

HWS Spring Meeting in Folkestone

Friday 17 May 2019

- From 6.00 p.m. Assemble in the bar
7.00 p.m. Dinner in a private room
9.00 p.m. *Folkestone 1919 – 2019*
Illustrated talk by Robert Walker

Saturday 18 May 2019

- From 8.00 a.m. Breakfast in the main dining area
10.30 a.m. Assemble in Reception for walking tour of Folkestone, taking in:
- The Leas
 - War Memorial and Step Short memorial Arch
 - Bouverie Square
 - Sandgate Road
 - Bogside's shop, Corvano's, Queen's Hotel
 - Town Hall/Museum
 - Harbour Station
- 12.30 p.m. Lunch on the Harbour Arm
Numerous pubs and food outlets available
- 2.00 p.m. Re-assemble at Harbour Station to continue guided walk*:
- Victoria Hotel and Lower Leas
 - Metropole Steps (about 100 steps up)
 - Grand Hotel (Ballroom and site of bonfire)
 - No 3 Rest Camp
 - Pleasure Gardens and Theatre
 - Bandstand
- Back to Clifton Hotel c.4.00 p.m.
*Alternatively, taxi to top – rendezvous at Grand Hotel c.3.00 p.m.
(Folkestone Taxis Number: 01303 252000)
- From 6.00 p.m. Assemble in the bar
7.00 p.m. Dinner in a private room
9.00 p.m. *Folkestone after the Armistice*
Talk by Andy Thomas-Emans (Local Historian)

Sunday 19 May 2019

- From 8.00 a.m. Breakfast in the main dining area
- Various optional activities, including walk to Caesar's Camp, lunch at Aylesford Priory, visit to Battle of Britain Museum etc.