

ARTS SOCIETY TEME VALLEY STUDY DAY

Friday 8th March 2019

'Music on the Grand Tour'

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Much has been written about the Grand Tour but research has generally focussed on the art experienced and brought home. Music has been a neglected area of study yet for many musicians and travellers this was a principal reason for travel.

This Study Day takes a close look at 18th Century Italian music making - the composers, performers, the forms and styles - and determines what it was that drew British travellers south. All lectures will be accompanied by digital images and musical excerpts.

The day will start with tea and coffee at 10.00 am

10.30 am Lecture 1 The Grand Tour: the routes, the cities visited, the travellers, the Italian patrons of music, the Italian composers, the festivals, the music heard in Italy.

11.30 am Lecture 2 The Grand Tour: the route continued - Florence and Venice.

12.45 pm Lunch

2.00 pm to approx 3pm Lecture 3 Music heard on the Grand Tour and English music with Italian connections. The English who lived in Italy and their musical soirees; the journey home and musical mementoes brought home from the Grand Tour.

Study Day Booking Form Friday 8th March 2019

The cost of the day is £30 per member and £35 per guest and includes coffee/tea and a professionally catered two-course lunch. Wine and fruit juice will be available.

Member's Name(s).....

Tel:

Email:

Name(s) of guest(s).....

Special dietary request.....I enclose a cheque for £.....

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Please complete the above and send with a cheque payable to The Arts Society Teme Valley to

Mrs Avis Denny, Orchard Cottage, Green Lane, Yarpole, HR6 0BE by Monday 4th March

Please telephone me on 01568 780874 if you have any queries or would like more information. Confirmation will be by email unless a s.a.e. is enclosed.

The Society reserves the right to cancel this Study Day if circumstances dictate and may not be able to guarantee a full refund.