

WHEN	5 <sup>th</sup> October
WHERE	National Museum of Computing
WHAT	<p>Mission Statement of The National Museum of Computing</p> <p>To bring to life the history and ongoing development of computing for inspiration, research, learning and enjoyment for the benefit of general and specialist publics of all ages.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In support of this we acquire, conserve, restore and reconstruct historic computing machinery for preservation, display, demonstration and research.</li> <li>• Emphasis is on British computing heritage and on ongoing British contribution to innovation and development.</li> <li>• Our distinctive approach is engagement through the display and demonstration of working historic systems.</li> </ul> <p>The National Museum of Computing, located on Bletchley Park, houses the world's largest collection of functional historic computers and WW2 machines, including, Enigma, Lorenz the working Turing-Welchman Bombe, the rebuilt Colossus, the world's first electronic computer, and the WITCH, the world's oldest working digital computer. The museum enables visitors to follow the development of computing from the ultra-secret pioneering efforts of the 1940s through the large systems and mainframes of the 1950s, 60s and 70s, and the rise of personal computing in the 1980s and beyond.</p> <p>The National Museum of Computing is an independent registered charity responsible for its own fundraising, sponsorship and management. The National Museum of Computing is located in Block H on the Bletchley Park estate, which is managed by the Bletchley Park Trust, an entirely separate charity.</p>
LOCATION	The National Museum of Computing, Block H, Bletchley Park, MILTON KEYNES MK3 6DS
FACILITIES	Toilets, tea room and gift shop
TIMING	Arrive at 1-45 for 2-00 start of tour. There will be two groups Max of 16 in each
COSTS	Own transport. A group fee of £23 per person, which includes entry and for the tour. Food is available, on site at a Café.
OTHER ACTIVITIES	None