



Anne Milton visits Guildford attractions during British Tourism Week

As part of the second annual British Tourism Week, which took place recently, Anne Milton, MP for Guildford sampled the local visitor experience at two of the borough's premier attractions, the Guildford Boathouse and Loseley Park.

"Constituency Day" on Friday 14 March encouraged MPs to support the local tourism industry and to better understand the importance of their contribution to the local economy. Cllr Jen Powell accompanied Anne representing the Guildford Business Forum's Tourism Sector Group.

Anne and Jen had a short tour of each venue and meet with owners and staff to discuss the value of the tourism industry in Guildford and the surrounding area.

Speaking at the start of British Tourism Week, Anne said:

"I am delighted to be taking part in British Tourism Week. Guildford has a lot to offer - not least at Loseley and the Boathouse. Local business in Guildford and Waverley which depend on tourism have had a lot to put up with over the last few months - particularly following the foot and mouth outbreak.

This has been an opportunity to showcase just a few of the things that Guildford has to offer. Tourism plays a significant role in the local economy and I will continue to work with local businesses and local representatives, both locally and nationally, to promote local tourism. Guildford's a great place to visit!"

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