

The State Rooms of Buckingham Palace Saturday 4th January or Sunday 5th January. 16.30



Guided by the experienced Wardens' Team and The Master, Dr Peter T J Rumley FSA

Join us for a Christmas tour by Buckingham Palace Wardens and The Master and see the magnificent State Rooms and priceless paintings and works of art in the world-renowned Royal Collection. In the company of an expert guide, you will be taken on a tour through these magnificent rooms when the Palace is not usually open to the public. The Christmas decorations will still be in place as originated by Queen Victoria and Prince Albert.

The tour itself lasts around an hour and a half, followed by a glass of Champagne in The Marble Hall. It is suggested leaving two and a half hours for the full experience, from admission through our security search through to drinks and an opportunity to enjoy an exclusive 20% discount in the shop (where the Tour will finish).

The Wardens' Team will discuss the collection and history alongside my recent architectural research. The route of the tour is:

Ambassadors' Entrance, Lower Corridor, Quadrangle, Grand Entrance and Grand Hall, Grand Staircase, Green Drawing Room, Throne Room, Picture Gallery, Silk Tapestry Room, East Gallery, Ballroom, State Dining Room, Blue Drawing Room, Music Room, White Drawing Room, Marble Hall and Bow Room.

We meet at 16.30 at the **Ambassadors' Entrance** which is in Buckingham Gate, which is the road to the left when facing the front of Buckingham Palace. LATE COMERS CANNOT BE ADMITTED.

Cost - £85.00 a head (to include entry and a glass of Champagne)

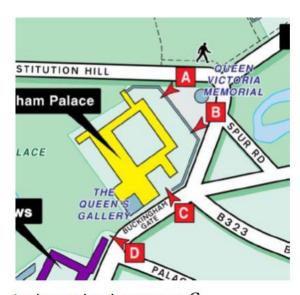
Please note that places are limited to 30 per day. We expect this event to be popular, so places are also limited to one guest per liveryman. We shall be holding a draw if the visit is over-subscribed and there will also be a waiting list. Please indicate if you would like to be put on this list if you're unsuccessful in obtaining a place - you and any guest will need to be available at short notice.

Because there is expected to be a ballot, there will not be online booking. Instead, please complete the form below, or provide information requested by email.

You will be advised of the results of the ballot by email on Monday 16th December.

With all good wishes.

Adrian Mumford Clerk



Ambassadors' Entrance C

Buckingham Palace State Rooms Tour Booking Request Form Please return to the Clerk by Friday 13th December at the latest

Name:
Which tour would you like tickets for (please tick one)?
Saturday 4 th Sunday 5 th Either
How many tickets would you like?
Have you been to a Social Event before? Yes / No Social events do NOT include Court lunches, the Annual Banquet, Installation Day, the Ladle Dinner, the Annual Lecture, the Carol Service or the Summer Ball.
Would you like to be put on the waiting list if unsuccessful for tickets? Yes / No
Guest:
Please do not send cheques or transfer funds until your place has been confirmed
The preferred method of payment for successful applicants will be by bank transfer
Signed
Date