

“Snowdrop Gala and other Spring Treasures”

Venue : Ballykealey Manor (near Altamont)

Date : Sat, Feb 2nd, 2013

Programme :

9.30am : Registration, tea/coffee, biscuits.

10am -11am : Rod Leeds

“Galanthus, Some Favourites Both Old and New”

(from the classic green tipped to the very newest cultivars)

11.30am - 12.30pm : John Grimshaw

“Growing Snowdrops – A Personal View”

(John Grimshaw, co-author, editor of ‘Snowdrops’ will speak about his experience of growing a diverse collection of snowdrops over many years, covering both cultivars and cultivation techniques).

12.45pm - 1.45pm : Lunch at Ballykealey

2pm - 5pm : Visit to Altamont, guided tour with Paul Cutler.

(Snowdrops, Spring bulbs, hellebores, etc for sale)

Avon Bulbs, Ashwood Nurseries, Harvington Hellebores, Rod Leeds and many more specialist nurseries.

Early booking advisable. No refunds. Ticket event, limited number.

Cost : €60 (before December 1st, 2012)

€70 (before January 20th, 2013)

Cost includes lectures, lunch, admission to bulb sale, guided tour.

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