

TOWCESTER AND DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY



Local Heritage Day

SATURDAY 11th MAY AT TOWCESTER LIBRARY



From Towcester Old Town to now – a journey

There will be displays in the library by Towcester Museum, The Historic Towcester Survey Group, CLASP and paintings of Old Towcester buildings by Val Goldfinch. In addition, the History Society will be showing some of the Society's archives, including old photographs and will be selling its publications.

Talks in the rooms off the main library

Limited seating available so please arrive early to ensure a place. Admission free.

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| 10.30 | Alison Symmers | Introduction |
| 10.45 | Tony Howard | The growth of industry and the expansion of Towcester from the air. |
| 11.45 | Research Group | Short talk: Researching Towcester Workhouse. |
| 12.30 | Brian Giggins | A informal chat on 'Our favourite memories of Towcester'. Bring along your old photos of Towcester people and places. |
| 2.00 | Steve Young, CLASP | 'New thoughts on Watling Street'. |
| 3.30 | Brian Giggins | An Old Town Journey – from the old town to the new along Watling Street. |

Sunday 12th May, 2.30 to 3.30pm (approximately)

Guided walk by Brian Giggins, starting at the entrance of the Forum.

An Old Town Journey

Looking at some of the fascinating heritage around the town centre. To join this walk, ask at the library reception to put you on the list on Saturday 11th May ONLY. STRICTLY LIMITED TO 20 PERSONS. Length of walk about one mile along pavements and footpaths.