

## Letter to the Editor

from Lorraine Sencicle

re Dec.1993 issue

"making the most of English Heritage"

Madam,

I read with interest the Editor's "advertisement" for English Heritage telling us that by becoming a member one is allowed free admission into Dover's castle.

However, I was very sad that the Editor omitted to mention that membership of the "Friends of Dover Castle" also allows free admission into Dover Castle.

Furthermore, by joining the "Friends", members receive a twice-yearly news letter, are invited to the prestigious Carol Concert that is held in the Castle Keep and also other interesting events. Moreover, money raised by "Friends" goes towards funding specific items for the castle.

Membership subscriptions are:

Adult £7.90

Joint £14.70

Family £15.75

Junior £3.70

and the address to write to is:

Friends of Dover Castle, P.O. Box 106  
Dover CT16 1XL

I do hope that you find room to publish my letter, even if you are unable to give the same amount of space as you did to English Heritage.

Yours faithfully,

LORRAINE SENCICLE, (Mrs.)  
Committee Member,  
Friends of Dover Castle.

The Editor is always delighted to receive and publish readers' letters, in this case doubly so as it affords the opportunity of reminding our readers of the advantages of joining the "Friends of Dover Castle".

Another advantage of joining 'the Friends' is that it is much cheaper than English Heritage, if you spend a lot of time visiting Dover Castle and visit other historic sites only rarely.

It depends. If one also visits Deal, Walmer and Richborough Castles and, indeed, other sites nationwide, one might prefer to choose English Heritage. Some people join both.

However, the article referred to was not intended solely as an advertisement for English Heritage and did not mention subscriptions or addresses.

For those who may be interested, these are:

Adult ... £17.50

Two adults at the same address : £30.00

Family : £35.00

Single Parent Family : £20.00

Senior Citizens : £12.00

Two senior citizens at the same address:

Junior: £8.00 £20.00

Applications to ENGLISH HERITAGE

Membership Department

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### FOOTNOTE on the Discussion at the March Members' Meeting

A crucial item of discussion was the Christmas feast. Where? - the Yacht Club? returning to Dover College? Or trying a new venue? If you have any strong views on this subject please get in touch with Joan Liggett.