**THE ARTS SOCIETY RICHMOND**

**VISIT ON WEDNESDAY 10 APRIL 2019 – COST £15**

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| **THE ELGIN MARBLES AT THE BRITISH MUSEUM** |

We will have two tours of 16 people each starting at 11am and 2pm so we can cater for 32 members. Please indicate on the application form below which times you can do and we will confirm whether you are on the morning tour or the afternoon tour. Alan Read, who has lectured us before, will lead the tour. He is a Blue Badge Guide/Lecturer.

Among the greatest treasures of the British Museum are the Parthenon Sculptures. Created almost 2,500 years ago to adorn a new building dedicated to the goddess Athena, these works had a chequered history before they were ‘acquired’ by a British aristocrat in the early 1800s when they became known as ‘The Elgin Marbles’. Our visit will take a close look at the narratives depicted in the sculptures and will celebrate their superb quality. Find out why these sculptures are among the greatest achievements in Western art and why they are perhaps the most famous ‘disputed cultural objects’ in the world.

Please return the form below and your cheque **(payable to THE ARTS SOCIETY RICHMOND)**to:

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**Please only provide a stamped addressed envelope if you do NOT give an email address.**

You can also pay by bank transfer to HSBC, sort code 40-38-18, account 31024191. If you do this, Betty Makin still needs a booking form by post or email and you must email Richard@Lebus.net so that he knows about the transfer.

* Cancellations, refunds and disclaimer - see the programme card.
* There will be a ballot on 8 March 2019 if this visit is oversubscribed but you can apply later.
* Please send separate cheques for each visit and study day.

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| Name(s)  |
| Email address  |
| Phone  | Mobile  |
| Names of any guests  |
| Is your guest a member of The Arts Society Richmond? | Yes/No/Na | Priority will be given to members of The Arts Society Richmond. |
| Do you want to come if your guest cannot be offered a ticket? | Yes/No/Na  | If Yes, please send a separate cheque for each ticket. |
| Please indicate the times that you can do. | 11am Yes/No | 2pm Yes/No |
| 🞎 Cheque enclosed 🞎 Paid by bank transfer  | Amount £ |
| Emergency Contact Name | Phone (preferably a mobile) | Relationship |