

HARRIETSHAM HISTORY SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER

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Next Meeting

**Monday 28th April
7.15 for 7.30 pm
at
The Church of St. John the
Baptist, Marley Road.
AGM
Followed by a short talk by
Tessa Sillars (nee Harrison)
On her Childhood memories of
Harrietsham.**

**Visitors welcome - £3.00 incl.
refreshments**

Diary Date

**Monday 19th May 7.15 for 7.30
Primary School Hall.**

Chairman's Message

Our meeting on the 28th April comes at the end of our second year as a group which hopefully has included something for everyone to enjoy. Whilst our first aim is to investigate and record the History of our village we have endeavoured to provide a variety of interesting talks, these have included - the History of Leeds Castle, The A.20 from Maidstone to Ashford, Underground Kent, Old Kent Windmills, The Origin and History of Nursery Rhymes, Victorian Costumes and at our last meeting in March, Dennis Chambers gave a very interesting talk on Some Kent Ghosts. For our next meeting on the 19th May we will be back in our usual venue, The Primary School Hall when we will again have something completely different, the talk on this evening will be by Helen Allinson and is entitled 100 years of Toys.

Members are reminded that subscriptions will be due following the AGM these remain at £12.00 and can be paid on the night. Guests are always welcome at our society meetings at £3.00 per person but why not consider joining our group as we have some very interesting speakers booked for the rest of this year and will be having a walk in Charing village and hopefully a visit to Chislehurst Caves. Details of the society and our programme for this year will be available on our website following our AGM, at harrietshamhistorysociety.org.

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