# ROMSEY LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY [LTYAS GROUP]



2019

**Programme of Events** 

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## **Programme of Events**

All meetings free to members
Visitors Welcome
(a £2 donation appreciated per visitor)

January

## Facts & Fantasies: Stories from Local History

Speaker: Mary Harris

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 14th January, at 7.30pm

#### **Medieval Botanical Tales**

Speaker: Janet Cairney

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> January, at 10.30am

### The Story of Itchen Valley Ferry

Speaker: Dr Cheryl Butler

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Thursday, 24th January, at 7.30pm

#### **February**

#### **Tales from the Bawdy Courts**

Speaker: Colin Moretti

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 11th February, at 7.30pm

#### **Waterways in Romsey**

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February, at 10.30am

#### Romsey Railways: a slide show

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

*Venue*: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> February, at 2.15pm

#### A Life in Archaeology

**Speaker: Phil Harding (of Time Team) Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber** 

Date: Thursday, 28th February, at 7.30pm

#### March

## Making a Mark: a Brief History of Graffiti

Speaker: Mark Udall

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 11th March, at 7.30pm

#### **John Moody Came to Romsey**

Speaker: Barbara Burbridge

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> March, at 10.30am

#### Middlebridge Street: a slide show

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

*Venue*: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> March, at 2.15pm

#### Romsey in 1928

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

*Venue*: Romsey Town Hall Court Room *Date*: Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> March, at 7.30pm

# RLHS Open Days & Hands-On Taster Sessions on local history research

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room &

RLHS Workshop Basement

*Date*: Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> & Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> March:

10am-4pm

#### **April**

# Community Excavations at Quarr Abbey

Speaker: Matt Garner

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 8th April, at 7.30pm

#### **Prostitution in Victorian Southampton**

Speaker: Dr Andy Russel

*Venue*: Romsey Town Hall Court Room *Date*: Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> April, at 7.30pm

#### May

#### The Battle of Edgehill, 1642

Speaker: Alan Turton

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> May, at 7.30pm

#### **An Introduction to Romsey: a Walk**

Guides: RLHS members Venue: Romsey Market Place

Date: Thursday, 23rd May, at 7.15pm

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**Romsey Local History Society** 

[LTVAS Group]

LTVAS Group Charity No: 271293

June

Fishlake Meadows: a Walk

Guide: RLHS members

Venue: arrangements to be confirmed Date: Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> June, at **7.15pm** 

Waterways of Romsey Part 2: a Walk

Guide: Alec Morley

Venue: Romsey Market Place

Date: Thursday, 27th June, at **7.15pm** 

**August** 

Market Place: a slide show

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Friday, 9th August at 2.15pm

**September** 

Demolition & Rebuilding in Romsey: Part 4

Speaker: Charles Burnett

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 9th Sept, at 7.30pm

Places of Worship: a Walk

Guide: Phoebe Merrick Venue: Romsey Market Place

Date: Tues, 10<sup>th</sup> September, at 10.30am

In Defence of the Realm

Speaker: Barbara Burbridge

*Venue*: Romsey Town Hall Court Room *Date*: Thurs, 26<sup>th</sup> September, at 7.30pm

Lee: a slide show

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Friday, 27st September, at 2.15pm

**October** 

The Death of Bishop Mitford

Speaker: Professor Chris Woolgar Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> October, at 7.30pm **Hunting for Rabbits in Romsey** 

Speaker: Jean Brent (with mapping by

Colin Moretti)

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> October, at 10.30am

The Poor as Seen in Workhouse Records

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Thursday, 24th October, at 7.30pm

**November** 

Love Lane: a slide show

Speaker: Phoebe Merrick

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Friday, 8th November, at 2.15pm

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The Lady with the OTHER Lamp

Speaker: Alec Morley

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 11th Nov, at 7.30pm

Life in Antarctica

Speaker: Colin Moretti

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Tues, 12<sup>th</sup> November, at 10.30am

Recent Archaeology Work in Southampton

Speaker: Dr Andy Russel

Venue: Romsey Town Hall Court Room Date: Thurs, 28<sup>TH</sup> November, at 7.30pm

**December** 

**Christmas Miscellany** 

Speaker: Charles Burnett

Venue: Town Hall Council Chamber Date: Monday, 9th December, at 7.30pm