

Agenda
for experience exchange trip to United Kingdom
(29.05.2018 – 1.06.2018)

Tuesday 29.05

Carlisle mill visit – BSW and Carlisle introduction; Log purchasing system and measuring at sawmill; Visit weighbridge & Log Yard, Sawmill.

6:00 – 6:15 Meeting at the RIX before “Check in”

7:40 – 9:05 Flight Riga – Amsterdam

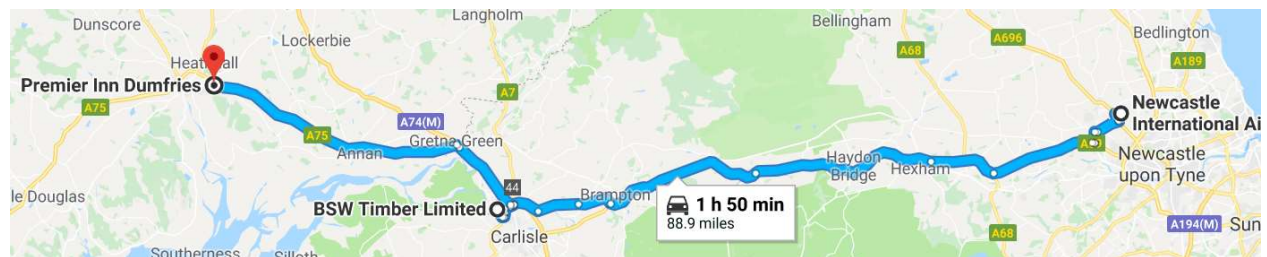
9:05 – 11:00 Breakfast in the Airport at your own decision

12:30 – 12:45 Flight Amsterdam – Newcastle 13:00 – 14:20 drive with organized bus to Carlisle mill

14:20 – 16:20 visit of Carlisle mill (H Macleod / A Sommerville)

16.20 – 17.00 drive to hotel Premier Inn, Dumfries

18:00 – Organized dinner at Premier Inn Dumfries



Wednesday 30.05

Visit of Tilhill Forestry Ltd in Galloway area – Forest visit (need proper boots). Focus on logistical log chain from forest to mill and use of new technologies in all stages of the chain and what measurement techniques will be of interest. UK Forest statistics; Forest measurements – standing, harvested, road side; Data collection systems; Logistics and sales from Sellers view.

8:00 – Travelling to Tilhill Forestry Ltd in Galloway area.

8:30 – 11.00 Meeting with representatives from Tilhill Forestry Ltd (HJJ/Tim Liddon/Harry Stevens)

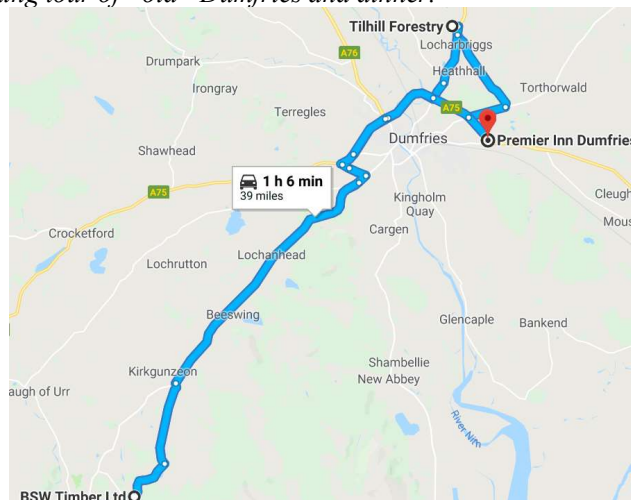
12.00 – 13.00 Lunch (TBC)

13:45 – 15.30 Dalbeattie mill visit (HM/Ian Murchie) [BSW Dalbeattie introduction; Log purchasing system and measuring at sawmill; Visit weighbridge & Log Yard, Sawmill.]

15.30 – 16.50 [Timber Data System works between Seller and Buyer. Jonathan Ashworth/Harry Stevens]

16.50 – 17.30 drive to hotel Premier Inn, Dumfries

18:00 – Possible walking tour of “old” Dumfries and dinner.



Thursday 31.05.

James Jones mill visit – James Jones & Sons Ltd introduction; Log purchasing system and measuring at sawmill; Visit weighbridge & Log Yard, Sawmill.

9:00 – 9:30 Travelling to James Jones & Sons Ltd mill

09:30 – 12.00 Visit to James Jones & Sons Ltd mill (HM/ Eddie Balfour)

12:00 – 12:30 Lunch (at mill)

12:30 – 14:30 Drive to Edinburgh

15:00 – 16:30 Visit to Scottish Parliament; meeting with Emma Harper MSP (South Scotland) and others plus Stuart Goodall, CEO ConFor

Entry to Scottish Parliament is via airport-style security and with a big party can take some time. To speed things up we strongly advise leaving as much personal belongings in the bus as possible and, although seldom requested, please have ID to hand.

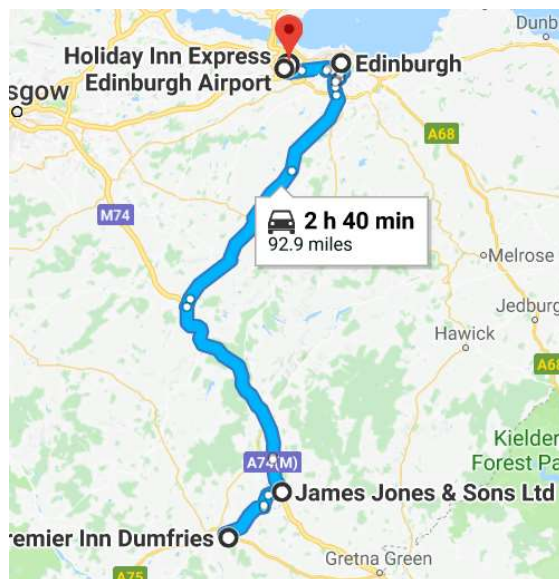
17:00- 18:00 Edinburgh whisky tour

18:00 – 19:30 Dinner at Scotch Whisky Experience

(If time allows, we can walk up to Castle Esplanade for photo opportunity)

19:30 Drive to Premier Inn, Edinburgh Park

Overnight at Premier Inn, Edinburgh Park



Friday 1.06.

Travel back home

4:30 Meetings in Reception of Premier Inn Edinburgh Park.

4:30 – 4:40 Bus to the airport

6:00 - 8:35 Flight Edinburgh – Amsterdam

Breakfast at the airport

10:20 – 13:35 Flight Amsterdam – Riga