

GRAYSHOTT HERITAGE

NEWSLETTER no. GH7.

The committee would like to take this opportunity to wish everybody a very Happy Christmas and New Year and to thank you for your support during the past and for the coming year.

Friends Evenings.

Next Friends' evening will be on Tuesday, May 8th. Programme to be announced near the time. Raffle and refreshments as usual. It is at present being considered to bring forward the November meeting to the end of September with hopefully better weather and somewhat lighter evenings. Any suggestions for future meetings will be gratefully received!

'Grayshott Today' magazine.

We are hoping to have a regular presence in this magazine starting with the January issue. Also we will be trying to have more regular publicity in the local press.

New 'Finds'

Some early property documents have turned up including two deeds 'High Grayshott' 1773 and Bulls Farm 1804. High Grayshott is the area we now know as the vicinity of Waggoners Estate.

Hindhead.

With much new development now taking place which in turn will no doubt bring more people to the district we are thinking of including Hindhead as part of our area. The two villages have always been closely connected with trade and our fire brigade started life as the 'Grayshott and Hindhead', even the 'Huts Hotel' was much used by Grayshott residents! The Grayshott postal address was always 'Grayshott, Hindhead, Surrey' as Hindhead was then the local sorting office from where local mail was despatched. Also the ecclesiastical parish extends to the Hindhead crossroads. This will give us more scope for talks and publishing, interest/involvement with 'Undershaw' and the Haslemere Museum.

We will be pleased to receive any thoughts on this.

Hampshire Community Archive Groups.

We have received an invitation to speak about our activities at the next forum to be held March 17th 2018. Good news that we are deemed suitable to present our organisation at this event.

Guided Walks.

We hope to repeat these walks during spring / summer 2018. More details in due course.

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