

**17th October**

**The Benedictine Monks of  
Canterbury Priory and their  
order in medieval England**

Professor James Clark will offer some perspectives on the Benedictines, with particular reference to Canterbury Cathedral Priory – the overlords of Doccombe manor from 1173 to 1540.



*Edwin of Canterbury*

**21<sup>st</sup> November**

**AGM followed by members'  
historical artefacts**

After a short annual general meeting of the society, most of the evening will be devoted to discussing historical artefacts that members are encouraged to bring along – in actual or photographic form.

**12<sup>th</sup> December**

**Christmas Dinner**

Date & venue to be confirmed.

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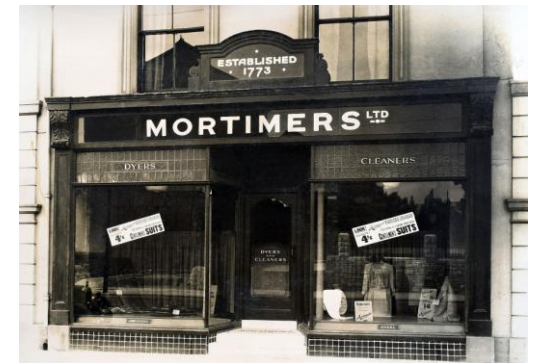
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**PROGRAMME 2018**



*How did the Mortimers clean-up in  
Plymouth? Find out in this year's  
Presidential talk.*

Meetings are on the third Wednesday each month in the Stables Room at The Union Inn, 10 Ford Street, Moretonhampstead TQ13 8LN & start at 7.30 p.m. *unless stated otherwise.* Non-members welcome - £4 on the door (free if in full-time education).

**17<sup>th</sup> January**

**Your ancestors' dirty laundry**

Dr Ian Mortimer's illustrated Presidential address is based on the records of his ancestors' Plymouth firm of *Mortimer's dyers & cleaners*.

**21<sup>st</sup> February**

**Forced into Exile? Three Devon estates 150 years ago**

Jeremy Pearson will explain why the owners of Killerton, Arlington Court and Saltram were not at home in the 1860s and what this tells us about Devon in Victorian times.

**21<sup>st</sup> March**

**Alehouses & Good Fellowship in Early Modern England**

Dr Mark Hailwood's talk explores the role of the alehouse in the villages and market towns of seventeenth-century England.



**18<sup>th</sup> April**

**Devon's Lost Heritage**

Felicity Goodall has been recording what has been lost and what remains from the county's colourful past.

**16<sup>th</sup> May**

**The excavations & discoveries from Exter University's recent archaeological digs at Ipplepen**

Derek Gore will talk about the recent exciting discoveries of the fieldwork and excavations of the Roman site at Ipplepen.



**20<sup>th</sup> June**

**Round tour from Plymouth to Calstock by train and boat**

Date and details to be confirmed depending on the rail timetable and the tides on the River Tamar.

**14<sup>th</sup> July**

**Guided tour of Launceston town centre and parish church**

Morning gentle stroll with a local historian around the town centre. After lunch a guided tour of St Mary Magdalene – the most beautiful medieval church in Cornwall. Further details will be sent out nearer the time.



**15<sup>th</sup> August**

**Guided tour of Plymouth Barbican and Citadel**

Nigel Overton will guide us around the Barbican in the morning. After lunch Jane Dymock will show us around the largest fortress built in England as a Citadel.

**19<sup>th</sup> September**

**Ancient houses of Exeter**

John Allan will trace the architectural history of housing in Exeter from the late Norman period to the reign of Queen Anne, emphasising new discoveries and what features to look for when examining townhouses.