

THE HISTORY OF READING SOCIETY

Newsletter - February 1980

Dear Member,

Greetings for 1980! As you can see from our Chairman's Report, the year's programme has been varied and busy, and we hope it has inspired you to pursue your own particular interest in local history and perhaps discover something new to research, either on your own, or in a group.

The Committee

Dates for your diary:-

(All meetings take place on a Thursday in the Abbey Gateway Room at 7.30 p.m.)

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| 27 March | ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
There will also be an illustrated talk |
| 10 April | Members' Evening |
| 8 May | Talk by Barbara Vowles on
The Suffrage Movement in Reading |
| 5 June | Talk by Colin Sizer, Director of
Reading Museum, on the History and Use
of Museums |
| 17 July | Talk by Eric Stanford: The Cloisters
of Reading Abbey |

The rest of the season will be in the hands of your new committee and a full programme will be issued to all members.

APPEAL

Would anyone researching Roman Roads west of the River Loddon please contact Mr. A. McColm, [REDACTED]

THANKS

to the members and friends who have taken the trouble to write to the Secretaries with their findings and reminiscences. We are always pleased to hear from you.

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