

DORKING NWR

Programme March – July 2010

2 March

Is this product really British?

Now that Cadburys has been sold to the American food company Kraft, an evening to look at whether other iconic products are still British-owned or not.

Venue: Anne

16 March

Family Heirlooms

Do you have something interesting that has been passed down your family? Bring it along and tell us its history.

Venue: Fran

30 March

Current Affairs

By now we might be at the start of an election campaign, but choose any current news item for discussion.

Venue: Sue

13 April

Poetry evening

Bring along a favourite piece to read, explaining your choice and telling us a little about the poet.

Venue: Julie

27 April

The NHS – how should it move forward?

A discussion on the future of the NHS.

Venue: Helen

Wednesday 28 April (additional event)

Surrey Quiz Night organised by Bookham NWR

Five of us are participating in this quiz evening at Fetcham Village Hall: 7.45 for 8.00 start. Still room for one more member of the team (£8 to include fish and chip supper).

11 May

Topics in a Hat

Serious or trivial, bring along talking points and discussion ideas.

Venue: Mary

Saturday 15 May (additional event)

NWR 50th Anniversary Lunch with Speaker, Guildford

The day starts with an optional tour of Guildford Cathedral (£3) followed by lunch and a speaker (not yet announced). Cost is £25. Book by Monday 15 March using form emailed out.

Saturday 22 May (additional event)
NWR West Sussex Area Gold Buffet Lunch, Worthing

American buffet (i.e. bring a dish) with 60s sing-along. Cost is £5. Book by Saturday 8 May using form emailed out.

25 May
A History of the World in Three Items

Along the lines of the current Radio 4 programme, bring up to three items which illustrate some aspect of the world's history.

Venue: Sheila

8 June
Assisted Dying

A topic that several members suggested for discussion, so obviously in our minds at the moment following some high-profile cases.

Venue: Tina

Sunday 13 June (additional event)
Buckingham Palace Garden tour

Arrival no later than 13.00 at the Queen's Gallery entrance in Buckingham Palace Road for our tour which starts at 13.15. Two forms of ID needed – one photographic and one confirming your address. Travel arrangements to be discussed nearer the time.

22 June
Summer Walk

To be arranged.

6 July
Bustles and Basques, Shawls and Shifts

From the point of view of its fashions alone, which period would you choose to have lived in?

Venue: Marjorie

20 July
Wise Words

What wise words did you learn at your (grand)mother's knee?

Venue: Barbara

- Tuesday evening meetings start at 8pm.
- There will also be a walk on the first Thursday of each month – details near the time.