

MALLING DISTRICT U3A SPEAKERS

2007

October	Dr John Ray	The Changing Role of Women since 1700
November	Geoff Hutchings	Rudyard Kipling – His Life in Verse

2008

January	Kev Reynolds	A walk in the clouds (mountaineering)
February	Monty Parkin	Artists on the North Downs
March	Prof Philip Stott	Climate Change or Global Warming? Politics, Economics, Religion and Science.
April	(Mrs) Lyndall Hacker	Understanding Sacred Signs and Symbols
May	John Guyatt	Eastern Europe
June	Richard Lea	Malling Abbey
October	Dr Brian Beeley	Middle East Update
November	Chris Green	John Betjeman & the Railways

2009

January	Steve Pendleton	Blinded on Duty
February	Prof Michael Holman	An Interpreter's Glimpse inside Russian Prisons
March	Dr Chris Pond	Traditions and Customs of the House of Commons
April	Albert Granville	The Mary Rose
May	William Tyler	Agincourt (a study of Britishness)
June	Roger McKenna	The Life and Work of Sue Ryder
August	Neil Arnold	Mystery Animals of Kent
October	Susan Pope	Lighter than Air
November	Dr Brian Beeley	Update on Middle East

2010

January	Bob Horner	Bletchley Park
February	Patricia Francis	Blue Badge Guiding
March	Elyot Turner	The Pilgrims Way: Medieval Holiday Route or Victorian Invention
April	Tim Williams	The Nobel and not so Noble Prizes
May	William Tyler	Churchill: A Study in Leadership
June	Paul Knight	Fulfilling a Dream: Everest Base Camp
July	Andrew Ashbee	From Village to Town: The Story of Snodland
August	Helen Allinson	Farewell to Kent: Emigration to the New World

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October Neil Arnold Strange Folklore of Kent
November Joy Hooper Tickets to All Parts of the World – the Story of Mr Thomas Cook

2011

January Imogen Corrigan Illuminated Manuscripts
February Christopher Rudd Persian Odyssey
March Local Magistrates The Work of the Local Bench
April Clare Graham How to Read our Local Churches
May William Tyler Nelson – Immortal Hero
June Mike Martin To Australia with Captain Cook – then the Convicts
July Matthew Jackson Hidden Wonders of Korea
August Tony Lloyd Bewl Water
October Martin Heard The Bayeux Tapestry
November Dr Brian Beeley Update on the Middle East

2012

January Prof Philip Stott The BASICS of Climate Change Politics
February Julia Page Julia Page John Constable – Painter and Country Lover
March Steve Roberts Tales of Scotland Yard
April Frances Hughes British Theatrical Personalities
May William Tyler With my Little Stick of Margate Rock – the story of the Kent seaside
June James Taylor Charles Darwin and the Voyage of HMS Beagle
July Imogen Corrigan The Venerable Bede and the Times in which he lived
August Gill Stoker Dame Ethel Smyth
October Jeremy Batch The Story of London's Docks
November Dr Christopher Fifield The Life and Voice of Kathleen Ferrier

2013

January Prof Philip Stott The Ill-tempered Piano - why classical music is never in tune
February Susan Jenkinson London Statues of the Famous and Forgotten
March Richard King Around the World in a Double-decker Bus
April Peter Jones A Career in Fingerprints
May Mary McKinlay Bloodhound – The Supersonic Car
June Richard Skelton Experiences as Principal Doorkeeper of the Houses of Parliament
July Albert Granville ... and so we Raised the Mary Rose
August Patrick Tootal The Lieutenancy of Kent
October Richard Filmer Traditional Kentish Trades, Crafts and Industries
November Susan Howe Cantering through a Funny Life

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2014

January	Martin Heard	The Sun King
February	Charles Beauclerk	Who wrote Shakespeare?
March	Imogen Corrigan	Charlemagne
April	Helen Allinson	Life in the Workhouse
May	Philip Stott	1984 Speak – The language which controls us
June	Toni Mount	Medieval Housewives
July	John Vigar	Kent Churches
August	Peter Medhurst	Paintings inspired by Music and Music inspired by Painting
October	Liam D'Arcy-Brown	Chusan: The Opium Wars and the forgotten Story of Britain's first Chinese Island
November	Prof. Brian Beeley	Update on the Middle East

2015

January	Richard Filmer	Bricks and Brickwork
February	Patricia Wright	Buckingham Palace
March	Shirley Smith	Leonardo at the Court of Milan
April	Dame Stephanie Shirley	A is for Autism
May	Martin Geard	Venice and the British
June	Dr Pam Blunden	Playing with Gender in Shakespeare
July	Steve Migden	WW1 A Musical Inspiration
August	Lars Tharp	The Captain and the Duchess the Creation of the Foundling Hospital
October	Tom Hart-Dyke	The World Garden at Lullingstone
November	Roger Hailwood	The National Memorial Arboretum

2016

January	Rt Revd Michael Turnbull	What are British Values?
February	Professor John Ray FBA	What are British Values? Lawrence of Arabia
March	Brian Cumming MBE MSM KGCstG	The Royal Hospital Chelsea
April	Dr Helen Fry	The Secret Life of Kendrick
May	Bernard Lockett	The Social and Political Satire of Gilbert and Sullivan
June	Ross Newham	East Malling Research – a local business having a global impact on the food we eat
July	John Vigar	Britain with Betjeman

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August	Jo Livingston	Odd Corners of London
October	Anthony Poulton-Smith	What's in a Place-name?
November	Dr Roger Rolls	'Diseased, Douched and Doctored'

2017

January	Richard Snow	Ten Brave Men and True'
February	John Field	The History of Magic
March	Elizabeth Sweeney-Smith	The European Parliament – how it works and who makes the laws
April	Penny Harris	A Wealden Woman's War
May	Ian Keable	Satirist to Insanity' – celebrating the life and work of James Gilray
June	David Rolfe	The Turin Shroud
July	Ian Bevan	Sir Christopher Wren
August	Stephen Harmer	The History of Gardening
October	Tom Way	Wildlife on your doorstep
November	Frances Hughes	The Master' ~ Sir Noel Coward as actor, writer and painter

2018

January	Dr Christopher Fifield	Kathleen Ferrier
February	Professor John Ray	The Roman Empire
March	Fiddle and Faff	Folk music through the years
April	WO Andy Rodulson	The modern Royal Air Force
May	Lesley Tipler	Martina bergman-Osterberg and her college at Dartford
June	Anthony Poulton-Smith	What's in a Place-name?
July	Janie Ramsay?	Without Reserve ~ the Antique Trade
August	Michael Smith	The story of Tom Crean
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November		