



## **The NLHA spring day school 2018 1918 and its legacy**

**Saturday 24 March**

A day for anyone interested or involved in local history, exploring the events of 1918, the wartime experiences from which they sprang, and their legacy, through the work of local projects and researchers.

This year we're encouraging local societies, informal groups of all sizes and individual researchers to share their work, link up with others and promote their research in a supportive environment, through:

Longer talks (30-40 min); shorter talks (20 min); work in progress updates (10 min); display tables; and book sales

We would also love to hear from groups working on wider WW1 projects who would like to provide a work in progress update or to bring books to sell or a display.

This is a great opportunity to share your findings, tell others about your group or research, find out about other work happening locally, and contribute to our collective understanding of WW1 and its impact in Nottinghamshire.

There are opportunities for talks to be included in the autumn edition of the *Nottinghamshire Historian*, while speakers and presenters who are interested in publishing their work might like to hear about the small grants available from the NLHA.

Small fees will also be offered to those giving talks.

We welcome groups of all sizes, involved in projects big at small, and at all stages of their research. We're especially keen to involve newer groups, those whose work is still underway, and people who have not shared their research before, who might like to bring a display or to give shorter talk or a work in progress update.

For more information please contact Alison at [dayschool@nlha.org.uk](mailto:dayschool@nlha.org.uk)

## Southwell Local History Society

Southwell & District Local History Society is dropping the ‘& District’ from their name to become the simpler ‘**Southwell Local History Society**’. They now have a new Facebook Group which will be open to all for responsible posting and comments. The group title is ‘Southwell Local History’. Amongst many other ideas, they plan to include a commemorative series of posts to recognise anniversaries of events as they arise.

## The People's History of the NHS

A London-based TV Production company called 7Wonder is currently making a new documentary series for BBC4 titled The People's History of the NHS. This three part series is a crowdsourced history of the health service, told through treasured mementos and objects from both its staff and patients through the ages. Using these fascinating objects and personal stories and made in partnership with the University of Warwick's History department and the Wellcome collection, these films will uncover a seventy year history of the highs and lows, triumphs and catastrophes of the NHS, which together paint a vivid, and often conflicted portrait of Britain.

7Wonder is trying to speak to as many people as possible who may have a story to tell or an interesting object to show from the last 70 years, for example, perhaps you might know of someone who migrated here to work in the NHS in the mid 20th century and has a fascinating story to tell? Or maybe you know of someone who was affected by the Stafford Hospital scandal? Or perhaps you know someone who still has a set of spectacles that were available for free on the NHS before payment was introduced in 1952?

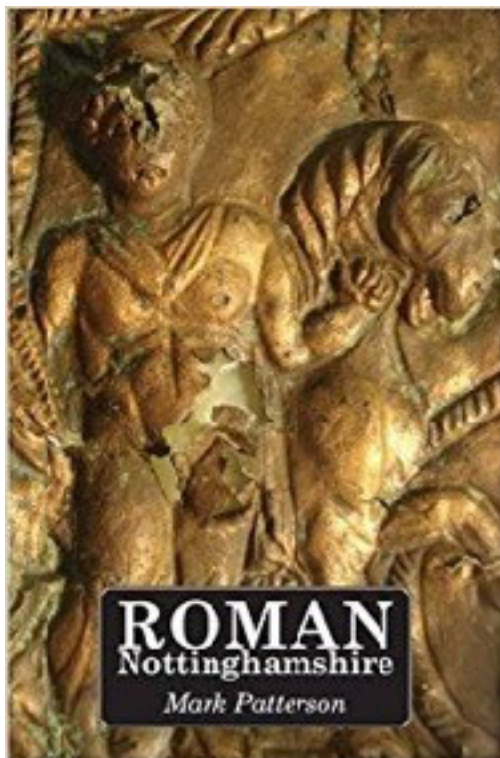
For more information contact Tom Macrae by email at [tommacrae@7wonder.co.uk](mailto:tommacrae@7wonder.co.uk) or phone 020 3701 7615.

**Nottingham Women's History Group** is commemorating and celebrating Vote 100 in Nottingham because it is about women and the ongoing debate about their rights and status in society. Whilst it is recognised that the Representation of the People Act in 1918 was only a partial victory, as the vote was only granted to women over the age of 30. It was an important watershed and led eventually to all women gaining the same rights as men to vote in 1928. The vote was only won after a long and determined campaign for suffrage and Nottingham and Nottinghamshire women were key to this. New campaigns and feminist demands emerged after the end of WW1 .

