

GROUP TOURS TO SLEDMERE HOUSE

“East Yorkshire’s Finest Country House”



Sledmere House is perfect for a group visit. Its charm has captivated visitors for over 200 years and its fine art and furniture collections make it a very special place to visit.

We offer a variety of options for groups allowing you to tailor-make your visit for your perfect day to incorporate any specialist interests your group may have. Admission includes exploring the House either by guided tour or free flow with our experienced House stewards on hand; the group can also explore the gardens and grounds at their own leisure, either before or after the House visit.

We have ample free car and coach parking on site.

Visits can be made to the House during its opening season between April and October, or occasionally by special arrangement during the closed season.

Please check our opening times on the website.

MORNING TOURS (10am to 12pm)

You will be greeted on arrival by one of our House stewards, followed by morning coffee and biscuits. The party will be divided into groups of up to 15 people with their own guide who will take them on a House tour lasting approximately one hour. The group can then

explore the gardens and grounds at their own leisure for the remainder of the day, either before or after the House tour.

Cost: £15.50 per person

AFTERNOON TOURS (2pm to 4pm)

You will be greeted on arrival by one of our House stewards. The party will be divided into groups of up to 15 people with their own guide who will take them on a House tour lasting approximately one hour. The guide will then take their group to The Orangery where a Homemade Cream Tea (cream scone, jam and tea or coffee) will be served. The entire group can then explore the Gardens and Grounds at their leisure for the remainder of the day.

Cost: £17.50 per person

FULL DAY VISIT (10am to 4pm)

You will be greeted on arrival by one of our House stewards. The party will be divided into groups of up to 15 people with their own guide who will take them on a House tour lasting approximately one hour. A buffet lunch consisting of a selection of sandwiches (egg mayonnaise, ham and mustard mayonnaise, tuna and cucumber and cheese and chutney), tray bakes (brownie and Bakewell slices), mini scones and tea or coffee will be served in the Orangery. The group are then able to explore the Gardens and Grounds at their leisure for the remainder of the day. If desired a combined tour of the House and the Gardens can be taken on the day.

Cost: £24 per person

GARDEN TOURS

This tour will provide an appreciation of how the Gardens are maintained throughout the seasons to explain some of its history and give an insight of what happens “behind the scenes” to ensure a continuous supply of flowers, fruit and vegetables. Our Head Gardener will take you to explore the formal fruit garden and show you the extensive range of plants. They will also discuss the different naturalistic gardening techniques used to attract many types of birds, bees and butterflies. The tour itself will last approximately one hour. Tea, coffee and biscuits can be served either before or after the tour in The Orangery.

COST: £13.50 per person to include refreshments

£10.50 per person with no refreshments

OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

We are able to offer the special rates to groups of 15+ people.

Reconnaissance visits are welcome by prior arrangement by contacting our Head Steward.

Bookings should be made by completing and e-mailing or posting our booking form. A non-refundable deposit of £50 will be payable in advance, once the booking has been confirmed.

VISITORS WITH DISABILITIES

There is a lift which gives visitors with limited mobility access to the first floor of the House.

There are toilet facilities for disabled visitors on site. Assistance dogs are permitted in the House.

To book your group visit today and for further enquiries, please contact our Head House Steward - Alicia McCreedy alicia@sledmerehouse.co.uk.