

Bushey Festival Family Trail Saturday 29th June 2019

between 10am and 2pm

Start at the junction of Bushey High Road and Elstree Road.

Get the bus there or park in the public car park (free on Sundays).
You will be visiting some pubs on the way. Feel free to have a drink there!

Some questions are aimed at children.

1. Mary Forsdyke Garden High Road, Bushey Heath, WD23 1EA Open 8am – 4pm

Why is it called Mary Forsdyke Gardens?

What was it before?

What is the name of the Lake?

How many ducks can you count on the lake? What other water birds can you see?

Which types of tree can you identify?

What's the name of the little hill at the back of the Garden?

2. St Peter's Church: Open from 10am to 1.30pm 19 High Road, Bushey Heath, WD23 1EA

Look at the stained glass windows: The one at the back is given in memory of Basil Perrin-Hicks, who was killed in WWI.

To whom are the other windows dedicated?

Look at the embroidery opposite the door: what do you see?

Go into St George's (Memorial) Chapel inside the Church. Who do you recognise in these stained glass windows?

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Look at the Rolls of Honour for those who fought in both World Wars on the right and on the plaques below the window.

3. The 3 Crowns Pub: 1 High Rd, Bushey, WD23 1EA.

When was this pub founded?

Why is it called The 3 Crowns?

What type of pub was The 3 Crowns originally?

Which TV programme hosts had a post-Christmas meal here in 2003?

What were the buildings behind the pub in the past (next to the garden)?

What happens here each Tuesday evening?

4. Hill Mead Nature Park: off Larken Drive, Bushey, WD23 1AH.

Enjoy a walk through the Nature Park. Can you find the big horse chestnut tree? Exit onto Merry Hill Road.

Turn right and walk back towards the High Road. What do you notice about the street names en route?

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Turn left onto the High Road (downhill)

5. Bushey Library: Open from 10am to 5pm. Sparrows Herne, WD23 1FA

Stories for children 11 to 11.30am

Find the large sculpture of a horse. Who is he?

In which book will you find him?

Who did the illustrations for this book?

Why is he here?

Who is the bust of in the corner at the back?

Cross road and walk downhill

6. Opposite cottages (no. 62) Can you find the **WELL** that was used before Colne Valley Water Company was established? What was it known as?

7. What WAS the big building on the corner just before the Off Licence?
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Turn left into Police Station Lane and walk through to the end.

Turn right into School Lane and walk downhill

8. Which school is on your left?
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Continue to the junction with The High Street/Sparrows Herne.

9. What dates do you see on **The War Memorial**?What is the statue holding?.....
Look at the back of the Memorial. Find the names of the local men who died in the 2 World Wars.

10. Royal Mail Bushey Delivery Office: 87 High St, Bushey WD23 1AA

What do the letters **ER** stand for on the **Post Box**?

Continue downhill

11. What is the cottage at no. 63 called?
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Cross road

12. St Hilda's School. When was it founded? What is their Nursery called?

Continue downhill. Turn right into Melbourne Road.

13. Walk about 100 yards downhill. Go into **Lululaund Court** on **left**. The gatehouse is the only surviving part of whose house? ***Find out more at Bushey Museum.***

Go back to the High Road and turn right. Continue downhill.

14. Bushey Rose Garden: High St, Bushey, WD23 3HH

What are the arches at the back the remains of?
Relax in the Rose Garden. What stone was the fountain built with?

Go back to the High Road and turn right.

Walk into Bushey Village. Turn right into Rudolph Road.

15. Bushey Museum: Open 11am-4pm Enjoy exploring the museum and see their current exhibitions: "Chandos Encore" and 'Painting the Seasons: the Art of Colour'

Go back to the High Road and turn left. Turn left into Bournehall Road.

16. The King Stag Pub. Join the dogs and their owners for a drink.