**Tuesday 30 June 2026
Coach leaves at 8.30am from Fairfield Halls, Park Lane, Croydon, (please arrive by 8.15 am for registration) arriving back between 5.30-6pm**

**u3a Outing to Maidenhead for a Typical British Summer Lunch Cruise**

**Cost of this outing is £53 (including driver’s tip): and includes a 2 course menu, see below. The cruise is for 3 hours.**

This typically British cruise is a great way to spend the time than with a groups of like minded people. We think you will enjoy cruising down the river with a lovely meal and a sing-song or two in a typically British fashion.

This 3 hour cruise includes a lunch of **chicken & leek pie, with mashed potatoes, vegetables and gravy, and a dessert of apple & berry crumble with custard. The vegetarian option is hasselback butternut squash with roasted Mediterranean vegetables, new potatoes & and a roast tomato sauce**. Enjoy the live running commentary packed with local facts about the Thames and the surrounding area. There will also be classical songs gently playing in the background to enjoy or sing along.

The Georgian (pictured) was built in 1996 and at this time accessibility was not at the top of the agenda and there is little scope for modernisation. The Georgian is equipped with modern toilets, more importantly open spaces for those sunny days. There are around 12 steps down to the water and further two on to the vessel.

The Georgian (pictured) was built in 1996 and at this time accessibility was not at the top of the agenda and there is very little scope for modernisation. However we do our best to help. The Georgian is equipped with modern toilets and central heating for those chilly days, however, more importantly, open spaces for those sunny ones too. Unfortunately, the boat is not equipped for wheelchairs. Once inside the boat there are 4 steps down into the saloon where the food is served, and 7 steps up to the top deck

Return the booking form below to: Karen Hook, Email karen\_hook@hotmail.com: mob: 07799 776684, **OR** Linda Grigsby, 37 Albatross Gardens, South Croydon CR2 8QW; Email: lindagrigsby17@gmail.com ; mob: 07754092042. Either pay by **cash/ cheque (payable to Croydon u3a) together with stamped addressed envelope,** at the Monthly Meeting in the Masonic Halls, **OR** by Bank Transfer account no. 13630003, sort code 23-05-80 **(PLEASE PUT THE OUTING NAME);**.

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## BOOKING FORM – Maidenhead British Lunch Cruise 30 June 2026

**Leave 8.30am from Fairfield Halls, departing approximately 4-4.30pm, arriving back between 5.30-6pm.**

Name(s)................................................................................... Membership No(s) ............................

Address ..............................................................................................................................................

Postcode: ....................Mob No. ...................................E-mail ...........................................................

I would like .......... ticket(s). Total £.............. (cheque payable to “**Croydon u3a”) together with stamped addressed envelope** to. **OR** by Bank Transfer account no. 13630003, sort code 23-05-80 **(PLEASE PUT THE OUTING NAME);**

My contact in case of emergency is: Name.................................................Tel. No. …………………

**CROYDON u3a TRAVEL TEAM EVENT**

**General Information and Booking terms and conditions**

Please carefully read these **Booking Terms and Conditions**, as submission of a Booking Form will be taken as your acceptance of them. We also request that you carry Identity details with your name. Please also carry a card with your contact in case of emergency, Tel. number and any significant medical conditions.

**Coach Pick up and Drop off** are at Fairfield Halls Bus stop KA. See cover page of poster for times. On the day of an outing, if you have any problems joining the trip, please ring the Trip Organisers (mobile numbers on cover page of poster or on the ticket) by 7:00am. Outings are for Croydon U3A members only. In the event of low take-up, we may take members from other U3As and non-U3A members on an occasional basis.

**Booking Forms**: Booking forms for each outing are dealt with individually. When booking for multiple trips, a **separate booking form and stamped addressed envelope** are required for each one. Your booking may be jeopardised if this is not done. If you request more than one place, we must have the first name and surname and U3A number of each person.

**Payment:** Make payment online to Croydon u3a Business Account No. 13630003 Sort Code 230580 **Reference** – insert your **Surname**. Alternatively, pay by cheque. Chequesmay be dated for any time between Booking Form submission date and **two months** before the outing / event date. Please send your completed Booking Form, cheque and self-addressed envelope to the address given on the Booking Form.

**Reduced admission**: We can only offer the reductions which are advertised by the venue itself at the time we book it. We cannot deal with any special offers or discounts you may personally have.

**Refunds**: Refunds are generally non-refundable unless we are able to resell the place.

**Mobility Requirements**: Some, but not all, of our outings are suitable for members with manageable mobility restrictions. You must contact the named Travel Team Trip Organiser member on the poster cover page before booking if you wish to bring a mobility aid so that we can discuss your needs.

We will mention in our publicity and outing details any significant access or safety considerations of which we are aware. **YOU MUST BE ABLE TO GET ON AND OFF THE COACH UNAIDED.**

**Restricted mobility:** Members with restricted mobility may be accompanied by a carer on any outing, but a place needs to be booked. The carer does not have to be a U3A member but will be required to pay the full cost. Members are asked to think carefully about the physical demands of the outing and their own situation before submitting an application. We need to ensure that all participants are safe and that everyone enjoys the day. Ultimately the Travel Team reserves the right to decline applications in exceptional situations, regrettable as this may be.

**Your responsibilities**: You are asked to pay particular attention to the scheduled **Arrival & Registration, Visits** and **Registration & Departure** times and assemble at the designated meeting point. If you are late, we may have to leave without you to enable us to keep to the time-table. In such an instance, you would have to arrange your own return home, and you would not be entitled to any refund for the cost of the unused portion of the day. If this should happen, we would endeavour to contact you and/or your emergency name contact number. We ask members for their mobile phone numbers and for them to ensure they are switched on during the outing. Participants are responsible for themselves and their belongings.

**Data protection**: The details you give us on the booking form will be held by the organisers until the outing has taken place and will be used only for the purpose of the outing. When it has taken place, they will be destroyed. We keep a record of your mobile numbers to save you giving us those details on every outing. Participants are responsible for themselves and their belongings.

**General**: We try to schedule comfort stops at a convenient time and place, but it is not always easy to do this for a large coach. Apart from the initial outbound departure time, most other times are approximate. We cannot predict traffic hold-ups or bad weather, both of which may affect our arrival and final departure times.