FRIENDS OF CHELMSFORD MUSEUMS

TEA AND TALKS SPRING 2027

The talks take place at the Museum of Chelmsford. Light refreshments are served from 1.30 p.m. with talks commencing at 2.00 p.m. and finishing at approximately 3.00 p.m.

1. Monday 11th January 2027 Zeppelins Over Essex by Peter Jones. Peter has previously successfully given us 'Martello Towers in Essex' and 'Night Mail' with a showing of the 1936 classic film. This time he presents a history of lighter-than-air travel leading to the menace of Zeppelins over our county in the First World War.

2. Monday 8th February 2027 Landscape and Nature by Roger Hance. Fellow of the Royal Photographic Society and multi-award-winning photographer who presents his stunning pictures of the beautiful landscapes, (including the Lake District, Peak District and Snowdonia) birds and wildlife of the British Isles – a photographic treat.

3. Monday 15th March 2027 Southend Pier and the Crompton Connection by Richard Brown. Richard gives us not only a history of the longest pier in the world but its connection with Chelmsford through Crompton (later Crompton Parkinson and at one time one of the 'big three' firms: Marconi, Hoffman and Crompton). The first pier opened in June 1830, the iron pier following in 1889 with an extension in 1898 bringing it to 7,080 feet!

The cost per talk for Members is £7.00, (£20.00 for all three talks), and £9.00 for non – members, (£25.00 for all three talks). Please return the form below with a cheque made payable to The Friends of Chelmsford Museums or make payment by credit transfer to Metro Bank, sort code 23-05-80, account The Friends of Chelmsford Museums, a/c no. 43165984. Send the form by post or by e mail to David Jones, 93, Hillside Grove, Chelmsford. CM2 9DB. david_jones@btinternet.com 01245 281899. Please ensure that you put 'The' before Friends either on a cheque or in a bank transfer. Subject to Friends' Events Policy (see website) or ask for a copy.

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TALK	Date	No. members	Cost per member	No. non-members	Cost per non-ember
Talk 1	11th January		£7.00		£9.00
Talk 2	8th February		£7.00		£9.00
Talk 3	16th March		£7.00		£9.00
All three			£20.00		£25.00

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Names of people attending

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