

☆ Bath, Day 2 ☆



Bath Tour



After our first night in Bath, we began our second day with the visit of the town. It lasted approximately one hour. It was raining so we stayed in the bus, but some brave people went out for a moment to take a few pictures of the **Royal Croissant**.

This visit was mainly on Bath during **the Roman Empire and the 18th century**. It was interesting to see for example, **John Wood's architecture** everywhere in the town and the individual houses that look like blocks of flats. The guide also told us a little bit about the Roman Baths popularized by the queen who went there for a cure and then spread rumors about it.

The Baths were the second thing we discover.



Roman Bath



The Roman Bath is an historic place built in **the first century**. It was used **to treat chronic disease**.

Actually, this hot water comes from the rain. Under the floor, the temperature is between **60°C and 90°C** so the water is warmed after, the pressure pushes the water up and it comes to the surface at 46°C.

For the story, the Celts were the first ones to discover this source in the 6th century before J-C and they dedicated it to their goddess Sulis who is Minervein, the Roman religion.



The Fashion Museum



In the afternoon, we visited the Fashion Museum. It's a museum where we can see the evolution of fashion from **the 18th century to nowadays**.

In the old time, women wore very big dresses with some flounces and petticoats. In the beginning, the dresses were very tight at the top, the woman had to wear a corset and with the time the clothes became more casual. The dresses were manufactured with silk, lace and there were a lot of flowers stitched on tissue.

Now we can see some very strange clothes with glitter and some weird accessories.

The funniest moment was when we could wear some old dresses, we took a lot of photos. Then we saw some recent clothes like the birth of the jeans, a tissue that we use a lot today and some dresses shorter than one or two centuries ago.

It was very interesting to see the evolution of fashion and to see some beautiful dresses in this museum. We discovered many trends from long time ago that have influenced our way of getting dressed now.

