

**APPLICATION TO JOIN
ARBORFIELD LOCAL HISTORY
SOCIETY**

Name(s):

Address:

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Telephone No:

Email:

(use of email helps to reduce
postage/contact costs)

Subscription Rates

Individual per year £10

Family per year £15

Senior Citizens per year £5

Amount enclosed : £

Please make cheques payable to
Arborfield Local History Society

The Society was founded in 2002.
Our village is steeped in history,
and our society exists to make it
known more widely.

We are keen to hear from anyone
who has reminiscences of life in
Arborfield, or who has old
photographs that can be shared
with others. We would love to see
photos of buildings that have since
been demolished or changed, or of
local characters.

We welcome new members to our
Society – no special knowledge
required, just an interest in the
area and its inhabitants past and
present. We are a friendly group
and visitors are also welcome to
our meetings for a small fee per
meeting.

We meet on the first Monday of
the month (2nd Monday if a Bank
Holiday) at Arborfield Village Hall,
Eversley Road, Arborfield, RG2
9PQ at 7.45pm. We have several
trips out during the year and
details of our varied and
interesting programme can be
found inside this leaflet.

*Arborfield Local
History Society*

Affiliated to BLAH & BLHA

Programme 2013



Membership Form

If you are interested in the history of
Arborfield and the local area
come and join our friendly, entertaining
and informative meetings

For further details please phone:

Barry Salter (Chairman) 0118 9760070

Tina Kemp (Secretary) 0118 9760224

Sheila Bunce (Treasurer) 0118 9760336

Ray Hill (Programme) 0118 9760784

Pat Townsend (Programme) 0118 9761178

www.arborfieldhistory.org.uk

2013

May 13th **Antiques and Valuations**
Gordon Brockman – antique dealer and valuer will value 1 of your antique items

June 3rd **The French Connection**
John Mullaney – arrival of the Huguenots after escape from France

July 1st **Finding my Sister**
Barbara Carr – one of our members search for her lost sister after more than 60 years

July 27th **Garden Party at Iona * Members Only**
By kind permission of Mrs Sheila Bunce

August 5th **Trip to Portsmouth**

Sept 2nd **History of Bellringing in Wokingham** John Harrison

Oct 7th **Local Berkshire History**

16th-18th century
Jameson Wooders – has researched various local records including some from Arborfield for his PhD

Nov 4th **History of Berkshire Aviation – particularly Woodley and Miles Aviation**
Ken Fostekew

Dec 2nd **Christmas Dinner**

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Feb 3rd **Thomas Hargreaves**
Steve Bacon

March 3rd **The Parish of Barkham** – Janet Firth
The archaeological aspect

April 7th **AGM**

History Society

Everyone is welcome to the meetings
A small charge of £2 is made for non-members per meeting

Meetings marked * are restricted to members only

If you wish to join please complete the membership form overleaf and return with payment to:

Sheila Bunce
Iona
38 Langley Common Road
Barkham
RG40 4TS
Tel: 0118 9760336

Alternatively you can turn up and join at any meeting

Arborfield Local