



LEEDS CASTLE
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LEEDS CASTLE PRIVATE TEA AND TALKS - 2026

Leeds Castle Private Tea and Talks, a perfect offering for groups looking to immerse themselves in history while indulging in a delightful tea experience. Held in the stunning medieval Gatehouse, these events provide a unique opportunity to explore captivating topics such as "High Society Secrets" and "Leading Ladies of Leeds Castle." Accommodating up to 40 guests per session, these talks can also be organised on rotation, ensuring everyone in your group enjoys this memorable experience.

Enjoy a 30-minute talk with a cream tea for £18 per person, or indulge in a full afternoon tea with a talk for £35 per person. Lunch options are also available.*

High Society Secrets

Step into the glamorous world of aristocracy with our "High Society Secrets" talk, where the elegance and intrigue of the elite come to life. Leeds Castle, once a playground for royalty, celebrities, and the social elite, has been the setting for countless lavish events and private gatherings. This captivating talk reveals the hidden stories, scandals, and secrets that have unfolded behind the castle's grand doors. From whispered romances to behind-the-scenes power plays, discover the untold tales of the high society figures who frequented this historic fortress.

Leading Ladies of Leeds Castle

Join us for the "Leading Ladies of Leeds Castle" talk, a captivating exploration of the extraordinary women who have shaped the history of this iconic fortress. From medieval queens to influential heiresses, these remarkable women have left an indelible mark on the castle and its legacy. Delve into their fascinating lives, uncovering tales of power, passion, and resilience that echo through the halls of Leeds Castle. This engaging talk offers a unique perspective on the rich heritage of the castle, celebrating the strength and influence of the women who called it home.

Leeds Castle and its History

Embark on a captivating journey through the centuries with our "Leeds Castle and Its History" talk. Leeds Castle has a story that spans over 900 years, filled with intrigue, romance, and resilience. From its origins as a Norman stronghold to its transformation into a Tudor palace and its role as a royal residence, this talk delves into the many layers of the castle's remarkable past. Discover how Leeds Castle has evolved through the ages, surviving sieges, hosting kings and queens, and ultimately becoming the enchanting destination it is today.

Filmed at Leeds Castle

Leeds Castle has been a stunning backdrop for many productions, from iconic blockbusters to beloved TV dramas. Join us for an engaging journey through the castle's star-studded history, exploring how its breathtaking rooms and gardens have been transformed by filmmakers into worlds of wonder, intrigue, and adventure. Whether you're a film buff or simply curious about what happens behind the camera, this talk is an unmissable opportunity to see Leeds Castle in a whole new light.

Christmas at Leeds Castle

Discover the elegance and charm of Christmas at Leeds Castle during the time of Lady Olive Baillie, who owned the castle from the 1920s to the 1970s. Join us for a fascinating talk that brings to life the festive season as it was celebrated by Lady Baillie and her illustrious guests. From opulent holiday parties to the castle's dazzling decorations, you'll uncover how Lady Baillie transformed Leeds Castle into a winter wonderland, blending English tradition with a touch of Hollywood glamour.

**Prices apply for bookings taking place from 1st April 2026.*