

**WORCESTERSHIRE ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY
LECTURE PROGRAMME 2024–25**

Meetings begin at 7.30 pm. Most will take place in The Hive, Worcester in The Studio, Level One. The Hive is situated at Sawmill Walk, The Butts, Worcester, WR1 3PD. For access information, please see: www.thehiveworcester.org/getting-here.html .

For two meetings in December and January, Zoom video-conferencing will be used. Instructions about how to join Zoom meetings will be emailed to members in advance

Visitors welcome: Guest membership is £2 per meeting (FREE for registered students)

- Mon 16 September:** ***Historic building mythbusting in The Marches***
Dr James Wright (Triskele Heritage) at *The Hive*
- Mon 7 October:** ***The 5th- to 6th-century mosaic at Chedworth Roman villa***
Dr Martin Papworth (The National Trust) at *The Hive*
- Mon 28 October:** ***The body on the Bromyard Line***
Emma Hancox (WAAS) at *The Hive*
- Mon 18 November:** ***Pevsner revisited – Reflections on the revision programme, with special reference to the West Midlands' counties***
Chris Pickford at *The Hive*
- Mon 9 December:** ***The continuing importance of the manor in late sixteenth century England: the example of the Blounts of the West Midlands***
Dr Elizabeth Norton by *Zoom*
- Mon 13 January:** **An evening of shorter talks on recent and current research (programme to be announced nearer the time)**
By *Zoom*
- Mon 3 February:** ***Excavations at Nesscliffe Camp: an unusual hillfort in Shropshire***
Professor Gary Lock (University of Oxford) at *The Hive*
- Mon 24 February:** ***Sounds in the landscape***
Dr Della Hooke at *The Hive*
- Mon 17 March:** **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, followed by: *An Early Neolithic Saltern at Street House, North Yorkshire***
Dr Stephen Sherlock at *The Hive*
- Mon 7 April:** ***The archaeology of Worcester Cathedral's Undercroft Meeting and Learning Centre***
Fiona Keith-Lucas (Worcester Cathedral) at *The Hive*
- Mon 28 April:** **THE BERKELEY LECTURE**
A tale of two Worcestershire towns: what do we learn from the ups and downs of Alvechurch and Broadway?
Professor Christopher Dyer (University of Leicester) at *The Hive*

