



STATES OF ALDERNEY

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Visit by Dignitaries from Basse Normandie on Friday 3rd May 2013

A delegation of visitors from the Basse Normandie region, led by Monsieur Laurent Beauvais, President of the Basse Normandie region and Monsieur Jean-Francois Le Grand, President of the County Council of La Manche, will be visiting the island on Friday 3rd May.

Their main purpose of their visit is to improve bi-lateral relations between Alderney and Lower Normandy. They have specifically requested to meet with Alderney Renewable Energy, The Alderney Commission for Renewable Energy, and to do an island tour taking in specific sites of interest around the island, meeting with Roland Gauvain of Alderney Wildlife Trust for a talk on the Living islands Project and with Trevor Davenport to learn about the island's history and its WWII sites. They will also visit the Alderney Tapestry, in its new home at the Alderney Library.

Also in attendance will be Madame Annie Anne, Vice President of the Lower Normandy Region, and Monsieur Francois Piquet, Director of West Normandy Marine Energy.

There will be an opportunity to meet and interview the visitors in the Anne French Room at the Island Hall between 1000-1200hrs.

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