



Messing about on the River

"Believe me, my young friend, there is nothing - absolutely nothing - half so much worth doing as simply messing about in boats." - The Wind in the Willows

10.30am Henley on Thames.

Meet your guide in Henley on Thames. On arrival in Henley you will have chance to look round this pretty town overlooked by beautiful Chiltern landscape, wooded hills and green fields. The town, which was founded in the 12th century, is probably best known for its annual Royal Regatta, attracting some of the world's best rowers.

1.00pm Lunch in Marlow. A Wyevale Garden Centre.

Enjoy a two-course lunch followed by tea and coffee.

3.00pm Marlow Return Cruise.

After lunch in Marlow, make your way to the river bank where you will take a 40 minute return trip on the River Thames to Temple Lock. This lock is unique in that when a new one was built in 1890, the builders left the old one alongside it. The surrounding area is very green and pleasant with flowers growing on the banks of the river, an ideal place to enjoy a relaxing river cruise.

3.45pm Marlow: A Georgian Market Town.

The Thames is at its most lovely as it flows through this pretty Georgian market town; spanned by an elegant suspension bridge built in the 19th century. Every year the Queen's Swan Marker arrives at the town to put tags on the new cygnets, this is known as 'Swan Upping' and is a long standing tradition of the area. You may wish to have afternoon tea in one of the town's cafés before boarding your coach for the journey home.

Price includes:

- Your guide for the day
- 2 course lunch with tea/coffee
- River cruise on the Thames
- 1 free place with 35 paying passengers

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£28.50 per person

(Minimum numbers 35)