

Launceston & Plestin Packet



Occasional newsletter of Launceston and
District Twinning Association

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Reminder!

Deadline for payments for Greenway or the zoo is only two days away

ALL those going to the zoo or Greenway must have their numbers and cheques to secretary Jean Mansell by TUESDAY (22 March) – whether going by car or bus.

This is extremely important as we have to know exact numbers in order to send the relevant cheques off on Wednesday.

Everyone who has said that they would like to visit either the zoo or Greenway should fill in the attached form as soon as possible.

Full details of costs and timings are covered in the booking forms that accompany this issue of The Packet. Remember that we also need numbers of French guests as well as numbers of twinning on the booking forms.

Greenway

Tilley's bus will leave Launceston College car park at 9.45am to arrive at Dartmouth in time to take the 12 midday boat to Greenway. The river journey takes about 30 minutes and the return boat will leave Greenway at 4.00pm to meet the bus at Dartmouth (at approximately 4.30).

For those going to Greenway by boat, it is worth noting that there is transport available to take visitors to the house for those who would find the walk up through the woods too taxing.

Because the Twinning Association will be paying for our French visitors, anyone making their own way to Greenway is asked to meet the group at the entrance by the house at 12.45pm. (National Trust members will only pay for the bus and the boat.)

Paignton Zoo

The French bus will leave Launceston College car park at 10.15am with a planned departure time from Paignton Zoo of 4.30pm (weather permitting)

Coming and going:

Friday, 8 April - The French bus is due to arrive at 11-11.30pm in Launceston College car park after arriving in Plymouth at 9.45pm.

Monday, 11 April – The French bus will depart from Martin's Cash and Carry at 9am (not the College because it's a school day).

Wine and Wisdom

APRIL gives us an opportunity to put on our thinking caps and search for those answers 'just on the tip of my tongue' with the return of our popular Wine and Wisdom Quiz Night.



Following the same format as the highly successful event last year, our Spring wine and wisdom will take place on Friday, 22 April, at the White Hart, starting at 7:30pm.

It promises to be a fun evening as usual and our genial quiz master Peter Birkett has prepared a wide-ranging selection of questions to get us all thinking! The price is also still the same at £18 per table (payable on the night) which includes a bottle of wine and French cheeses, grapes and other nibbles.

So organise your team – perhaps recruiting teams of people who aren't twinnings – and reserve a table by contacting Secretary Jenny Birkett on 01566 777978, or email her at jennybirkett2@gmail.com as soon as possible.

Diary Dates

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| April 8-11 | Visit by Plestin twinnings to Launceston |
| April 12 | Launceston Twinning Association's annual coffee morning at the Central Methodist Hall, 10am |
| April 22 | Wine and Wisdom evening at the White Hart, Launceston |