

Name	Contact details	Subject of talks				
<b>Chris copp</b>	Email address: chris.copps@staffordshire.gov.uk	The History of Shugborough - Bronze Age to the Present Day	The County Museum Collection	Lasting Impressions - Stafford's Boot and Shoe industry	Three Centuries of Costume	Photographs from the County Museum Collection
<b>Helen Johnson</b>	Email address: helen.johnson@staffordshire.gov.uk	The Walled Garden at Shugborough	Photography of every kind - Alfred and Gerald McCann of Uttoxeter	Rural Crafts and Trades	A Victorian Christmas	Three Centuries of Hats
<b>Gemma Oakley</b>	Email address: gemma.oakley@staffordshire.gov.uk Contact Number: 01889881388	The County Art Collection	The Shire Hall, Stafford - Courts, crime and punishment	Samplers from the County Museum Collection	Three Centuries of Shoes The Victorian House Keeper	
<b>Alan Lewis</b>	Contact Number: 01785 823982	"Charles II and the Legacy of the Royal Oak" – it's not just about a pub	"What's in a Word" – the origin of some everyday words and phrases	"Sapper Norman" – one story amongst many from WWII	"HMS Royal Oak" – 275 years of history	"Staffordshire" the creative county and it's people.
<b>Anne Andrews</b>	2, The Hanyards. Tixall, Stafford, ST18 0XY Contact Number:01785 246101	Recording a Churchyard	World War 1 (1914 -1915) in Ingestre & Tixall & the death of Viscount Ingestre	Tixall's Farms	Extracts from the diaries of William Mynors, Private Secretary to the 20th Earl of Shrewsbury	Ingestre landscapes including Ingestre Pavilion
		Stafford Area Brickworks & Quarries	Tixall's Churches & Chapels	The Chetwynd Talbot's of Ingestre	The commercial interests of the 20th Earl of Shrewsbury	Sandon Limekiln

		Tixall's History	Tixall's Halls	Edward VII at Ingestre		Some interesting & strange events in the history of Tixall
		Tixall Stone Quarries	Tixall Village & School	The Great Wall of China & other tourist sites		
<b>Margaret George</b>	Waters Edge' 3, Bridgewater Road, Rugeley, Staffordshire. WS15 1EG Email address: margaret-george@o2.co.uk Contact Number: 01889 584600	The History of Chartley Castle and its related earthworks, including the important manorial village of Stowe.	Some illustrated historic views of Staffordshire including hidden gems and their individual histories.	The County of Staffordshire, road, canal and rail development and some of the county's history through an illustrated selection of historic buildings and sites.	Some magic, myths, mysteries and legends of Staffordshire.	Essential oils and their uses. How to use this rapidly growing popular treatment for many day-to-day ailments. Aromatherapy demonstration if required.
		The history of herbs from ancient times to modern day. Describing some of the culinary, medicinal, religious and magical uses of the past and unusual remedies	The Butcher, the Baker and the Adulterator. Mealtimes of our ancestors. The difference between rich and poor diets and how food was often adulterated, sometimes with poisons, before sale.	Tracing your ancestors. A general introduction to the subject.	Abbots Bromley showing clues in the street layout and landscape to its medieval origins with added general history.	
<b>Peter Brown</b>	34 Waterside Drive, Market Drayton TF9 1HU Email address: peterbrown-quita.demon.co.uk Contact Number: 01630 625567	The Shropshire Union Canal	Thomas Telford	Sir William Cubitt		

<b>Danny Wells</b>	Thorpe View', Mappleton, Ashbourne, Derbyshire. DE6 2AB Email address: danny wells danny.wells@history-talks.co.uk Contact Number: 01335-350536	Over 20 talks available. They are of a social and cultural historical nature,	some relating specifically to Staffordshire and Derbyshire.	There is often a focus on Victorian England. Talks leaflets on request or see website		
<b>Dianne Mannering</b>	1 Pourbaix House Birmingham Road Lichfield Staffordshire WS13 6PP Email address:Dianne Mannering dianne@diannemannering.co.uk Contact Number: 01543 250251 Mobile: 07989102584	History talks; John Dudley and the Nine Day's Queen; Henry Stafford and the Princes in the Tower; Thomas Plantaganet of Tutbury Castle; Born to Rule;	General interest light hearted; The Not So Glamorous Side of Being a Writer; A 1960's Business Woman in a Man's World; The Reinvention of St Mary's	Please refer to my website for details of my talks www.diannemannering.co.uk You will also find details of many other speakers on my site which is completely free for you to use.		
<b>Museum of Cannock Chase</b>	Museum of Cannock Chase, Valley Road, Hednesford, Staffs. WS12 1TD Email address: julieshires@cannockchasedc.gov.uk Contact Number 01543 877666	'Behind the Scenes' (about the work of the museum on a day-to-day basis)	'Make Do' (about the WW2 Homefront)	'Houses from History' (domestic life through the ages)	'From Coal Face to Fire Place' (the story of coal mining in our area)	

<b>Nicholas Corder</b>	Website: www.nicholas-corder.co.uk Email address:nc@nicholas-corder.co.uk Contact number: 01785 824 064	Some Staffordshire Murders (based on my book Foul Deeds and Suspicious Deaths in Staffordshire and the Potteries)	The Bayeux Tapestry.	Downshifting - Why having more makes you poorer (based on my Book Escape from the Rat Race)	Two Men in a Barrel (A Whisky-tasting tour of Scotland in the style of Jerome K Jerome)	The Ukulele - from Madeira to Morecambe - A history with songs.
			A Writer's Life for me - the pleasures and pitfalls of attempting to make a living by writing			Turned out nice again - the George Formby Story - with songs
<b>Richard Bifield PPTMI.FTS.(rtd) DipTP, MRTPI (rtd)</b>	26 Main Road, Ketley Bank, Telford. TF2 0DH. Email address: richard.bifield@blueyonder.co.uk Contact number: 01952 614319 Mobile: 07976 1000087	The Life and Works of Thomas Telford.	The Best of Shropshire's Heritage and Landscape.	Telford and Wrekin: Then and Now.	1709-2009: Celebrating the Birth of the Industrial Revolution in Coalbrookdale..	A visitor's Guide to Telford and Wrekin..
<b>Peter Shilston</b>	Email address: pshil@tiscali.co.uk	The History of Playing Cards	American Gangster 1919-1941	The History of Russia	Egypt.	Admiral Lord Anson and Shugborough.
<b>David Wilkinson</b>	5 Silkmore Crescent, Stafford. ST17 4 JL Contact number:01785 258589	Ten Steps to Time Team (A history of Archaeology)	The Origins of Stafford	Medieval Watermills of Staffordshire (Excavations in Tamworth and Stafford)	Medieval Moats of Staffordshire	Monastic Sites of Staffordshire