

Lincolnshire HPS Holiday 2020 - Gardens of Herefordshire

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> to Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June - 4 days





4 Days by coach from £480\*pp Half board Inclusive of entrance fees



## The Three Counties Hotel Hereford (3\*)

An independently run hotel where the emphasis is on friendly, personal service. Set in 3.5 acres of landscaped gardens on the outskirts of Hereford, approximately one mile from the centre

• 60 bedrooms all with private facilities, hospitality tray, flat screen TV and hairdryer

• Mundi restaurant specialising in local produce

• Free wi-fi

## What's included:

✓ 3 nights' accommodation 3 course, 3 choice dinner, and full English breakfast

 ✓ Return executive coach travel
 ✓ Porterage on arrival and departure

Lunches on Days 2 and 3
Visits and entrance fees as shown

\*Price based on two persons sharing and a minimum group size of 31 paying passengers. **Sole occupancy rooms incur a** £36 supplement. Optional insurance £12pp Booking conditions apply

## 4-day guideline itinerary:-

**Day 1:** Coach departs PC Coaches Depot, Lincoln at 8.30am prompt. Commence journey south taking the A46 towards the Cotswolds.

We make a coffee stop at **the Cotswolds Garden Flowers Nursery** near Evesham before **our** visit to **Kiftsgate Gardens**, idyllically situated near Chipping Camden with wonderful views, unusual shrubs, tree peonies, hydrangeas and old fashioned roses. Please take a packed lunch or buy something in the Kiftsgate Café. Following our visit we continue to Herefordshire and our hotel

**Day 2**: Depart hotel and travel to **Rhodds Farm** at Lyonshall, created by Richard and Cary Goode. Arrive at **Grendon Court** at Upton Bishop in time for lunch. This contemporary garden was the brainchild of Tom Stuart Smith, planted on two levels and featuring a collection of mass planted perennials and grasses. Lunch will be taken here. Then it's onto **Brockhampton Cottage**, also created by Tom Stuart Smith working with the owner Peter Clay – a beautiful hilltop garden with its own lake, stream and arboretum.

**Day 3:** Our first stop today is at **Mulberry House** at Ross on Wye, a small, but delightful half acre garden created 12 years ago. Our next visit is to **Poole Cottage**, a two acre hillside garden of naturalistic style with grass hedges, a small orchard and a kitchen garden with lovely views.

Our highlight today is the exquisite **Laskett Garden** at Much Birch. These are the largest private formal gardens to be created in England since 1945, covering 4 acres. Please note: A packed lunch has been included today

**Day 4**: Homeward bound, we leave the hotel and travel to Bampton for our visit to the **Aston Pottery and Garden** where five stunning borders flower through from June to November. Purchase lunch in the café. From here we continue home, aiming to be back in Lincoln at approximately 6pm **Please note:** 

Some gardens may involve steps or uphill walks to and from where the coach can park. This holiday is therefore not advised for those with restricted mobility. ALL DEPARTURE TIMES WILL BE ANNOUNCED ON THE COACH

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Tour details are subject to change and have been arranged in conjunction with just for groups!

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