

LONDON HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

2000th Celebration Weekend

Bulletin – Dec 2010

Hello !

We are only 5 months away from the LH3 2000th, and the (currently) upstanding committee and several volunteers are working away to make this One 'L' of a party.

For those who have not heard, we are basing the event from **Baden Powell House**, aka the Scouting headquarters located in South Kensington. Zone 1 – Central London.

This is right opposite the Natural History Museum (don't forget that is free entry), and on the Cromwell Road in between South Kensington and Gloucester Road underground stations (**Circle**, **District** and **Piccadilly** lines).

The "Neighbours"

Putting us in Kensington leaves us close to the central parkland as well as towards the main sights and Royal Palaces. You may have heard that our neighbours have decided to throw a wedding on the Friday 29th April. So far Wills and Kate have not signed up for the LH3 2000th, but the UK has made the date of the **Royal Wedding** a public holiday.

What is more if you are signed up you will be staying right in the centre of London for a fraction of the price anyone would normally pay. And that is before we supply you with all the beer & wine you could want for a party!

Is the Hash Weekend still on ?

You bet it is! We have the venue and over 190 people signed up already, and some of the finest organising brains we could find. London has a wide variety of places to run, and with nearly 2000 completed we know how to avoid the odd road closure.



In organising we have some further annoyances we need to plan around (e.g. extra street sweeping removing trail, more security than normal), but that will not stop the bar opening and a memorable weekend!

Things to bear in mind

If you are coming into the UK, the wedding may mean that flights may now be busier. The date is also the May Day holiday weekend, and just 1 week after the Easter holiday.

If travelling within the UK, the journey to London is now likely to be busier. However you will be able to drop bags at the venue from the Friday morning (registration & hash bar opening times to follow later).

Don't bring a car to the venue, not only is there no parking (you'd need to find one and they are very expensive), the roads will now be chaos and full of diversions. Best advice is to park near a Tube station on a line to the venue. Be sure to check the parking restrictions – LH3 will not be paying fines!

And Finally

Don't forget the price rise on 31st December; we need to receive your payment before this date. Thus ***if you have registered and not yet paid – to secure the current £130 price we must get your money. You pay the price on the date we receive the money. So if you register before the 31st Dec and pay afterwards – you will need to pay the higher price.*** With the news of the wedding we have already seen a surge in registrations. You will need to get in quick – as we have a fire limits in the venue, and we will have to close registrations when the limit is reached.

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