

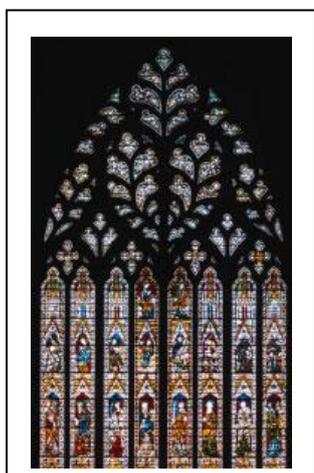
WEDNESDAY 4 JULY 2012

SEDI “Cultural and Social Afternoon” to the City of York followed by SEDI 2012 Conference Dinner

Wednesday afternoon is your free time in the conference programme and we have organised coaches to visit the cultural City of York . You can choose to have a quiet afternoon on your own, go shopping along the cobbled streets or visit any of the historic and cultural sites of this fantastic City. Due to the high demand and for your convenience we have organised tours of York Minster, The Jorvik Centre and York Brewery to help fill the afternoon prior to the Conference Dinner to be held at the Spectacular National Railway Museum. Each entrance and tour costs £10.00 per person. Each tour will take approximately 1 hour allowing you the opportunity to visit two of the three options. Return coaches are booked at 23.00 to the University of Leeds. **To book please click on the link: <http://store.leeds.ac.uk/browse/product.asp?catid=58&modid=2&compid=1>**

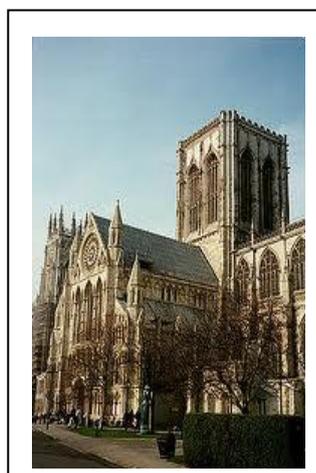
Option 1 York Minster Tours at 14.00 or 15.00

The Minster stands on a site where history has been made over the centuries. The Emperor Constantine began his progress to greatness here, and the foundations of the Roman buildings in which he lived can be seen under the central tower



York Minster is a world-famous artistic and architectural masterpiece built between the 1220s and the 1470s and some would say it is 'the heart of Yorkshire'

You can see that Heart carved in the stone of the West window



When you have entered the Minster you will join our guided tour with one of the volunteer guides. Experience the beauty of the Quire and the Chapter House. Gaze from the top of the Central Tower, across the pinnacles and gargoyles of the Minster, looking out onto the medieval streets of historic York and to the countryside beyond. You can even take a tour of the new Glass Conservation Studio at Bedern Chapel. There is also a fantastic gift and book shop for a range of gifts to remind you of your visit in years to come.

Option 2 Jorvik Centre Tour at 14.00 or 16.00



The remains of 1,000 year old houses are revealed beneath your feet, objects taken from the excavations are explored and Viking-age timbers are brought before your eyes. New audio and video displays help you to investigate all of the information gathered from the 5-year long dig at Coppergate and piece together the jigsaw of where the Vikings came from, why they came here and how they lived and died.

At JORVIK Viking Centre you will be standing on the site of one of the most famous and astounding discoveries of modern archaeology. Between the years 1976-81 archaeologists from York Archaeological Trust revealed the houses, workshops and backyards of the Viking-Age city of Jorvik as it stood 1,000 years ago.

Option 3 York Brewery Tour at 15.30



A Warm Welcome to all delegates at York Brewery

Established in 1996 within the historic city walls, York Brewery is both a working brewery and a major tourist attraction providing customers locally and around the country with the first traditionally brewed ales from within the walls of York for over 40 years.

The Head Brewer, Nick Webster is passionate about producing handcrafted beers combining traditional brewing methods alongside the latest technology to ensure that the highest standards of quality are consistently achieved. You will have a guided tour and the opportunity to taste and discover more about the great range of award-winning ales and experience the traditional art of brewing.



The Conference Dinner National Railway Museum

After your afternoon strolling around York and visiting the sites, the final destination is The National Railway Museum. There are still a few places left for the Conference Dinner with a pre drinks reception starting at 18.00 at a cost of £35.00 delegates only, £55.00 additional guest. **To book please click on the link below:**

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Menu

Mini Yorkshire Pudding Canape served with your welcome drink

Yorkshire Blue Cheese and Asparagus Tart with Rocket and Balsamic Dressing

Corn Fed Chicken wrapped with Bacon Fondant potato, Root vegetables and Madeira Jus

Trio of Yorkshire Deserts
Rhubarb and Ginger Cheesecake,
Curd Tart, Iced Parkin Parfait

Coffee and Yorkshire Cream Fudge