

Day 1 Travel

Check in to Hotel

Conference Room

Lecture - *'Quatre Bras and the wider context of Waterloo'*

Day 2 Waterloo

Stand 1: La Belle Alliance

Napoleon and the French perspective

Stand 2: Hougoumont Farm

Stand 3: The Lion Mound

Extended lunch break to allow time to look round the museum

Stand 4: La Haye Sainte Crossroads

D'Erlons attack

Stand 5: Plancenoit

Wounded Eagle memorial. Prussian part of the battle and their exploitation of the French.

Depart Waterloo and return to your hotel

Conference room - Lecture

Day 3 Ypres

Stand 6: Gheluvelt Ridge

Wider context, prelims and the army of 1914

Stand 7: Gheluvelt Ridge

German use of fighting power and mission command

Hooze Crater Museum

Stand 8: Hooze Crater

Mining and Khan VC

Stand 9: Vancouver Corner

The use of gas

Stand 10: Langemarck Cemetery

The end of the BEF and how the Germans memorialise their dead

Check into hotel in Ypres

Conference Room

Lecture on Messines, Arras and some thoughts to consider for the following day

Day 4 Ypres

Stand 11: Zonnebeke

Messines lecture follow up plus discussion backbriefs

Stand 12: Memorial Museum Passchendaele

3rd Ypres

Lunch break

Stand 13: Walk Zonnebeke to Tyne Cot

1.5 hr walk encompassing several smaller stands

Stand 14: Tyne Cot CWGC Cemetery

Wreath laying and personal reflection

Stand 15: Passchendaele Memorial Park

The challenges of multinational/coalition warfare (inc comparisons with ARRC) Final lessons.

2000 Last Post Ceremony

Day 5 Ypres and Return Travel

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Consolidation and wash up