

HARRIETSHAM HISTORY SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER

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Next Event

Monday 23rd February
Workshop Evening
7.15 for 7.30 pm.

Harrietsham Primary School,
West Street.

Diary Dates

Monday 16th March
'Queen Victoria's Dreadful Uncles'

Friday 27th March
Rat Pack Tribute Night

Saturday 9th May
Dance to commemorate the 70th
Anniversary of VE Day

Chairman's Message

The talk by Graham Stark at our meeting on Monday 19th January on Canterbury Cathedral, was very interesting and we will try to follow this up with a visit later on in the year.

We hope as many members as possible will come to our workshop evening next Monday as we continue to struggle with checking and recording things donated to the Society, We now have also removed some of the things stored in the Priest's room at the Church which we would like to check and record before putting them in the new storage boxes we have acquired.

We are continuing with the investigations on WW1 and have also been researching the names on the existing WW2 plaque on the War Memorial. This again has uncovered further names which should have been recorded. Following a meeting with a local Stone Mason we now have an itemised quotation of just over £8,000 for all of the works required which will need some serious efforts to raise the money. Tickets for the first fund raising event, The Rat Pack Tribute Night on 27th March at the Village Hall are now available at £10.00 each and can be purchased on Monday evening. The next event is a Dance to commemorate the 70th Anniversary of VE Day, further information and tickets for this event will be available soon. I look forward to seeing you next Monday evening

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