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The Gardens & Historic Houses Group is going to

KEW GARDENS

to enjoy the magnificent Victorian Palm House which is scheduled to close in 2027, before which it will begin to be slowly emptied. It is in need of structural repairs and replacement of glass panes and ironwork. The aim is to instal sustainable heating systems before it reopens in 2030.



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Don't miss this chance to see the Palm House before it closes.

Come and join us on Thursday 16th April

The **Kew Explorer land train** is a relaxed and gentle way to explore the Gardens and learn about the diverse living collections. Hop on one of these fully electric land-trains and see some of the highlights across this UNESCO World Heritage site

Daily from 11 am £5 pp Full tour of the Gardens takes 30 minutes

Stop 1: Victoria Gate for Victoria Plaza Shop and Café, Palm House, and The Botanical.

Stop 2: Temperate House for the Galleries, and Tree Top Walkway

Stop 3: The Japanese Gateway for Lion Gate, Pavilion Bar & Grill, and the Great Pagoda.

Stop 4: Holly Walk / King's William Temple

Stop 5: Princess Walk / Children's Garden

Stop 6: The Orangery for Kew Palace, the Orangery and Elizabeth Gate

Booking Forms are now available on our U3A website, at our Lectures and Coffee Mornings.

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