

## UPPER WHARFEDALE HERITAGE GROUP PROGRAMME 2019

Details of each event are published on our website ([www.uwhg.org.uk](http://www.uwhg.org.uk)) about a month beforehand, sometimes earlier, or contact [hm.steele@ntlworld.com](mailto:hm.steele@ntlworld.com). Evening talks are held at 7.30pm in the Soroptimist Rooms, 28 Otley Street, Skipton BD23 1HG.

Talks are £1.50 for UWHG members, otherwise £3.

Walks are £1 for members, otherwise £2.

<b>FEBRUARY</b> Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Great Rebuilding in the Yorkshire Dales</b> - Jan Goode will present evidence for how the Great Rebuilding affected the Yorkshire Dales in the 17th century, based on a case study in Upper Wharfedale.
<b>MARCH</b> Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Annual General Meeting and Project Round-Up</b> - A chance to hear about activities undertaken by Group members in the preceding year.
<b>APRIL</b> Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Famine, Fear and Fire</b> - Local historian Chris Lunnon describes life in early 14 <sup>th</sup> century Embsay and Eastby as revealed by the Bolton Abbey Compotus.
<b>MAY</b> Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Monks, Knights and Others</b> - This themed walk, to be led by Dr David Johnson, will explore the historic buildings and land use of a section of the Ribble Valley, on a route taking in Langcliffe, Stackhouse, Stainforth and the Craven Limeworks.
<b>JUNE</b> Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Hidden Mills of Smelthouses</b> - Archaeologist, Janis Heward, and local historian, Liz Dent, lead a walk around Smelthouses in Nidderdale, describing the development and demise of the local 18 <sup>th</sup> and 19 <sup>th</sup> century mills, illustrated by features still to be found in the area.
<b>JULY</b> Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Some Upper Wharfedale Field Barns</b> - A leisurely day walk, led by Pat Carroll, will take a look at the historic aspects of Upper Wharfedale field barns dating from the late 16 <sup>th</sup> century through to the 19 <sup>th</sup> century.
<b>AUGUST</b> Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Stone, Coal and Gold</b> - The walk, led by William Varley, will look at how natural resources have been quarried and mined on Penistone Hill and in the upper Worth Valley, near Haworth.
<b>SEPTEMBER</b> Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Vernacular to Edwardian - Historic Buildings of Skipton</b> - Historic buildings specialist, Sue Wrathmell, will lead a walk in and around Skipton to look at the history and architecture of the town's historic buildings.
<b>OCTOBER</b> Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Who do we think we are – now?</b> - Dr Roger Martlew gives a critical update on how recent developments in DNA sequencing are changing our understanding of developments in prehistoric Britain and looks at the implications for us in the North of England.
<b>NOVEMBER</b> Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Anglo-Saxon Lindisfarne</b> - Archaeologist Dr David Petts talks about the results of the fieldwork he has been carrying out on the site of the Anglo-Saxon monastery of Lindisfarne.
<b>DECEMBER</b> Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Protestant Reform and Craven</b> - Following on from her 2018 talk on St Helen's Chapel in Malham, Dr Victoria Spence takes a broader look at local reaction to the introduction of Protestant Reform.
	<p>Guests &amp; visitors are always very welcome. For more details of the group and activities please see our website: <a href="http://www.uwhg.org.uk">www.uwhg.org.uk</a></p> 