



NEWSLETTER September 2017

We are delighted to welcome William Wilson of auctioneers, Clubleys this evening, talking about his work and some of the articles which have been brought along tonight. If you have enjoyed the meeting, we hope you will come again.

Our next meeting is on Thursday **30th November** and is our AGM but we don't linger too long on formalities then Malcolm Jennings will tell us about "East is East and West is West - a criticism of the North/South Divide."

Do You Remember ?

When we had a bus garage in the village?

It was on the left hand side just before Dean's as you came out of the village run by D&R Wallis.

"The first type of bus service we used to go to York on was owned by Farmer Fred Wilson. He had a horse-drawn wagon and a hen hut and seats down the side. It used to go to York on market day and those who went, did their business and at a certain time he used to meet you and bring you back to Stockton."

Memories of Frank Swann from

'In Days Gone By – A History of Stockton on the Forest.'

York Archeological Trust

Did you know that the YAT runs courses on digs in York. There are one week courses, taster courses and weekend courses. Even if you have never done any excavation before there is a place for you if you are interested. Simply go to www.trainingdig@yorkat.co.uk to see what is available, the dates and to book a place.



From Council for British Archaeology – Archaeology for All

Come and get involved in some First World War community workshops with the Council for British Archeology and Living Legacies. The CBA are hosting two free community workshops to explore how to research, record and fund your own First World War project. During the workshops you will have the opportunity to learn how to use the Home Front Legacy recording app. The workshops take place in October this year. www.archaeologyUK.org for more information.

Forthcoming Meeting Dates (Stockton & Hopgrove Local History Group 2018)

15th March : Stamford Bridge Tapestries

21st June : T.B.A.

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York Architectural & York Archaeological Society (YAYAS)

Stockton on the Forest and Hopgrove Local History Group are members of this society and are pleased to share the following schedule of events that is being organised by them.

2017

- 18th October: 'Clifford's Tower...as it stood fortified...before it was blown up', c.1680, Francis Place (1647-1784) - Louise Wheatley, Friends of York Art Gallery
- 15th November: York Cemetery: The Complete Records of Burials from 1837 as an Information Source - David Poole, Tang Hall Local History Group

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- 17th January: The Kiplin Hall Estate - Emma Wells, University of York
- 21st February: Historic Building Restoration: A perspective. Charles Anelay, Heritage Building & Conservation
- 21st March: Roman Silver Mining in the North Pennines - Al Oswald, University of York
- 18th April: Understanding and Future-proofing Historic Buildings - Sally Walker, Native Architects
- 16th May: Post-medieval Poverty in England: Scurvy, spuds and something like tea... - Keri Rowsell, University of York
- 20th June: AGM followed by short talks by YAYAS members

If you are interested in any of the above lectures, they are held at the Friend's Meeting House, Friargate, York YO1 9RL. All lectures start at 19:30 (refreshments from 18:45). £2.00 donation is suggested. Booking is not necessary.

York Archaeological Conference

This year's conference in the series of York Archaeology Conferences is sponsored by York Archaeological Forum. It will feature a miscellany of reports on recent archaeological work in the city and its region.

The topics reflect a continuing, vigorous and wide-ranging scope of archaeological research in which new and important discoveries are being all the time, on almost every period of the past from early prehistoric to the early modern era.

The speakers reflect the varied membership of the Forum with representatives of local archaeological contractors, the University, the York Museums Trust and a local community group, as well as the City of York Council's Archaeologist.

The Conference will be held in the George Hudson Room in West Offices, Tanner Row, York on Saturday 14th October – 10:00 until 17:00. Cost £15.00. Venue is fully accessible.

To book: www.yortime.org.uk/Events.York/StandardBookingProcess/ViewEventDetails?id=46909863

If unable to book online, please send a cheque payable to "City of York Council" to City Archaeologist, City of York Council, West Offices, Station Rise, York YO1 6GA. (Please write ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONFERENCE 2017 FEE) on reverse of cheque).