

ICCM Learning Convention and Exhibition 2023

Monday 18th – Wednesday 20th September

Chesford Grange Hotel, Chesford Bridge, Kenilworth, CV8 2LD

Programme

Monday 18th September

11.00 Delegate registration opens

11.15 Exhibition opens

12.30 Lunch in the exhibition

13.30 Opening of Convention by ICCM President Heather White

President's Address

13.45 ICCM AGM

14.00 ICCM – What Next

Martin Birch and Julie Dunk

ICCM

14.30 And I Would Walk 50~~0~~ Miles

Dave Jennings and Barry Ellis

Association of Greater Manchester Authorities (AGMA) Bereavement Services, Andys Man Club and Once Upon a Smile charities

15.00 Refreshments in the Exhibition

15.30 WORKSHOP: Increasing sales without looking like you're selling

Carole Henderson

Flourishh by 2H Ltd

17.00 Opportunity to visit the exhibition

19.30 Dinner and Quiz

Tuesday 19th September

09.30 Trends in Crematorium Design

Mark Doohan

Benchmark Architects

10.00 Always Look On The Bright Side of Life – the Use of Music in Contemporary Funerals

Vick Bain

vbain consulting

10.30 Refreshments in the Exhibition

11.00 I Can See Queerly: get confident with LGBTQIA+ Inclusion

Cath Brew

Drawn to a Story

11.45 Compassionate Bereavement City

Alan Sheldon

Liverpool City Council

12.30 Lunch in the Exhibition

13.30 WORKSHOP: Luck runs out, but safety is good for life. Let's think inside the box

Peter Smith and Richard Smith

Teleshore

14.30 Cemetery of the Year Awards – Presentation of Awards by Memorial Awareness Board

15.00 Refreshments in the Exhibition

Opportunity to visit the Exhibition

18.30 Wine reception

19.00 ICCM Awards

Dinner and Disco

00.30 Evening ends

Wednesday 20th September – Green Wednesday

09.30 Embalming and the environment

Ben Whitworth

The Mazwell Group

10.00 Why Won't My Roses Grow?

Simon Holden

The Faunus Group Ltd

10.30 Refreshments in the Exhibition

11.15 How Can the Funeral Industry Achieve Net Zero

Jo Little

Planet Mark

11.45 Greener Funeral Flowers

Dee Watkins

Seed2Design (paper delivered by Judith Dandy)

12.15 Cremator Technology - the Future

Justin Smith

The CDS Group

12.45 Close of Convention 2023

13.00 Final lunch

Please note that the programme may be subject to changes beyond the control of the event organisers.