

# SUSS-EX CLUB

## Steering Group Meeting 58

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2021, at 16.30 via Zoom

### AGENDA

1. Welcome. Current members: Ross Dowsett, Colin Finn, Jackie Fuller, Charles Goldie, Arnold Goldman, Sara Hinchliffe, Steve Pavey, David Smith, Paul Tofts (Chair), Helen Walker.
2. Apologies for absence.
3. Draft Minutes of the last meeting (57), 4<sup>th</sup> June 2021, re-circulated with this Agenda.
4. Matters arising not covered elsewhere in the Agenda.
5. Financial report (Jackie).
6. Recent events.
  - a. Ridgeview vineyard visit on 23<sup>rd</sup> July (Colin).
  - b. Summer picnic on 26<sup>th</sup> August (Ross).
7. Possible future events. Jackie is to recirculate her list of all Suss-Ex events ever. The current list of events in mind is as follows.
  - a. *The Buildings of Lewes* guided walk proposed for Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October. David's paper is overleaf.
  - b. Talk *How Surgeons Think* by Jan Nawrocki (David, Sara).
  - c. Fishbourne Roman Palace visit (Ross).
  - d. The Dome building project (Helen).
  - e. By boat around Shoreham Harbour and/or to Rampion Windfarm (Steve).
  - f. Online quiz (Ross).
  - g. Christmas Party (Steve).
  - h. Other.
8. Newsletter: the group (Ross, Jackie, Charles, Sara) led by Ross is assembling content and ideas. Input welcome.
9. Membership
  - a. Mailing list (Charles)
  - b. Facebook Group (Ross/Jackie)
10. AOB
11. Date of next meeting

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**University of Sussex Suss-Ex Club      Guided walk: The Buildings  
of Lewes**



**Friday 1 October 10.30 am.** (If wet, Friday 8 October - put both dates in your diary)

Our host will be Marcus Taylor, who has lived in Lewes for 53 years and retired from teaching locally 18 years ago. He was Secretary of Friends of Lewes for nine years and has a particular interest in the materials used in the buildings of the town and how they reflect its long history.

We'll assemble at 10.30 by the war memorial at the eastern end of Southover Church. To reach this by **train** turn left at the station entrance and right at the roundabout along Priory Street. The church is just beyond the Georgian Priory Crescent. If you come by **bus** from Brighton, alight at the Law Courts, cross the main road at the traffic lights and walk down Station Street to the station. Then follow the instructions above.

The walk will take about an hour and a half at a gentle pace. From Southover we'll climb the hill only once and end in Cliffe, the area to the east of the river, pausing to look at a range of building materials on the way. Because many of the pavements in Lewes are narrow, places will be limited, and registration accepted on a first-come first-served basis.

If you would like to come, please complete the slip below and send it to Dr David Smith, 12 Mount Harry Road, Lewes, BN7 1NY, enclosing a cheque for £5 per person, payable to Dr J D Smith, by Monday 20 September 2021. Address queries to David [j.d.smith@sussex.ac.uk] or 01273472564. All payments made will be donated to Friends of Lewes.

Please indicate on the booking form whether you would like to talk informally with other members of the party over lunch (at your expense) so we can arrange a table at one of the cafes or pubs in Cliffe. We shall of course have to forgo this if restrictions on social mixing are reimposed.

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**Please reserve ..... places for the Guided Walk in Lewes. I enclose a cheque for .....payable to Dr J D Smith**

**I/We wish / do not wish to join others for an informal lunch afterwards. Please delete as appropriate.**

**Name, Email Address, Telephone**