These included the right for equal pay, the improvement of working conditions, decent housing and childcare, a list which continues to resonate with women today.



## ANGEL ROW HISTORY FORUM



### Roman Nottinghamshire

On Tuesday 6th February 2018, 10:00 to 12:00, in the Local Studies Library on the first floor of Nottingham Central Library Mark Patterson will give an illustrated talk about the surprising wealth of evidence for Roman life in Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire.

Following tea/coffee from 10.00 the talk will start at 10.30.

Mark Patterson is the author of "Roman Nottinghamshire" (2011) and "Roman Derbyshire" (2016), both published by Five Leaves Publications

You can pre-register in person at the Local Studies Library, phone 0115 9152870 or by email to:

[Local\\_studies.library@nottinghamcity.gov.uk](mailto:Local_studies.library@nottinghamcity.gov.uk)

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2018 10.00 to 12.00

### From Suffrage to Citizenship in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire

To mark 100 years since women gained the vote Val Wood from the Nottingham Women's History Group will talk on the struggle of women to gain the vote and the continuing fight to gain full citizenship after 1918.





## EXHIBITIONS



### Mayoresses - Unsung Heroines 1914-1928

Exhibition at Newark Town Hall Museum: **FREE** entry

This small exhibition in the Spotlight Gallery from 14 March to 14 April 2018 explores the role of eight Mayoresses from 1914 to 1928, during the period of turbulence of the First World War, the aftermath, political engagement to full female suffrage in 1928.

The display is supported by a number of relevant artefacts and family activities and has been funded by Nottinghamshire Heritage Forum.

Museum Opening Hours: 10.30am to 3.30pm. Closed Sundays and Bank Holidays, for more information phone 01636 680333 or go to [newarktownhallmuseum.co.uk](http://newarktownhallmuseum.co.uk)



### Gedling Station and 'the Back Line'.

A display of images and stories, and a talk, exploring Gedling Station past, present and future.

An event organised by the Friends of Gedling Station (FoGS) and the Gedling Village Preservation Society (GVPS), with the support of Inspire.

Come along to hear about the history of the station, share any family stories, photos or items connected with this or other Nottinghamshire stations that you might have, and discover the Gedling Village of old.

Display: during library opening hours, Monday 8 January onwards  
Talk: Thursday 1 February, 2pm. Free of charge. All welcome  
Carlton Library, Manor Road, Carlton, Nottingham, NG4 3AY

We're affiliated with Gedling Village Preservation Society. You can find more information about us and Gedling Station, and tell us about other events that you'd be interested in, at [gedlingstation.weebly.com](http://gedlingstation.weebly.com)



## SOCIETY EVENTS

### **From Baby Farm to Acid Bath Murderer, Dr. Ann Featherstone, Chinemarelian (Kimberley) HS**

On Thursday 1st February 2018 in the Community Room of Kimberley School, Newdigate Street Kimberley NG16 2NJ at 7:30pm Dr Anne Featherstone will talk about Victorian crimes and punishments. Visitors welcome £2

### **The Newly Built Personality of Ralph Lord Cromwell, James Wright, Nottinghamshire Archives**

On Friday 2 February 2018, 2.30pm – 4.30pm, at Nottinghamshire Archives James Wright tells the story of a soldier, statesman and builder who arose from a family of limited political influence to become one of the most significant figures of the mid-fifteenth century. Booking advised £3

### **AGM followed by A Bridgford Boy, Mick Barrett, West Bridgford and District LHS**

On Friday 2 February 2018 at 7.30 pm in the Lutterell Hall (formerly West Bridgford Community Hall) on the corner of Church Drive and Bridgford Road, West Bridgford, NG2 6AY following the AGM Mick Barrett will give a presentation entitled 'A Bridgford Boy'

### **Life in Roman Britain, Cara Simmonds, Keyworth and District LHS**

On Friday 2nd February 2018 in the Centenary Lounge, Keyworth Village Hall at 7:30pm Cara Simmonds will present a costumed social history. For more information please visit the website [www.keyworthhistory.org.uk](http://www.keyworthhistory.org.uk)

### **Nottingham Postcard Fair**

Sunday 4th February 2018, King's Meadow Campus, Lenton Lane, Nottingham NG7 2NR  
Open 10am – 4pm Admission £1.50  
For more information phone 0115 937 4079 or email [reflections@postcardcollecting.co.uk](mailto:reflections@postcardcollecting.co.uk)



