



Fairfax Battalia
Warning Order
Mapledurham House & Watermill
Nr Reading, Berkshire RG4 7TR
3rd & 4th July 2010

After 10 years we are returning to Mapledurham. This is a very picturesque site and well worth seeing. The scene of many TV and Film sets from *The Eagle Has Landed* to *Sharp and Miss Marple*. This is a Royalist house of the Civil War and the village has many unchanged features from that time. We enjoyed two very good events here 10 years ago and are being very warmly invited back. We are also asking Winchesters, Rawdons and Crawfords to join us. The site lends itself very well to a living History close to the house and river Thames. The skirmish site is close by with lots of tree and shrub cover to give a very realistic setting, as many of you will remember from last time. A skirmish starting with the Royalists in the rough ground attacking with snipers, followed by a full attack on the parliamentary camp. We have also been offered a free tour of the house and watermill. The watermill is one of the last traditional working four mills in the country. There is no shop or pubs close by, so ensure you bring everything you need.

Ashley has kindly volunteered to cook a curry on Saturday night.

Campsite open from 12:00 Friday 2nd July to 12:00 Monday 5th July.
There is good ground for tents and caravans. Plenty of flushing toilets.
Drinking water is from the smaller toilet block closet to the camp site.
Raised fires only on the plastic campsite. Tearooms & gift shop on site.

Directions Satnav RG4 7TR

From the North

Come down the A43 and take the A4074 to Reading. In Chazey Heath, a couple of miles before Reading on the left you will see the Packsadle Pub. Turn right to Mapledurham.

From the South

Come up the A43 off the M4, and take the A4074 to Reading. In Chazey Heath, a couple of miles before Reading on the left you will see the Packsadle Pub. Turn right to Mapledurham.

From M4 through Reading

Come off the M4 at J11 and take the A33 to Reading. Take the A4074 Caversham, Wallingford road. A couple of miles after leaving Reading at Chazey Heath, on the right you will see the Packsadle Pub. Turn left to Mapledurham.

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