

**PALMERS GREEN & PALMERS GREEN U3A
COACH OUTING.**

CHIDDING STONE CASTLE

Date: THURSDAY 16th JULY

Cost: £48 (includes tip for the driver, tour and coach)

Our slot is to arrive is 11 am for what is called an in depth tour and we will leave the castle at 4pm.

Chiddingstone Castle

The castle was built in the 16 Century, by the Streatfield family and they lived there until 20th century. On our visit we will discover the fascinating Japanese, Stuart, Jacobite, Buddhist and Ancient Egyptian collections whilst exploring the castle. Find out about the previous owners and the history of this historic home. Take in the grandeur of the Great Hall, White Rose room, Victorian Kitchen and more rooms. When we make our visit the inner courtyard should be filled with colourful fragrant roses.

Please wear suitable shoes.

There is a Grade 11 listed Victorian Orangery, and the quant castle tea room offers light lunches, and afternoon teas. There is plenty of indoor and outdoor seating, so please let me know if you wish to take a packed lunch, I can book an area for you to sit in the 35 acres of beautiful grounds.

The final booking date is 1st . June

PHOTOGRAPHS CAN BE TAKEN IN THE CASTLE

Disclaimer: Applicants must be aware that the organiser and fellow travellers are unable to take responsibility for any other member.

Cancellations: If you need to cancel after booking, monies cannot be refunded unless a replacement is found by you or from a waiting list.

Mobility: There are no lifts or handrails to the upper floors, but there are photos and information in the Victorian kitchen of this area. Also there are historic uneven floors in the castle and paths in the gardens.

Medication: Please ensure you have all medication you may require.

Organiser: Shirley Marney

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