



A Visit to Flag Fen & Clare Cottage

Thursday 16th June 2022

Departing from Lincoln Hotel 8.45 and Waitrose car park 9.00am, return about 6pm

Flag Fen near Peterborough is the site of a Bronze Age causeway across the fen. Developed about 3500 years ago it consists of more than 60,000 timbers.

Arranged in five long rows to create a way across the wet fenland. Partway across the structure a small island was formed and from the items associated with it scholars have concluded it was of religious significance.

Clare Cottage at Helpston was the home of John Clare, widely regarded as one of the greatest English poets. He lived in the village from 1793 to 1832 at a time of significant change to English rural life – particularly seeing first-hand the impact of Enclosures.

The price is £35. Please return the slip, with cheque (to FLMAG) **by 1st May.** Christine Metcalf. Fen Lodge, Kingsley Court, Potterhanworth, Lincoln LN4 2 DQ. Or to Pay by BACs email cbjcowham@hotmail.com for details

If numbers are insufficient, your cheque will be returned. Cancellations received after 1st June will not be reimbursed, but you may arrange for another traveller.

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I/we wish to visit Flag Fen/Clare Cottage Thursday 16th June 2022 and enclose a cheque for £...

Name(s).....

Telephone No.....Email.....

Emergency contact name.....Number.....

I/we will join the coach at Lincoln Hotel..... or Waitrose.....

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