

This new book presents the fruits of the Bucks Gardens Trust’s ground-breaking Research and Recording Project on the work of Humphry Repton in historic Buckinghamshire.

The Heritage Lottery Fund has contributed to the project along with other charities, the cover price for a printed copy is £20 plus £3.50 post and packing.

The book is made up of essays on Repton in Bucks and his links further afield, based on our research, followed by a gazetteer providing detailed analysis for each of the 15 sites that had previously been associated with Repton in historic Bucks (to include Milton Keynes and Slough districts). We have reluctantly concluded that in fact Repton was probably not associated with three of these sites, though they are still included.

Only a relatively few paperback copies have been printed, and the text will be available on our website for free download, in due course.

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144 pages, with 60 full colour illustrations

We are grateful to our Patron, David Gladstone of Wotton House, for his endorsement of this publication.

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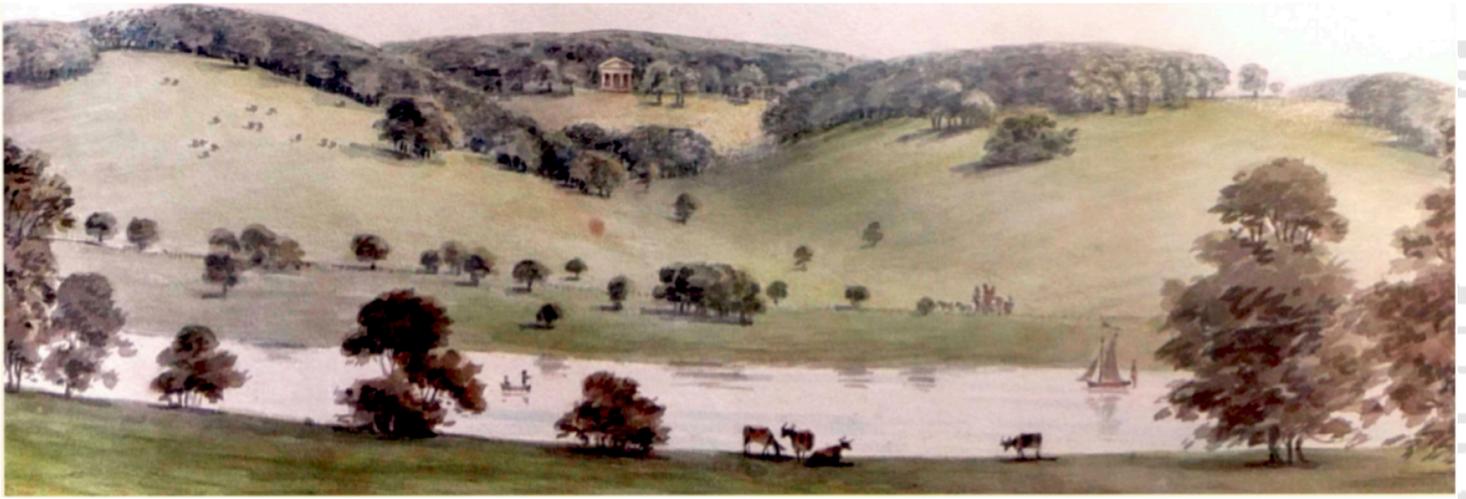
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From the back cover:

2018 is the 200th anniversary of the death of nationally renowned landscape designer Humphry Repton (1752–1818). Repton links the Georgian landscape movement, epitomised by ‘Capability’ Brown, with High Victorian gardening in all its blaze of colour. This milestone prompted the Buckinghamshire Gardens Trust to try and find out just what Repton contributed as a designer to our historic county (including Milton Keynes and Slough), and understand its significance within our boundaries and beyond.

We present the results of our continuing work to record, understand and help preserve the landscapes of Bucks by commemorating Repton’s work in this book. In the first half we present varied aspects of Repton in Bucks and beyond, as far afield as Germany. A gazetteer then tackles the 15 sites associated with him to try and understand exactly what he recommended, what was carried out and what, if anything, survives.

Dr Sarah Rutherford is a Kew-trained garden historian who is a founder member and Chairman of Bucks Gardens Trust. She is the author of eight books including ‘*Capability Brown*’ (2016) for the National Trust.

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To promote the restoration of gardens, parks and green spaces for the people of the historic county

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