

BEW **Broad Eye Windmill (Stafford)**

Contact Mrs Jennifer Lindores 01785 613558

BHS **Berkswich History Society**

Meetings in Walton Village Hall

3rd Tues. in the month at 7.30pm.

Contact Mrs Beryl Holt, 01785 665834

BLH **Breathing Life into History**

Contact Danny Wells Tel(01335 350536

CHS **Colton History Society**

Meetings In Colton Village Hall. 3rd. Thurs at 7.30pm.

Contact Liz Craddock 01889 883052

EHS **Eccleshall Historical Society**

Meetings in Community Centre, 2nd Weds at 7.30pm.

Contact Ken Tooth 01785-851657

FCC **Friends of Cannock Chase**

Contact Mrs B Pace 01543 579354

FHH **Friends of the Ancient High House**

Contact Jane Wells 01785 250789

FMM **Friends of Mill Meece Pumping Station**

Contact C G Martin 01270 873683

FSA **Friends of Staffordshire & Stoke on Trent**

Archive Service

Contact Malcolm Price, Honorary Treasurer, FoSSA ,

23 The Flashes, Gnosall, Stafford ST20 0HL

FSC **Friends of Stafford Castle**

Contact Anne Hutchinson 01785 253670

FSR **Friends of the Staffordshire Regiment**

(Museum Branch)

Contact Dave Cooper 01538 702738

FVP **Friends of Victoria Park**

Contact Jane Wells Tel. 01785 619608

FWS **Friends of the William Salt Library**

Contact Mary E Dodkins 01785 850345

HAY **Haywood Society**

Meetings in Sports & Social Club, Gt. Haywood

Contact Jane Maingay 01889 881368

HGS **History Group of Stafford (Walton)**

Phoenix Activities Club

First Wed Morning Walton Village Hall, Nr Stafford

Contact Janet Palmer 01785 661076

HLH **Hixon Local History Society**

Meetings in Hixon Memorial Hall 1st Tues. at 8.00pm

Contact Colin Hutchinson 01889 207090

ITH **Ingestre & Tixall Local History Group**

Meetings at Tixall Village Hall last Weds. at 7.30pm.

Contact Anne Andrews 01785 246101

L&H **Lichfield & Hatherton Canals Restoration Trust**

Contact Sue Williams 01543 671427

LAN **Landor (Local History) Society**

Meetings in Sneydlands, Rugeley 3rd Tues at 7.30 pm.

Contact Margaret Neal 01889 582709

MHS **Military Historical Society (Stafford)**

Meetings first Sat in the month, 2.00pm -4.30pm

Contact Dave Baldwin 01785 660502

NLH **Norbury Local History Group**

Meetings in Norbury Village Hall 2nd Tues. at 8.00pm

Contact Tony Browne 01785 284570

RHS **Ridware History Society**

Meetings in Coach & Horses, Abbots Bromley at 7.45pm.

Contact Mrs Marty Smith 01543 307456

SBH **Staffordshire Heritage Group**

Contact Mary E Dodkins 01785 850345

SCC **Staffordshire County Council**

Contact Ian Wykes Historic Environment Officer

01785 277295

SGP **Staffordshire Gardens & Parks Trust**

Contact J F Earle 01902 700402

SHA **Staffordshire History Association**

Contact Mary E Dodkins 01785 850345

SHC **Stafford Historical & Civic Society**

Meetings at The Blind Centre, North Walls,

1st Thurs. Oct to April at 7.30pm.

Contact W Read 01785 255552 or M Johnson 01785 612194

SHG **Stafford History Group**

Contact Margaret George 01785 665057

SHL **Shire Hall Library**

Contact Martin Elkes 01785 278585

SHS **Stone Historical & Civic Society**

Contact Philip Leason 01785 817980

SIA **Staffordshire Industrial Archaeology Society**

Lectures four-weekly, Mondays, Sept. to March

Discussion Nights four-weekly Mondays

Tixall Village Hall at 7.30pm. Visitors £2.00

Contact: Jim Andrews 01785 246101

SMA **Stafford & Mid Staffs Archaeology Society**

Meetings in St. Bertelin's Church, Holmcroft Road, Stafford

at 7.30pm. Visitors £2.00

Contact Chairman Richard Hinton,

59, Crescent Road, Rowley Park, Stafford, ST17 9AW

SMM **Stafford Morris Men**

Meetings in Holmcroft Center Mondays 8.15pm

Contact Alan Dandy Tel 01952 810 334

SNT **Staffordshire centre of the National Trust**

Meetings of the Staffordshire Centre take place through the

month at differing times and at a number of venues

Contact Joan Jobling on 01785 822592

SRC **Stafford Railway Circle**

Meetings Tuesday & Friday evenings ,

in our clubrooms in Meyrick Road, Stafford

Contact Andy Banks 01785 613918

STC **St Chad's Church Stafford**

Contact Unknown

TBT **The Bradley Trust (History Class)**

Meetings in Bradley Village Hall, 4th Thursday at 7.30pm.

