Excursion with bus to Denmark - Roskilde and Lejre

Tuesday the 28th of February 2012

The bus: the bus leaves from the street nearby the two western towers of Lund Cathedral (on the western side of the church, address Kyrkogatan). The bus leaves at 8.00 a.m. Please be there in time, some 5-10 minutes before, otherwise you risk to miss the bus, leaving at 8.00 sharp.

Dress: please put on clothes suitable for cold weather outdoors. We are going to spend fairly much of the day outdoors, so be well dressed in warm clothes! It can also be wet and muddy on parts of the trip, especially in Lejre Land of Legends and at the site of Gammel Lejre. Therefore you should have suitable shoes as well. If it is rainy, bring rainwear or umbrella.

Food: bring your own food and drink for the whole day. We are going to be away from 8.00 am to 18.00 pm, therefore you must bring with you what you need to eat and drink during the day. We do not come by any food stores or restaurants.

Preliminary time schedule: our time schedule for the day is approximately as follows:

8.00 Bus leaving from Lund, Kyrkogatan, nearby the Lund Cathedral western towers 10.00 Arriving at Gammel Lejre, where we will see the ancient monuments there, relating to the Beowulf story

11.30-11.45 Bus to Roskilde

11.45–12.15 Lunch outdoors by the harbour of Roskilde Viking Ship Museum.

12.15–12.30 Introductory film in the museum

12.30–13.30 Guided tour in English in the museum

13.30–13.45 Transport by bus to Lejre Land of Legends

14.00–16.00 Guided tour in Lejre – Land of Legends by Andreas Nilsson, PhD-student at Lund University who has formerly been working in Lejre

16.00 Departure from Leire to Lund by bus

18.00 Arrival in Lund

Check out websites: if you want to know more about the places we are going to visit, please check out the following websites:

Lejre Land of Legends

http://www.sagnlandet.dk/English.425.0.html

The Viking Ship Museum, Roskilde

http://www.vikingeskibsmuseet.dk/en/

See you on Tuesday at 8.00!

Best wishes,

Bodil and Niklas