

# Regional Furniture Society

## Autumn 2017 Lecture

### Booking Form

Events are filled on a first-come – first-served, basis.

We require a separate cheque for each event, payable to: **Regional Furniture Society (no abbreviations, please)**

Name(s) .....

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#### The Christopher Gilbert Lecture

**3:00 p.m. Saturday 21 October at the Geffrye Museum, Shoreditch**

*The upholsterer and the retailing of domestic furnishings 1600–1800*, delivered by Clive Edwards, Emeritus Professor of Design History, Loughborough University.

Clive will welcome questions and discussion after his lecture while tea is served.

**Cost £10** for members and guests.

**I apply for ..... places @ £10 = £ .....**

To make a day of it: in the morning, an informal visit to the **Charles Dickens Museum**, 48 Doughty Street, Bloomsbury, the family home of Charles and Catherine Dickens in London where the author wrote *Oliver Twist*, *Pickwick Papers* and *Nicholas Nickleby*, and where he first achieved international fame as one of the world's greatest storytellers. The house in a late Georgian terrace with faithfully re-created interiors including many items of his furniture is where his three eldest children were born and where he entertained many famous guests. Entrance: £9 (Seniors: £7, Art Fund members: free)

We may lunch at the nearby Lady Ottoline Morrell Pub and Dining Rooms before taking the bus for a short ride to the Geffrye Museum, or members may prefer to lunch at the Geffrye.

Please indicate whether you are likely to go to the Charles Dickens Museum – **YES/NO**

Post applications to: **RFS Events Secretary, 2 Grove Cottages, London W4 2QS**

Applications for places are accepted only from paid-up members of the Society and members of selected affiliated societies.

Applications are dealt with on a first-come basis. Later applications will be accepted if practical.

Administration of events is easier and more efficient by e-mail – **please include a clearly written email address.**

All applicants will be sent an e-mail showing the status of their application. If you wish to have details sent by post, please include a telephone number.

As many events are over-subscribed, please let Jeremy Bate know as early as possible if you have to cancel, preferably by e-mail: [events.rfs@gmail.com](mailto:events.rfs@gmail.com) or telephone: 0208 995 6250.

The RFS reserves the right to cancel, postpone or alter any event. Members participate in events at their own risk.