

Day Trips from London



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HAMPTON COURT PALACE

Hampton Court Palace is in Richmond.
11 miles from central London.
Right on the Thames River.
Several trains an hour from Waterloo.



Hampton Court Palace



Hampton Court Palace
Original palace 1514 is Tudor style (next slide)
This is Christopher Wren's Baroque addition 1690s

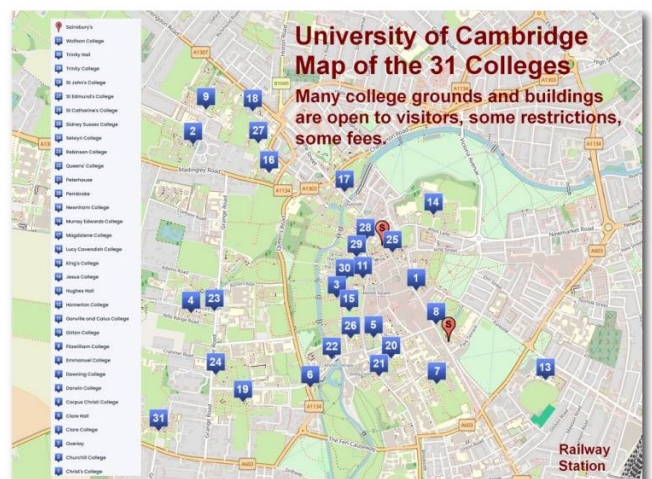


Hampton Court Palace - 1514
The Great Gatehouse



Hampton Court Palace
Grounds





**Cambridge University
St John's College
Established 1511.
Approx. 900 students today.**

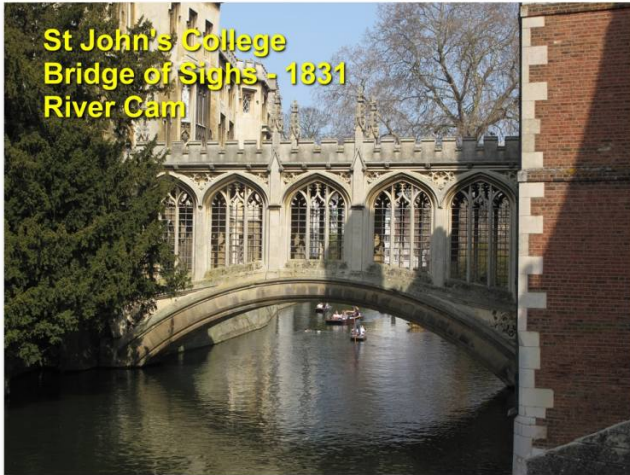


**Alumni include ten Nobel Prize winners,
seven Prime Ministers, twelve
archbishops, at least two princes,
and three saints.**

**Cambridge University
St John's College Chapel
Constructed 1866 to 1869**



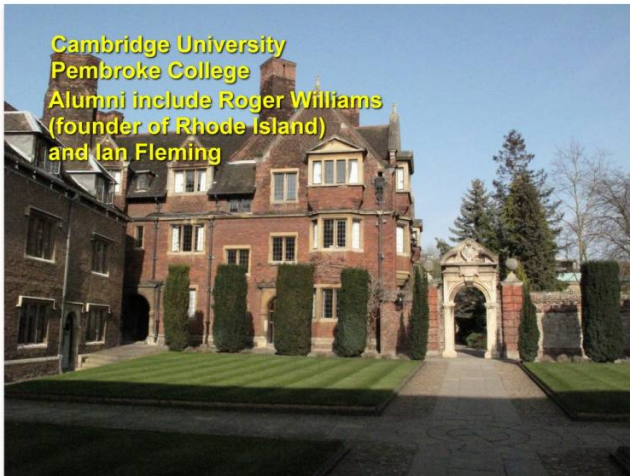
**St John's College
Bridge of Sighs - 1831
River Cam**



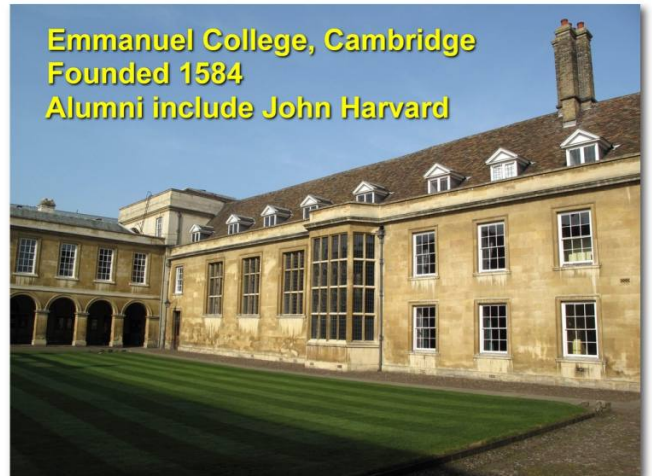
**Pembroke College - founded 1347
Around 700 students today
Chapel designed by Christopher Wren**



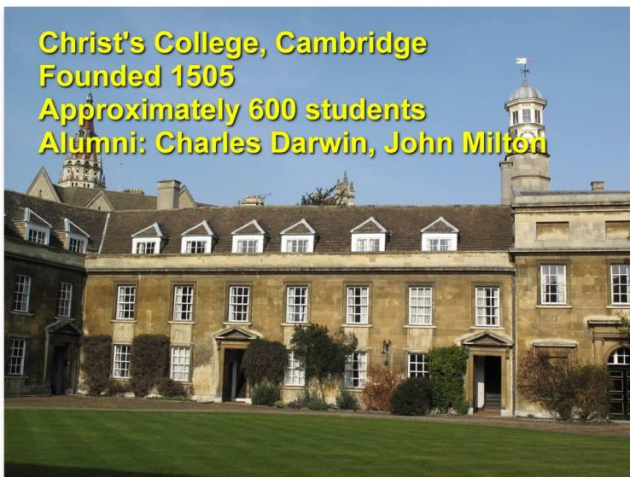
**Cambridge University
Pembroke College
Alumni include Roger Williams
(founder of Rhode Island)
and Ian Fleming**



**Emmanuel College, Cambridge
Founded 1584
Alumni include John Harvard**

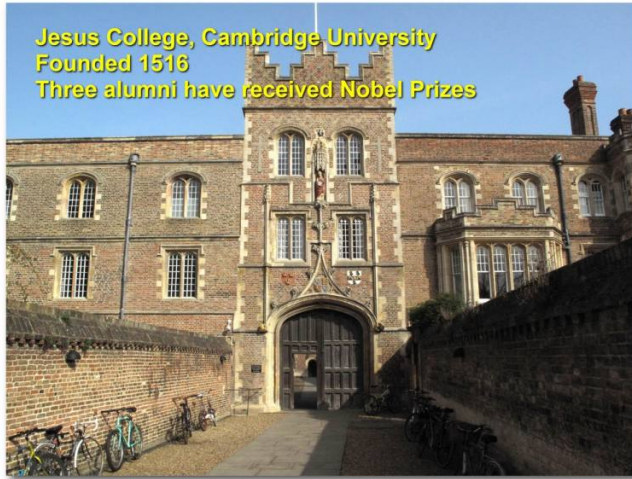


**Christ's College, Cambridge
Founded 1505
Approximately 600 students
Alumni: Charles Darwin, John Milton**



**Christ's College, Cambridge
Chapel**

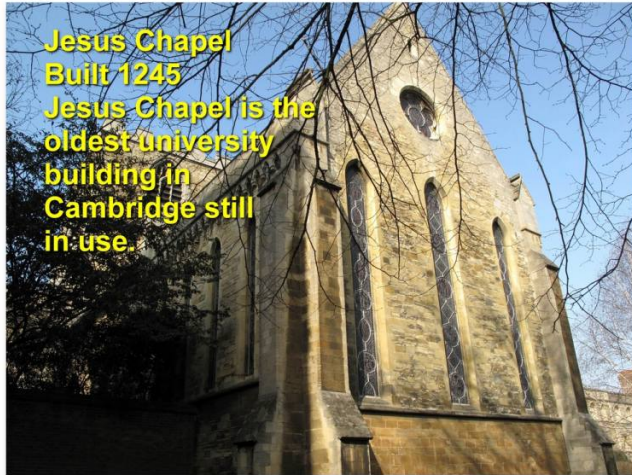




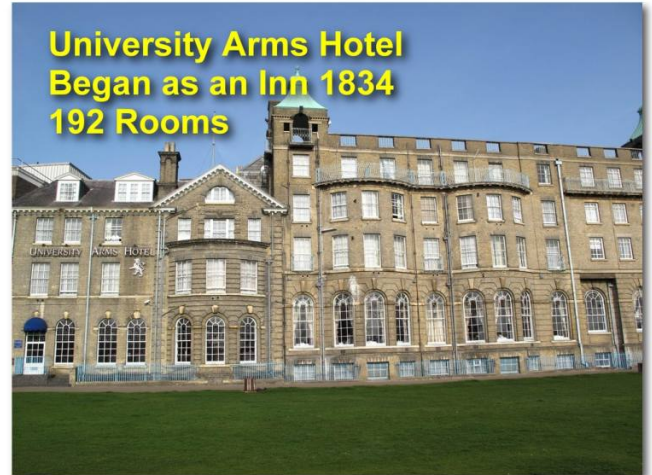
Jesus College, Cambridge University
Founded 1516
Three alumni have received Nobel Prizes



