

"EDGEWATER"

Bus trip and tour of "Edgewater", in Barrytown, New York. Private residence of Mr. Richard Jenrette. Co-sponsored by the Dutchess County Art Association/Barrett House and the Dutchess County Historical Society of Poughkeepsie, New York.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th, 1986

10 am TO 3:30 pm

The bus will begin to board at 9:45 a.m. at the Jamesway Shopping Center parking lot, Route 9, Hyde Park, New York and will leave at 10 a.m. SHARP! We will leave from "Edgewater" at 2:30 p.m. and return to Hyde Park at 3:30 p.m.

*** \$25.00 PER PERSON

Price includes round trip bus transportation, private guided tour of the "Edgewater" home and a boxed lunch by Cordon Bleu Caterers of Hyde Park, New York.

Only 47 people will be able to take advantage of this very special opportunity to tour one of the Hudson Valley's most famous restorations which, being a private residence, is rarely open to the public. Through the generosity of its present owner, Mr. Richard Jenrette, our group will be able to have a first hand view of this home which Antique Magazine has called "one of the most dazzling restoration in America."

"Edgewater" is a majestic neo-calssical house built ca. 1820 in the Village of Barrytown, New York. Since the time of its construction, the house has changed owners a number of times. The present owner, Mr. Richard Jenrette of New York City and Barrytown, since buying the house from Gore Vidal in 1969, has devoted himself to recreating the magnificence and opulence that once was part of its history. In furnishing the rooms, Mr. Jenerette used an 1872 inventory as a guide, supplementing the original furniture he tracked down with pieces of comparable style and elegance - most of them by early 19th century New York cabinetmakers.

The house at "Edgewater" is a meticulous restoration and is filled with furniture, decorative arts and paintings of museum quality. The elegance of this home is reflected by the thirteen years of painstaking research that brought Mr. Jenrette and his staff across the county and half way around the world in search of the original furniture that once occupied a special place within the house.

Our day will begin with a full guided tour of this grand home on the banks of the Hudson River. Visitors will be led from room to room by a member of the house staff who is well versed in the history of the furniture and decorative arts of the home. After our inside tour, you will be free to roam the estate grounds and decide perhaps to picnic along the Hudson River on the boxed lunches which will be provided each person.

For those who would like further information on "Edgewater" see Antiques Magazine, June, 1982 for a feature article.

Remember to sign up early for this trip since seating is limited!

TO REGISTER: Complete the form on the reverse side of this form and send your payment to: "Edgewater" Barrett House, 55 Noxon Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

REMEMBER, YOUR PAYMENT IS YOUR RESERVATION! TELEPHONE REQUESTS WILL ONLY BE HELD FOR A BRIEF PERIOD WITHOUT PAYMENT!

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"EDGEWATER" TOUR

PHONE NUMBER (Home): (Work):

NUMBER OF TICKETS AT \$25.00 PER PERSON

NAME:

ADDRESS:



MASTERCARD #

EXPIRATION DATE:

SIGNATURE:

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: "BARRETT HOUSE"

TOTAL ENCLOSED:

VISA #

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