

# HARRIETSHAM HISTORY SOCIETY

## NEWSLETTER

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### Next Meeting

**Monday 17th March**  
**7.15 for 7.30 pm**  
**at**  
**The School Hall**  
**“Some Kent Ghosts”**  
**A talk by**  
**Dennis Chambers**

**Visitors welcome - £3.00 incl.**  
**refreshments**

### Diary Dates


**April 28th - AGM this will be**  
**held in the Church of St. John**  
**the Baptist.**

### **Chairman's Message**

Twenty one members and one guest came to our meeting in the village hall on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Feb when our speaker Lee Ault gave a very interesting talk about Victorian life whilst dressed in costumes and showing articles of clothing from what appeared to be a bottomless suitcase.

We are back in our usual venue, the School Hall for our next meeting on Monday 17th March and I would just remind everyone that access is from the main entrance as work is proceeding on the extension in the upper playground.

Following our workshop evening in January several of our members have been searching for information on WWI and have made some very interesting discoveries. We are endeavouring to collect as much information as possible on how the war affected life in the village and also the

 way members of the community participated in the war effort. Please let us know if you are able to help us in anyway with this project which will be on going over the next 5 years.



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