

Surrey U3A Network

A Day on the Train - A Railway Journey, Railway Adventures & Cultural History of Railways

A Study Day on Friday 16th February 2024 at The Menuhin Hall, Stoke d'Abernon

Speaker – Paul Atterbury

Introduction

A Day on the Train is an exploration of the social, cultural, economic and technical revolution
prompted by the development of Britain's railway network in the Nineteenth Century, and its
enduring impact today. Architecture, engineering, art and landscape all feature, along with the trains
themselves, and the people who travelled on them.

9.30	The Railway Landscape - The building of the railways, architecture, engineering, the impact on the
10.00	landscape and the railway legacy.
11.00	Coffee / Tea
11.30	Art and the Train - T he artists' response to the railways, from Turner, David Cox and Frith to Monet and the Impressionists, the Italian Futurists and Hopper and modern realists.
12.30	Lunch – Bring-Your-Own – Tea / Coffee available
1.30	Speed to the West - Great railway posters from the 1920s to the 1960s, illustrating the route of classic expresses from London to the West Country.
2.30 3.00	Tea / Coffee My Life with Trains - My personal railway journey from childhood train-spotting and camping coach
	holidays to writing over twenty railway books, via great journeys in Britain and across the world.
4.00	Departure
art, ar edited First	Ser – Paul Atterbury is a writer, lecturer, historian, curator and broadcaster specialising in the chitecture, design and social history of the 19 th and 20 th centuries. As a writer he has written or lover fifty books, covering art, antiques and design, travel, canals and railways, history and the World War. Paul has curated exhibitions for the Victoria & Albert Museum and for other tions in Britain and the USA and he has worked on the Antiques Roadshow since 1990.
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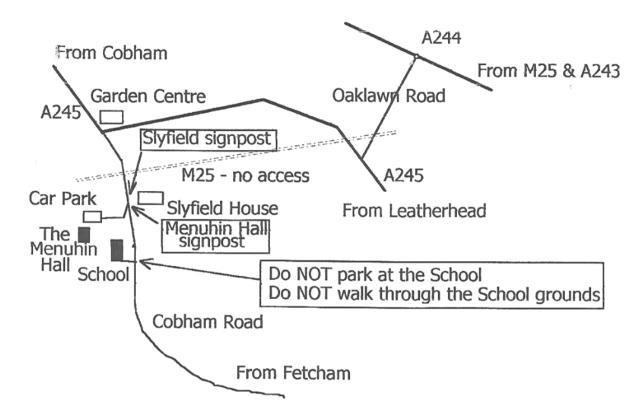
Location & Contact Details for Study Day

The Menuhin Hall, Cobham Road, Stoke d'Abernon, Surrey KT11 3QQ

Map Ref: TQ 132 579 on Landranger 187 & Explorer 146

Telephone 07763 805046 (Emergency - On-Day-Only) or Menuhin Hall Office 08700 842020

There is a Garden Centre (01932 862530), about 800 metres to the north of the Menuhin Hall where light lunches are available. Reservations are not required.



The Menuhin School was founded in 1962 in London and moved to its present site in 1964. It has around eighty pupils learning to play stringed instruments including piano and is financed, in part, by the DfE. Lord Menuhin was born in New York on 22nd April 1916 and died on 12th March 1999 in Berlin. His parents had come from Russia. His first public concert was in March 1924 and his first in Europe, in Paris, in 1927. His performance of Elgar's Violin Concerto was recorded at the Abbey Road Studios in 1932. The Hall, designed by Mark Foley, was conceived as a memorial to Yehudi and was handed over to the school on 5th August 2005. The official opening was on 7th January 2006. Yehudi is buried by the stone pillar in front of the Hall. Nearby is an oak which he planted on his 80th birthday. The Hall was first used for a Surrey Network Study Day on 14th October 2005.



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Study Days at the Menuhin Hall

Surrey Network Study Days - After an eighteen-month gap, study days at The Menuhin Hall resumed in September 2021. We welcome members to our study days in the hall, as in the past, while also making it possible to view the study days remotely.

Advertising & Booking - The practice of applying by post or by email will continue, with booking responses being sent as members chose, while payment can be made by cheque or bank transfer. We have discussed using on-line booking and consider that this is our likely next step, but the workload in setting up the programme for 2024 is our first priority. We advertise the study days with full details and booking forms on our website - http://u3asites.org.uk/surreyu3anetwork/ and circulate the information electronically to all u3as in Surrey Network and surrounding areas. We also electronically circulate a poster suitable for advertising the future programme on display boards or websites.

Nut Allergies - The Menuhin School has pupils who have an allergic reaction to nuts and the staff have taken the decision to make the school and the Menuhin Hall a nut-free environment. Please ensure that your lunch does not contain any trace of nuts.

Disabled Parking - There are six spaces behind the hall and there are more in the main car park. If you have a blue badge and need level access to the hall, then tick Disabled Parking on the booking slip; you will then be allocated a space at the back of the hall and sent a permit. There is a drop-off space where disabled members have level access to the hall.

Wheelchair Spaces - If you need a seat removed in the hall to accommodate a wheelchair then tick Wheelchair on the booking slip.

Support for Network Committee – The study days have been running successfully for nineteen years. New volunteers with ideas for the future programme and the commitment to help run future study days will be made very welcome. Our website is based on the u3a software Site Builder, and as a transfer to a new system is required in 2024 some help with the website would be very welcome.

Please contact Surrey Network Chairman, Cher Palmer, on 01293 784313 with offers of help.

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9.30am Registration – tea and coffee provided

Member £12 Guest £15

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