

**SNAPE LOCAL HISTORY GROUP
PROGRAMME SEPTEMBER 2025 - APRIL 2026**

Meetings are held on Fridays at 7.30 pm in Snape Institute. Admission is £3 for non-members, who are welcome at all speaker & discussion evenings

- 5 Sept: **MEMBERS EVENING** - to discuss future plans
- 26 Sept: **A YORKSHIRE YEAR** – Folklore, customs & traditions - Illustrated talk by author Catherine Warr
- 10 Oct: **LADY ISOBEL CHAYTOR** – Daring pioneer Aviatix - Illustrated talk by Georgie Sale
- 24 Oct: **3 ARCHBISHOPS FROM MARSKE IN SWALEDALE** – A reflection on religious history. Illustrated talk by Mr. S. Clark
- 7 Nov.: **THE LIGHT & THE DARK** – WW1 memorialisation in the Stained glass of Yorkshire Churches. Illustrated talk by member Graham Seel
- 21 Nov.: **MEMBERS EVENING**
- 5 Dec: **THE NATURAL HISTORY OF CHRISTMAS** – Plants, Animals, fungi and traditions. Illustrated talk by Mr. Whiteley
- 16 Jan: **THE EXTRAORDINARY STORIES OF ORDINARY PEOPLE** -Illustrated talk by Mrs. Caroline Brannigan
- 30 Jan: **MASHAM THROUGH THE LENS OF VICTORIAN & EDWARDIAN CAMERAS** - Illustrated talk by Chris I'Anson with his notable collection of old Masham photos
- 13 Feb: **DISCUSSION EVENING** with Mrs Suzanne Stirke – The Influence of local newspapers in the 1861 setting up of the North Ormesby Hospital. Those who championed the improvement of hospital care in the newly industrial town of Middlesbrough
- 27 Feb: **MEMBERS EVENING**
- 13 Mar: **LIFE & DEATH IN THE WASHBURN VALLEY** – Exploring the skeletal remains removed from Fewston Church Yard. Illustrated talk by Dr. Anwar Caffell
- 22 Mar **POSSIBLE DATE FOR OUR ANNUAL LUNCH** – To be arranged.
- 27 Mar: **CAUGHT IN CHANCERY** – fascinating life of Jane, an 18th century local dales girl. Mrs Marion Moverley
- 10 Apl: **PETTICOAT GOVERNMENT** – the story of the York Home for Nurses. Illustrated talk by Mrs. Rosemary Cook
- 24 Apl **A.G.M. with chance to discuss future programme, Events, outing, etc.**
Plus Finger Buffet – please bring a small plate of food to share.