



PROGRAMME OF EVENTS 2022

- 18 Jan** LIFE IN A BLUE SUIT
David Allport MBE
- 15 Feb** WILDLIFE OF LANGSTONE HARBOUR
Louise MacCallum
- 15 Mar** HISTORY of HMS DAEDALUS
Martin Marks OBE
- 3 Apr** MEMORIES OF PORTCHESTER
Exhibition of Pictures
Parish Hall 10am to 4.30pm
- 19 Apr** ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE MEON
VALLEY Stone Age to Post Medieval
Kay Ainsworth
- 17 May** IMPROVING THE HEALTH OF THE
ROYAL NAVY. The Lasting Legacy of
James Lind, 18th Century Haslar
Physician Prof. Ken Shaw
- 21 Jun** JANE AUSTEN AND HER CLERGY
Rev. Dr. Ian Meredith
- 20 Sep** 30 YEARS IN THE MEDIA - PART 2
Judy Theobald
- 18 Oct** DOMESTIC TECHNOLOGY -
WE HAD ONE OF THOSE!
Stephen Hoadley
- 15 Nov** AGM & SUSSEX LIVES Brian Freeland
- 13 Dec** CHRISTMAS PARTY NIGHT

MEETINGS ARE HELD ON A TUESDAY IN
THE PARISH HALL, CASTLE STREET,
PORTCHESTER, PO16 9BY AT 7.30PM



PORTCHESTER CIVIC SOCIETY

AN INVITATION TO JOIN



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Please complete the application form on the reverse of this slip, detach and return with a cheque made payable to

Portchester Civic Society

to

John Morgan
(Membership Secretary)

14 Harbour View • Portchester • Fareham • Hants
PO16 9HW



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ESTABLISHED 2000

The Portchester Civic Society

Some of our activities....



Planning issues affecting Portchester, both local and national, are closely followed and representations made to the Council and other interested parties to ensure a high standard of planning and architecture in the area.

Monthly meetings are held where members are updated on the current work of the Society and entertained with talks and walks of local interest.

Social Activities are arranged for members and guests such as Skittles and Quiz evenings and a Christmas Party.

The Society adopted an area at the bottom of Birdwood Grove where members planted trees and wild flowers to enhance the environment. with countryside rangers from Fareham Borough Council.

Members take part in the annual **MCS BeachClean** event, clearing litter from the Portchester foreshore.

An annual, week long **exhibition of photographs** of Portchester past is put on in the foyer of the Library/Health Centre.

Our '**Memories of Portchester**' exhibition is presented in the Parish Hall annually where photographs, paintings, books and memorabilia of Portchester are displayed.

The Society published a book '**Portchester in Living Memory**' as an outcome of its **Oral History Project** when over 60 residents of Portchester were interviewed on their memories of the area. This project received generous funding assistance from the Heritage Lottery Fund and Fareham Borough Council.

The Society has a large and expanding collection of old **photographs** of Portchester.

We publish an annual '**Portchester Matters**' newsletter which is distributed free to our members.

In St Mary's churchyard in the Castle, the grave of **Thomas Goble**, last Secretary of the Fleet to Nelson at the Battle of Trafalgar, was restored by the Society and re-dedicated in the bi-centennial of the battle, 2005.

Donations have been made to Portchester AFC for floodlighting, the Community School bands, Castle Primary's courtyard garden and St Mary's Church for the World War 2 memorial plaque.

The Society also helped put on and fund a community play in 2009, '**Between the Hill and the Sea**', which used as its basis, stories from our oral history recordings.

In 2016 we supported the publication of Bryan Jerrard's book '**Portchester, A Community History**'.

Portchester Civic Society

Registered Charity No. 1090509

Website PortchesterCivicSociety.co.uk

Member of:

CPRE (Campaign to Protect Rural England),

NCVO (National Council for Voluntary Organisations)

For further information please contact: **Paul Woodman**
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WHERE THE SOCIETY MEETS -
PORTCHESTER PARISH HALL

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL THE PORTCHESTER CIVIC SOCIETY

NAME/S _____

ADDRESS _____

POSTCODE _____

TELEPHONE _____

EMAIL _____

Annual Membership £10.00 per individual

I agree to abide by the aims of the Society, which are to promote high standards of planning and architecture; to educate the public in key aspects of the area and to secure the preservation of places of historical and environmental interest.

SIGNATURE/S _____

DATE _____

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Standing Order Form completed Yes No