



Sandringham Estate is the private country retreat of Their Majesties
The King Charles III
and Queen Camilla

Group Visits 2024

- NEW -Topiary Garden

Royal Garden Waste to Fashion's Future

# Your Visit

Visit Sandringham with your group on any day Monday - Friday when the House and Gardens are open between March and October.

#### Classic Group Visit

Allow approx. 3.5 hours

Enjoy a self-guided visit to the House & Gardens. Multimedia audio guides may be available on request, subject to availability (additional charge of £5).

St Mary Magdalene Church is also included in a visit.

Please ensure you arrive 30-40 minutes before your groups times entry in to the House.

#### Guided Garden Visit

with a classic visit allow approx. 5 hours

Upgrade your classic visit to include a Garden Tour with one of our knowledgeable guides.

Enjoy a Garden tour with a guide focussing on seasonal planting and spots of interest including the new Topiary Garden.

# Additional Experiences

#### Private Guided Tour

Subject to availability

An exclusive private guided tour of the House after hours.

Learn about key items in the historical collection from an experienced guide.

Conclude your tour in the ballroom with a glass of Sandringham apple juice or gin, both produced on the Estate. This tour will leave you with an added depth of knowledge about Sandringham.

Private Guided Tours are conducted after 5pm on a Monday, Tuesday or Thursday.

#### Shopping and the Royal Parkland

Open all year

Shop an extensive collection of Royal products developed exclusively for Sandringham from preserves and chutneys to beautiful homeware.

Explore 243 acres of beautiful Royal Parkland with inspiring views and a variety of wildlife.

#### Exhibition: Royal Garden Waste to Fashion's Future

Award winning fashion and multimedia creative directors Vin and Omi will bring their pioneering new eco collection of sustainable innovations to Sandringham in 2024.

Initiated by an invitation from His Majesty The King to explore how plant waste at Royal residences could be utilised, the body of work will include a series of textiles and garments made from nettles, bog cotton, willow, cellulose materials, cow parsley, hydrangea and the world's first textile made from butterbur (a shrub derived from creeping Rhizome) from Sandringham Gardens.

Displayed collectively for the first time inside Sandringham House, the exhibition will be open for visitors to experience from March to October.

#### About Vin and Omi

Vin and Omi are sustainable creative directors who have been pioneering new eco and sustainable innovations for the last 24yrs. Originating with a national science scholarship, their work has a broad span and impacts environmental, social, educational, design and creativity. This broad spectrum approach spreads their commitment to saving the environment through many different ways. Their works are collected by museums around the world including the V&A Museum.



# Seasonal Highlights: The Topiary Garden

From March - October

Enjoy time to reflect and ponder in the Topiary Garden, designed following traditional geometric principles. Featuring herbaceous perennial plants and bulbs, roses and 5139 Yew tree hedging plants in a range of sizes and shapes.



# Helpful Information

#### **Group Catering**

Group visitors are welcome to individually visit either of our cafés serving fresh food every day. Afternoon Tea can also be pre-booked ahead of your visit.

### Terrace Takeaway Café

(Open 9.30am - 5pm)

#### Old Stables Café

(Open 10am - 4pm)

If you are short of time make use of our food-to-go option from the Terrace Café located at the Visitor Centre Courtyard or the Old Stables Café located within the Gardens.

Both serve delicious sandwiches, cakes and hot or cold drinks with outdoor seating or you can take away ready for the next part of your journey.

#### Afternoon Tea

Enhance your visit with Afternoon Tea in Sandringham Restaurant, using ingredients and inspiration from the Estate.

All Tea must be pre-booked, add a glass of Sparkling Wine for the full experience.

Vegetarian options available. Gluten, vegan and dairy free options unavailable.



# Prices and Opening Times

With lots to explore at Sandringham please ensure you plan your day beforehand. We recommend a minimum of 3.5 hours to ensure you get the most out of your visit, longer if you can.

Please read all the information before completing and returning the booking form to the Visitor Enterprises Administrator.

All group visits must be pre-booked and are based on a minimum of 20 people, prices are per person and are inclusive of VAT. Your group will therefore be charged for a minimum of 20 people.

Admission to the House works on timed slots of up to 75 people every 30 minutes from 10am to 4pm. Multimedia Guides can be hired at a cost of £5 each.

Sandringham accepts a maximum of 3 coaches per morning and 3 coaches per afternoon, Monday - Friday during the main season from March - October.

#### House and Gardens

23 March - 11 October (Closed 19 July - 4 August inclusive)

First admission 10am | Last admission 4pm Timed entry tickets - you will be allocated a timed entry upon booking.

#### Pricing

Classic Group Visit Self-guided House and Gardens Adult £24 | Children under 17 Free

Guided Garden Visit Includes self-guided House visit Adult £35 | Children under 17 Free

#### St Mary Magdalene Church

Free Admission
Open daily March - October
Subject to services.

Please see the website for most up to date opening times.

Private Guided House Tour Monday, Tuesday or Thursday after 5pm £45 per person

Group Afternoon Tea £25 per person + £5 to add sparkling wine

Multimedia Guides can be hired at a cost of £5 each.

### How to get to Sandringham

#### By Road

Sandringham is 6 miles north-east of King's Lynn and is signposted from the A148 Fakenham road and the A149 Hunstanton road.

Newer sat nav systems should recognise the Royal Park's postcode of PE35 6AB.

#### Parking

Free coach parking is available in the Royal Parkland with the exception of certain event days, when parking may be charged and in different locations across the Estate.

#### Accessibility

The House is accessible by wheelchair and a buggy service operates between the Gardens and House entrances.

Wheelchairs are available on loan subject to availability.

Assistance dogs are admitted into all facilities including the House. Visit our website to read our full access statement.



Please complete our booking form and return to: group.bookings@sandringhamestate.co.uk or post to:

The Visitor Enterprises Administrator, Estate Office, Sandringham, Norfolk, PE35 6EN

To find out more please contact Nicky Pentney on 01485 545408, or visit our website www.sandringhamestate.co.uk

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