Jesus College has 80 Fellows (faculty)
500 undergraduate students
300 graduate students
Students come from more than 25 countries



Jesus Chapel
Built 1245
Jesus Chapel is the
oldest university
building in
Cambridge still
in use.



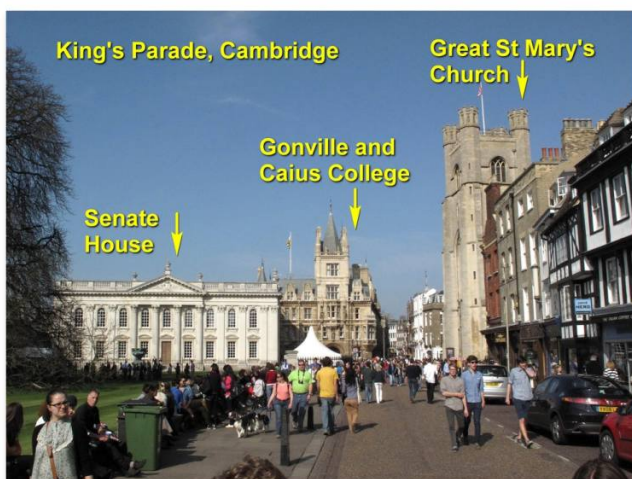
University Arms Hotel
Began as an Inn 1834
192 Rooms



Cambridge town



King's Parade, Cambridge
Historic street



King's Parade, Cambridge

Great St Mary's
Church

Gonville and
Caius College

Senate
House

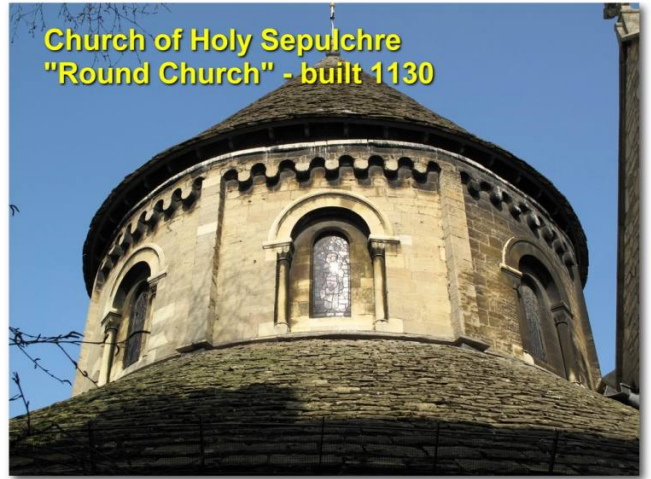


Cambridge Town

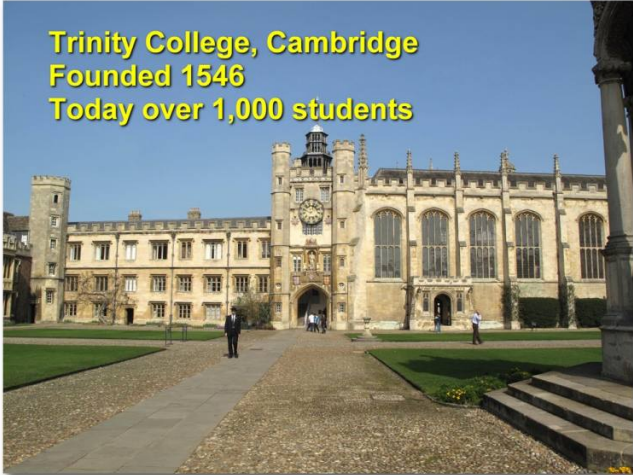
Cambridge Town



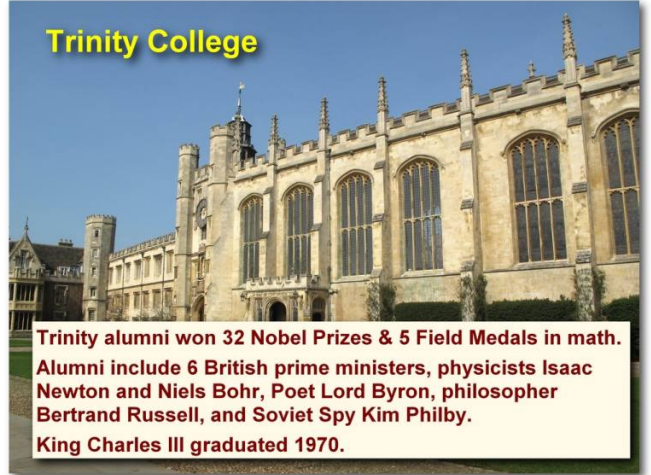
**Church of Holy Sepulchre
"Round Church" - built 1130**



**Trinity College, Cambridge
Founded 1546
Today over 1,000 students**



Trinity College



**Trinity College
Great Court Fountain**



**Trinity College
King Edward III's Gate
Pugna Pro Patria is Latin for
Fight for your country**



Trinity College Chapel - 1567



**Cambridge University
Senate House - 1730
Now mainly used for ceremonies**



**Cambridge University
Graduation Reception - 2012**



**Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge
Founded 1348
Around 500 students today**



**Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge
Alumni include 14 Nobel prize winners**



**Great St Mary's Church, Cambridge
1478**



**Great St Mary's Church, Cambridge
1478**



**Clare College, Cambridge University
Founded 1326
Around 700 students today**



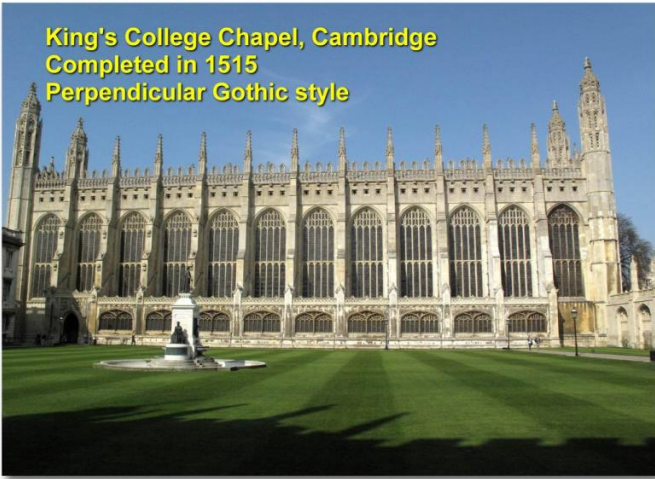
Clare College, Cambridge



**Kings College Chapel, Cambridge University
King Henry VI laid the foundation stone 1446
But it was not finished until 1515 under Henry VIII.**



King's College Chapel, Cambridge
Completed in 1515
Perpendicular Gothic style



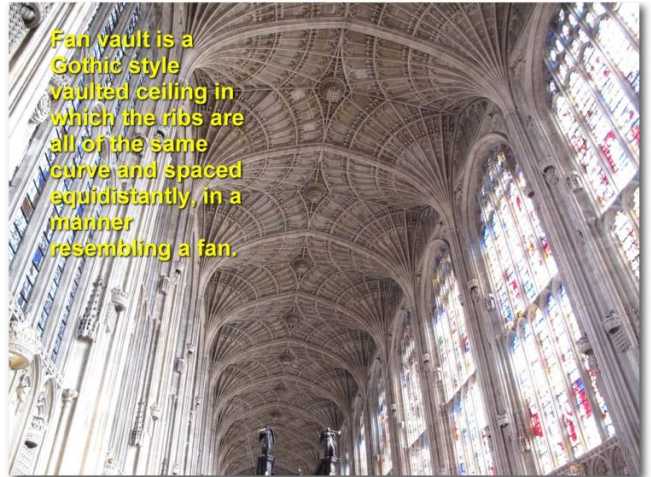
King's College Chapel interior.
World's largest fan vault ceiling,
constructed between 1512 and 1515
by master mason John Wastell



King's College Chapel, Cambridge
The 12 large stained glass windows on each side are Flemish and date from 1515 to 1531.



