

Lostwithiel Area U3A Photography Group

Industrial Past at Wheal Martyn Clay Works Museum FIELD TRIP on THURSDAY 27th February 2025

DAY AND DATE	Thursday 27th February 2025
TITLE OF EVENT	Field Trip to Wheal Martyn Clay Works
BOOKING ESSENTIAL (Y/N)	No
LOCATION	Wheal Martyn Clay Works, Carthew, Saint Austell PL26 8XG Located in the village of Carthew, between St. Austell and Bugle on the B3274. 2 miles North of St Austell and 6 miles from the Inns Downs junction on the A30
CAR PARKING/ ENTRANCE FEE	There is car and disabled parking at the museum site Adults £15.00 but a Residents Pass is £11.50 (pay once and visit many times) Tickets and Residents Pass may be bought on line. https://www.wheal-martyn.com/Event/buy-admission
TIME OF START AND FINISH	10.30 to whenever (Wheal Martyn closes at 5pm)
MEETING POINT	At main entrance
INFORMATION ON MAIN POINTS OF INTEREST	Wheal Martyn is based within two Victorian china clay works, now a Scheduled Ancient Monument. Our focus, this visit, is on industrial archaeology,, but there are also historic trails, woodland walks and spectacular views of a modern working clay pit to photography.
REFRESHMENTS	There is a cafe open 10am-4pm serving breakfasts, homemade lunches as well as freshly baked cakes.
NAME OF LEADER(S)	Rose Cross
ORGANISATION	Lostwithiel u3a
DISABLED ACCESS (Y/N)	Disabled parking. Site is on a hillside so there are uneven paths and steps around some of the outside trails.