



IHBC EAST MIDLANDS BRANCH COMMITTEE

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Dear colleague,

Building upon our first Branch bulletin in November, we are pleased to bring you our second edition of the IHBC East Midlands Branch Committee bulletin. Please read on for the latest news from the Region and on what we as a Branch are doing for our members.

Former Rolls Royce Marble Hall announced as location for Branch training event and meeting on Thursday 16th April



As part of the Branch's commitment to maintaining an Active Branch, we seek to organise a cheap and cheerful CPD event for our members at interesting locations across the Region.

This year we have with the assistance of Conservation Officers at Derby City Council arranged to visit the former Rolls Royce offices to see the £4m restoration works as the building is converted into a community hub incorporating a nursery, day-care centre, health services, offices and a cafe.

The event will take place on Thursday 16th April. For more information and to book your place, please read on.

MARBLE HALL EVENT INFORMATION

Programme for the day

1.45pm	Meet at Nightingale Road, Osmaston, Derby (DE24 8BG)
2pm	Tour of Marble Hall led by James Boon, Lathams
3.30pm	Branch Committee meeting at the Brunswick Inn (all attendees welcome)
4.30pm	Buffet and socialising at the Brunswick Inn (all attendees welcome)

About Marble Hall

Rolls-Royce occupied the site on Nightingale Road from 1907 to 2011. The Marble Hall building was constructed as offices in 1912 and extended to include the Marble Hall in the 1930's. Although some remodelling has taken place, many original features remain including a staircase from 1912, the 1930's wood panelled Board Room and the Marble Hall, with its Tuscan style polished limestone columns. In 2007, Rolls-Royce relocated their activities from this site to new sites within Derby, leaving the Nightingale Road site vacant. In 2009 the Marble Hall building was listed (Grade II) which saved it from demolition when all other buildings on the site were demolished in 2011.

External links: [Derby City Council](#), [Derby Telegraph](#), [BBC Derby](#)

Practicalities

Due to the current renovation works, all attendees are required to bring their own personal protective equipment, i.e. footwear, hi-vis vest and hard hat.

Parking is available at the Marble Hall site but is more restricted at the Brunswick Inn. [Click here for more information on parking in Derby](#). However, the Brunswick Inn is opposite Derby railway station.

Booking

Attendance at the Marble Hall event is free to our members but we require people to book by Wednesday 8th April onto the event so that we can plan the catering for the buffet.

To book, please click on the following link and complete the [online booking form](#).

GENERAL INFORMATION AND FEEDBACK

If you've not looked at the [East Midlands webpages](#) recently, why not take a look at what is going on across the Region.

Now on Information on the visit of the Lincolnshire Conservation Officers Group to the Petwood Hotel in Woodhall Spa to hear about the proposed restoration of the Peto Gardens and the visit to the nearby dilapidated Spa Baths has been added to the webpages.

Coming soon Information about the IHBC East Midlands Branch Annual School Bursary.

We welcome feedback on all of our communications. If you have any suggestions on how we can improve how we communicate with you, please let our Communications Officer, [Chris McKinney](#), know your thoughts.

Yours,

The East Midlands IHBC Branch Committee