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## THE ARTS SOCIETY STAFFORD

VISIT TO HATTON GRANGE,  
SHROPSHIRE TF11 9HS

**THURSDAY 8 JUNE 2023**

Website: [www.historichouses.org/house/hatton-grange](http://www.historichouses.org/house/hatton-grange)



Hatton Grange

Hatton Grange was built in 1764 for Plowden Slaney by Shrewsbury architect Thomas Farnolls Pritchard, and Hatton remains to this day within the same family and is one of Pritchard's most complete existing works. The house is set within parkland and surrounded by beautiful gardens including a David Austin rose walk. The roses were gifted by David Austin Senior to the current owners, Rupert and Christina Kenyon-Slaney, on the occasion of their marriage, and the rose garden has been extended by them over the years with guidance from the eminent rosarian Michael Marriott.

Hatton Grange is a good example of a provincial Georgian country house set in its own grounds. The interior also features ornate plasterwork and chimney pieces designed by Pritchard. The house is still very much a family home and contains a fascinating collection, most notably that of Robert Aglionby Slaney (MP for Shrewsbury) and his grandson William Slaney Kenyon-Slaney (MP for Newport) who scored the first international goal for England at football on 8 March 1873 against Scotland.

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| <b><u>COST:</u></b>          | <b>£40.00 per person</b> inclusive of a refreshment with introduction on arrival in Cricket Pavilion. Guided house tour by Rupert Kenyon-Slaney/tour of gardens with Christina Kenyon-Slaney – 15 people on each tour. Both house/ garden tours to be undertaken before lunch – approx. 45 minutes each. Lunch in the Cricket Pavilion - Quiche, salad, new potatoes etc; strawberries and cream, glass of wine. Toilets are located in the Cricket Pavilion. |
| <b><u>GETTING THERE:</u></b> | Directions will be sent approximately 2 weeks before date, as Sat Nav can be misleading.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b><u>CAR PARKING:</u></b>   | Members' own transport with plenty of parking at Hatton Grange.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b><u>ARRIVAL:</u></b>       | 10.30am for 10.45am start please.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b><u>DEPARTURE:</u></b>     | After lunch                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b><u>PHOTOGRAPHY:</u></b>   | Allowed outside house, and in the garden, but not in the house please at owners' request.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b><u>CONFIRMATION:</u></b>  | No acknowledgement will be sent – clearance of your cheque is confirmation of booking. There will be no refunds on cancellations, unless there is a waiting list.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |

Please return the slip below **by 8 May 2023** to:

Lucy Heath, Ellenhall Grange Farm, Eccleshall, Staffordshire, ST21 6JQ. Email [info@dheathandson.co.uk](mailto:info@dheathandson.co.uk)  
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I/We wish to attend the visit to Hatton Grange on **Thursday 8 June 2023**

Names and requirements of those attending:

| Name: | Can you offer a lift please? | Special Dietary Requirements |
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I/We enclose a cheque for £\_\_\_\_\_ made payable to The Arts Society, Stafford  
**OR** online Sort Code 40-52-40 Account No 00060352 Reference HATT, and your Unique reference please

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