Contact Mrs C. Cartwright Tel 01785 780531

Staffordshire Heritage Group

Events Diary

Staffordshire Heritage Group is an umbrella organisation for local societies interested in various aspects of our local Heritage. It meets regularly to interchange ideas and information and sponsors joint events which are normally beyond the individual groups, such as Lectures, Seminars and Visits

Web site: www.sbhg.org.uk

August 2008

Staffordshire Heritage Group diary

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AUGUST Events

- Sat 02 **SHC** National Memorial Arboretum arrival 10.30 am
A visit to the Arboretum and a chance to view the new Armed Forces Memorial and visit the Chapel of Peace and Forgiveness where the silence is observed daily at 11.00. An opportunity, also, to participate in a 2 course lunch for an inclusive price of £6.75. Advance booking necessary and choice of menu.
CONTACT GLENYS RICHARDS on 01889 586040
- Wed 06 **SNT** Coach outing to Brockhampton Estate. Organiser: George Sweeney (01785 613620).
Cost (covering cost of coach and driver's gratuity only): Members £10.00. Visitors £11.00.
- Sat 09 **SHC** Visit to Dunham Massey and Tatton Park Cheshire
Contact William Reed 01785 255552 Coach Fare £10 plus NT admission
- Sun 10 **WW** Wilks' Walks Seighford & Creswell 2.30pm, David Wilkinson on (01785) 258589
- Wed 13 **SNT** Ramble at Barton-under-Needwood Cost: Members £1.00. Visitors £1.50.
Leaders: Hilary & Brian Taylor (01785 242305 or 07815 555435 on the day).
- Tue 19 **BHS** Evening Visit to Walsall Leather Museum
- Sat 23 **SHC** Visit to Shrewsbury and Hawkstone Gardens. Cost £10.00 plus admission
Contact Maureen Miles 01785 251021
- Thu 28 **SNT** Car outing to Eyam Hall and Eyam Village Cost: Members £6.00. Visitors £6.50.
Organiser: Haydn Poulson (01543 686341).
- Fri 29 **ITH** "Celebratingestrel" Local History Display, Talbot Cars,
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SEPTEMBER Events

- Thu 11 **RHS** A coach trip to the Royal Armouries, Leeds, including an introductory tour led by the senior curator, a handling session from the reserve collection, and a tour of the temporary exhibition by the museum director.
Enid Manning Tel: (01543) 254652 Email: roger.manning@tesco.net
- SNT** Ramble around Draycott in the Clay Cost: Members £1.00. Visitors £1.50.
Leader: Jean Norman (01827 289356 or 07889 957923).
- Sat 13 **BEW** **Broad Eye Windmill Open Days**
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- Tue 16 **BHS** "The Victorian Way of Death " by Danny Wells
- Wed 17 **HAY** "The Trubshaw Family" by John Bonnet
- LAN** "Charities of Rugeley " A talk by Dorothy Bradbury 7.30pm Sneylands
- Wed 24 **ITH** The Mynors Diaries Pt 7 - Early 1900s
SNT Car outing to Morville and Benthall Halls
Cost: Members £3.00. Visitors £6.50. Organiser: Eric Tanner (01952 691156).
- Sat 27 **SBH** **3rd Staffordshire History Fair**, County Buildings & Market Sq Stafford 10.00am-4.00pm
- Mon 29 **SIA** Lecture - TBA

OCTOBER Events

- Sat 04 **FSC** Visit to Chirk Castle, near Wrexham, on Saturday 4th October 2008
- Mon 13 **SIA** Members Evening - AIA conference report by Anne & Jim Andrews
- Wed 15 **HAY** **Annual General Meeting** plus "A Japanese Journey" (Michael Tyrie)
LAN "Staffordshire's Changing Landscape" By Thea Randall
- Tue 21 **BHS** "The Restoration of a National Trust Village Inn" by Bill Meeson
- Mon 27 **SIA** Lecture - Peter Brown 'Canal Lifts and Inclines'
- Wed 29 **ITH** "Mary Queen of Scots in captivity" by David Templeman

NOVEMBER Events

- Sat 08 **L&H** Day Star Theatre Co, Whittington Village Hall 7.45, Sue Williams (01543 671427)
- Mon 10 **SIA** Members Evening.- Cars by Jim Andrews
- Tue 18 **BHS** "The Littletons of Teddesley Park Part II " by Bob Maddocks
- Wed 19 **HAY** "Shugborough from the Bronze Age to the Present Day" by Chris Copp
LAN "Servants at Shugborough " by Gemma Oakley
- Mon 24 **SIA** Lecture - John Wilcock 'Stafford Salt Industry'
- Wed 26 **ITH** 1766 Evaluation of the Tixall Estate

December Events

- Mon 08 **SIA** Members Evening. Christmas Buffet - DVD Evening
- Tue 16 **BHS** Christmas Social Evening The Committee