

APPLICATION FORM FOR RESIDENTIAL GATHERINGS 2023

Please complete this form in block letters and return it to the usual office address along with your deposit (s).

Name Mr/Mrs/Miss)

Address

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Telephone No.

Email address

I would like to attend the following gathering(s);

.....(subsidised)

..... (full cost)

Deposit (s) enclosed £

Dietary requirements: Please circle below if you are:

Vegetarian Vegan Coeliac Gluten-free Diabetic

Please give details of ANY other allergy/intolerance:

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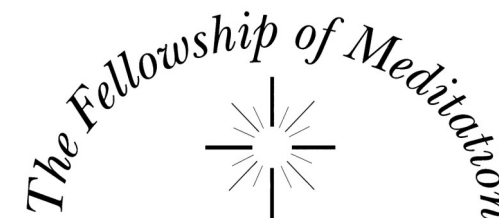
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Signature

Date



RESIDENTIAL GATHERINGS 2023

Marian Dunlop House, Dorchester, DT1 1PW

Paper Writers Gathering Fri 28 - Sun 30 April

Led by Jeremy Harvey and Brenda Stephenson

Gathering Fri 7 - Sun 9 July

Led by Brenda Stephenson, with a focus on Hildegard of Bingen

Gathering Fri 15 - Sun 17 September

Led by Ann Woodward, with a focus on Sharing our Way

Silent Gathering Fri 17 - Sun 19 November

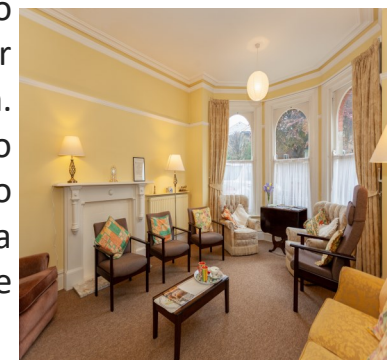
Led by Jo Lacy Smith, a focus on the teachings of John O'Donohue

and at Holland House, Cropthorne, WR10 3NB

Gathering Fri 20 - Mon 23 October

Led by Peter Rookes

The Fellowship has existed for 90 years to help its members develop in their practice of contemplative meditation. From its earliest days it has sought to provide opportunities for members to have the experience of a gathering, a "set aside time" with others to meditate together.



The basic timetable for the weekend at Marian Dunlop House is included for your information.

Please note only one gathering a year is subsidised. **At MDH**, full cost for the weekend is **£150**, subsidised cost is **£75**. Non-residents (including all meals and refreshments) cost is £90, subsidised £45. The cost for the gathering at **Holland House** is **£300**, subsidised **£150**.

Those who are genuinely unable to attend a gathering because of the cost have always been welcome and will always be welcome to apply to the office for a further subsidy in the strictest of confidence.

When completing the form overleaf, please return it with a **non-refundable** deposit of £20 for each gathering (made payable to The Fellowship of Meditation) and understand that the balance will be required **five weeks** before each gathering booked. If you would prefer to do this by email, and bank transfer, please get in touch with the Office Manager who will provide you with an email form.

Please note: cancellations should be notified to the office. If a cancellation has to be made less than three weeks before, we will be unable to make any refund.

Day visitors must inform the Group Leader of their wish to attend (for dietary requirements and for the necessary administration) - a donation of £10 on the day towards costs and £5 for a meal would be very welcome.

Timetable for a Gathering (subject to change)

Friday Arrivals from 3pm

4pm	Tea and cake
5pm	Welcome and meditation
6.30pm	Dinner
8pm	Short meditation

Saturday

8-9am	Breakfast/Personal space in Quiet room
10am	Meditation
11am	Coffee
11.30am	Meditation activity
1pm	Buffet Lunch
	Free time/time in garden/browsing library
4pm	Tea and cake
5pm	Meditation
6.30pm	Dinner
8pm	Short meditation

Sunday

8-9am	Breakfast/Personal space in Quiet room
10am	Meditation
11am	Coffee
11.30am	Final meditation
By 1pm	Lunch and depart in the afternoon

Area Quiet Days at Marian Dunlop House 2023

Saturday 10th June led by Sue Turner

Saturday 8th July led by Brenda Stephenson

Saturday 19th August led by Sue Turner

Saturday 16th September led by Ann Woodward

(July & Sept Quiet Days 'stand alone' within Gatherings)