



Wirksworth Civic & History Society Newsletter –May 2009

AGM

Thank you to all of you who attended the AGM.

The committee for 2009/2010 is as follows:

Chair: Colin Pidgeon

Secretary/ Treasurer: Janet Pidgeon

Events Secretary: Graham Barfield

Membership Secretary: Anne Brawn

Committee: Ian Dare, Adam Lathbury

Coopted members: Marian Vaughan (Heritage Centre)

Barry Joyce (Design & Conservation Officer, DDC)

Mike Ratcliffe (Town Council)

The draft minutes will be posted on the website shortly.

Evening visit

Thursday 21st May – Darley Abbey Village & Mill Sites

The tour starts at 7.00pm.

Directions:

Head for the A6/A38 roundabout at Allestree:

Approx 50 yards past roundabout on A6 turn left into Church Lane; continue for about half a mile.

Parish church St Matthew's on right -200yards beyond church turn left into Old Lane.

At end of Old Lane turn right into last street on right –Darley Street.

Short way along on right is The Abbey Inn; just past it on left is Community Car Park.

Our guide, Roy Hartle, will meet us there at 7.00pm.

There may also be additional parking in grassed field beyond car park.

Otherwise, find on-street parking in an adjacent street if car park is full.

Car sharing would be a good idea.

Please let me know if you need a lift.

Day visits

Wednesday 17th June – Lichfield –£15, guided tour of cathedral in the afternoon & coach travel included; morning free to explore

Wednesday 15th July –Gladstone Pottery Museum –£15, entrance fee & coach travel included

Please complete the relevant booking form and return it to Janet with a cheque made out to Wirksworth Civic Society

Clean up Wirksworth

This proved a very successful day and may become an annual event.

Thanks to all of you who participated.

If you have any concerns about YOUR Town, do join us in our activities.

Yours sincerely,

Colin Pidgeon

Colin Pidgeon, Chair

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Visit to Lichfield

Booking Form

Wednesday 17th June 2009

Name..... Number of people.....

Cheque enclosed for.....(£15 per person)

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Visit to the Gladstone Pottery Museum

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