## **Gone but not forgotten, Bob Massey, East Bridgford LHG**

On Tuesday 6th February 2018 at 7:30pm at East Bridgford Methodist Chapel Bob Massey will reveal some of the lost buildings of Nottinghamshire

## **Kimberley Memories, Roy Plumb, Nuthall and District HS**

On Tuesday 6th February 2018 at 7:30pm at St Patrick's Church Hall Roy Plumb will present 'Kimberley Memories'

## **Brave Hearts and Missionary Zeal, Cathy Hunt, Nottingham Women's History Group**

On Wednesday the 7th of February 2018 – 6.30pm to 9 .00pm there will be a meeting at the Nottingham Mechanics Institute 3 North Sherwood Street, Nottingham NG14EZ where Cathy Hunt will tell the story of The National Federation of Women Workers 1906-1921.

Endemic low pay, deductions and fines, intimidation and insecurity -. some of the things women across Britain faced at work in the early 20th century. This talk shows how one union, the all female National Federation of Women Workers, led by Mary Macarthur, sought not just to help but to encourage activism and fight back at local level. lace and hosiery workers in sweated trades during this period.

## **Tour of the Council House: Nottingham, Nottingham Women's History Group**

On Thursday 8th of February 2018 tours led by former city councillor Gill Haymes will take place in the morning from 11:00am and in the afternoon from 2:30pm and will focus on the role women have played as councillors in the city. Meet at the entrance to the Council House. The tour will last approximately one hour.

There is no charge for this tour.

Contact Val Wood for more information on  
07500534563 or via e mail on [val.wood5@btinternet.com](mailto:val.wood5@btinternet.com)

## Nottingham Vote 100 Seminar, Nottingham Women's History Group

On Saturday the 10th of February 2018 – 2.00pm to 5.00pm at the International Community Centre, 61b Mansfield Road, Nottingham NG1 5FN Krista Cowman will discuss:

### **What was militant about the British women's suffrage campaign?**

British women fought for the vote over a long period of time. By the middle of the nineteenth century, individual demands for the vote had coalesced into a national suffrage movement with branches and meetings throughout the country. But it was not until the arrival of militancy in the early part of the last century that the British campaign came to dominate the newspapers at home and abroad.

In this centenary year, this talk will explore what was distinctive about the militant movement that emerged in Britain, and question how important militancy was in achieving votes for women.

Krista Cowman is Professor of History at the University of Lincoln. She has published and broadcast widely on the British suffrage movement, including *Women of the Right Spirit* (2007) the first book-length study of the many forgotten women who worked as full-time organisers for the militant Women's Social and Political Union. She recently worked as historical advisor for the feature film *Suffragette* (dir. Sarah Gavron, 2015).

Book Stall- provided by Five Leaves Book Shop, Stalls and Displays, Refreshments, There will be a Q and A on the *Suffragette* film led by Krista Cowman

The cost of the conference including refreshments is £3. Contact Val Wood for more information on 07500534563 or via e mail on [val.wood5@btinternet.com](mailto:val.wood5@btinternet.com)

## The Newly Built Personality of Ralph, Lord Cromwell, James Wright, Department of History

On Saturday 10 February starting at 10:00am and finishing approximately at 12:30pm at Lenton Grove at the University of Nottingham James Wright will talk about Ralph, Lord Cromwell. Rising from a Lincolnshire family of limited political influence, Ralph Cromwell became one of the most significant figures of the mid-fifteenth century. Linking structure to biography, the personality of a man on the rise from Lord of the Manor to Lord Treasurer of England is reflected in the power statements of his castles, great houses and ecclesiastical buildings. This can be contrasted with glimpses of the vulnerabilities and status anxieties bound up in his social identity with emphatic, yet revealing architectural statements revolving around his motto, heraldry, livery badges and repeated architectural devices. Those structures which he commissioned then went on to have an extraordinarily powerful legacy which lasted for over 150 years of English architecture.

For further inquiries, contact: Prof. J.V. Beckett, [john.beckett@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:john.beckett@nottingham.ac.uk)

## **House Detectives, Adrian Henstock, Burton Joyce and Bulcote LHS**

On Tuesday 13 February 2018 starting at 7.30 and finishing at 8.45 pm, in the Carnarvon Room on Chestnut Grove, Burton Joyce NG14 5DP Adrian Henstock will talk about the smaller buildings in Nottinghamshire.

