

BTA FUN WITH PHILATELY WEEKEND

Friday 17th to Sunday 19th April 2026

voco Oxford Spires Hotel

PROGRAMME

Friday

p.m.

Arrival.

18.00

Welcome, with Pimms and soft drinks.

Members' displays (6 sheets, one minute).

19.30

Dinner; followed by invited display by Les Ashton-Smith:

Philatelic firsts.

Saturday

09.00

Invited display by Katrin Raynor: *Exploring Astronomy and Space Through Philately*

Coffee.

11.00

Members' displays: 'By land, sea or air' (12 sheets).

13.00

Buffet lunch

Saturday afternoon

Paula Cant Stamps will be present with a selection of stock.

Or:

Free time for sightseeing.

16.00

Members displays: 'Latest Acquisitions' or 'Animal, vegetable or mineral' (12 sheets).

19.00

Pre-dinner drink. Plus raffle.

19.30

Dinner, followed by optional social gathering.

Sunday

09.00

Invited display by Ian Shapiro: *Royal Household Mail.*

Coffee.

11.00

Members displays: 'These are a few of my favourite things' (12 sheets).

Booking form is on the next page. At this stage we are only requesting £25 deposit. The full package covers two nights' dinner, bed and breakfast; pre-dinner drink both evenings; wine with dinner; lunch on the Saturday; teas, coffees and biscuits or pastries between the sessions.

Saturday day delegate covers lunch plus coffee break refreshments x 2.

Sunday day delegate covers coffee break refreshments x 1.

See the booking form for options of extra nights and specific meal options.

BTA WEEKEND BOOKING FORM

I wish to book:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Rooms based on two people sharing | £310 per head |
| <input type="checkbox"/> With single room supplement | £365 per head |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extra dinner/bed/breakfast Thursday | £107.50 per head;
[plus single room supplement £27.50] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extra dinner/bed/breakfast Sunday | £107.50 per head;
[plus single room supplement £27.50] |

Or:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Evening meal Friday | £65.00 per head (inc. drinks) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Day delegate Saturday | £43.00 per head |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Evening meal Saturday | £65.00 per head (inc. drinks) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Day delegate Sunday | £15.00 per head |

Deposit

£25.00 per person (non-refundable). Or: Day delegate rate per person

Please tick as appropriate (BACS preferred due to bank charges on every cheque):

☐ I have paid £..... by BACS. Sort code 40-03-29; account number 71157701.
Please add your name and '2026 Weekend' in the 'Reference' box.

☐ I enclose a cheque for £..... made out to BRITISH THEMATIC ASSOCIATION
Please email Peter Wood and inform him when you have paid.

Your details

Name.....

Name of partner

Address.....

..... Post code

Telephone number (home) Mobile.....

Email.....

Tick here if you require an Accessible room ☐

Rooms are limited so please send this form (or a photocopy) plus deposit, as soon as possible, to:

Mrs. A. Stammers, 40 St. Helen's Way, Benson, Wallingford, Oxon, OX10 6SW

Please do NOT book directly with the hotel. [You will be asked when you book out to pay the hotel direct for any extra rooms booked on top of the full Weekend package, but the BTA will make the booking on your behalf].

