



Abingdon Works Centre Visit to Combe Mill August 16th 2009



A Grade II Listed Building, Combe Mill Museum is the original 'power house' of the old Blenheim Palace Estate timber mill and workshops. This working industrial museum offers a fascinating insight into work that went on behind the scenes of the Blenheim Estate over the last century or so. Experience a feel of the past as you enter this authentic building where you're able to talk with Society members operating the machinery and demonstrating lost skills. Watch the continuous demonstrations at the forge, and demonstrations of wood turning and other crafts upstairs in the Pattern Shop.

Outside there are several examples of portable single cylinder engines operating machinery.

Limited refreshments are available in the shop and there is also a riverside picnic area plus adjacent woodland through which to ramble and we're hoping to provide walking route maps, possibly with tulip diagrams!

Road Run from Abingdon.

Cost is £3 per person.

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