## **Ashbourne: Gateway to Dovedale, Danny Wells, Heanor and District LHS**

On Tuesday 13 February 2018 at Wilmot Street Community Centre, Heanor at 7:30pm Danny Wells will talk about the history of Ashbourne from medieval to Georgian times

## **Our Part in POW Camp History, Kevin Murphy, Retford and District H&AS**

On 14 February 2018 at 7.30pm at Chapelgate Hall, Grove Street Methodist Church, Retford DN22 6LB.

## **Women's Suffrage in Nottingham, Rowena Edlin- White, Farnsfield LHS**

On Wednesday 14th February 2018 at 7:30pm in the lower hall of the Village Centre Rowena Edlin-White will talk about the women's vote in Nottingham

## **The Archaeology and History of Sherwood Forest and King John's Palace, Andy Gaunt, Sutton Bonington LHS**

Presented by community archaeologist Andy Gaunt at Sutton Bonington Methodist Church Schoolroom on Wednesday 14th February 2018 commencing at 7:30pm.



## **We are the Lions Mr Manager, Nottingham Women's History Group**

On Wednesday 14th of February at the Polish Eagle Club, Nottingham there will be a performance by Townsend Theatre Productions of **We are the Lions: Mr Manager** The story of Jayaben Desai and the Grunwick Plant Dispute in 1976 followed by a post- show discussion.

Contact Val Wood for more information on  
07500534563 or via e mail on [val.wood5@btinternet.com](mailto:val.wood5@btinternet.com)

## **Muriel and Bert, Bob Massey, Bilborough LHG**

On Wednesday 14th February 2018 at 7:30pm at St Martin's Church Bob Massey will tell the story of DH Lawrence and his lover. Come and join us to learn more about DH Lawrence and his first girlfriend Jessie Chambers, her home, Swinehouse Farm, near Arnold and just why some might refer to them as Muriel and Bert

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07500534563 or via e mail on [val.wood5@btinternet.com](mailto:val.wood5@btinternet.com)

## **The Archaeology of Southwell, Ellis Morgan, Woodborough LHG**

On Thursday February 15th 2018 commencing at 7:30 pm at The Institute, Roe Lane, Woodborough there will be a presentation by Ellis Morgan who will review the archaeology of Southwell

## AGM, Friends of Nottingham Museums

On Friday 16th February 2018 commencing at 2:00pm the Friends will hold their Annual General Meeting in the committee room of The Malt Cross, St, James' Street, Nottingham

## Keyworth Conservation Area Census

On Saturday 17th February 2018 between 11:00am and 4:00pm at the Centenary Lounge, Keyworth Village Hall CONSERVATION AREA ADVISORY GROUP (CAAG) and KEYWORTH & DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY (K&DLHS) will conduct a village census on the theme "Farms, Barns and Rural Buildings"

If you have material you would like to be displayed please bring it with you: we can scan, save to disc for both you and the archive, and return your originals safely, or you could contact Dave Clarke, Archivist: [keywortharchivist@gmail.com](mailto:keywortharchivist@gmail.com)

K&DLHS website: [www.keyworthhistory.org.uk](http://www.keyworthhistory.org.uk)

Or contact see us on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/KeyworthHistory/>  
K&DLHS Bookstall (publications & greetings cards); Refreshments will be available.

If you can help, please contact Sheila Barton: [sheilakingdom@gmail.com](mailto:sheilakingdom@gmail.com)

## Suffragette Film, Nottingham Women's History Group

'My movie' event at Broadway Cinema Nottingham 14-18 Broadstreet, Nottingham, NG1 3AL of the feature film **Suffragette** (dir. Sarah Gavron, 2015) on Sunday the 18th of February 2018 at 12 noon – there will be a stall in the foyer from 11.30 and a post-show reception.

Cost of cinema ticket applies.

Contact Val Wood for more information on  
07500534563 or via e mail on [val.wood5@btinternet.com](mailto:val.wood5@btinternet.com)

## **Castles of Nottinghamshire, James Wright, Mansfield Library**

At Mansfield Library on Tuesday 20 February 2018 at 2:00pm archaeologist James Wright uncovers the stories of castle sites that are often unrecognised even by local people. Traces of motte and bailey castles hide in the landscape and Mediaeval fortified manor houses still stand and bear witness.

