

The 23rd British Rowing Tour Leeds to Doncaster 1st - 4th September 2016





Aire & Calder Navigation



Ferry Bridge





Don Aqueduct



Barnby Dun Swing Bridge



Provisional Programme

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Thurday	Boats and trailers to Leeds Rowing Club, unload and rig
1st Sept	Transfer trailers to Pastures Hotel, Mexborough
(p.m.)	Check in Pastures Hotel
	Buffet dinner Pastures Hotel
Friday	Coach from hotel to Leeds Rowing Club
2 nd Sept	Row Leeds to Allerton Bywater (10.7 km, 3 locks)
	Picnic lunch or possible stop at the Boat Inn
	Row to Harkers Wharf, Knottingley (15.2 km, 3 locks)
	Dinner, Pastures Hotel
Saturday	Coach to Knottingley
3 rd Sept	Row Knottingley to Beaver Sailing Club, Southfield Reservoir (16.6 km, 2 locks)
	Lunch at Beaver Sailing Club
	Row to Long Sandall Lock (15 km, 2 locks)
	Gala Dinner, Pastures Hotel
Sunday	Coach to Long Sandall Lock
4 th Sept	Row Long Sandall to Pastures Hotel (17.3 km, 3 locks)
	Lunch at Pastures Hotel, load trailers, depart

Accommodation

Double, twin or single en-suite rooms at Pastures Best Western Hotel, a comfortable, modern hotel beside the River Don Navigation at Mexborough.

Boats

Stable crew boats, sculling recommended.

Crews should equip themselves with canoe paddles to assist with going through locks. Seats in coxed quads may be offered for hire to individual participants without their own boat by clubs with spare capacity.

Cost

A participation fee will be charged to include:

- 3 nights' accommodation (Thursday, Friday, Saturday) with full English breakfast
- dinners on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening
- lunches on Friday, Saturday and Sunday
- transport to and from boating sites
- tour polo shirt

Local rowers are encouraged to join in for all or part of the tour, but will be responsible for providing their own transport and boat unless seat hire has been arranged with the organisers. Meals will be charged at cost.

Provisional cost (depending on number of participants):	
Hotel, sharing double or twin room	£260
Hotel, single room	£305
Local participation	Meals at cost
Please email organisers to register	£15 for polo shirt if req.
Hire of seat (for all 3 days)	£30

Further information

John and Caroline Turnbull: Weyfarers@aol.com

In the event of adverse river or weather conditions which affect the running of the tour the organisers will endeavour to arrange other activities. We regret that no refunds can be made in the event of restricted rowing. We suggest that participants consider taking out their own cancellation insurance.

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Thursday 1st - Sunday 4th September 2016

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Registration form for residents

Please register me for the Tour. I understand that I take part in the tour at my own risk and confirm that I have no medical conditions which may affect my ability to participate.

Name:	••••
Address:	
Tel No (home):(mobile)	••••
Email	
Accompanied by:	••••
(rowing/non-rowing) please delete as appropriate	
T-shirt size(s): men's S/M/L/XL/XXL women's 8/10/12/14/16/18	
Club: BR number	
(please note: you must be at least a Silver member of British Rowing to take part in the tour)	
Room requirements (subject to availability):	
Best Western Pastures Hotel	
Single: Double:	
Sharing with:	
Any special dietary requirements:	
Boat (please complete one option):	
Own boat name and type:	
Sharing boat with:	
I wish to hire a seat:	
Non-rowers only	
I would be interested in Guided Walks	
Signature: Date:	
Deposit: A deposit of £50 per person is required by 30 th June. The balance must be paid by 31 st July. Bank details: RRWP Sort Code: 60-21-34 Account No: 56052944 Ref: BR Tour 2016	

Return form to:

Caroline Turnbull

Lea Rigg, Pyrford Woods, Woking, Surrey, GU22 8QL

Or email: weyfarers@aol.com

Please note: These details will be held on computer for use by the organisers of this and subsequent British Rowing tours only