

Visit to The Story of Emily, St. Ive, Liskeard

Thursday 1st May, 2025

Self-drive

This is a wonderful opportunity to visit The Story of Emily at reduced rate.



It is a stunning historical experience which opened last summer at St. Ive, near Liskeard, to great acclaim. It has been much recommended by friends.

It tells the forgotten story of Emily Hobhouse, an extraordinary Cornish woman, who challenged the social norms of her time. At 40, this

intrepid, unmarried daughter of a vicar travelled alone to South Africa, determined to help the women and children suffering in the second Anglo-Boer war. It tells the story of Emily Hobhouse and how one woman, a pacifist, brought change and above all, hope.

The Victorian Rectory has been meticulously restored to the year 1875 when Emily was 15 years old. We are invited to wander through the house, discovering how a Victorian family lived. In a separate building the War Rooms offer an immersive high-tech experience of the challenges facing Emily in South Africa. Then we can wander round the gardens including the large kitchen garden which provides vegetables for the restaurant.

Lunch will be available to purchase in the restaurant which serves delicious traditional South-African food with a healthy touch.

----- Booking Form -----

Please reserve me tickets @ £15.00 each. **Booking closes 14th February 2025**

Numbers are limited to 25 only. Please book early to avoid disappointment.

Payment via BACS to The Art Society Bodmin a/c no 00565928 sort code 30-97-28 ref: Caerhays or by cheque to The Art Society Bodmin, address below.

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Please scan the completed form and email: kerensabeer@me.com or post it with your cheque to Kerensa Beer-Robson at Hobbyfield, Trebetherick, Wadebridge PL27 6SQ
Any queries, telephone 07826 830068.

Payments are due at the time of booking and are not normally refundable.