

# Bletchley Park - The National Museum of Computing - Family Day

BCS (Bedford), BCS (Northampton), TNMOC

**Date** Sunday 21 Jul 2018

**Time** 10:00 for 10:30 to 17:00

**Location** The National Museum of Computing, Bletchley, Milton Keynes MK3 6EB. [Directions](#)

**Cost** The tickets are £27.50 but the BCS will subsidise this for members by £20 giving an admission price of £7.50 for adults and children aged 6 and over.

**Abstract** You are warmly invited to take part in a Family Day in July at Bletchley Park's National Museum of Computing (TNMOC) on Sunday 21st July. Bring all the family, there will be activities suitable for children of all ages.

This event is for members of BCS Bedford and Northampton branches and their families.



TNMOC enables visitors to follow the development of computing from the ultra-secret pioneering efforts of the 1940s through the mainframes of the 1960s and 1970s, and the rise of personal computing in the 1980s - including a newly rebuilt and fully operational Colossus, the world's first electronic programmable computer.

TNMOC receives no government or lottery funding and you will be impressed by the enthusiasm of the staff involved in the project including the many volunteers who regularly give up their valuable time to ensure that this ever growing collection is restored and maintained.

It would be a good idea to register NOW since the number is limited to a maximum of 50 (25 people from each branch) and the event is heavily subsidised by the BCS. Note that children below the age of 6 years are welcome but will not be included in these numbers (but we still need their details for catering purposes).

The cost per person (6 years and over) for the whole day is £7.50 and this includes a sandwich buffet lunch with fruit. Registration is only available to BCS members.

A base room will be made available for use during the day with tea, coffee and water freely available all day. The LEGO will be kept in this room so that those who do not complete the competition in the morning will have

the opportunity to try it in the afternoon.

Children aged 5-12 will benefit from an interactive trail.

### **Agenda**

**10.00-10.30** Arrive. Introduction and greeting.

**10.30-11.30** Tour of Colossus

**11.30-12.30** Tour of Museum

**12.30-13.00** Lunch

**13.00-15.00** Quiz show and anything else for kids

**15:00-17:00** Free time around museum

Booking link : <https://tnmoc21072019.eventbrite.co.uk>