

THE WYE VALLEY

Saturday 4th June (end of Week 6)

The Wye Valley is an area of outstanding natural beauty, straddling the border between England and Wales. The area is especially rich in history. It contains standing stones which date back to the Bronze Age, and various medieval castles can be found scattered across the valley. The area is also home to a diverse range of wildlife. This includes wild deer, along with some of the rarest species of fish, which can be found in the River Wye.

Trip Organisers: Michael Hopkins (michael.hopkins@merton.ox.ac.uk) and Simon Lewis (simon.lewis@univ.ox.ac.uk)

Leader: Michael Hopkins (email address above)

Departure: 08:00am outside Trinity gates, Broad Street

Return: Late evening

Trip cost: £12

Sign up: At free tea, or fill in the online booking form on the website.

Important: Only OUWC members

can be allowed on weekend and

minibus day trips. There is a

balloting procedure for

oversubscribed trips, and if a

member drops out of a trip, they

can only be refunded the trip fee if

the vacated space is filled. Please

provide payment by the end of 1st week in order to be entered into the ballot of the trip.



Equipment to bring: You will need a pair of well worn-in walking boots with ankle support, waterproofs (just in case!), a packed lunch, and plenty of water. Please also bring some money for dinner as we plan to stop at a restaurant on the drive back to Oxford.

Waterproofs can be borrowed from the walking club, but please let us know well in advance of the trip.