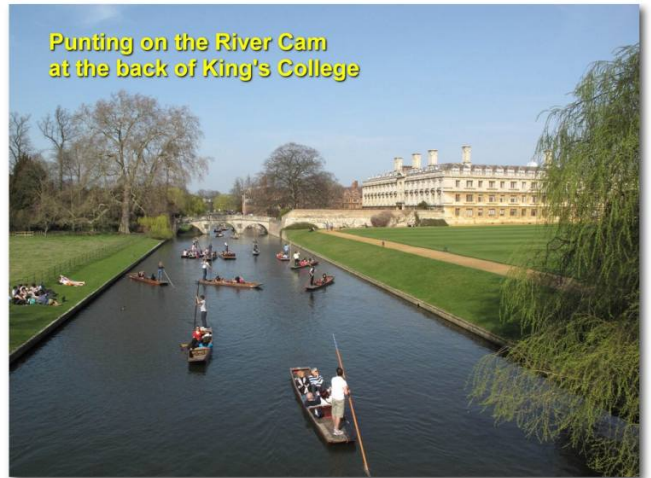
Fan vault is a Gothic style vaulted ceiling in which the ribs are all of the same curve and spaced equidistantly, in a manner resembling a fan.



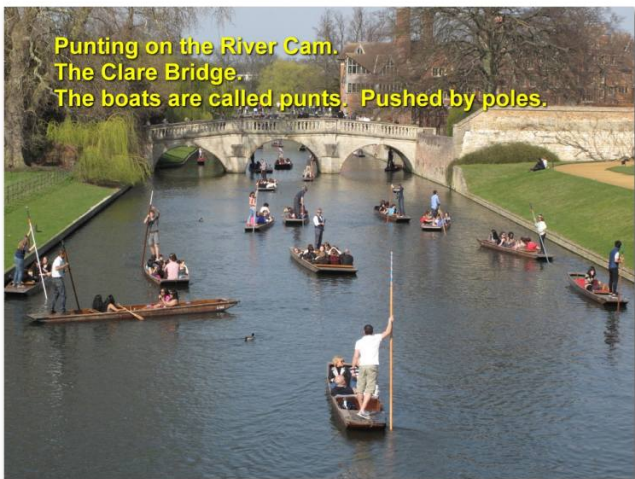
King's College Chapel Choir



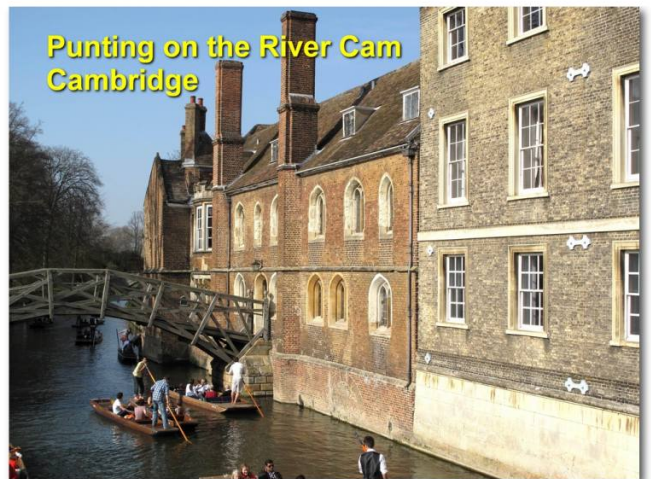
Punting on the River Cam at the back of King's College

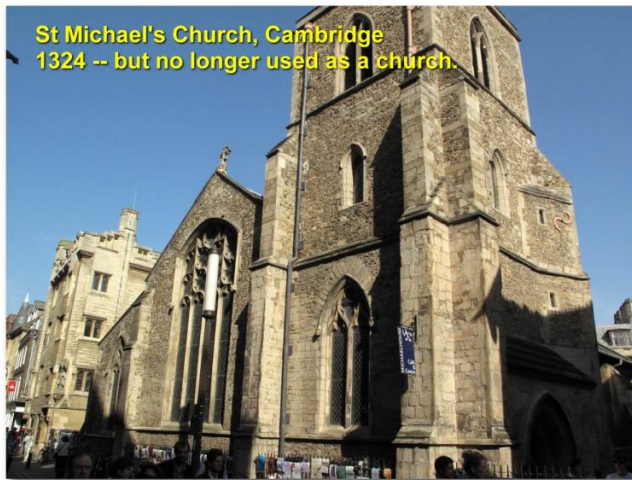


Punting on the River Cam.
The Clare Bridge.
The boats are called punts. Pushed by poles.



Punting on the River Cam Cambridge





St Michael's Church, Cambridge
1324 -- but no longer used as a church.



Cambridge Market
Market square
Daily except Sunday



Cambridge Market

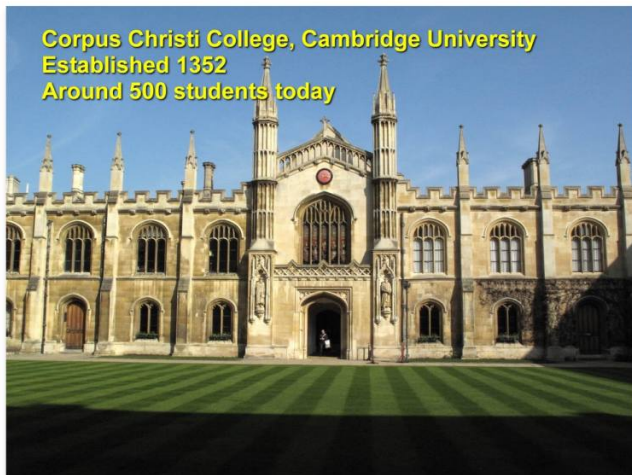
What is
courgette?
What is
swede?



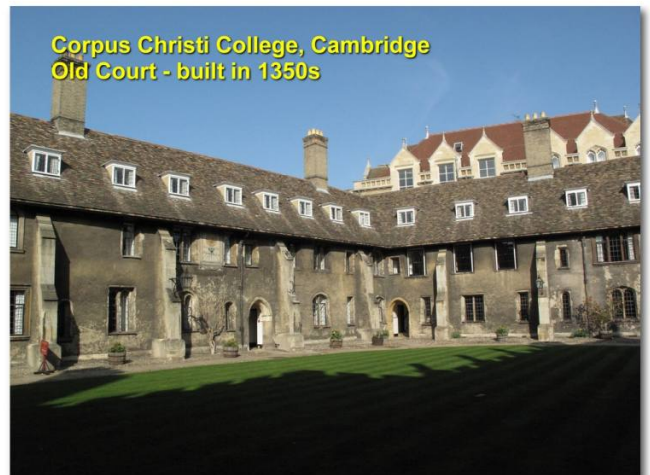
Cambridge Market

What are
"bramleys"?
"beet root"?

What do we
call mangetout
in the US?



