

**The Big Draw in Meersbrook**  
 10th September 2017 (12 noon - 4pm)  
 (with Gleadless Commons Fair 12 - 6pm)

Look out for bright ribbon markers along the route to guide you round the red dotted trail on the map.



**1 Meersbrook Hall -**  
 Home to the Ruskin Museum 1890-1953. The Ruskin Collection is now at the Millennium Gallery. The curator is on hand to show original items from the Museum. See displays about the history and future plans for the Hall, as well as local artworks.

Outside Meersbrook Hall -  
 Free talks outside by Heeley Development Trust and Friends of Meersbrook Hall at 12 noon, 2pm & 3pm. Master of the Guild of St George, Clive Wilmer, will launch the event at 12.

**2** Try a range of creative activities here. Hammer out images in metal, print a picture of the Hall from junk items or use our drawing materials to capture scenes of the Hall and Park.



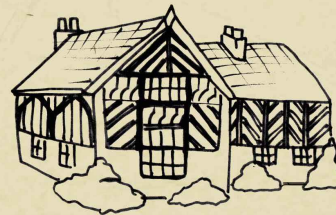
**3 The Walled Garden -**  
 Stop here to enjoy the beautiful mix of planting and themes in this former kitchen garden which used to supply Meersbrook House.

Paint flowers of the garden on tiles. Guided walks 1pm & 2.30pm. Tea, coffee and cakes on sale.

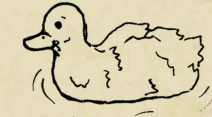
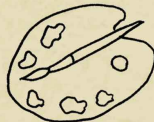


**4 The Promenade -**  
 This path used to be a formal promenade for visitors to stroll alongside what was once a traditional rose garden.

**5 Turner Viewpoint -**  
 Stop to see the view captured by famous artist JMW Turner in his painting 'View From Derbyshire Lane', now part of the Ruskin Collection. Help make a well-dressing to capture the same view today.



**6 Bishops' House -**  
 This local landmark is an architectural gem, built c. 1500. It's open on the day. Have a go at drawing it.



**9** Rushdale Road -  
 The Meers Brook is now culverted behind Rushdale Road. A mill once stood in the area behind Rushdale Terrace.

**8** Gleadless Commons Fair (12 noon - 6pm)  
 Enjoy a mix of heritage crafts, drawing, music and locally crafted ales in this urban green space which is a haven for wildlife. Find us on the lowest open area near Cat Lane Woods. Presented by Mesters Events.

Free entry, some activities charged for.

