

**Royal Archaeological Institute
165th Summer Meeting**

**Dumfries and Galloway
6–13 July 2019**



The Dumfries and Galloway landscape is the most attractively varied in Scotland, with coastal plains, gentle hills, bare moor land and forest. It is an almost continuous belt of high ground stretching from the North Sea to the Irish Channel. The meeting will be led by Mr Hedley Swain.

We hope to be visiting the following sites, and we also have other sites under consideration.

Dumfries- Burns House and Mausoleum	St Ninian's Chapel	Drumlanrig Castle
Whithorn	Glenluce Abbey	New Abbey Corn Mill
Whithorn Priory	Drumtroddan Stones	Wanlockhead Lead Mines
Drumcoltran Tower	Threave Castle	Sweetheart Abbey
Kirkcudbright Museum	Broughton Houser Garden	Crichton Royal Church
Dundrennan Abbey	MacLellans Castle	Lincluden College
Caerlaverock Castle	Ruthwell Cross	Dumfries Camera Obscura
Kagy Samye Buddhist Monastery		

Tickets will be available to members only, and members must take out their own travel insurance.

Accommodation and travel: We will be based at the Best Western Station Hotel, immediately opposite Dumfries station. Members must make their own way to the hotel. There is a straight through train from Carlisle to Dumfries which goes about every hour and has no changes. If you want a marvelous scenic journey, travel from Leeds to Carlisle on the sprinter train which takes two hours but the scenery is fantastic.

The cost: Prices include bed and breakfast, dinner, packed lunch and all entrance fees.

Single room: £806.00 per person

Twin/Double room: £702.00 per person (based on two people sharing)

Please apply by the **26th April** using the booking form and send it with a non-returnable deposit of £120.00 per person, together with a stamp. A cheque for the balance should be forwarded to Caroline Raison, the Assistant Meetings Secretary, by the **28th May** at the latest. Members wishing to pay the full amount at the time of booking may of course do so. In the event of cancellation, the following refunds of the balance will apply:

- up to 28 days before the meeting – 30 % refund
- less than 21 days before the Meeting – no refund

Enquiries to: Caroline Raison, craison@gmail.com, 07801 352924

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Booking Form

Member name(s).....

Address.....

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Email.....

Telephone.....

Special dietary requirement.....

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Cheque to be made payable to: ‘Royal Archaeological Institute’ (write in full) and please include a **stamp** with your payment.

The booking form and payment should be returned to:

Caroline Raison
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Princes Avenue
Kingston upon Hull
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