



A Group Visit to

ARUNDELLS

HOUSE • GARDEN • ART COLLECTION

2024 Season: 14 March - 5 November



Former Home of

SIR EDWARD HEATH, KG MBE

Former Prime Minister - Yachtsman - Musician - Art Collector



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THE HOUSE, GARDEN & COLLECTION

Located within Salisbury's magnificent Cathedral Close, this charming house with its Queen Anne facade began life as a Medieval Canonry and is the former home of Sir Edward Heath - former Prime Minister, statesman, yachtsman, musician and art collector.

Arundells remains home to Sir Edward's personal art collection - including paintings by Sir Winston Churchill, John Singer-Sargent, Walter Sickert, Augustus and Gwen John, L S Lowry, John Nash, John Piper and William Wyllie. Exquisite Japanese woodblock prints, hand painted Chinese wallpaper, ceramics, glassware, photographs and detailed scale models of his five Morning Cloud yachts.



The collection also includes curios from around the world, quirky objet d'art and a whole corridor of humorous political cartoons.

Sir Edward's Steinway piano and music memorabilia are on display. Pianists are very welcome play the piano.

The peaceful garden, with lawns, mature trees and borders, has spectacular views of the spire of Salisbury Cathedral, and the confluence of the River Avon and the River Nadder.




VISITING US


Coach parties and tour groups are all very welcome. We've welcomed visitors from all over the UK as well as international visitors from China, Japan, Bangladesh the USA and all over Europe.

Arundells has hosted numerous groups, clubs and societies including: National Trust Associations, Arts Societies, WI, Probus and U3A Groups - with many of these now having made more than one return visit!




 **Peter Peterson**
Appledore, UK • 19 contributions 👍 0

★★★★★
Wonderful!
Sept 2023 • Family
Forget which political persuasion you sway to, this property (Edward Heath's home) is a gem to visit.

 **John S**
Horsham, United Kingdom • 116 contributions

★★★★★
An enlightening visit
One of best house visits we have ever done.

 **MarkY323IPT**
London, UK • 5 contributions


★★★★★
Fantastic Experience - Don't miss this.
Aug 2023 • Couples
If you're visiting Salisbury do not miss this.

★★★★★
Great house and incredible guides!

★★★★★
Five Star Experience

★★★★★
One of the most wonderful experiences in Salisbury

★★★★★
A must if you are visiting Salisbury

 **Sean**
Watford, UK • 1 contribution

★★★★★
Wonderful and informative team
Apr 2023 • Couples
Quite possibly the nicest team I've ever met. They were really friendly, informative and kind. We went for a brief visit, to learn about Heath's life and home but came out knowing much more than we expected, thanks to the wonderful staff.
What was a side part of our visit to Salisbury ended up becoming the highlight. Would recommend to anybody visiting.

Some additional rooms may have opened since your last visit, including the principal guest bedroom (the 'Blue Room') as well as new permanent exhibitions on the history of the house and Sir Edward's time as a soldier.

We will work closely with you to help plan your visit to Arundells and ensure that your time here is as interesting, informative and enjoyable as possible.



REFRESHMENTS

We're able to offer refreshment packages to groups as part of your visit, from invigorating morning coffee breaks to delightful afternoon teas. Get in touch to discuss options and customize the perfect treat for your group!

OPTION ONE - GUIDED TOURS

Led by one of our expert guides, tours of the house are available on Tuesdays from 19th March for larger groups and coach parties.

In addition, and although not advertised as being open, we will also be pleased to arrange guided tours for larger groups and coach parties on Wednesdays.

The charge for guided tours by larger groups (12 people and above) on both Tuesdays and Wednesdays is £11 per person – a £2 reduction on the full price. Admission to the garden and exhibition room is included.

OPTION TWO - EXPLORE AT YOUR LEISURE

Your group can explore the house and garden at their leisure (and at their own pace) with our friendly and knowledgeable stewards on hand to answer any questions and printed room guides for each part of the house.

The 2024 season begins on Thursday 14th March and we'll be open for "explore at your leisure visits" on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays.

The group (12 people +) admission charge on these days is £8.00 per person – a reduction of £2.00 against the advertised price. Admission to the garden and exhibition room is included.

HOW TO BOOK

We'd be pleased to chat with you about what we can offer your group. Get in touch if you'd like to find out more or to book your visit.

We are here to help and would be absolutely delighted to welcome you to Arundells in 2024.

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