Adults, Booking advised

## **Building Bridges, Sustrans, Nottingham Civic Society**

On Tuesday 20 February 2018 at Nottingham Mechanics, 3 North Sherwood Street, Nottingham NG1 4EZ commencing at 7.30p.m

Projects to create a pedestrian and cycle bridge across the Trent and the restoration of the historic Bennerley Viaduct are described by members of Sustrans, the transport and accessibility organisation.

## **Nottingham's 19th Century Townhouses, Peter Smith, Arnold LHG**

On Tuesday 20th February 2018 at 7:00pm at Arnold Labour Club, (Bonington House), 79 High Street, Arnold, Nottingham. NG5 7DN, Peter Smith will give a presentation on Nottingham's 19th century townhouses.

## **History of Brush, H R Griffiths, East Leake and District LHS**

On Wednesday 21 February 2018 starting at 2.00pm in St. Mary's Church Hall, East Leake (opposite St. Mary's Church Main Street) H R Griffiths will tell the story of how the Anglo-American BRUSH Electric Light Corporation which was established in 1879 in Lambeth, London, to exploit the inventions of Charles Francis BRUSH (1849-1929) established itself and flourished in Loughborough

## **Winter Winding Wednesday, British Horological Institute**

For visitors who can't wait for the museum to open in Spring 2018 join us on one of our winter winding Wednesdays on 21st February 2018 10:30am to 12:30pm. Browse the museum and discover more about a selection of the museum's most fascinating objects as our Museum team demonstrate the winding of some of the many clocks on display.

Led by the Museum Manager or Collections Officer these pop-up demonstrations will be an opportunity to chat with the museum team and find out more about their weekly winding duties that keep the museum's treasures ticking!

Admission £5 per person. FREE to Friends of the BHI Museum Trust. Children under 12 FREE. Book Tickets at <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/bhi-museum-trust-12802318275>

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## **Roman Medicine, Samantha Glasswell, Edwinstowe HS**

On Wednesday February 21 2018 in St. Mary's Church Rooms, Edwinstowe, NG21 9NJ, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. Samantha Glasswell will give a talk on Roman medicine. Guests are welcome for a charge of £2. Refreshments are available.

## **Ladies' Fashion Accessories, Deidre McGowan, Nottinghamshire Family History Society**

On Wednesday 21st February 2018 at Nottinghamshire Archives commencing at 7:30pm Deidre McGowan will look at a whole range of historical artefacts with which women used to adorn themselves. As fashions come and go you will inevitably recognise some and some you won't!

Members have exclusive use of the Archives search room from 5 p.m.

## **Gone but not forgotten, Bob Massey, Beeston & District LHS**

Lost houses of Nottinghamshire presented by Bob Massey at Chilwell Memorial Institute, 129 High Road Chilwell, NG9 4AT on Wednesday 21st February 2018. Doors open at 7:15 and the meeting commences at 7:30pm.

## **Castles of Nottinghamshire, James Wright, Beeston Library**

At Beeston Library on Wednesday 21 February 2018 at 2:00pm archaeologist James Wright uncovers the stories of castle sites that are often unrecognised even by local people. Traces of motte and bailey castles hide in the landscape and Mediaeval fortified manor houses still stand and bear witness.

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## **Old Worksoop Evening, Worksoop and District Archaeological and Local History Society**

On Thursday February 22nd 2018 at The Station Hotel, Carlton Road, Worksoop commencing at 7:30pm the society will be holding an 'Old Worksoop' evening and displaying objects and images from the town and neighbourhood for discussion.



A conference organised by the Friends of the Centre for English Local History at the School of Museum Studies, 19 University Road, Leicester on Saturday 24th February 2018

## **Boots Book-lovers, Judith Wright, Lambley HS**

On Monday February 26th 2018 at 7.30pm in the W.I.Hall (opposite The Magna Charta) in Lowdham Judith Wright will give a presentation on 'Boots Book-lovers'.

Tea and coffee afterwards

New members are always welcome.

For more information phone Kay on 0115 9313646 or John on 0115 9313066.

## **Castles of Nottinghamshire, James Wright, West Bridgford Library**

At West Bridgford Library on Tuesday 27 February 2018 at 2:00pm archaeologist James Wright uncovers the stories of castle sites that are often unrecognised even by local people. Traces of motte and bailey castles hide in the landscape and Mediaeval fortified manor houses still stand and bear witness.

