FRESHFORD & DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY

Meetings are held in Freshford Village Memorial Hall on the fourth Wednesday of each month.

The hall is open from 7.00 pm and meetings begin at 7.30 pm.

Annual Membership is £10.00. Visitors £3.00 a talk.

TALKS IN 2023/2024

27th September BATH AND ITS LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN 1800

Dr Rose Wallis, Senior Lecturer, UWE, Bristol

25th October AN INTRODUCTION TO WILTSHIRE GATE LODGES

James Holden. Author and local historian

22nd November ALL THE QUEEN'S JEWELS 1445-1548: POWER, MAJESTY AND

DISPLAY

Nicola Tallis, Historical Author

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24th January GOLD FROM THE TIME OF STONEHENGE

David Dawson, Director, Wiltshire Museum Devizes

28th February LACOCK: A MOST UNIQUE VILLAGE

Dorothy Treasure, Principle Buildings Historian, Wilts. Buildings Record

27th March MINING AND THE SOMERSET COALFIELD

Shane Gould, Industrial Heritage Strategy, Historic England

24th April BAGELS & BACON: A 1950s BOYHOOD IN THE EAST END OF

LONDON

Jeff Rozelaar, Professional Speaker WI, U3A and on Cruises

22nd May AGM & Alan Dodge Memorial Lecture:

SIR GEORGE COLEBROOKE MP 1729-1809: TWICE CHAIRMAN

OF THE EAST INDIA COMPANY

Stuart Boydell, Associate Lecturer, Bath Spa University

There is no meeting in December.

If you have any queries, would like or can offer a lift to meetings, please contact <u>peter.pennyjones@gmail.com</u> or phone 01225-723447.