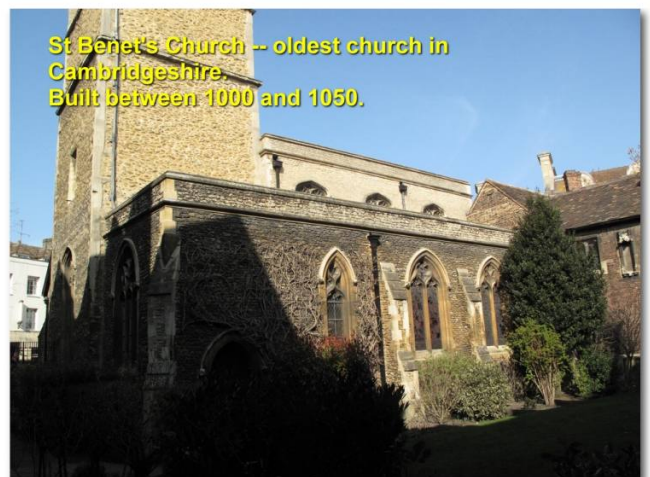
Corpus Christi College, Cambridge University
Established 1352
Around 500 students today



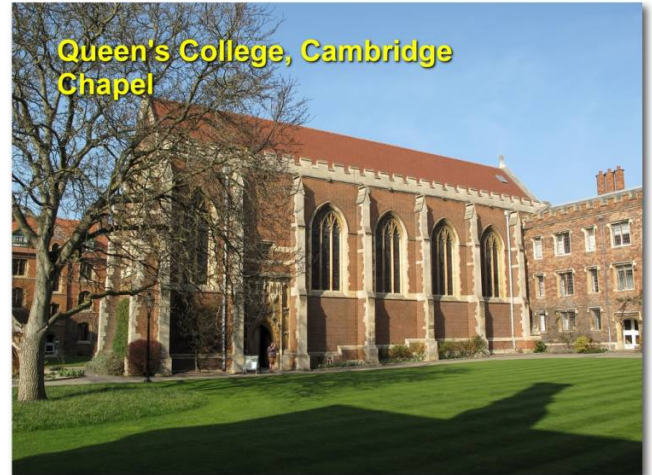
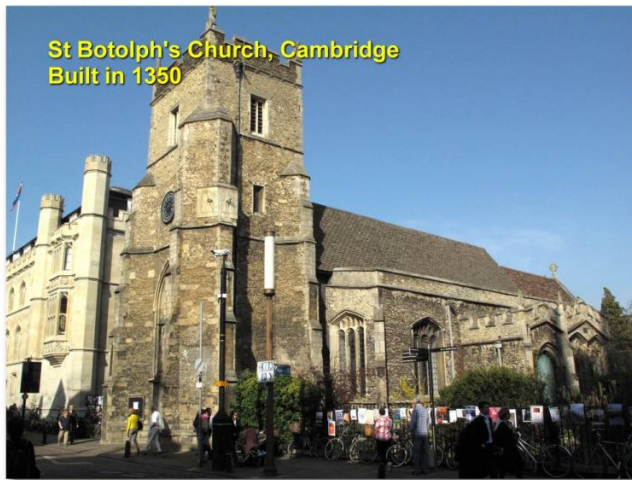
Corpus Christi College, Cambridge
Old Court - built in 1350s

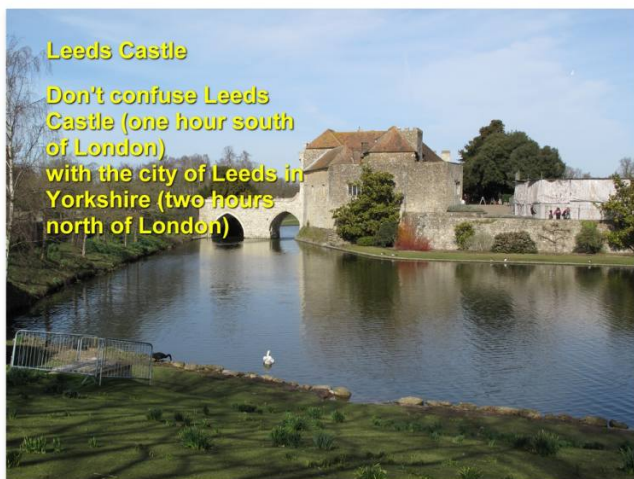
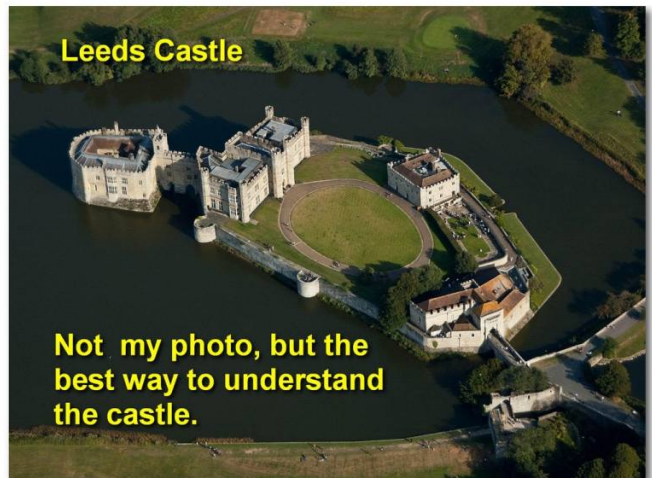
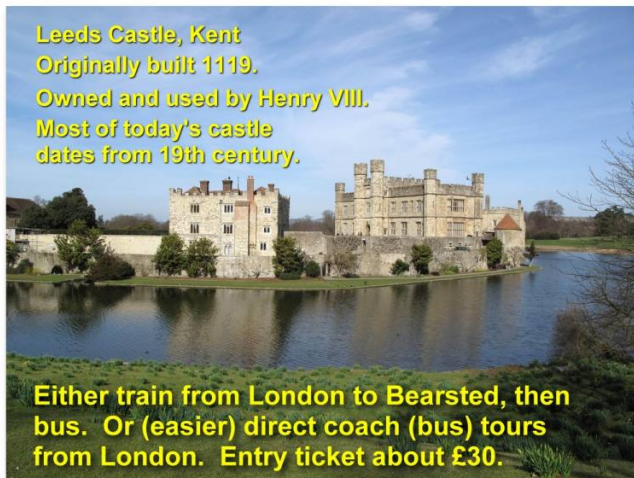
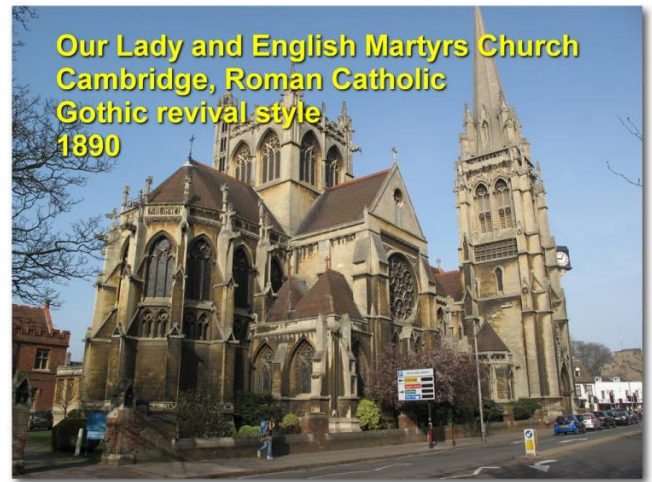


Corpus Christi College, Cambridge
Chapel - 1577



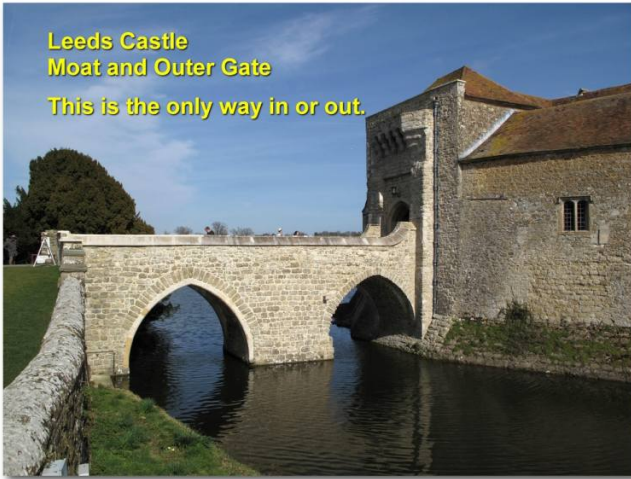
St Benet's Church -- oldest church in
Cambridgeshire.
Built between 1000 and 1050.





Leeds Castle
Moat and Outer Gate

This is the only way in or out.



