

## Dubai Natural History Group visit to Sharjah Biennale on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2017

**DNHG Member, Hazelle Page, has kindly arranged a one-day visit for DNHG members to the Sharjah Biennale on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2017. The visit will be by Bellobus as it involves several venues.**

**8.30 a.m. Meet for bus opposite JESS School and Medcare Hospital near Safa Park (usual bus meeting place) or 8.15 a.m.**

**8.45 a.m. departure for Sharjah or 8.30 a.m.**

### **10:00 am – Arrive to Al Mureijah Square/ Registration**

Meeting point: Al Mureijah Square - information centre where you will be given your Biennale packs. The group, depending on size may be split into 2 groups, each group with a guide.

**10:15 – 11:15 am – Guided tour around Al Mureijah Square**

**11:15 am – 12:00 pm – Guided tour around the Calligraphy Square**

5 - 7 mins walking distance from Al Mureijah Square

**12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Lunch break**

A few restaurants, which are 5 – 10 mins away from the Biennial venues will be suggested

**1:00 pm – 1:45 pm – Guided tour around Arts Square, with a coffee break?**

5 – 10 mins walking distance from the Calligraphy Square

25 mins guided tour

15 mins coffee break at Fen Café - located in the Arts Square

**1:45 pm – Head to Al Hamriyah Studios**

30 mins driving distance from the Arts Square

**2:15 pm – 2:45 pm – Guided tour around Al Hamriyah Studios**

**2:45 pm - Head to The Flying Saucer**

20 -25 mins driving distance

**3:10 – 3:40 pm Guided tour around The Flying Saucer**

**3:40 pm - Head to the Old Sharjah Planetarium**

15 mins driving distance from The Flying Saucer

**3:55 – 4:10 pm Guided tour of the Old Sharjah Planetarium**

The planetarium presents one work only by the artists Natascha Sadr Haghigian and Ashkan Sepahvand

**4.30 p.m. Bus departs from Planetarium car park for return to Dubai.**

**Entry to all Biennale exhibitions and event is free**

**Maximum number for the trip is 45.**

**Approximate cost of Bellobus per person is Dh55/-.**

**Those interested please email me at [valeriechalmers@gmail.com](mailto:valeriechalmers@gmail.com).**

**For pre-registration for the Biennale please send your name, telephone number and email when booking this trip.**