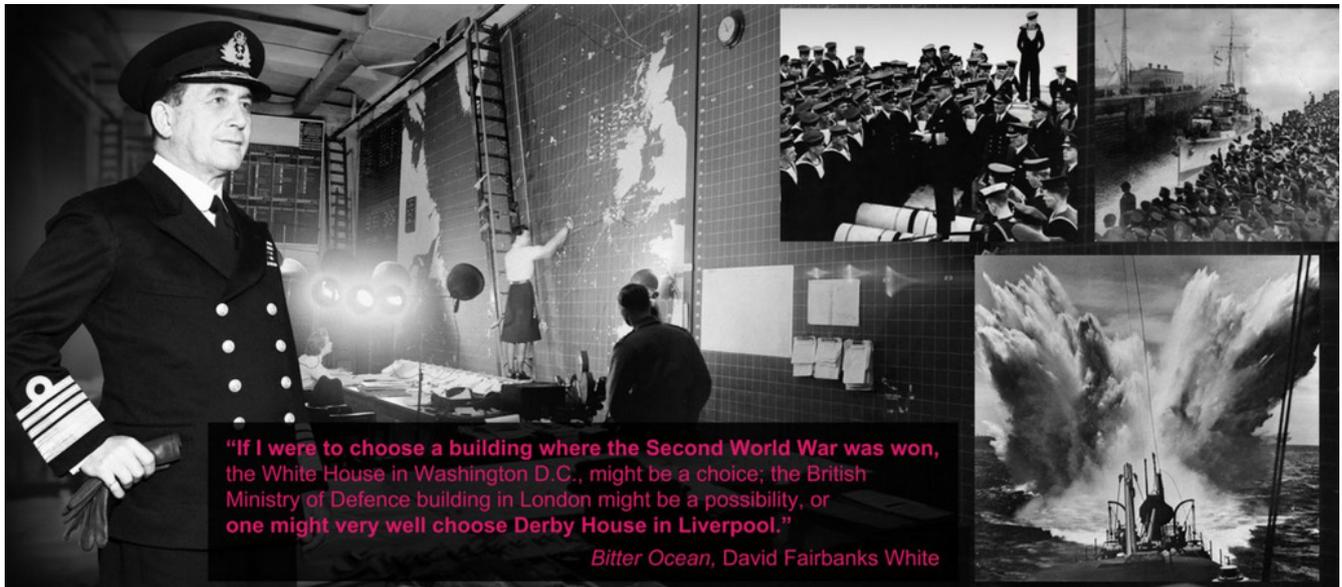


Western Approaches

Welcome to the Western Approaches October 2018 Newsletter



There's plenty to do in our secret bunker for families. Children under 5 go free and family tickets are also available £30, for two adults and up to three children. Access to the bunker means not only an atmospheric tour with plenty for children to learn about and do, they can also play in our street scene, which recreates a war-torn street in Liverpool including shops to explore, and take part in a cypher trial which sends you around the bunker searching for clues and cracking codes. Visit us for half term and enjoy tea, coffee and biscuits at World War Two prices. Finally, we know Christmas is still weeks away, but advance warning that we will be closed from Saturday 22 December until Thursday 27 December for the Christmas break.



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The Mag Room was the nerve centre of the bunker and today provides an inspiring room for all events

Members also can offer such a wealth of history. An ideal venue for you when looking for a themed event

In the shadow of the iconic Town Hall is Western Approaches, a secret World War 2 bunker where you can walk through hidden rooms and discover the stories locked in the bunker. Now open to the public for private hire and tours.

CAPACITIES

Total seats = 120 / Green Room = 50
Street Scene & Education room = 80 in both adjoining rooms or 36 per room (book table or drink operation)
Mag room - Max cap = 100 / Theatre style (rows of seats) = 100
Cinema room (best viewing) = 50 / Reception (seating) = 120
Boardroom (one big table) = 50 / Cabaret (front facing tables) = 50
Meeting Room = 8

PRICES

Prices to include self service teas & coffees
Mag Room = £25 per hour
Half day (up to 4 hours) £300 inc vat / Full day £1000 inc vat
Other rooms = Half day £250 / Full day inc vat £800
Meeting room = £25 per hour

FACILITIES

Free WiFi (seats included in some areas)
Unlimited Tea & Coffee (self service)
LCD & Screen available

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VIP visitors

We had a VIP visit from Admiral Sir Philip Jones, First Sea Lord of the Royal Navy, on Thursday 27 September. He was also interviewed by ex Brookside/Royal Family actress Sue Johnston who also came to the bunker to film a daytime BBC One programme focusing on Home Front heroes. This commemorates the work hundreds of thousands of people did during the second World War. It will air in the week leading up to Remembrance Day.

Secret events

Looking for an unusual place to hire for an event in Liverpool? Why not consider a secret WW2 bunker in the city centre? You can hire the venue for a meeting, private event or special occasion - with meeting rooms available from only £25 with unlimited tea and coffee.

Maggie's Culture Crawl

We hosted Maggie's Culture Crawl on Friday 28 September, welcoming an onslaught of fundraisers who all agreed Western Approaches was without doubt their favourite venue of the evening. It was an honour to support this event which is estimated to raise up to £20,000 for Maggie's Merseyside, ensuring their doors stay open for anyone affected by cancer.



Groups and Guided Tours

Visit us as a group and enjoy a glimpse of areas not usually available to the public. We offer an interesting and fun day out for groups with a choice of ways to visit us. Prices are from £9 per person, (groups over 10), and include hot drinks and biscuits. Tour guides are available at £20 a tour. A guided tour lasts approximately an hour and a half. To book please contact info@westernapproaches



Have family fun with our FREE 'Make Do And Mend Christmas Crafts'.

The crafts can be created in our wonderful street scene which recreates a street in Liverpool during the war and is ideal for children to explore. This offers a glimpse of a grocer's shop where they can learn about rations, take a look at an old-fashioned sweet shop, try on clothes from the era and play hopscotch in the street.



Special event

There's an exclusive opportunity to hear from Vice Admiral Clive Johnstone, Commander of NATO's Allied Maritime Command on the Atlantic 1939-45, Today and Tomorrow. Speaking in our iconic Operations Room on 14 November. Tickets are available via Eventbrite. <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-battle-of-the-atlantic-1939-45-the-atlantic-today-and-in-the-future-tickets-50447272149> ...