Leeds Castle
The "new" castle built 1823
Tudor style



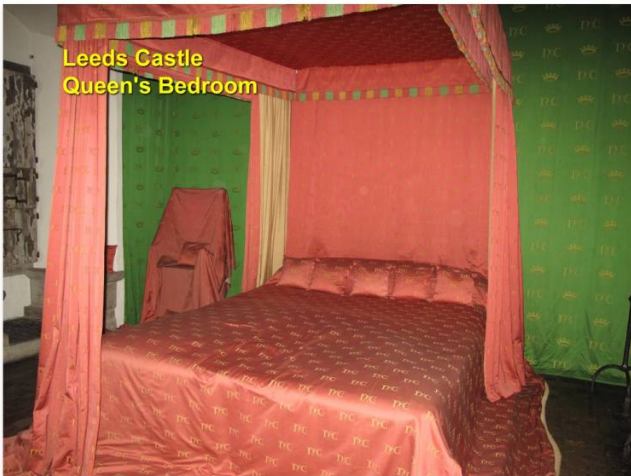
Leeds Castle
"Old" castle
1200s



Henry VIII's armor
at Leeds Castle



Leeds Castle
Queen's Bedroom



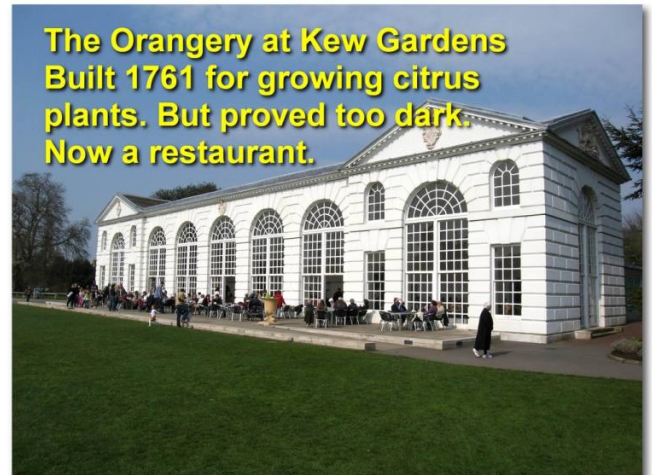
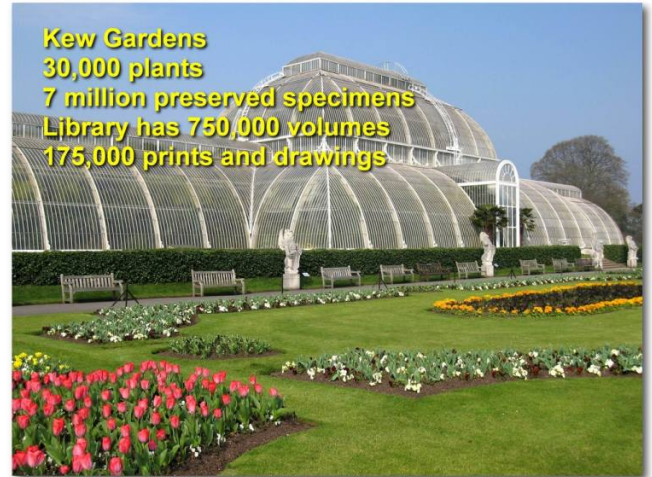
Leeds Castle
Painting of
Henry VIII
King 1509-1547



Thorpe Hall Drawing Room
at Leeds Castle



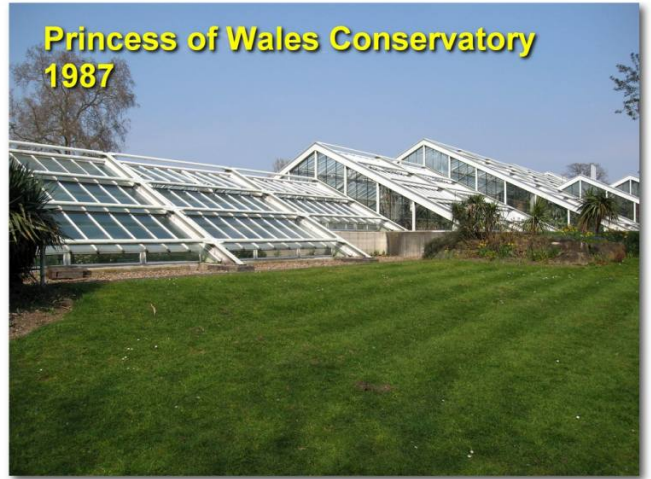
**KEW
GARDENS**



Kew Gardens



**Princess of Wales Conservatory
1987**



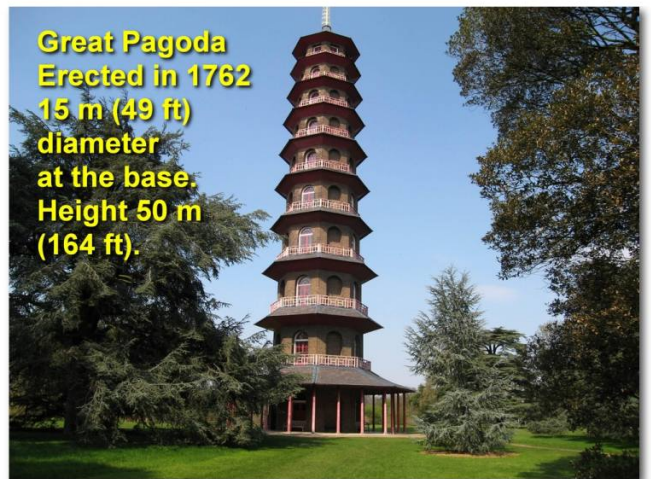
Princess of Wales Conservatory



**Pavillion Restaurant in
Kew Botanic Gardens**



**Great Pagoda
Erected in 1762
15 m (49 ft)
diameter
at the base.
Height 50 m
(164 ft).**

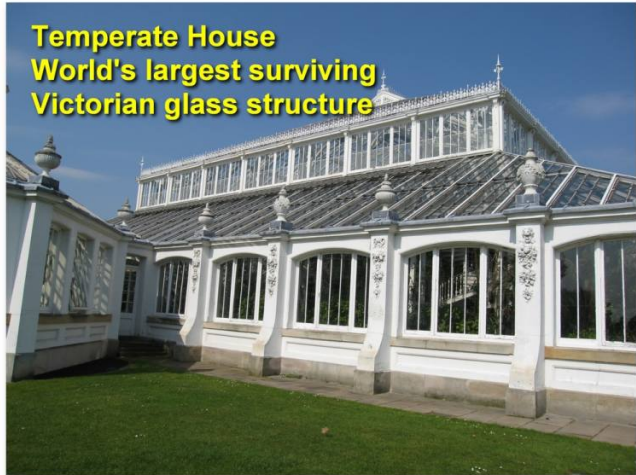




**Kew Great
Pagoda
Staircase 253
steps**



**Kew Gardens Temperate House
Built 1859 to 1899**



**Temperate House
World's largest surviving
Victorian glass structure**



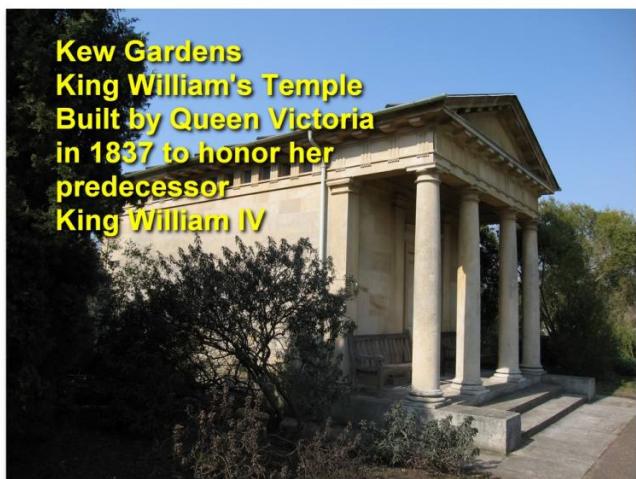
**Temperate House
52,000 sq feet
under glass**



**Temperate House was
restored 2014-2015**



**Kew Gardens
Temperate House**



**Kew Gardens
King William's Temple
Built by Queen Victoria
in 1837 to honor her
predecessor
King William IV**



Kew Gardens

**Kew Gardens
London**



**Kew Gardens
London**



Kew Gardens Petting Zoo



**Chionodoxa
Known as Glory-of-the-Snow
At the Kew Orangery**



**Kew Gardens
Botanic Museum
1857**



**Kew Gardens
About 30 minutes
from central London**



RICHMOND

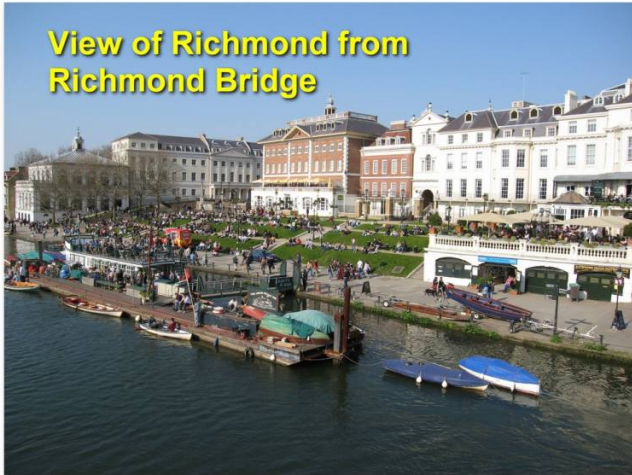


Richmond
A London borough
on the River Thames



**Richmond is about 8 miles
west of central London**
By tube or train

From Kew walk 2
miles or take tube 1
stop or bus.



