

Institute of Physics – London & South East Branch – Retired Members Section

Imperial War Museum, London
on Thursday 5 February 2015

This visit has been organised by Tony Colclough

Description We shall visit the Imperial War Museum to see in particular the new galleries which have been opened as part of the programme to mark the outbreak of the Great War in 1914. Details can be found at <http://www.iwm.org.uk/visits/iwm-london> . The Museum recommends about 90 min for the new WW1 galleries and may introduce timed slots at very busy periods (very unlikely in February). There is much else to see including exhibitions on WW2 and the Holocaust.



Note that a visit to IWM Duxford is being planned for June.

Where and when to meet. We meet at 11:00 in the Level 0 café at the IWM. See the attached floor plan also downloadable for the visually challenged from http://www.iwm.org.uk/sites/default/files/public-document/iwm_floor_plan_2014.pdf .

Getting there. The IWM London is at Lambeth Road, SE1 6HZ. Lambeth North on the Bakerloo line is the nearest underground station about 10 min away on foot. Waterloo and the Elephant & Castle stations are about a 15 min walk away. Enter the IWM through the North door behind the two big guns in the picture.

Lunch. We return to the Level 0 café for lunch at 13:00.

Timetable (times are approximate)

11:00	Assemble in the café at the IWM for refreshments.
11:30 – 13:00	View exhibits
13:00	Lunch in Level 0 café
14:00	View exhibits
16:00	Refreshments
16:30	Suggested departure

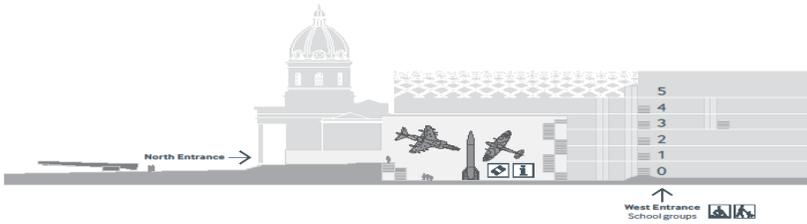
Size of party No constraints.

Cost Entry is free. Pay for your own travel and food.

Contacts Before the day: contact Tony Colclough at tonycolclough@tiscali.co.uk or on 020 8398 0766. On the day: call 07930 171 307.

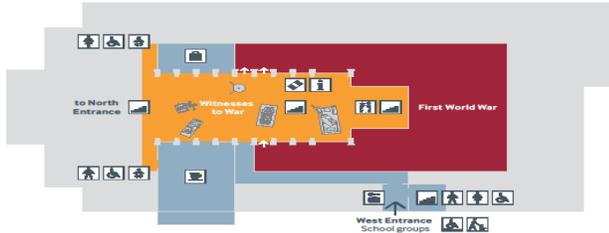
Late arrivals Call Tony on 07930 171 307 who will advise you to refer to the map and catch up with the programme.

IWM Floor Plan



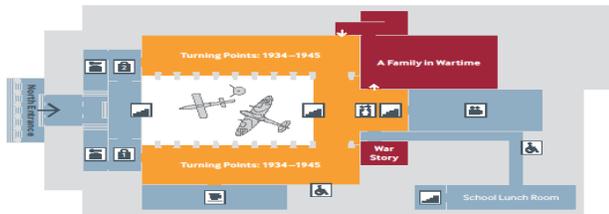
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- First World War
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- History Makers
- Witnesses to War
- Café
- Information
- Lockers
- Shop
- Tickets
- Toilets
- Way Out



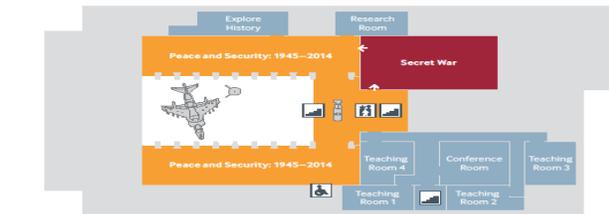
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- Second World War
- A Family in Wartime
- Turning Points: 1934–1945
- History Makers
- War Story
- See programme on reverse
- Book Shop
- Cinema
- Lockers
- Shop
- Tea Room
- Open during peak periods (holidays and weekends)
- Toilet



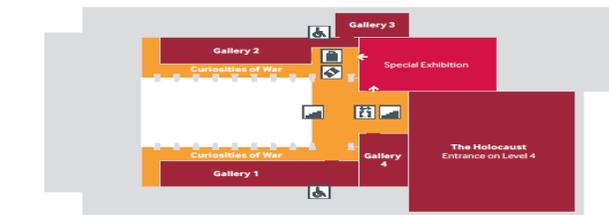
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- History Makers
- Secret War
- Peace and Security: 1945–2014
- Conference Room
- Explore History
- Learning Centre: Teaching Rooms 1–4
- Research Room
- Toilet



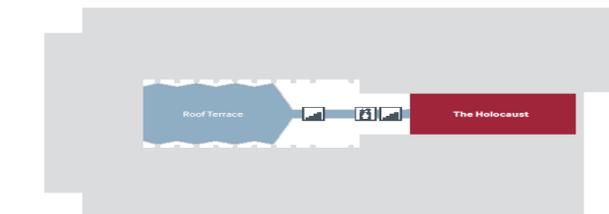
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- Special Exhibition
- Horrible Histories®: Spies Until 4 January 2015
- Art and Photography
- Galleries 1–3
- See programme on reverse
- Gallery 4
- IWM Contemporary
- See programme on reverse
- History Makers
- Curiosities of War
- Exhibition Shop
- Tickets
- Toilet



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- Second World War
- The Holocaust
- Roof Terrace



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- History Makers
- The Lord Ashcroft Gallery: Extraordinary Heroes

