

IFORD MANOR GARDENS (Bradford-on-Avon)

Tuesday 19 May 2026

Cost: £82.50

Depart from: Starting Gate 9.00am Wharf 9.15am
Racecourse (car park no. 2 by the Lodge Hotel) 9.30am



This peaceful, Grade 1 registered garden is unlike any other with its romantic design and architecture, combining formality with nature and magnificent rural views across an unspoilt valley, whilst beautifully framed architectural gems and antiquities punctuate your visit throughout. Set on the last hill of the Cotswolds, within the Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, it is hoped that all who visit will leave feeling relaxed and inspired.

The cost of the trip includes:

- Entrance to the gardens
- Tea/coffee and homemade cake upon arrival with an introductory talk
- 2 course lunch with tea or coffee (wine may be purchased at your own expense)
- Private visit to walled garden after lunch
- Coach hire and driver’s tip
- Pick up points in Newbury
- 90 mins escorted tour of the gardens
 Either:
Tour 1 with Head Gardener looking at the planting in detail; or
Tour 2 with the owner talking about the architecture & history of the manor and the main interests of the gardens
 (First come first served 25 on each tour)

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Name(s)		
Membership no		
Landline		
Mobile		
Garden tour preferred choice	Tour 1 / Tour 2	Tour 1 / Tour 2
Contact in case of emergency (ICE) on the day only		

I/We wish to be picked up at Starting Gate Racecourse..... Wharf
 Parking at Racecourse Yes / No

Please sign below to confirm you have read and accepted the T&Cs on the U3A website.

Signed.....

I/We would like to book place(s) and enclose a cheque (including £6.00 parking at the Racecourse if applicable) for £..... made payable to **Newbury Uni of the 3rd Age Social a/c** and sent to the above address.