

Experience unique hospitality with Unique Venues of London

Friday 24th June

Be our guest for the day on a Unique Venues of London FAM trip. Let us show you a hand-picked selection of some of London's best-known venues and hidden gems, so you can experience the essential ingredients of a guest attending one of your events.

This year we are running two special trips, so that you as an events organiser can choose which itinerary and venues best suit your business. Our Unique River Trip takes you from Westminster pier to Kew Gardens, Kew Bridge Steam Museum and Hampton Court Palace before returning downstream in time for a reception at Tate Modern. Our Unique West End Trip takes you to 195 Piccadilly, BAFTA, Fortnum & Mason, Royal Academy of Arts and Spencer House before joining the river trippers at Tate Modern for a tour and reception.

So if you want to be thoroughly spoiled on a Friday in June read on.

Unique River FAM Trip



Kew Bridge Steam Museum



Kew Gardens



Hampton Court Palace



Tate Modern

Join us on the boat as we depart en route to our first port of call, **Kew Bridge Steam Museum**. Home to a world-renowned collection of Victorian steam pumping engines, the museum provides a magical and mysterious environment for highly individual parties, weddings and corporate events.

Our next stop is a stones throw away across the river at **Kew Gardens**. Founded in 1759, this world-heritage site offers a range of stunning venues to meet the needs of daytime and evening guests including the iconic Temperate House, Cambridge Cottage and the Orangery.

Meandering along one of the loveliest stretches of the Thames, we arrive at **Hampton Court Palace** as King Henry VIII did some five centuries ago. Available to hire all year round, many of its magnificent staterooms are offered as unique regal backdrops for receptions, banquets, conferences and business 'away-days'.

Suitably wowed and refreshed, we reembark and have time for more indulgences as we cruise downstream to **Tate Modern**. Home to the renowned national collection of international modern art, this London landmark exudes a thoroughly urban feel for daytime and evening events. Venue spaces include the Starr Auditorium, Café 2, Realisms Gallery and the East Room.



Unique West End FAM Trip



195 Piccadilly, BAFTA



Fortnum & Mason



Royal Academy of Art



Spencer House



Tate Modern

Our day begins with a touch of glamour at **195 Piccadilly, BAFTA**. With a variety of spaces for boardroom meetings, awards dinners or glittering cocktail receptions for 350 people, this unique venue has also two state-of-the-art private screening rooms which offer superb digital projection facilities.

No excuses for getting lost en route to this most quintessentially English store, **Fortnum & Mason** just two minutes away. After a top-to-toe refurbishment this is a perfect place for any celebration. Boasting five restaurants, a number of functions rooms and even the red-carpeted shop floor for hire, you'll certainly see what all the fuss is about. Refreshments will be served before departing

Crossing Piccadilly, we find ourselves at the **Royal Academy of Arts**, the oldest fine arts institution in the country. In the presence of masterpieces, see first hand the fine suite of 18th century rooms that can accommodate up to 350 people for a reception or 100 people for a dinner. During the renowned Summer Exhibition (a few short weeks away) the Main Galleries hung with contemporary art, can also be hired for receptions and dinners.

Enjoy the views of Green Park in summer as we make our way to **Spencer House**, London's most magnificent 18th century private palace. Built for the first Earl Spencer, this venue makes an elegant setting for lunches, cocktail receptions, dinners, civil weddings and concerts. Your clients and guests will have exclusive use of the State Rooms and in the summer the splendid terrace is also available for hire.

The culmination of the day is a reception at **Tate Modern**. Here you'll find out why this landmark venue is an inspired choice for all manner of corporate entertaining. You'll also be able to network and swap stories with our guests who went on the Unique River Trip.

Unfortunately places on each trip are limited and can only be allocated on a first come first serve basis. To reserve your place we would ask that you return this form as soon as possible to uvlfamttrips@roh.org.uk. Whichever trip you choose, we look forward to meeting you on the day.

Booking form

Please complete the form below then save and email it to uvlfamttrips@roh.org.uk

Name

Company Name

Type of Business

Address

Tel number Email

Do you want to subscribe to the UVL newsletter YES NO

