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**Visit to Farmleigh Estate, Phoenix Park Dublin Wednesday May 18th, 2022**  
€15 per person. Own transport. Meet at the Farmleigh Gallery 11.am

The Office of Public Works (OPW) present a retrospective of Daniel O’Neill’s work at the Farmleigh Gallery. The majority of the works being borrowed from private collections, many unseen in public in over 50 years, as well as paintings from the collections of IMMA, University of Limerick and the Ulster Museum. This exhibition will be Daniel O’Neill’s first retrospective since 1952 which was held at the Belfast Museum and Art Gallery (Ulster Museum) which then recorded a record attendance for the time. It is hoped that this exhibition will be an opportunity for the public to re-examine the life and work of this artist, who was highly regarded by the critics in the post war years and whose works were in popular demand until his death in 1974.

*Lunch in the Boathouse Cafe ( price of lunch not included)*

Guided tour of Farmleigh House. Home to the Guinness family for generations, Farmleigh remains a unique representation of its heyday, the Edwardian period, and houses important artworks and furnishings, as well as the Benjamin Iveagh collection of rare books, bindings, and manuscripts which is held in the Library. The extensive pleasure grounds feature walled and sunken gardens and scenic lakeside walks, tastefully influenced by the Guinness family.

There is free car parking on site. Please note that there is approximately a five minute walk from the car park to the House, and approximately a seven minute walk from the car park to the Gallery, Gardens, and Boathouse Restaurant. Please do not follow SatNav or Google Map directions to Farmleigh Estate, as these will not currently bring you to the correct location. Instead please enter these coordinates: 53.3661, -6.3516. Farmleigh is accessed from the interior of Phoenix Park. Driving directions are as follows. From City Centre: Enter Phoenix Park from the gated entrance on Parkgate St, near Heuston Station. Continue on Chesterfield avenue for approximately 3.6km until the third roundabout. Take the first exit at this roundabout. At 100 metres, turn right on to White’s Road. Continue straight, and the entrance to Farmleigh will be in approximately 500 metres. From Castleknock: Enter Phoenix Park from the gated entrance on Castleknock Road. After going through the gate, take the third exit at the first roundabout. At 100 metres turn right onto White’s Road. Continue straight, and the entrance to Farmleigh will be in approx 500 metres. *Please note that cars cannot access Farmleigh by White’s road via College Road / Carpenterstown Road.*

**As numbers are strictly limited early booking is advised. Closing date for bookings Monday May 9th**  
**Please reply to:**

The Friends of the National Collections of Ireland, PO Box 11481, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4  
enclosing a cheque for €15 per person payable to FNCI or Debit / Credit Card details and a stamped addressed envelope if an acknowledgement is required by post Not required if an email address is supplied

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