

**GGLHS GROUP VISIT to the Museum of Brands, Ladbroke Grove, London
Wednesday 21 February 2024 (Unless it is a rail strike day)**

This Museum has displays of all kinds of consumer goods, especially toys, from Victorian through Edwardian times, the inter-war period, two World Wars, and the decades up to the 1990s. A long, winding corridor takes you through the various eras, with explanations about the exhibits. There are displays of how certain products changed their packaging over time, e.g. Cadbury's chocolate. A 30 minute TV show plays advertisements from the 1950s onwards. (Remember chimps' tea parties?) Much of this is a nostalgia trip down Memory Lane.



In the afternoon, for those who wish to stay on, Portobello Market is only a short distance away, with stalls and shops.

Travel arrangements

Train to Paddington, and a short Tube trip. The Museum is a very short distance from Ladbroke Grove station.

Costs

£ 20.50 (senior railcard) otherwise £31.10 for train ticket including Travelcard. £7 entry to Museum for seniors. (All prices as at November 2023 – they may rise by February 2024.)

Catering

Drinks and snacks are available at the Museum. There are lots of eating places near the Museum, including Café Nero, Greggs and Pret a Manger.

Accessibility

Members will need to manage steps. The Museum visit involves long periods of standing. There are toilets at the Museum.

Please complete the slip below or let Janet Hurst know by email.

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I/We wish to join the visit to The Museum of Brands

I/We agree to pay our rail fares and the Museum entry cost.

Name(s):

Tel: Email.....

PLEASE RETURN TO: (as soon as possible) OR Email **Janet Hurst**, Goring Gap Local History Society, 6 Nun's Acre, Goring RG8 9BE (Tel: 871022); email: goringgaphistory@gmail.com