**View of Richmond from
Richmond Bridge**



**The Thames does flood
sometimes in Richmond**



**You can walk east into London
or (more easily) up
to Kew Gardens**

Ferry to Twickenham 1m
Ham House & Garden 1m
Teddington Lock 2 1/4m
THAMES PATH
Capital Ring

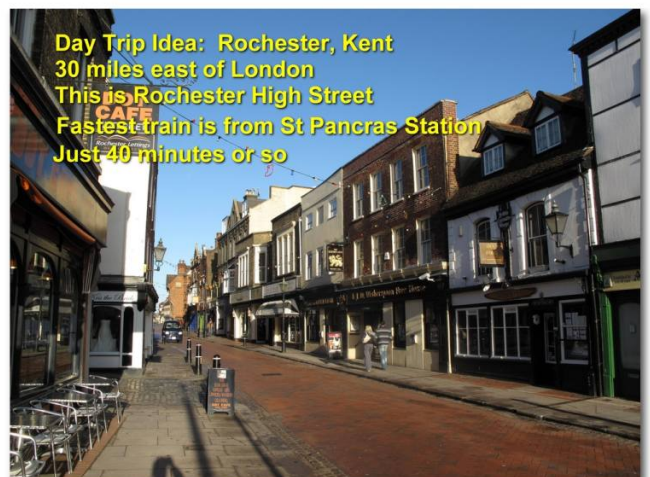
THAMES PATH
Capital Ring
Richmond Lock 1/2m
Kew Gardens 2 1/4m
Kew Bridge & Pier 2 1/4m
Tower Bridge 19m



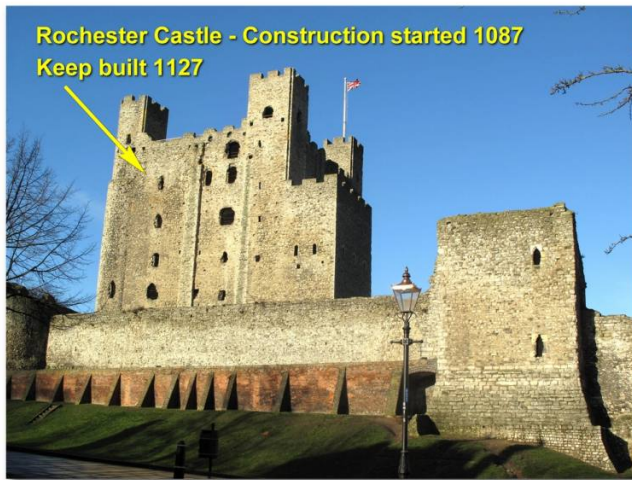
Thames Footpath to London



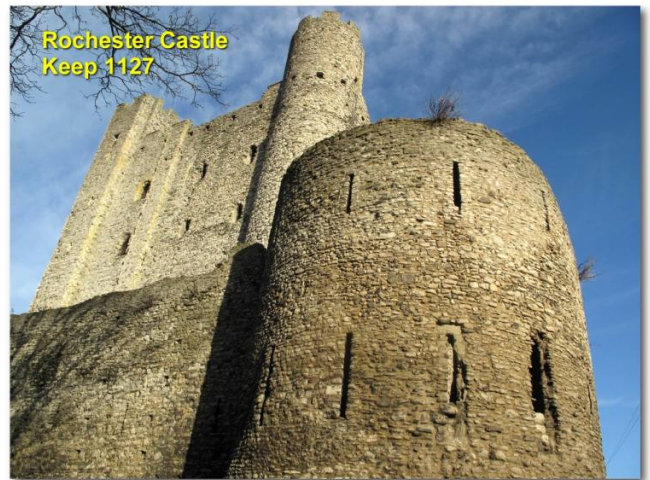
ROCHESTER



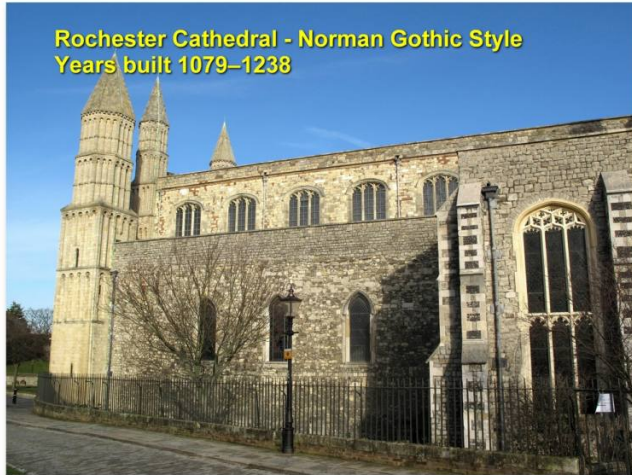
Day Trip Idea: Rochester, Kent
30 miles east of London
This is Rochester High Street
Fastest train is from St Pancras Station
Just 40 minutes or so



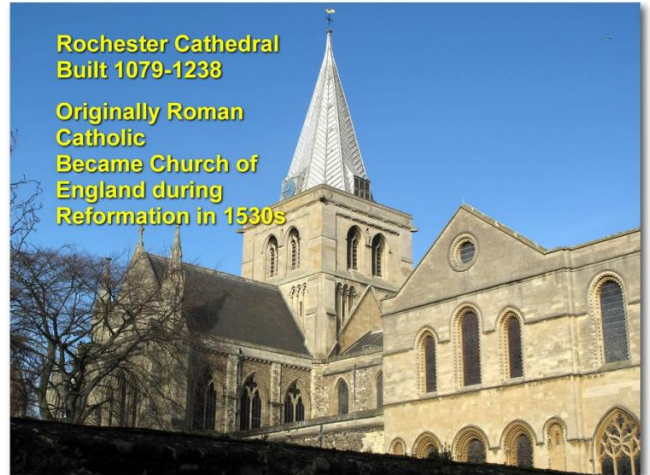
**Rochester Castle - Construction started 1087
Keep built 1127**