Adults, Booking advised

## **Castles of Nottinghamshire, James Wright, Workso Library**

At Workso Library on Wednesday 28 February 2018 at 2:00pm archaeologist James Wright uncovers the stories of castle sites that are often unrecognised even by local people. Traces of motte and bailey castles hide in the landscape and Mediaeval fortified manor houses still stand and bear witness.

Adults, Booking advised

## **The Old Houses of Southwell, Chris King, The Pentagon Society**

On 28th February 2018 at 7:30 pm in Elston Village Hall Dr.Chris King of the University of Nottingham presents **The Old Houses of Southwell**

The Pentagon Local History Society meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month (except in August), in Elston Village Hall, at 7.30pm. Further details can be obtained from the secretary, David Cook, tel: 01636 525664. All are welcome

## **Richard III The King Under the Car Park, Matthew Morris, Wollaton H&CS**

On Wednesday 28th February 2018 at 7.30pm at St Leonard's Community Centre, Bramcote Lane, Wollaton (opposite library) Leicester archaeologist Matthew Morris will talk about Richard III. Free for WH&CS members, £2 visitors. On the No 30 bus route.





## SPEAKERS



**Danny Wells** - Contact details for Danny Wells are – email: [danny.wells@history-talks.co.uk](mailto:danny.wells@history-talks.co.uk) – telephone: 01335 350536 – website: [www.history-talks.co.uk](http://www.history-talks.co.uk). Talks include: – Art of the Garden – The English and Gardening – Joseph Paxton – Art of the Christmas Card – The Victorians and the Christmas Season



**Brian Binns** - Contact details for Brian Binns are – email: [bnbins@gmail.com](mailto:bnbins@gmail.com) Talks include – Binns Family History – The Campion Family



**Peter Hammond** - Contact details for Peter Hammond are- email: [historyworkshops@aol.com](mailto:historyworkshops@aol.com) – telephone: 0115 9145520 – website: [www.handsonourhistory.co.uk](http://www.handsonourhistory.co.uk) Talks include – Middens and Muck – So You think You Know Nottingham (Parts 1,2 and 3) – Edward Carver: A Journey into Local and Family History – On the Buses – Potions, Lotions and Cure-alls



**Robert Mee** - Contact details for Robert Mee are – email: [RobertMMee@btinternet.com](mailto:RobertMMee@btinternet.com) – telephone: 0115 9327495. Talks include – Nottinghamshire Castles – A Derbyshire Railway Outing: A railway tour using a 1920s timetable. – Aldercar and Langley Mill – 1000 Years in 60 Minutes – Derbyshire Associations for the Prosecution of Felons, 1703-2014: – Policing in 19th-Century Derbyshire



**Mo Cooper** - Contact details for Mo Cooper are – email: [mocooper@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mocooper@yahoo.co.uk) – telephone: 07950472022. Talks include – The Clergyman, The Widow and the Milkman’ (An exploration of Nottingham’s Edwardian landlords) – The History of the Deaf Community in Nottingham – Women’s History



**Matt Hurford** - Contact details for Matt Hurford are – email: [nottinghamcastle@yorkat.com](mailto:nottinghamcastle@yorkat.com) – telephone: 07432694174. Talks include – History of Nottingham Castle and the archaeology of the site



**Stephen Flinders** - Contact details for Stephen Flinders are – email: [stephenflinders@sky.com](mailto:stephenflinders@sky.com) – telephone: 0115 854 8373 or 0754 7555 322 Talks include – Terror from the Skies – January 1916 the night the Zeppelins came – Catherine Crompton’s Diary – The Life and Travels of Robert Bruce Napoleon Walker – A Family History Presentation



**Chris Weir** - Contact details for Chris Weir are – email: [heritagetalks@outlook.com](mailto:heritagetalks@outlook.com) – telephone: 07922 496682 – website: [www.heritagetalks.homestead.com](http://www.heritagetalks.homestead.com) Talks include – Lace, Slums and The Occasional Riot: The Making of Victorian Nottingham – The Story of Boots: Jesse Boot, Florence and the history of the Boots Company – A Woman’s Lot: Women’s History in Nottinghamshire, 1550-1950s



