## THE ARTS SOCIETY EBOR - Day of special interest at The Hepworth Wakefield

## Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2020 11am – 4.30pm



In 1958 Alan Davie had his first solo exhibition at Wakefield Art Gallery, which went on tour nationally and launched Davie's career. Then a young student at Bradford College of Art, **David Hockney** 

attended this exhibition which was a pivotal influence on his artistic development and shortly afterwards, he moved to London to take up a place at the Royal College of Art. The Hepworth exhibition is bringing together around 45 paintings which have not been seen publicly for decades. Set within the context of 1960's counter- culture, the exhibition will present an exciting moment in British art and the emergence of a radical new art world.



The Hepworth Wakefield opened in 2011 in the belief that it would contribute to the regeneration of Wakefield and be an inspiration to young people.

11.00 -11.15 Arrive at The Hepworth Gallery
11.15 – 11.45 Tea/coffee at reserved tables in The

Hepworth Café (at own expense)

11.45 -12.15 a 30-minute introductory talk on the development of The Hepworth and the wider regeneration of the Wakefield Waterfront and community programmes

12.15 Individual exploration of the Hepworth and Moore permanent collections

13.30 Lunch (at own expense) at reserved tables in the café

14.30 45-60 minutes guided tour of the Alan Davie and David Hockney: Early Works

16.30 End of visit (Gallery closes at 17.00)

(Participants may like to travel by train.

Leave York 9.52 Arrive Leeds 10.15. Leave Leeds 10.28 Arrive Wakefield Kirkgate 10.45.

From Wakefield Kirkgate, it is a 10 minute walk to The Hepworth

Cost of off-peak return ticket with senior railcard £8.90)

Cost (includes introductory talk and guided tour): £22.00pp

Please send a cheque payable to The Arts Society Ebor for £22.00 to John Pick to Close House Kirk Hammerton YO26 8DA or by bank transfer HSBC sort code 40-47-31 Account 54600754 with your name followed by HEP. Please include your email address.

Deadline: 6th December 2019

Minimum number:10

Please note: Refunds only if the trip does not run. Guests welcome for £5 guest fee.