**Rochester Castle
Keep 1127**

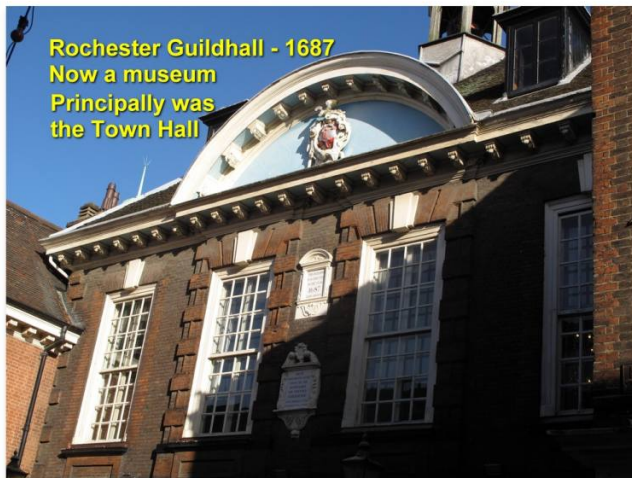


**Rochester Cathedral - Norman Gothic Style
Years built 1079-1238**



**Rochester Cathedral
Built 1079-1238**

**Originally Roman
Catholic
Became Church of
England during
Reformation in 1530s**



**Rochester Guildhall - 1687
Now a museum
Principally was
the Town Hall**



Rochester Guildhall Museum

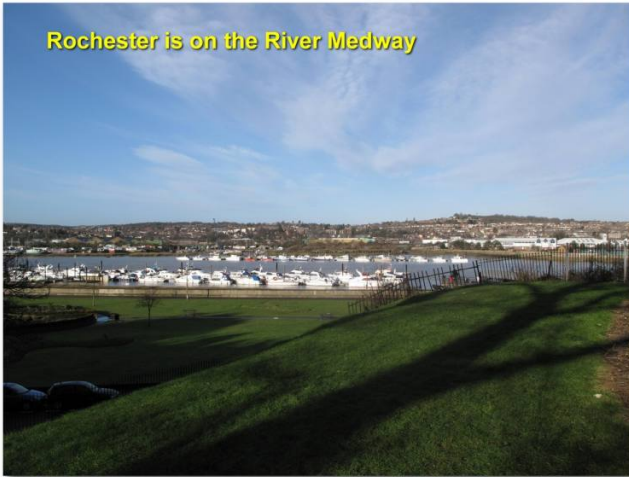


**Rochester Guildhall Museum
Meeting place of Town Council
and Courtroom**



**Rochester Guildhall Museum
Dickens wrote about the Rochester
Guildhall in *Great Expectations*.**

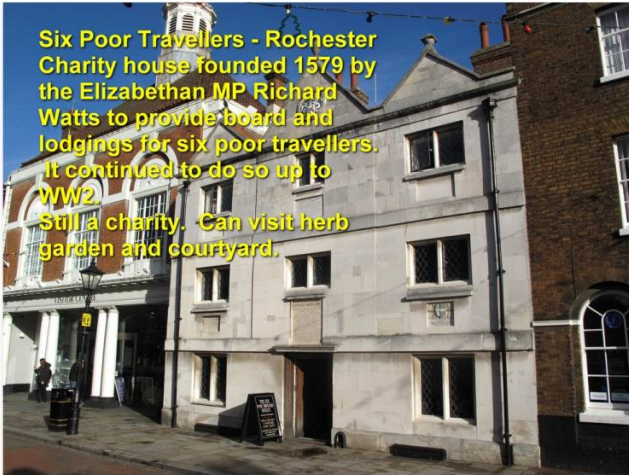
Rochester is on the River Medway



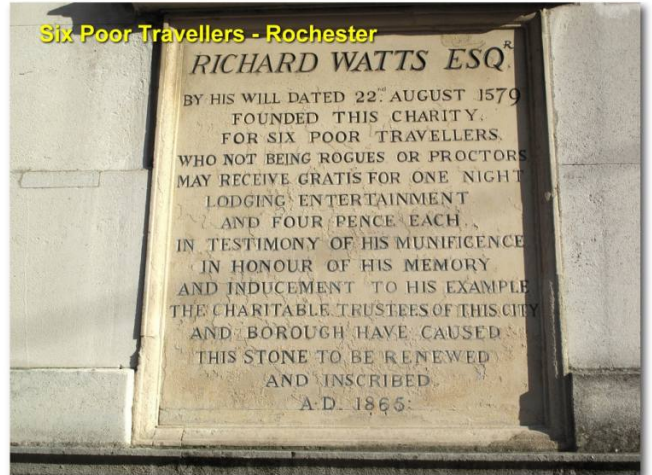
Rochester High Street



Six Poor Travellers - Rochester
Charity house founded 1579 by
the Elizabethan MP Richard
Watts to provide board and
lodgings for six poor travellers.
It continued to do so up to
WW2. Still a charity. Can visit herb
garden and courtyard.



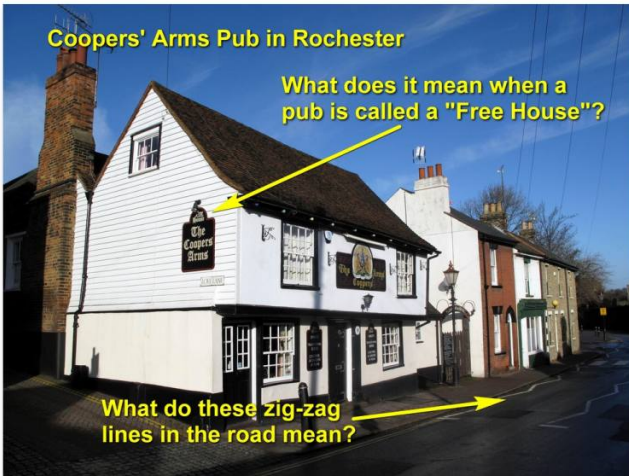
Six Poor Travellers - Rochester



Coopers' Arms Pub in Rochester

What does it mean when a
pub is called a "Free House"?

What do these zig-zag
lines in the road mean?



Steak and red wine pie
Steak and horseradish pie
Steak & beetroot with red wine
Steak in stout pie
Game pie
Beef madras pie with pickled lime



Farmer's market in Rochester
"Posh Pie Company". What is origin of Posh?

Charles Dickens Chalet in Rochester
His Summer study 1865-1870



There is an annual Dickens Festival in
Rochester late May-early June.

HATFIELD HOUSE

Hatfield House - 1611
Hatfield, Hertfordshire



Henry VIII's children, King Edward VI, Queen Elizabeth I, and Queen Mary, spent their youth here.

WINCHESTER

Winchester Cathedral - 1093
Longest nave and greatest overall length of any Gothic cathedral in Europe



Important events in the Cathedral:

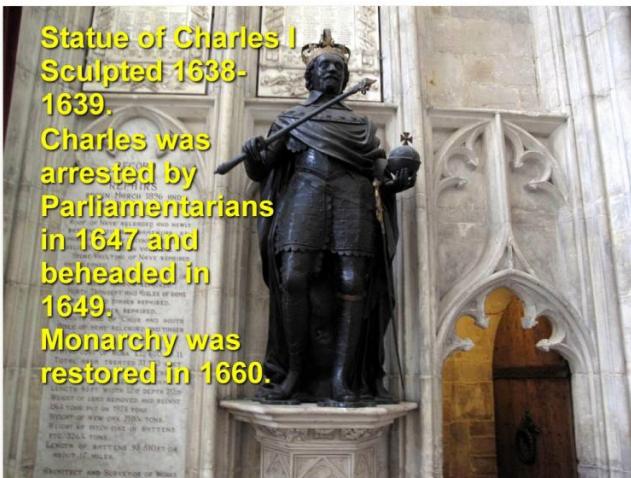
- Funeral of King Harthacanute (1042)
- Funeral of King William II of England (1100)
- Coronation of Henry the Young King (1172)
- Second coronation of Richard I of England (1194)
- Marriage of King Henry IV of England and Joanna of Navarre (1403)
- Marriage of Queen Mary I of England and King Philip II of Spain (1554)

Winchester Cathedral - 1093



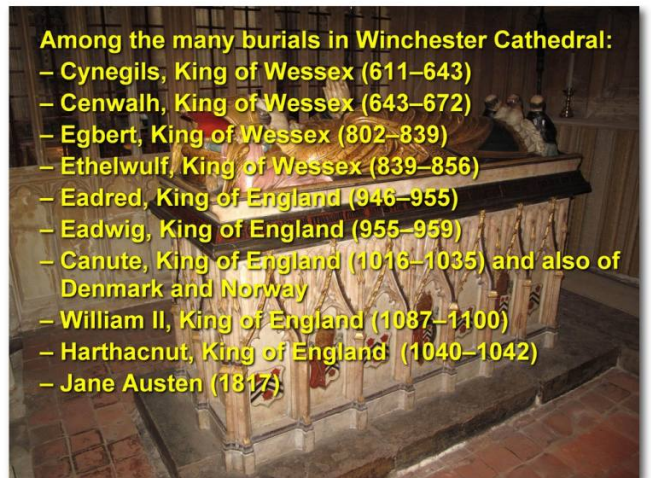
Statue of Charles I
Sculpted 1638-1639.

Charles was arrested by Parliamentarians in 1647 and beheaded in 1649. Monarchy was restored in 1660.



