



Events in the Cannock Chase/Burntwood area 2019

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| Cannock Library | <p>Vintage Afternoon Tea Party</p> <p>The Cannock Back in Time Group present a 'family recipe vintage afternoon tea party'</p> <p>Come along and enjoy afternoon tea eating cakes inspired by childhood favourites and family recipes.</p> <p>Wednesday 25th September</p> <p>2:15pm until 3:15pm</p> <p>Email: Cannock.Library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£2 per person</p> <p>Booking essential</p> |
| <p>50 years in the class room</p> | <p>Peter Cadman and Bob Brevitt host a talk inspired by their 50 years of teaching in Cannock Chase.</p> <p>Come along and reminisce about shared experiences at schools in Cannock Chase.</p> <p>Peter was head teacher for many years at Walhouse school on the Old Penkridge road – now St Luke's Primary.</p> <p>Friday 11th October</p> <p>2:30pm – 3:30pm</p> <p>Email: Cannock.Library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£2 per person</p> <p>Booking essential</p> |

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| Book Folding Workshop | <p>Book folding and crafting workshop inspired by the “Make do and mend” ethos of old.</p> <p>Come along and discover how you can create works of art by up-cycling old books.</p> <p>Tuesday October 15th</p> <p>2:00pm – 3:00pm</p> <p>Email: Cannock.Library@staffordshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£2 per person</p> <p>Booking essential</p> |
| Vessels of Victory | <p>Decorate a wooden boat for an installation at the National Memorial Arboretum as part of the Vessels of Victory project; in partnership with the National Memorial Arboretum</p> <p>Throughout the summer 6939 individually decorated wooden vessels, each one representing an allied vessel involved in Operation Neptune, will be decorated and placed in the grounds of the National Memorial Arboretum. Each decorated vessel will be a symbol of Remembrance, a tribute to the Allied and Commonwealth contribution which helped change the course of the Second World War.</p> <p>Wednesday 16th October 2:00pm – 3:00pm Refreshments provided</p> <p>Email: Cannock.Library@staffordshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£2 per person – monies collected will be go to the NMA to support its vital work</p> |
| Recipe Swap Afternoon | <p>Come along with your favourite recipes for a swap them with other people.</p> <p>Tell us about the some of your favourite foods growing up and share your family favourites</p> | <p>Free drop in session</p> |

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| | <p>Enjoy a cake tasting session Friday 18th October 2:00pm – 3:30pm</p> <p>Email: Cannock.Library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | |
| <p>Chase Through Time Talk</p> | <p>Join County Archaeologist Shane Kelleher as he gives a talk on the fascinating history of Cannock Chase.</p> <p>Shane will talk about how the airborne laser scanning helped unearth the history of Cannock Chase from above</p> <p>Wednesday 30th October 2:15 pm – 3:15 pm</p> <p>Email: Cannock.Library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>Free Session Booking Essential</p> |
| <p>Local Artist Gallery Exhibition</p> <p>Paintings and drawings from local artists</p> | <p>Throughout September and October</p> <p>Cannock Library</p> <p>Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>Free no need to book</p> |

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| <p>Burntwood Library</p> <p>Ancestry computer Sessions</p> | <p>Discover your family history with weekly Ancestry computer sessions in the library.</p> <p>Every Wednesday in September 2pm until 4pm</p> <p>Bookings via Pam Woodburn Email pam.woodburn@talktalk.net</p> | <p>Some charges may apply contact Pam Woodburn for details</p> |
| <p>“A String of Bede’s and other Gems”</p> <p>Adult story telling session about the Staffordshire hoard and other Saxon tales</p> | <p>Join historical story teller Christine Genders as she weaves a tale around the Saxon hoard, inspired by events recorded by in the Saxon Chronicles. Come and hear stories of a prince, a pagan and a pile of gold.</p> <p>Monday 7th September 2pm – 3pm</p> <p>Refreshments provided Burntwood.library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£2 per person Booking Essential</p> |
| <p>“Scamp - a Miners tale”</p> <p>Display of local mining memorabilia</p> | <p>Throughout October Burntwood Library will play host to a mining memorabilia exhibition.</p> <p>Throughout the month Local resident, Keith Cooper, will be on hand to talk about the collection. Times to be confirmed.</p> <p>Keith was the model for the “Scamp Sculpture” at Sankey’s Corner.</p> <p>Burntwood.library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>Free no need to book</p> |

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| <p>Local author talks – Mike Wetson</p> | <p>Join local author Mike Wetson as he talks about autobiographical book a “Life of Two halves”</p> <p>Monday 7th October 2:00 pm – 3:00pm</p> <p>Burntwood.library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>Free – opportunity to purchase books and get them signed by the author on the day</p> |
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| <p>“Art and Symbolism in the Staffordshire Hoard”. A talk by Dr Charlotte Ball</p> <p>Rugeley Library</p> | <p>Join Dr Charlotte Ball for a fascinating talk about the Staffordshire Hoard and its symbolism.</p> <p>Learn more about this fascinating treasure as we celebrate 10 years since its discovery just outside Burntwood.</p> <p>Tuesday 29th October 7pm – 8:30pm</p> <p>Burntwood.library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tel 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£3.50 per person</p> <p>Booking essential</p> |
| <p>Landor Historical Society – A walk through Rugeley</p> | <p>Join the Landor Historical society for a walk-through time – looking at the historical buildings of Rugeley</p> <p>Wednesday 9th October</p> <p>10am start at the library Return after the walk for refreshments</p> <p>Rugeley.library@staffordshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Tell: 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£1.50 per person</p> <p>Booking essential</p> |
| <p>Local History Talk</p> | <p>Following on from last years successful Palmer Poisoner talk – join local historian for another fascinating discussion about Rugeley’s past</p> <p>TBC</p> <p>Rugeley.library@staffordshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Tell: 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>£3 per person booking essential</p> |
| <p>Rugeley’s childhood memories of WW II</p> | <p>Exhibition curating the childhood memories of people living in Rugeley during WW II.</p> <p>An intergenerational project created by Rugeley Heritage Society and Rugeley</p> | <p>Free no booking display in library</p> |

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| | <p>Town Council Funded by the National Lottery</p> <p>Starts 4th October until end of October</p> <p>Rugeley.library@staffordshire.gov.uk Tell: 0300 111 8000</p> | |
| Landor Society History Display | <p>Another fascinating display created by the Landor Society – always a favourite during our Staffordshire History Festival's</p> <p>Exhibition in situ during October</p> <p>Rugeley.library@staffordshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Tell: 0300 111 8000</p> | Free no booking display in library |
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| <p>Norton Canes Community Library</p> <p>Two Day event celebrating the history of Norton Canes Library</p> | <p>This year marks the 10th anniversary of the opening of the new Norton Canes Library. However, a library has been in Norton Canes for many years.</p> <p>Join us as we host a two-day celebration event</p> <p>TBC</p> <p>Nortoncanes.library@staffordshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Tel: 0300 111 8000</p> | <p>Some charges may apply</p> |

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