

Visit Arley Hall & Gardens

A Christmas Floral Extravaganza

on Wednesday 7th December 2011



Arley Hall is one of Cheshire's most charming country houses. Built between 1832 and 1845, the Hall is a fine example of the Victorian Jacobean style. Visitors are enthralled by entering a piece of living history, which gives an intimate insight into life in the Hall and the history of a family that has cherished Arley as their home for over 550 years. From elaborate ceilings, impressive fireplaces, the magnificent oak-panelled Library, to the Gallery with its intricate stained-glass windows, and the Emperor's Room - once the winter residence of Prince Louis Napoleon, the Hall is very much a living home. The gardens

were created by successive generations to be a plantsman's paradise. Many unique features include the giant columns of Quercus Ilex, the Pleached Lime Avenue and yew topiary. With two Walled Gardens, dedicated to ornamental shrubs and retaining some of the vegetable garden, scented herb and Shrub Rose gardens, and a delightful Victorian Rootree Arley.

Christmas Floral Extravaganza

The magic of Christmas comes to Arley Hall as the hall is bedecked with the scent and spectacle of fresh flowers and foliage in breathtaking traditional floral arrangements.

Itinerary

We meet on Lytham Road at the Senior School entrance for the coach to leave at 10 am. Our arrival time will be approximately 11.30 am at Arley Hall. Departure time will be 3 pm arriving back at school for approximately 4.30 pm.

The cost of the visit which includes the coach, admission and lunch in the Tudor Barn is £28.00.

If you would like to join us please complete the tear-off slip below and return by the closing date of Friday 18th November 2011 to: Treasurer, c/o 31 Ayrton Avenue, Blackpool FY4 2BW (*limited availability*). Cheques payable to ALLC.

Arley Hall & Gardens at Christmas

Name and address

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Telephone.....No of tickets.....Cost.....