Among the many burials in Winchester Cathedral:

- Cynegils, King of Wessex (611-643)
- Cenwalh, King of Wessex (643-672)
- Egbert, King of Wessex (802-839)
- Ethelwulf, King of Wessex (839-856)
- Eadred, King of England (946-955)
- Eadwig, King of England (955-959)
- Canute, King of England (1016-1035) and also of Denmark and Norway
- William II, King of England (1087-1100)
- Harthacnut, King of England (1040-1042)
- Jane Austen (1817)

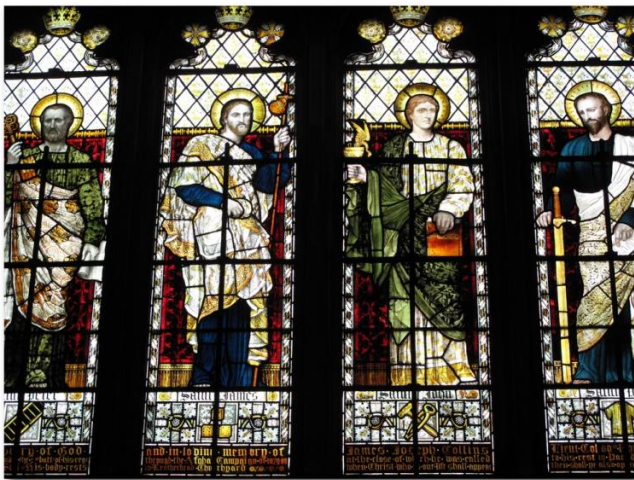


Winchester Cathedral



Winchester Cathedral - 1093





Winchester Cathedral Cemetery

What is
"Hants"?

What is
"small
beer"?

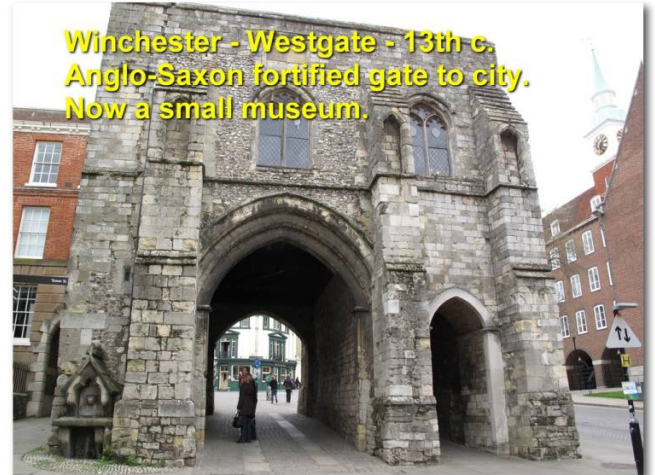


"Soldiers be wise from his untimely fall,
And when ye're hot drink Strong or none at all."

f used as
lower case s:
"univerfal"
"fmal"
"teftimony"
"fleeps"
"Hampfhire"
"whofe"



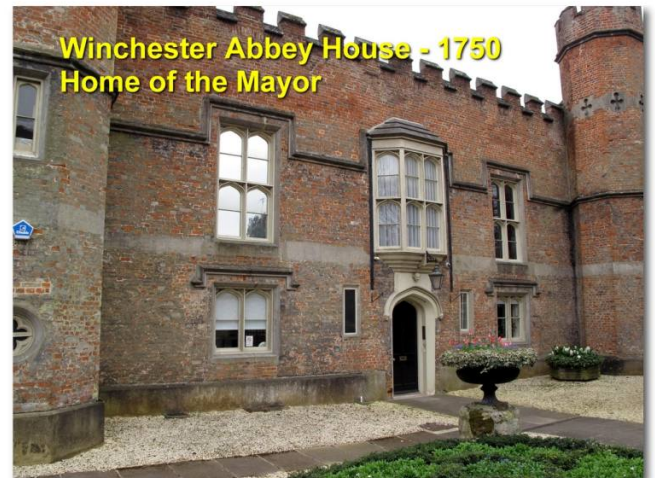
Ruins of 13th century Winchester Castle



Winchester - Westgate - 13th c.
Anglo-Saxon fortified gate to city.
Now a small museum.



Winchester Guildhall - 1871-1875
Now an events venue and cafe.



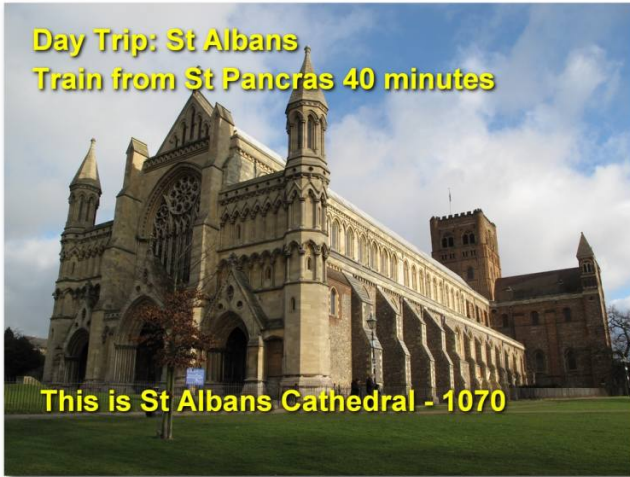
Winchester Abbey House - 1750
Home of the Mayor



Winchester City Museum

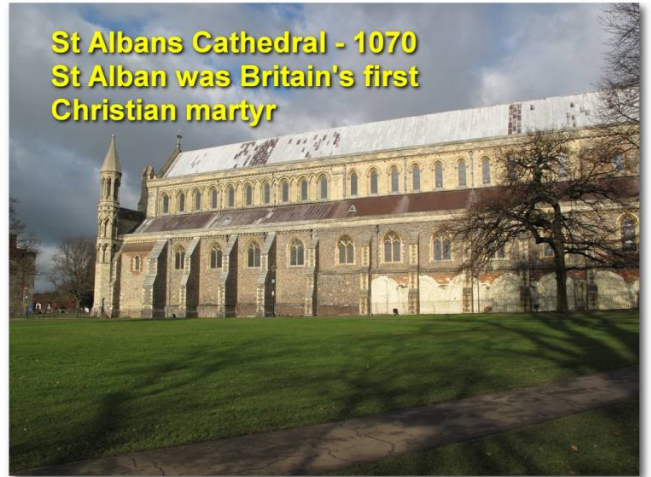
ST ALBANS

Day Trip: St Albans
Train from St Pancras 40 minutes



This is St Albans Cathedral - 1070

St Albans Cathedral - 1070
St Alban was Britain's first
Christian martyr



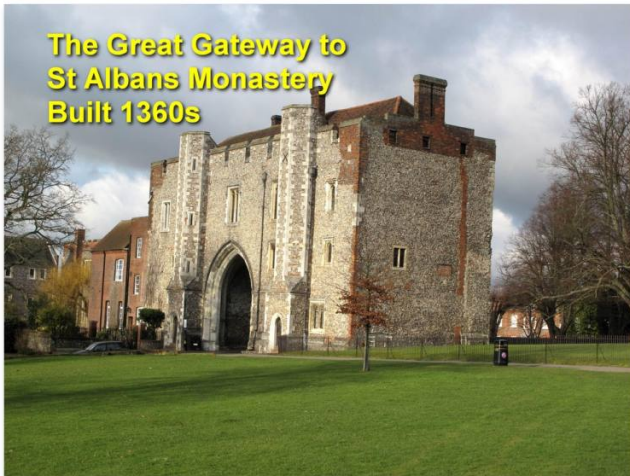
St Albans Cathedral Interior



St Albans Cathedral Altar



The Great Gateway to
St Albans Monastery
Built 1360s



HAM HOUSE

Ham House - 1610
Historic house built for James I
Near Richmond
In the town of Ham





Ham House - 1610



Ham House - 1610



Ham House
Gardens

In summary, my priorities:

High priority:

Hampton Court Palace, Cambridge University, Kew Gardens

Medium priority:

Richmond, Leeds Castle, Rochester

Lower priority:

Hatfield House, Winchester, St Albans, Ham House

Day Trips from London

Part 1

Windsor Castle
Eton
Harry Potter Studios
Oxford
Greenwich
Stonehenge

Part 2

Hampton Court Palace
Cambridge
Leeds Castle
Kew Gardens
Richmond
Rochester
Hatfield House
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Ham House

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