

## Tea and Talks Spring 2025

The talks will take place at the Museum. Refreshments will be served from 1.30pm and the talks will commence at 2.00pm and finish at 3.00pm.

### Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January Essex Therapy Dogs

Essex Therapy Dogs aim to enrich the lives of people in various establishments in and around Essex. We will learn how the dogs are selected and trained. We will meet 2 dogs and their handlers.

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February Roman Chelmsford *by Nick Wickenden*

Today he will talk about Caesaromagus, the Roman name for Chelmsford, (and incidentally the only Roman town to have the imperial prefix), its origins and development including a look at surrounding Roman settlements at Broomfield and Boreham.

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March The Western Front Association *by Karen Dennis*

The WFA was formed in 1980 with the purpose of furthering interest in the history of the First World War. It also aims to perpetuate the memory, courage and comradeship of all those who served, on all sides, across all theatres and fronts. The WFA is non-political and does not seek to glorify war. Its income is used for its Memorial Fund from which donations are made to refurbish old Great War memorials and to further education about the Great War as it affected Essex.

The cost will be £6.50 for members (£18.00 for all three talks) and £8.50 for non-members (£24.00 for all three talks)

Please return the form with a cheque, made payable to "The Friends of Chelmsford Museums", to Ros Webb, 24 Weymouth Road, Chelmsford, CM1 6LP. Alternatively, payment may be made by credit transfer to Metro Bank, sort code 23-05-80, account: The Friends of Chelmsford Museums, a/c no. 43165984. Whichever payment method is used, the booking form should be completed and sent to Ros Webb.

**Booking is essential as we are only allowed a maximum of 40 people at each talk to comply with Health and Safety requirements.** This event is subject to the Friends' Events Booking Terms and Conditions; a copy of this is available on request from the Talks organiser.

*Please return only the lower portion of this form, retaining the top section for dates & details*

I/We will be attending

	Date	Number of People	Cost per member	Number of People	Cost per non-member
Talk 1	13 <sup>th</sup> January		£6.50		£8.50
Talk 2	10 <sup>th</sup> February		£6.50		£8.50
Talk 3	10 <sup>th</sup> March		£6.50		£8.50
All three talks			£18.00		£24.00

I enclose a cheque for £ \_\_\_\_\_ (made payable to 'The Friends of Chelmsford Museums')

Payment made by credit transfer for £ \_\_\_\_\_

Names of people attending \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_