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■ Hedgerley Historical Society

The society's objects are to encourage the study of all branches of history and the preservation of historical records, buildings and objects – especially the collection, preservation and publication of material relating to the ancient, medieval and modern history of Hedgerley and its surroundings.

To mark the centenary of World War One in 2017 we published *The Ten Hedgerley Men from the Great War*, now out of print but available through Bucks libraries.

We meet on the third Wednesday of the month from September to July, 8pm at Hedgerley Memorial Hall for talks on local history, plus special Saturday evening events, day schools and outings.

■ High Wycombe Society

Aims to bring together those who care about the town of High Wycombe – its past, present and future. Our events, including talks, outings and open days at Pann Mill, are advertised on our website.

[VISIT OUR STAND](#), or for events, enquiries or to join see our website at www.highwycombesociety.org.uk

■ Milton Keynes Heritage Association

Coordinates heritage-related groups in and around Milton Keynes, with currently about 70 member groups. The association runs quarterly group meetings, heritage open days and other joint activities. For details see the website at www.mkheritage.co.uk, where you can sign up for a weekly email newsletter of events in and around Milton Keynes.

■ Stone Local History Group

Holds regular lectures on local and general history, and maintains an archive of information and artefacts on the Stone area. Meetings monthly on the third Tuesday, 7.30pm in Stone Village Hall, HP17 8PB.

Free exhibition, *World War One in Stone*, will be on Sunday 10 November, 11.30-5.30 in Stone Village Hall, and we are publishing a 2020 Calendar with pre-WW1 photographs of Stone and surrounding villages.

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■ Tingewick Historical Society

Aims to record and disseminate the history of the village through monthly talks on the first Wednesday of the month, 7.15pm in the Village Hall, trips, exhibitions and social events. Recent publications include *Bygone Tingewick* and booklets on those who fell in the Great War and those who returned.

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■ Wing Heritage Group

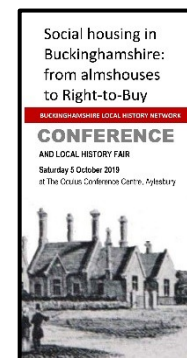
Our aim is to investigate Wing's history through archaeology, research and family history. We meet once a month as a committee and hold talks, walks and other events through the year.

[VISIT OUR STAND](#) for enquiries or to join, or email wingheritage@gmail.com. Also see our website at www.wingheritage.org

■ Winslow History Project

Aims to provide information about the history of Winslow through talks, walks and our website at www.winslow-history.org.uk. Weekly meetings to transcribe documents on Thursdays from 7.45pm.

[VISIT OUR STAND](#) for details of Thursday evening meetings.



BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY SOCIETIES

BLHN Conference 2019:
Saturday 5 October, The Oculus, Aylesbury

■ Amersham Museum

A local history museum which organises walks, talks, exhibitions, school visits, a singing group, reminiscence sessions and art classes for adults and children – and has recently published *Women at War*, a new book on women and suffrage, supported by the Heritage Fund.

The museum at 49 High Street, Old Amersham, is open Wednesday to Sunday, 12 noon to 4pm, between February and November – and we hope to launch a 'mobile museum' in 2019.

For all enquiries, please contact the Curator by email.

■ Archaeology in Marlow (AIM)

Investigates the archaeology and pre-history of Marlow and surrounding parishes. We conduct archaeological investigations and research and provide training for beginners, young and old. Members enjoy fieldwork, talks and visits. AIM will also continue to contribute to the Chilterns Conservation Board 'Beacons of the Past' project. In 2008 AIM completed a 3-year project recording



local Ancient Monuments. The project book is £9.99, or free to members when they join.

For information and details of how to join, see the website at www.archaeologyinmarlow.org.uk

■ **Beaconsfield and District Historical Society**

Encourages the study of history, especially relating to Beaconsfield and its environs. We run:

Eight winter talks, on Saturday afternoons between October and March at the Fitzwilliam Centre in Beaconsfield.

