

Meigle and District History Society

Programme 2018/19

Date	Topic/Event	Comments
2.00 p.m. Saturday, 7 July 2018	The Mills on the Ericht in Blairgowrie - Meg Luckins	Meg Luckins, the chairperson for the Blairgowrie, Rattray and District History Trust, will lead a guided walk along to River Ericht in Blairgowrie to discover the history of the mills along the river.
2.00 p.m. Saturday, 18 August 2018	The Howff in Dundee – Iain Flett	Iain Flett, a former Dundee City Archivist, will lead a guided tour around the Howff to see the sculptures and symbols on the stones and discover the stories of those buried there and the Nine Trades of Dundee
Wednesday, 26 September 2018	“Quite Happy – The Diary of James Fyffe, Cattle Dealer, 1836- 1840” – David Orr	David Orr is well known to the Society and will talk about the diaries of James Fyffe, which were found in Kirriemuir Old Parish Church. They illustrate a way of life which was already dying out and provide an insight into his passions and beliefs
Wednesday, 24 October 2018	“The Ancient Churches of Angus” – Norman Atkinson	Retired Arbroath teacher Norman Atkinson will give a whistle stop guide to the many ancient churches across Angus
Wednesday, 28 November 2018	“Breakers Ahead... hard a’ starboard!” – Andrew Jeffrey	Remarkable tales revealed by the McManus ship model collection. An illustrated talk by Andrew Jeffrey
Wednesday, 23 January 2019	A.G.M. & Forfar Bridies - Bill McLaren	AGM followed by a talk on baking and the legendary Forfar Bridies by the Forfar baker, Bill McLaren
Wednesday, 27 February 2019	“Perth & Kinross Heritage Trust” – Gavin Lindsay	Gavin Lindsay, Outreach Officer with Perth & Kinross Heritage Trust will describe the work of the Trust and the many interesting projects that it is involved in
Wednesday, 28 March 2019	“Moss o Rora” Poems and Tales of North East Scotland – Allan Thomson	Allan Thomson will talk about his collection of poems and stories “The Moss o’ Rora”, set in the farming and crofting land around the Peterhead area. Allan will give a brief history of the folk who worked these lands almost two hundred years ago

Indoor meetings are held at 7.30 p.m. in the
Kinloch Arms Hotel, The Square, Meigle,
PH12 8RN unless otherwise stated