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1 DAY BATTLEFIELD TOUR

Somme

Sunken Lane

The Somme 1916; Kitchener's Army and the Pals Battalions; Recruitment; The Plan for 1st July 1916; 1st Bn Lancashire Fusiliers; 'Going over the top'.

Newfoundland Memorial Park

The Newfoundland Regiment on 1st July; Preserved trench system and an opportunity to walk across the battlefield.

Ulster Tower

The Story of the 36th Ulster Division; Background to the Troubles: the story of Billy McFadzean VC.

Hawthorn Ridge Crater

The use of mine warfare in the Great War.

Thiepval Memorial to the Missing

The Somme – a British victory? The impact of the battle; A chance for reflection; Summing up and close of the tour.

Show and Tell at Ocean Villas

An opportunity for the group to handle equipment and weaponry and for a member of the group to dress in Great War uniform.