



BLACK PEAR GARDENING CLUB GARDEN VISITS BOOKING FORM 2020.

JUNE 20th 2.30pm visit to Coddington Vineyard, Coddington, Herefordshire. HR8 1JJ

5 acres including a 2 acre vineyard, listed farmhouse, threshing barn and cider mill. Garden with terraces, wild flower meadow, woodland with massed spring bulbs, large pond with wildlife, stream garden with masses of primula and hosta. Hellebores and snowdrops, hamamelis and parottia. Azaleas followed by roses and perennials.

£7 including refreshments.

4m NE of Ledbury.

From Malvern to Ledbury A449, follow brown signs to Coddington Vineyard.

JULY 18th 2.30pm Visit to The River School, Oakfield House, Droitwich Rd WR3 7ST

Worcester's lost garden. A Horticultural College garden being brought back to life. For 35 years after WW2 it was known as Oakfield Teacher Training College for Horticulture. With its reputation visitors came from 58 countries and at least 8 other Horticultural Colleges were founded by people inspired by it. The Estate features many less common shrubs and trees as well as a Forest School pond area.

These are working school grounds being recovered mainly by volunteers, with children encouraged to garden in term time. A historically important but not traditional NGS garden! Including tour and presentation of Oakfield House when it was a horticultural College.

£7 including refreshments.

2.4m N of Worcester City Centre on A38 towards Droitwich, The River School is on your left just after the A38 passes under the A449.

Please note if numbers are restricted priority will be given to members.

Please ensure your form is returned by 30 days before the visit date.

Cheques should be made out to **The Black Pear Gardening Club** and sent to:

Mrs C. Snelgar, The Round Lodge, 5 Court Mews, Jennet Tree Lane, Callow End, Worcs. WR2 4UA If you would like confirmation please include an SAE or check your Bank Acc.

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