

WEST STOW HALL, BURY SAINT EDMUNDS

Saturday 23rd June 2018

Legend has it that West Stow Hall was built by Sir John Croftes, 'Master of the Horse to Mary Tudor', Dowager Queen of France and Duchess of Suffolk, and that he had her coat of arms placed over the door to the gatehouse by way of a compliment to her.

The current custodians of West Stow are Eileen and Andy Gilbert who have been in residence for approximately eight years. Andy has a large collection of glass, scattered around the house, ranging from Eighteenth century wine glasses through to Whitefriars and Lynn Glass.

This is your opportunity to view the house, including the C16th wall paintings, look at the glass collection and have a picnic in the glorious surroundings of West Stow.

11.30 - 13.00 Tour of West Stow Hall

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch either in the grounds or in the colonnade between the gatehouse and the hall.

14.00 - 15.00 The Glass Collection: Mr Andy Gilbert

The cost is £23 per person, inclusive of a picnic lunch for Glass Association & Glass Circle members. £ 27 per person for non- members.

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