Seven of eight summer coach visits, midweek in April to September to sites of historical interest.

Archives: Volunteers meet regularly to catalogue and digitise our collections.

The History of Beaconsfield is now updated.

VISIT OUR STAND for details of activities, or our website at www.beaconsfieldhistory.org.uk

■ **Buckinghamshire Archaeological Society**

The society focuses on all aspects of the county's history: not just archaeology, but local social history, documentary research, historic buildings, and protection of our heritage and historic environment. The society has an Active Archaeology Group.

Every year we run Winter Lectures in the County Museum in Aylesbury, Active Archaeology talks on Thursday evenings, and a series of summer outings. We publish *Records of Buckinghamshire* in May each year, and this is sent free to members.

NEW PUBLICATION AT THIS CONFERENCE:

'Pots, Potters and Potteries of Buckinghamshire 1200-1910', a Gazetteer of current knowledge across the county, with full source references. Conference offer £13 (normally £15).

VISIT OUR STAND or find out more about all our activities on our website at www.bas1.org.uk

■ **Buckinghamshire Gardens Trust**

Aims to record and conserve the gardens and

parks of the historic county of Buckinghamshire. Talks are held on garden-related topics – usually one a month at the County Museum during winter and spring, with garden visits in the summer months.

We research and survey historic gardens and parks, and take action where there is a threat of inappropriate development, neglect or destruction.

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■ **Buckinghamshire Genealogical Society**

Offers expert advice on family history research in all counties and runs meetings on related topics on the second Saturday afternoon of the month in Southcourt Community Centre, Prebendal Avenue, Aylesbury.

Our magazine, *Bucks Ancestor*, publishes in-depth articles and a range of transcripts not otherwise accessible, such as the 1910 *Domesday for Bucks*.

VISIT OUR STAND, or the society's website at www.bucksgs.org.uk

■ **Buckinghamshire Historic Buildings Trust**

Has been helping to protect and save historic buildings in the county since 1983. Our current major project is to restore 2/3 High Street, High Wycombe. Built in 1399, this is the oldest secular building in the town. Its original purpose is unknown, but in the past 300 years it has been a coffee house, pub, shops, office and photographer's studio. Thousands of people must have passed through its doors.

We are surveying and researching to decide how best to conserve the building – and for its re-use. We are working closely with Wycombe District Council, the High Wycombe Society and local people. Grant funding will be needed.

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■ **The Celfunde Inheritance**

Aims to preserve Chalfont St Peter's local history and heritage. We run a monthly history 'surgery' on the first Saturday of the month, 10am-

1pm, on the first floor of Chalfont St Peter Community Library.

SPECIAL OFFERS AT THIS CONFERENCE on various books and booklets on local history.

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■ **Cholesbury-cum-St Leonards Local History Group**

We aim to stimulate interest in local history with talks by knowledgeable speakers, to discover the history of the Chiltern hilltop villages, and to build an archive of local documents, maps and photographs.

We meet monthly October to May on the first Friday at 8pm, and run group outings once or twice a year.

VISIT OUR STAND, or our website at www.cholesbury.com

■ **Friends of Milton's Cottage**

We maintain the cottage in Chalfont St Giles where John Milton finished his great poem *Paradise Lost*, and organise its opening to the public.

We run annual social events in the cottage or its garden, a celebration of Apple Day each October, an annual lecture in the City of London in February or March, and a summer painting course. We have also published the first manga instalment of *Paradise Lost*.

See our website: www.friendsofmiltonscottage.org.uk or contact our Membership Secretary, Friends of Milton's Cottage, 21 Deanway, Chalfont St Giles.

■ **Haddenham Museum Trust**

We aim to tell people the history of Haddenham through a museum, walks and talks and other means. The museum in the Old School Room behind the Methodist Church in the High Street, is open free on Tuesdays 10am to 12 noon and Sundays 2pm to 4.30, but closed in January and February.

Recent publications include *'The Haddenham Chronicles'* volume 16, and booklets about Street Names and Historical Walks.