



BOURNE CIVIC SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

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Member of

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VOICE

Registered Charity No 512420

The Chairman and The Committee of Bourne Civic Society would like to wish all members A Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year. And thank them all for their support.

Monday 17th December at
Wake House A Quiz
Quiz Master Jonathan Smith

PROGRAMME 2019

Monday 21st January
Nigel Amos. The reduced
Roman Empire How a City
conquered half the World.

Monday 18th February
Jonathan Smith will tell us
about BRM

Both meetings at Wake
House

Tom Cairns a young student asked if he could research the BRM story. He went on to interview Dick Salmon and John Sismey, two men who worked for BRM. From these interviews and the research he has gained his Master's Degree in Sports Journalism with Distinction. There will be a Radio Documentary "Graham Hills Championship journey with BRM" This will be broadcast on Siren Radio 107 : 3 at 7pm on Thursday 29th November to mark the anniversary of Graham Hills death.

The October meeting was well attended when Jack Slater our Vice Chairman gave a talk about the work in India. He is at the moment with the Charity in India.

Civic Voice Conference Held in Birmingham for two days at the Conference Centre. There were 150 to 200 delegates at the conference. Seminars on town regeneration and listed buildings. One of the main debates was the usage of rooms above shops and empty houses, these could be used as housing stock and also bring people into the towns.

Conservation areas, Stamford came Third in the Civic Voice national competition. There are 502 conservation areas at risk in the UK After the conference we went to see Avice and John Budd in their new home in Birmingham, they are both well and send their Best Wishes to all their Friends in Bourne.

WW1 Exhibition has been a success. Open on the Saturday before Remembrance Sunday by the Town Mayor Mr D. Mapp and his Lady Escort. There has been a good attendance. The Remembrance week-end was a success for all the People involved, The Town Council, Len Pick Trust, The schools in Bourne, J.Wand and Co, Salvation Army. Police and Army cadet units.

We still need volunteers to man the mill when we are open.

Your chairman has been in touch with The Heritage Lottery Fund and we hope for a successful bid to go towards the garage extension.

Delaine Bus Company Opened their new bus museum to the public in September. This is an additional asset to the town. Delaine's had good attendance throughout the day. They do direct the public on to Baldocks Mill.

Town Mayor Mr D.Mapp



We Shall Remember Them

WW1 Silhouettes By John Wand and Co.



WW1 tapestry created by Sue Rowland. Bourne Town Council, Len Pick Trust.



The Civic Society would like to acknowledge
The following.

J.Smith, Family History
Artefacts and Uniforms, Mr
A.Stubbs and Mrs R.Cudmore
Mr J.Wand and Co. WW 1 cut-
outs around the town.

Joyce Stevenson history of the the
WW 1 soldiers from Bourne. Mr
P.Dunkerley poetry from the
WW1

Our Mission Statement

It is the aim of the Society to make sure that new developments are of the highest possible quality and developers are made aware of the issues surrounding their

Schemes. Good design is only possible through a full understanding of any schemes's enviroment and urban context. We seek to safeguard our existing heritage and the many listed buildings from demolition or neglect.