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North Street, Midhurst GU29 9DU.

Coffee is served from 10.00 am to 10.30 am. The lecture commences at 10.45 am promptly and latecomers will not be admitted after the lecture has started.

Members' guests and those on the waiting list are welcome to attend lectures provided prior arrangement has been made with the Membership Secretary.

Guest fee £7.00.

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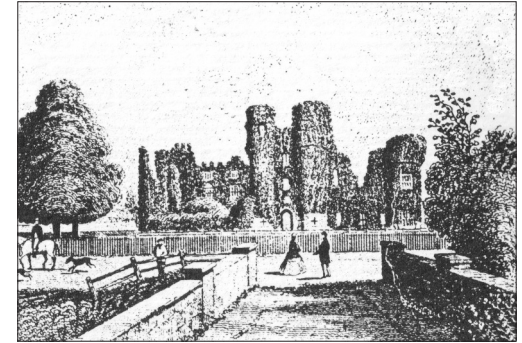
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PROGRAMME 2019-2020

Name

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LECTURES

Venue: Midhurst Methodist Church Hall
Doors open at 10.00 am. Lectures begin at 10.45 am

Tuesday, 3 September 2019

MARK COTTLE
SHACKLETON'S ENDURANCE EXPEDITION

Frank Hurley's award-winning photographs provide a visual narrative of an epic journey and capture with great artistry the new and amazing landscapes within which a remarkable human drama played out during Ernest Shackleton's ill-fated 1914 Antarctic expedition.

Tuesday, 1 October 2019

NIGEL BATES
TANTRUMS AND TIARAS

This lecture looks at life backstage at London's Royal Opera House and the trials and tribulations of working with The Royal Opera and The Royal Ballet companies.

Tuesday, 5 November 2019

BRIAN HEALEY
RUSSIA IN REVOLT

In the final decades of Tsarist Russia the artistic movement, 'The Wanderers', broke away from the Imperial Academy of Arts. They took their travelling exhibitions all over Russia celebrating the qualities of their own native land and exposing its many injustices.

Tuesday, 3 December 2019

ALAN READ
THE INVENTORS OF CHRISTMAS

This lecture looks at the characters and personalities of the people responsible for introducing our Christmas traditions.

Mince pies will be served with coffee before the lecture

Tuesday, 4 February 2020

FRANK WOODGATE
**EVERYTHING IS ART. EVERYTHING IS POLITICS –
AI WEI WEI**

This lecture will examine the work of Chinese artist Ai Wei Wei in the context of dissident art in China, Europe and South America, and examine some of his sources of inspiration.

LECTURES

Tuesday, 3 March 2020

ANTHEA STREETER
DAME ZAHA HADID

Before her untimely death in 2016, Dame Zaha Hadid was one of the most distinguished architects in the world. This lecture tells her story and looks at some of her completed works.

Tuesday, 7 April 2020

10.15am AGM followed by
DANIEL EVANS
THE SISTINE CEILING CRACKED

This lecture looks at the decoration of the Sistine Chapel ceiling by Michelangelo. It is considered to be one of the modern wonders of the world but contains plenty of somewhat subversive elements.

Tuesday, 5 May 2020

SIMON SELIGMAN
**'DEBO' – MITFORD, CAVENDISH, DEVONSHIRE DUCHESS,
HOUSEWIFE 1920-2014**

Deborah Devonshire, the youngest Mitford sister and wife of the 11th Duke of Devonshire, had a lasting impact not just on Chatsworth but on everything she touched and everyone she met. Our lecturer worked with her for more than 20 years and in this lecture pays tribute to her astonishing life.

Tuesday, 2 June 2020

CHRIS ALEXANDER
SILK ROAD: A TEXTILE JOURNEY

The felts, carpets, embroideries, robes and veils of the Silk Road stratified wealth, displayed religious and political entrenchments and changed the fortunes of central Asia.

Tuesday, 7 July 2020

MARK HILL
UNDRESSING ANTIQUES

Antiques Roadshow expert, Mark Hill, gives a persuasive introduction to buying antiques and integrating and using them in today's homes.

DAY VISITS

Secretary: Sarah Broughton Pipkin
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May 2020

Evening visit to include supper (date to be confirmed)
WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Tour by The Purcell Club
Booking starts at the February 2020 lecture

Monday, 7 September 2020

VISIT TO HIGHCLERE CASTLE
Booking starts at the June 2020 lecture

SPECIAL EVENTS

Secretary: Libby Milling
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Saturday, 7 December 2019

Evening lecture with dinner at Lodsworth Village Hall
A BRIEF STORY OF WINE

David Wright will guide us through how wine has been a part of our global society for 7000 years in an illustrated talk showing drawings, paintings, cartoons, pottery, wine labels, etc.
Booking starts at the July 2019 lecture

Thursday, 5 March 2020

Lecture with lunch at Lodsworth Village Hall
A HISTORY OF THE MEDICI FAMILY
Douglas Skeggs looks into the turbulent history of this extraordinary and ruthless family and how they bankrolled the Renaissance. Without the Medicis we would not have many of the art treasures we enjoy today.
Booking starts at the December 2019 lecture