We hope you will be able to join us at The Secret Garden restaurant on Thursday 3rd November in Sudbury for a talk by Richard Humphries. Richard started the specialist silk weaving company - Humphries Weaving - which is celebrating 50 years in business this year. Humphries Weaving has earned an international reputation for designing and weaving custom Jacquard fabrics. Richard has been responsible for weaving fine silk fabrics for Buckingham Palace, Hampton Court Palace, Windsor Castle, Osborne House, the National Trust – and the State Gold Carriage. We are delighted that Richard has agreed to give a talk to the Society. He is an acknowledged expert on silk weaving and is also an excellent and entertaining speaker. Richard will bring along a collection of some of the company’s fabrics which record the history of his company and some of the major commissions. Please note – we will be able to look at the fabrics but not touch! The Secret Garden restaurant is at Buzzards Hall which is an historic 15th century building. The talk and lunch will be on the first floor of the Hall which dates from the reign of Henry VIII and was used over the centuries for weaving and spinning. A very appropriate venue for the talk.

The programme for the visit is;

10.30am: Meet for tea/coffee at The Secret Garden, Buzzards Hall, 17 Friars Street, Sudbury CO10 2AA. The Kingfisher Leisure Centre/Station Road car park CO10 2SU is opposite the Waitrose car park. It has 297 spaces (parking charge £3 for more than 3 hours – payment by coins or cashless via MiPermit location code 747101) is ~5 mins walk (450m) from The Secret Garden. Similarly Great Eastern Road/Roy’s car park CO10 2TJ has 268 spaces (payment £3 by coins or cashless via MiPermit location code 747104)

11.15am: Talk by Richard Humphries in the upstairs restaurant (please note – there is no lift).

12.30pm: A two course lunch. Please select from the attached menu. Drinks can be purchased separately.

The cost is £30 per person. Please use the simple and secure ONLINE FORM to pay by Credit or Debit card. If you wish to pay by cheque, please complete the enclosed Invitation Form and post with your cheque to David Smith, SCS Treasurer/Secretary at the address on the Form. If you are not on email, please enclose a s.a.e with your completed Invitation Form and cheque.
HUMPHRIES AT THE SECRET GARDEN, SUDBURY
THURSDAY 3rd NOVEMBER 2022

Cost is £30pp – cheque to be made payable to ‘Suffolk Cambridge Society’

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