

## BROMLEY

**Bromley Methodist Church**  
College Road, Bromley BR1 3NS  
on the third Saturday of the month as shown.  
*Doors are open at 9.45am*  
*Meetings start at 10.30am*  
*Meetings end by 12.15pm*  
**Parking** Free car parking adjacent to the hall

APRIL 16 2016

**Bromley & Sheppards College**

Chris Boulton

MAY 21 2016

**Introduction to Caribbean Family History- an overview, techniques, migration and more**

Guy Grannum

JUNE 18 2016

**French Street Burial Ground**

Christina Barnett & Karina Jackson

JULY 16 2016

**The Somme**

Graham Bandy

AUGUST 20 2016

**How to research House History-uncovering the secrets behind your front door**

Melanie Backe- Hansen

SEPTEMBER 24 2016 (note change of date)

**Shopkeeper Ancestors- Sources for finding out about a trade and the shop itself**

Sue Gibbons

OCTOBER 15 2016

**Penge- the making of a London suburb**

Martin Spence

NOVEMBER 19 2016

**A History of British Music Halls- How they began, rose in popularity, and declined, 1850 to 1950**

Alan Baker

DECEMBER 2016

**NO MEETING**

JANUARY 21 2017

**Eltham Palace & the Courtauld family**

David Sleep

FEBRUARY 18 2017

**Bromley Archives "What's available" (meeting at Bromley Central Library-large hall)**

MARCH 18 2017 + Annual Meeting

**London Maps**

Alan Ruston

## DARTFORD

**Dartford Technology College**  
Heath Lane, Dartford, DA1 2LY  
on the first Saturday of each month.

*Doors are open at 9.45am*

*Meetings start at 10.30am*

*Meetings end by 12.30pm*

**Parking** Free car parking, via this entrance

APRIL 2 2016 + Annual Meeting

**Information on Find My Past**

Myko Clelland

MAY 7 2016

**Curiosities & Random Events of the City of London**

Stuart Robinson

JUNE 4 2016

**Walking in Flanders Field**

Melanie Gibson-Barton

JULY 2 2016

**RAF Bomber Command**

Rupert Matthews

AUGUST 6 2016

**Records of Vagrants, Gypsies, Travellers and Strangers in Kent**

Gillian Rickard

SEPTEMBER 3 2016

**Vickers - Crayford**

Peter Daniel

OCTOBER 1 2016

**How to research House History - uncovering the secrets behind your front door**

Melanie Backe-Hansen

NOVEMBER 5 2016

**Third Afghan War 1919 - 94 days of unwanted conflict**

Glen Jones

DECEMBER 3 2016

**A Country House Christmas**

Pat Mortlock

JANUARY 7 2017

**Lost Empires - the last days of Music Hall and Variety**

Wilf Lower

FEBRUARY 4 2017

**Dirty Dartford!**

Chris Bull

MARCH 4 2017

**Ration Book Britain: How we lived in the 40s and 50s**

Toni Mount

## SEVENOAKS

**Sevenoaks Community Centre**  
Otford Road, Sevenoaks, TN14 5DN  
on the second Thursday of the month as shown.

*Doors are open at 7.15pm*

*Meetings start at 8.00pm*

*Meetings end by 9.30pm*

**Parking** Free, well-lit, easy car parking.

APRIL 14 2016

**Edith Cavell- British nurse in WW1 shot as a spy**

Melanie Gibson-Barton

MAY 12 2016

**Rudyard Kipling's Life & Verse (in costume)**

Ken Hutchinson

JUNE 9 2016

**Life on board Henry VIII's warship- "Mary Rose"**

Trevor Sapey

JULY 14 2016

**"Well I never knew that" A light hearted tour through the villages of the Darenth**

Rod Shelton

AUGUST 2016

**NO MEETING**

SEPTEMBER 8 2016

**WW2 escape lines- the routes that criss-crossed Europe**

Geoff Cowling

OCTOBER 13 2016

**"The Searchlight Girls" the 93<sup>rd</sup> (Searchlight) Regiment Royal Artillery**

Imogen Corrigan

NOVEMBER 10 2016

**For the High Jump" the story of capital punishment in Britain**

John Mills

DECEMBER 8 2016

**The Curious History of Christmas food from Yorkshire pies to 12<sup>th</sup> night cake**

Dr Peter Ross

JANUARY 2017

**NO MEETING**

FEBRUARY 9 2017

**Soldiers of the West Kent Regiment**

Ian Walker

MARCH 9 2017 + Annual Meeting

**Ightham Mote- Life upstairs & downstairs**

Heather Woodward