

## **Report of Wisley trip – 7<sup>th</sup> June 2014**

The day started early and with thunder storms forecast we set off with some trepidation.

Heavy rain accompanied us on the lengthy journey and the comfort stop with a hot drink was very welcome.

On arrival at RHS Wisley the clouds parted, skies brightened and suddenly the visit felt all the more exciting. Evidence of recent heavy downpours were visible on some of the lawns. Areas that stood out particularly were the superb rose gardens in full flush and a wild meadow area with bright red poppies and vivid blue cornflowers. There was also a Flanders poppy area to commemorate the First World War. The rock garden and alpine area were also memorable.

Afternoon tea and cake on the excellent café outside patio in the sunshine and a browse in the well-stocked plant nursery and gift shop rounded off a lovely day out. Luck was on our side with the weather on this occasion.

RHS Wisley is a garden for all seasons and well worth a visit at any time of the year. I look forward to returning again in the not too distant future.

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