

# people, places and stories

Longford, Launceston and Surrounds

# Saturday & Sunday 18th & 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024



Longford House

People, places and stories combines the first of our 2024 Winter Lectures with visits to four historic properties in the Longford & Launceston areas.

Saturday's program commences at 11am in Longford with a tour of the extensive gardens of *Longford House*, noted for their symmetry, established oaks & yews, & Hawthorne hedges. Enjoy your BYO lunch here before driving to picturesque Illawarra church & cemetery. Then on to *Kilgour House* with sweeping lawns & classically formal gardens & afternoon tea to finish the day.



Substantial canapes & drinks at The Launceston Club from 5.45pm are an optional extra.

A visit to *Claremont*, hidden away amongst the seclusion of the 100 year old trees & set on approximately one & half acres of tranquil gardens in East Launceston, follows the lecture & lunch at the Tramsheds on Sunday and concludes the weekend.



#### **Every Garden is a Story**

Jean Elder in conversation with Meg Bignell & Alice Bennett, author and photographer of the book *Tasmanian Gardens* at the Tramsheds on Sunday morning at 10.30am

Followed by Emma van Lint, landscape architect and Urban Forester with Launceston City Council: *Greening the Urban Canopy* 

## **Booking Information**

Note: book either the Weekend or Sunday ticket

### Weekend ticket, people, places & stories

Includes entry fees for all property visits, garden talks, Saturday's afternoon tea, & Sunday's lectures & lunch

Ticket option: plus substantial drinks & canapes at The Launceston Club Saturday evening, additional \$65 per person.

AGHS & AILA member \$135 or with option \$200

AGHS member -student/trainee \$ 70 or with option \$135

Non member ticket \$165 or with option \$235

Book here: www.trybooking.com/CQSNA

#### OR

## Sunday ticket, every garden is a story

Includes lectures & lunch at Tramsheds followed by garden visit to *Claremont*, East Launceston

AGHS & AILA member \$55

AGHS member - student/trainee \$20

Non member ticket \$60

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All bookings close by Wednesday 8th May at 10am.

#### **Enquiries:**

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Cancellation Policy: on try booking