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## Trips Programme

6<sup>th</sup> January – 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020

**Booking starts: 9.00am on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> January '20**

(We CANNOT take any bookings via email/phone message or prior to this date)

Our trips are largely organised and facilitated by our volunteers so please join us in thanking them for all of their hard work to allow us to manage our trips programme.

After an overwhelming response to previous programmes and to keep things fair, we will only take bookings for 2 trips per person and you will not be added to a waiting list for additional trips if you have already made 2 bookings.

### Trip Terms & Conditions

**How to pay:** We accept cash or a cheque, with a receipt provided on payment. Please post cheques to: Open Age, St Charles Centre for Health & Wellbeing, Exmoor Street, London W10 6DZ. **Or hand in at your closest centre.**

**If you need to cancel:** At least one weeks' notice is required if you wish to cancel your place on a paid trip to receive a refund. This allows us enough time to hopefully find a replacement from the waiting list. Please call the MAIN OFFICE as early as possible if you do need to cancel.

**If we need to cancel:** Sometimes trips have to be cancelled at the last minute due to health and safety. This is due to circumstances outside our control i.e. very poor weather conditions. We will try to give as much notice as possible.

**Confirmation of your place for a paid trip:** We must receive payment within 2 weeks of booking, if we do not we may have to offer your space to another member on the waiting list.

**Please contact our MAIN OFFICE on 0208 962 4141 to book.**

Trip	Date & Time	Details	Address A travel help sheet will be provided prior to the trip	Cost	Spaces available
The Art of Innovation: From Enlightenment to dark matter	16 <sup>th</sup> January 3pm	Examining this ongoing relationship, The Art of Innovation: From Enlightenment to Dark Matter looks at the interaction between scientific progress and social change, how machinery has both influenced and threatened the human body and how tools that go beyond human senses can capture the unseen	Science Museum Exhibition Road South Kensington SW7 2DD	£2	10

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Tour of the Wallace Collection	21 <sup>st</sup> January 2.15pm	The Wallace Collection is an internationally outstanding collection which contains unsurpassed masterpieces of paintings, sculpture, furniture, arms and armour and porcelain.	Hertford House, Manchester Square, London W1U 3BN	£2	15
Walking London Landmarks tour of the South	29 <sup>th</sup> January 3.30pm	Cross the river with us, over London's most iconic bridge, Tower Bridge, and come for walk down the Thames' most picturesque bank. See some of London's most daring modern architecture as you are made to feel small under "The Shard". From legendary Shakespeare's The "Globe Theatre", or Britain's temple of contemporary art "The Tate Modern", to amazing bars and restaurants; the South Bank is the place to be!	Tower Hill Underground Station by the coffee stand called "Tower Hill Tram", next to Trinity Square gardens, EC3N 4DJ	£2	7 <b>Westminster residents Priority</b>
Kensington Palace Visit	4 <sup>th</sup> February 10 am	Explore the birthplace of Queen Victoria and home to young royals for over 300 years. Walk in the footsteps of royalty in Victoria's re-imagined childhood rooms, the magnificent King's State Apartments and the famous Sunken Garden. <b>Please note; This is a self guided visit</b>	Kensington Gardens, Kensington, London W8 4PX	£2	15 <b>Westminster residents Priority</b>
John Wesley's House	6 <sup>th</sup> February 10.15am	Step back into Eighteenth Century London with a visit to one of London's finest surviving examples of a small Georgian house.	49 City Road, EC1Y 1AU	£7.50	15

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Tour of the Wallace Collecton	26 <sup>th</sup> February 2 pm	The Wallace Collection is an internationally outstanding collection which contains unsurpassed masterpieces of paintings, sculpture, furniture, arms and armour and porcelain.	Hertford House, Manchester Square, London W1U 3BN	£2	15 Westminster residents Priority
Charles Dickens Museum	5 <sup>th</sup> March 11.15am	Discover the Dicken's home where the author wrote Oliver Twist, Pickwick Papers and Nicholas Nickleby. It's where he first achieved international fame as one of the world's greatest storytellers.	48 Doughty Street, WC1N 2LX	£7.50	15
Kimono: Kyoto to catwalk	10 <sup>th</sup> March 10.30am	The most famous piece of Japanese fashion ever created and one of the most iconic examples of clothing, full stop! The Kimono is a fashion symbol, status symbol and cultural symbol. Which it is now the star of its own major fashion show at the V&A.	Victoria & Albert Museum Cromwell Road SW7 2RL	£2	14 Hammersmith & Fulham residents priority
Kew Gardens	12 <sup>th</sup> March 10.45am	A visit to one of the largest botanical gardens in the world is a perfect break from London's crowds and tubes	Richmond, TW9 3AE	£2	20
Kimono: Kyoto to catwalk	13 <sup>th</sup> March 2 pm	The most famous piece of Japanese fashion ever created and one of the most iconic examples of clothing, full stop! The Kimono is a fashion symbol, status symbol and cultural symbol. Which it is now the star of its own major fashion show at the V&A.	Victoria and Albert Museum Cromwell Gardens SW7 2RL	£2	15

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Keats House	19 <sup>th</sup> March 11.15am	Discover the beauty of poetry and place in the home of the Romantic poet John Keats, now a museum and literary centre.	10 Keats Grove, Hampstead, NW3 2RR	£4.50	15
Jack The Ripper Walking tour	27 <sup>th</sup> March 6pm	Join us as we delve into some of the fascinating and mysterious facts behind London's most infamous murders. Throughout the tour you can learn more about the possible suspects who are believed to be behind the murders; such as Lewis Carroll, Aaron Kosminski, Thomas Cutbush or Montague John Druitt. Hear more about Jack The Ripper's five famous victims: Mary Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes and Mary Kelly	Tower Hill Underground Station by the coffee stand called "Tower Hill Tram", next to Trinity Square gardens, EC3N 4DJ	£2	7
Matinée performance of After Play at The Coronet Theatre	2 <sup>nd</sup> April 2.15pm	Afterplay is a one-act bittersweet play focussing on two of Chekhov's disappointed characters. The play explores the twists and turns their lives have taken	103 Notting Hill Gate, London W11 3LB.	£5	20

**EVERYONE TAKES PART IN OUR TRIPS AT THEIR OWN RISK**  
**Please be aware all our trips include using buses, tubes and trains, climbing stairs, escalators and walking from stations to venues which may involve going over uneven surfaces.**  
**If you need extra assistance, please do arrange this for yourself and let us know when you're making a booking.**