Weavers Cottages Project Our Heritage Taster Days – FREE ADMISSION A Taste of Social History



Wednesday 6th July 12-4pm, The Museum of Carpet, Kidderminster



Come and meet Paul and Helen from Discover History and find out more about what life was like for the weavers of Kidderminster. The session will look at objects of the time, archive information and include a tour of the museum.

To book: places are limited, please contact the project Activity Coordinator Sue Pope on: **07875 377243 or email: merrienoyse@btinternet.com**

Please note: refreshments are not provided at this session

About the Project

Have you ever noticed these scruffy cottages on the corner of Horsefair and wondered what they are doing there?



Kidderminster once had many houses like these. Before the carpet industry, weavers made black cloth called Bombazine on small looms upstairs in their own homes. Kidderminster was famous for its Bombazine.

We have secured a mix of grant and loan funding by the Heritage Lottery Fund, the Pilgrim Trust, the Garfield Weston Foundation, the D'Oyly Carte Charitable Trust and the Architectural Heritage Fund to repair and conserve the cottages back to their former glory on the outside, and to return to use as houses on the inside.



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