

LADFAS VISIT

To Glasgow Necropolis
on Tuesday, 17th May 2016

Nigel Willis, who recently gave us a lecture on the Glasgow Necropolis has kindly agreed to lead a guided walking tour of this 37 acre Victorian cemetery. This inter-denominational burial ground is full of wonderful architecture and sculpture and has fascinating stories of the many famous people buried there. Many of the vast monuments are a tribute to the disposable wealth of the Victorian merchants and businessmen and were designed by the leading Scottish architects of the day, such as "Greek" Thomson. There are also wonderful views of the city from the top of the hill. **The tour lasts for two hours and paths can be steep in some areas, so appropriate footwear is essential!**

Travel is by coach, with coffee on arrival at the nearby Cathedral House Hotel, where Nigel will meet us and where we return for lunch before heading home.

Proposed Timetable

9.30am	Bus leaves from Pier Car Park
10.30am	Coffee at Cathedral House Hotel
11.00am	Walking tour of Necropolis
1.15pm	Lunch at Cathedral House Hotel
2.00pm	Depart for Helensburgh
2.45pm	Arrive Helensburgh Pier

Cost for the day, including lunch and morning coffee will be £25.

As places are no longer first come, first served it is hoped in this instance to accommodate all who apply. Confirmation of a place and details of how to pay will be sent to you by Friday, 27th April and you should then ensure payment is made by Tuesday, 3rd May .

Requests for a guest will be held on a waiting list and allocated as and when places become available.

NB: Please note that it will not be possible to refund payment for cancellations made in the 48 hours previous to the visit except at the committee's discretion.