I cannot be expected to completely eliminate them. Any children under the age of 18 must at all times be accompanied by an adult. Use of the swimming pool is subject to the health and safety regulations of Westonbirt School, and I take no responsibility for what happens there. There is no insurance provided by me, so if you wish to be insured that is your own responsibility. If you have any special needs relevant to the cycle tour, you must make them known to me before the tour. Arriving on cycle tour will be regarded as agreeing to these conditions. If you have any issues or comments about them, please inform me before that time.

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YOUNG	BELL	RINGER'S	CYCLING	TOUR	2017	ITINERARY			
Date	Time	Tower	Dedication	Bells no	Weight	Distance	OS ref	Contact	Organiser
24/07/17	10.15	Horsley	S Martin	8	13cwt	10 miles	ST837980	mike smith rev 01453 836536	Richard Barclay
	11.15	Woodchester	S Mary	6	9	4	SO840026	John Hale 01453 765422	Gregory Jones
	12.15	Minchinhampton	Holy Trinity	6	12	3	SO873007	William Page 01453 889439	Tine Marchbank
	14.30	Avening	Holy Cross	6	11	2.5	ST879980	S Uzzell 07807700004	Nicholas Parr
	15.45	Tetbury	S Mary	8	16	4 (3 miles home)	ST891929	J Sharp (01666) 503944	Ben Carey
25/07/17	10.15	Wotton Under Edge	S Mary	8	18cwt	9 miles	ST760934	Adrian Davis (01453) 844393	James Marchbank
	11.15	North Nibley	S Martin	6	9	3	ST735961	Wynne Holcombe 01453 542091	Tine Marchbank
	12.00	Stinchcombe	S Cyr	6	9	2.5	ST729988	Richard Bartlam (01453) 547741	Peter
	15.30	Upper Cam	S George	6	12	2.5	ST757993	Alex Reeves (01453) 549575	Alex Marchbank
	15.15	Dursley	S James	8	19	2 (9 miles home)	ST757981	Elizabeth Byrne (01453) 543536	Thomas Pelham
	20:00	Gloucester Cathedral	S Peter et. al.	12	23-3-14	N/A	N/A	N/A	-
06/07/17	9.30	Shipton Moyne	S John B	6	15cwt	2.5 miles	ST892897	J Birdwood (01666) 880523	Richard Chandler
	10.30	Charlton	S John B	6	12	6	ST959889	N Medland (01666) 823461	Howard Percy
	12.00	Dauntsey	S James	5	14	5	ST980824	J Tuck (01793) 850999	Brenda Parr
	14.00	Great Somerford	SS P&P	6	8	4.5	ST964832	I Wigmore (01249) 721541	Christopher Dart
	15.30	Malmesbury	S Paul	8	11	5 (5 miles home)	ST933873	P Hatherell (01666) 822987	Sarah Quintin
27/07/17	9.30	Long Newnton	Holy Trinity	6	10cwt	4 miles	ST90992	Mrs J Fenton (01666) 504216	Sue Childs
	11.00	Cherington	S Nicholas	5	6	4	ST903985	Mrs C Williams	Steve Lake
	12.15	Kemble	All Saints	6	9	7	ST989970	Mr E Austin (01285) 770489	Andrew Jackson
	14.30	Oaksey	All Saints	6	9	3	ST991936	N J Mangnall OBE 01666 577982	Ruth Plumridge
	15.30	Minety	S Leonard	6	9	2 (12 miles home)	SU009912	Mr J Sheppard (01666) 860631	Sarah Green
28/07/17	9.30	Sherston	Holy Cross	6	8cwt	3 miles	ST854860	Mrs A Simpson (01666) 840621	Pauline Percy
	10.30	Alderton	S Giles	6	8	2.5	ST841830	Mrs G Smith (01666) 840761	Hannah Simpson
	14.00	Grittleton	S Mary	6	14	3	ST860800	D King (01249) 782448	Julia Russel
	15.00	Nettleton	S Mary	6	11	4 (11 miles home)	ST816794	M King (01249) 782580	John Marchbank