

13th INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS AND TOUR

UNITED KINGDOM

28th MAY -15th JUNE 2011

The Tour

The organising committee of the Congress has been hard at work for the past year considering, debating and deciding upon a programme that we hope you will find informative, interesting, educative and relaxing.

We have settled on a programme commencing in London on the evening of the 28th May 2011 and will then move around England taking in such historic places as Ipswich, York, Lancashire and The Cotswolds, amongst many other places of interest.

We have a wide variety in the types of herds both in size and systems. We hope that we have balanced our visits to show you the different methods that have been adopted in the U.K. to use the Red Poll as a commercial animal within the European beef and dairy industries.

The Conference.

The Conference will take place in York on Wednesday 8th June with its theme of the Red Poll's place in a rapidly changing agricultural environment

Speakers have been arranged from organisations with international reputations

The afternoon session will include the country reports

The Conference dinner will be held in The Merchant Adventurers' Hall, an historic building over 650 years old just a few yards away from our hotel

Highlights

- ✓ Welcome dinner aboard Thames River boat
- ✓ Suffolk Show – now the U.K. Red Poll premier event
- ✓ Sutton Hoo (a Saxon burial ship)
- ✓ Settle to Carlisle Railway (one of the most scenic railways in the world)
- ✓ 2012 Olympic Stadium
- ✓ Historic Houses including Holkham Hall the home of the Red Poll
- ✓ Woburn Abbey and Deer Park. Farewell dinner in the Sculpture Gallery
- ✓ Sandringham Estate
- ✓ Bletchley Park historic site of secret code breaking activities and birthplace of the modern computer.
- ✓ Euston Hall with the Suffolk Trinity of the Red Poll, the Suffolk Horse and Suffolk Sheep



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A provisional indication of cost of the tour is £1850 per person. Sponsorship is being sought to reduce this.