

Foxlowe Heritage

HERITAGE EXHIBITION

Decoration of the heritage rooms is now completed.

Local historian Cathryn Walton will lead a team of volunteers from the Leek Historical Society and curate an exhibition entitled

DOORWAYS TO THE PAST

featuring key buildings in Leek including

*St Edward's Church
Nicholson Institute
Swan Inn
The Building Society
Foxlowe*

The exhibition will open late February

WANTED

We hope all those with memories and pictures of the Foxlowe will share them with us for an exhibition at the Foxlowe.

There must be many residents with memories of the Foxlowe and perhaps even photographs taken at various functions at the Foxlowe.

Moira McCourt would love to hear from you: our histories are valuable and need to be recorded so that future generations may enjoy a more complete picture and understanding of their past. Please ring her on 07736 244010

The Quiet Woman

**HAYLEY'S
February programme
2nd Sarah & Dan
4th On Parole
9th Andy Hall
11th Earthworm Jim
16th Ray Warmesley
18th Absolutely
80's Soul
23rd Quiet Men
25th Give the DJ a
break (Nick Sheldon)**

THE QUIET WOMAN
St Edward Street Leek

Foxlowe Arts Centre Diary

www.foxloweartscentre.org.uk
01538 386112 or 07773 464626

Foxlowe Gallery

Saturday 21st January to Sunday 26th February

The *People* exhibition explores the human form through drawings and paintings of people who give the body its character and spirit. The five artists exhibiting are:
Duncan Sproat (Acrylics), Johnny Bermudez (oils, acrylics, pastels, charcoal, watercolours), Charlie Walker (acrylics), Margaret Brothwell (mixed media and acrylics)
Nick Shelton (biro)
next show opens Saturday 3rd March

Foxlowe Music

THE SITUATION

presents

My Voice of Confidence Breaking Satellites Fighting Flux

on Friday 3rd February 2012 8pm-11.30pm

Make a note in your diary now for the

BlueFox Festival of Bands and Real Ales

Saturday 3rd March all day

**Bands lined up for the BlueFox Festival include:
Kathleen Turner Overdrive, Reefy Blunt,
Vertigo Fish, The Tetleys, Copy Catz, John Stone,
Jules Carper and more!**

Foxlowe Film

**Leek Town Mayor's Fund
charity premiere of Gerald Mee's film of
Leek's celebration marking
90 Years of the British Legion in Leek
7.30pm Tuesday 7th February Tickets £5**

Foxlowe Talks

The Foxlowe & Its Families

CATHRYN WALTON

7.30pm Wednesday 8th February 2012

Tickets £5 at the Foxlowe, Colloco and Tourist Office
or £5.50 on the door

Foxlowe Youth Theatre

Saturday morning Youth Theatre starts
with taster sessions on 4th February 2012
Check for latest details: Fred Jeffries 07967 154773

Foxlowe Cafe

Open Wednesday - Sunday 10am - 4pm
Good selection of vegetarian meals and a daily meat option.
Celebrating Fairtrade Fortnight 27th Feb - 11th March

Looking Ahead

*The Foxlowe programme continues to grow with:
Foxlowe Film season starts on Tuesday 28th February*

Packhorse Poets' performance Saturday 10 March

Weaving Animals Children's Workshop
Saturday 17 March

Stained Glass Workshops 24/25 March & 21/22 April

PIVA's 10th Anniversary Celebrations with talks on
30 May and 6 June prior to their
celebration concert at All Saints church on 9 June

Foxlowe Arts Centre

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UPDATE FOR THE
FOXLOWE
ARTS CENTRE
PLEASE TAKE ONE

Cinema returns to Leek

The forthcoming 10-week Foxlowe Film season is heralded by the special film show in aid of the Leek Town Mayor's Charity Fund. The four films to be screened on Tuesday 7th February at the Foxlowe Arts Centre by Leek's veteran film maker, Gerald Mee.

The programme runs for a little over an hour and a half with a break for refreshments half way through. GERALD MEE briefly outlines the four films:

Alpha and Omega

As it is just seventy years since the start of WW2 in the Pacific and the entry of the USA into the conflict, I am opening my programme with this film I made to commemorate this four year stage of the war in the far East. It all started with the bombing of Pearl Harbour, in Hawaii, and ended with the dropping of the two nuclear bombs in Japan in 1945.

A Visitor Sees our Town

In 1951, just over 60 years ago, the late John Martin (a pharmacist/photographer in Leek) made this film to commemorate the Festival of Britain. It was made for the Leek Urban District Council. It shows events taking place at that time through the eyes of a Canadian visitor.

Remembrance Day

This is my latest record of an event in Leek. It was made to mark the Service of Remembrance at the Nicholson War Memorial on Sunday, 13th November, 2011 – the first event there since the splendid restoration of the Monument.

The British Legion Celebrated its 90th Birthday

In July 2011 and in Leek, a two-day event took place to mark this milestone for the Legion. Stoke Cine and Video

Society provided a camera team to film the many stages of the weekend, in the town and in Brough Park. The Legion was well represented as were groups from three armed forces. In spite of the terrible weather conditions sufficient material was gathered to make a video record. *Tickets £5 are on sale at: Chaplins, Time for Tea, Foxlowe Arts Centre, and the Tourist Information Centre.*

Foxlowe & its Families

CATHRYN WALTON talks at the Foxlowe on
Wednesday 8 February 7.30pm



Well known and well respected local historian, Cathryn Walton, will journey through several centuries with an illustrated talk at the Foxlowe Arts Centre, threading seamlessly the fascinating history of the people and events in and around the Foxlowe which has looked majestically across the Market Place since the mid C18th and through the reigns of nine monarchs. Don't miss this fascinating talk.

Colleen's Cafe
Getliffe's Yard

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upstairs for friendly
service and good food
at affordable prices*



*We support Leek's
Fairtrade status with
Fairtrade tea, coffee &
sugar
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Open Sundays as well!

Poetry in the Foxlowe Cafe

Packhorse trails lead to Leek

From across the moors the Packhorse Poets
will be displaying their wares in the

Foxlowe Cafe

Leek's premier arts venue on

Saturday 10th March at 7.30pm

together with contributions from Leek Writers and

**U3A creative writing group plus an
open mic. session, time permitting.**

**There will be a bar available for alcohol,
soft drinks and coffee.**

All are welcome.

**The event is free but we would be grateful for
donations on the night to the Foxlowe Arts Centre.**

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