**Edward Hammond** - Contact details for Edward Hammond are – email [edwardhammond@live.co.uk](mailto:edwardhammond@live.co.uk) – telephone: 07852957022. Talks include – Hannibal Barca: Rome’s Greatest Adversary – The Napoleonic Wars at Home? – Napoleon’s British Obsession: The Invasion of the ‘Nation of Shopkeepers



**Adrian Gray** - Contact details for Adrian Gray are – email: [adriangray@pilgrimsandprophets.co.uk](mailto:adriangray@pilgrimsandprophets.co.uk) – telephone: 07470-366689. Talks include – Why did they all come from here? – Religious Liberty: A Gift to the World from Notts and Lincs – Thomas Helwys: The Price of Freedom – The ‘Black Prince’ of Scunthorpe – The Wrays of Glentworth: Radical Religion



**James Wright** - Contact details for James Wright are – email: [jpwarehology@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jpwarehology@hotmail.co.uk) – telephone: 07925 840920. Talks include – Rock of Ages, Medieval Stone Masons – Tattershall Castle – William Shakespeare Henry V and the Manipulation of History – Historic Graffiti – Castles of Nottinghamshire – Ritual Protection Marks at Knowle, Kent



**Laura Binns** - Contact details for Laura Binns are – email: [nottinghamcastle@yorkat.co.uk](mailto:nottinghamcastle@yorkat.co.uk) – telephone: 07432 694174. Talks include – History of Nottingham Castle and the archaeology of the site



**David Mooney** - Contact details for Dave Mooney are – email: [dave.j.mooney@gmail.com](mailto:dave.j.mooney@gmail.com) – telephone: 07961077630. Talks include: – Folklore and Custom in the East Midlands – The History of Busking and Street Performance – Both talks involve elements of live music and performance. Folklore and Custom in the East Midlands



**Mark Dawson** - Contact details for Mark Dawson are – email: [mdfoodhistory@gmail.com](mailto:mdfoodhistory@gmail.com) – website: [www.mdfoodhistory.weebly.com](http://www.mdfoodhistory.weebly.com) Talks include – Food and Drink in Tudor and Stuart Derbyshire – Food and Drink in Tudor and Stuart Nottinghamshire – Oatcakes: farming and diet in North Derbyshire – What’s up with ewe? A thousand years of English sheep’s milk cheese



**Richard Gaunt** - Contact details for Richard Gaunt are – email: [richard.gaunt@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:richard.gaunt@nottingham.ac.uk) Talks include: – Nottingham Castle (From Royal Residence to People’s Palace – and beyond) – The Women in the Lives of the 4th and 5th Dukes of Newcastle – The Pentrich Rebellion – Nottinghamshire and the Great Peace – Emma’s Sketchbook – Political Cartoons – Gladstone



**Bob Massey** - Contact details for Bob Massey are – email: [bob.m.massey@gmail.com](mailto:bob.m.massey@gmail.com) – telephone: 0115 9263626. – website: [www.bobmassey.info/415325374](http://www.bobmassey.info/415325374) Talks include: – General – Local History – Local History ( Nottingham) – World War One – Cinema – Theatre – Aircraft – Computers – Local History – Arnold [albion@indigogroup.co.uk](mailto:albion@indigogroup.co.uk) [www.hoap.co.uk](http://www.hoap.co.uk) Heart of Albion – Explore Books



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## Important Dates for 2018

NLHA Angel Row History Forums: Tuesday 6th February 2018, Tuesday 8th May 2018, Tuesday 14th

August 2018, Tuesday 6th November 2018

NLHA Day Schools: Saturday 24th March 2018 at Ravenshead, Saturday 20th October 2018 at Ravenshead

NLHA Executive Committee Meetings: Tuesday 16th January 2018, Tuesday 3rd April 2018, Tuesday 17th July 2018, Tuesday 16th October 2018

## News and Events

We are happy to publish any news or events, from individuals or groups, regardless of whether or not they are NLHA members, as long as the topic relates to Nottinghamshire local history. Please send material by email to [chairman@nlha.org.uk](mailto:chairman@nlha.org.uk).

You can still access the news and events on our webpage at [www.nlha.org.uk](http://www.nlha.org.uk)

I am happy to post news and events to the webpage at any time but if you want them to appear in the newsletter then I need to have them by the last week-end of the previous month.

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# 1918 AND ITS LEGACY

## THE NLHA SPRING DAY SCHOOL

The events of 1918, the wartime experiences out of which they sprang, and their legacy, explored through the work of local projects and researchers

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**Ravenshead Village Hall**



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