

Heritage Skills Initiative Training and Events Programme for North East 2010

Lime – Introduction, Plastering and Pointing

Saturday 17 & Sunday 18 July 10.00 – 16.00

Lime Pointing Masterclass

Belsay, Northumberland

Join Ray Stockdale, Technical Manager at English Heritage (North East), for two full days of practical hands on training in the wonderful setting of Belsay, to develop and hone your skills in lime pointing. This course will give you a firm understanding of the reasons why we conserve flora in the listed garden wall, the wall structure and materials and opportunities to mix the lime mortar. You will have ample time to develop your techniques in cutting out, pointing, knocking back and maintenance. Trowel skills are required or previous attendance at the introduction to lime or lime pointing courses is required. This course will provide evidence towards modules of the Heritage Skills NVQ3 in Masonry Occupations. You will be given an evidence pack to complete by the end of the course.



Cost: £100 for 2 days. Book your place by contacting skills@nect.org.uk . Terms & Conditions below.

Wednesday 15 September 10.00 – 16.00

Introduction to Lime in Historic – Taster Day

Wallington Estate, Northumberland

Join National Trust, English Heritage and Historic Property Restoration specialists for this popular course, now in its fourth year. Explore the many uses of lime in historic buildings. Observe an explosive lime slake, have the lime cycle explained, look at different limes available, try your hand at pointing, plastering, building and painting using lime. A great course for home owners, contractors and specifiers wishing to understand more about traditional materials. No experience required.

Cost: Free. Book your place by contacting skills@nect.org.uk . Terms & Conditions below.



Terms and Conditions

To book a course, please send an e mail to skills@nect.org.uk stating:

- The name of the course
- The date of the course
- The venue
- Your full name
- Your date of birth
- E mail
- Mobile telephone number
- Home and work postcode
- Occupation/Employer

N.B. If you do not have internet access you can book by ringing 0191 232 9279

Payment for courses

Payment must be made in full at the time of booking for courses requiring payment.

Please send your cheque made payable to: North of England Civic Trust

and send it to: North of England Civic Trust,
Blackfriars,
Monk Street,
Newcastle upon Tyne.
NE1 4XN

Please note we are only able to accept payment by cheque.

Confirmation of booking

Once your booking has been received and your cheque cleared (where applicable) you will be sent a confirmation of your place on the course or event you have booked. Please ensure that you have given us all of the requested details to complete your booking:

Cancellation of the course by the Heritage Skills Initiative

If the course is cancelled by the Heritage Skills Initiative we will refund you in full.

Cancellation by attendees

If you cancel a booking 4 weeks in advance of the start date of the course we will refund your fee in full.
If a booking is cancelled less than 4 weeks before the course, the fee will not be refunded.
However, if the place can be resold we may refund your fee. If you have booked a free course and not attended you will be invoiced for the sum of £35.00

[Joining instructions](#)

Further details and instructions will be sent out by e mail one week prior to the commencement of your course or event. If you have not received these, please contact the office on 0191 232 9279.