

# Bourne Hall Museum Club

The Club for young people 8+ who ❤️ history



Bourne Hall Museum Club is *the* club for children aged 8 to 12+ who love history and like to have fun while learning about it. We travel back through time to discover the past and its people encompassing all periods of history from the deepest Stone Age to the home front in Epsom during World War 2. A selection of our previous time travels include:

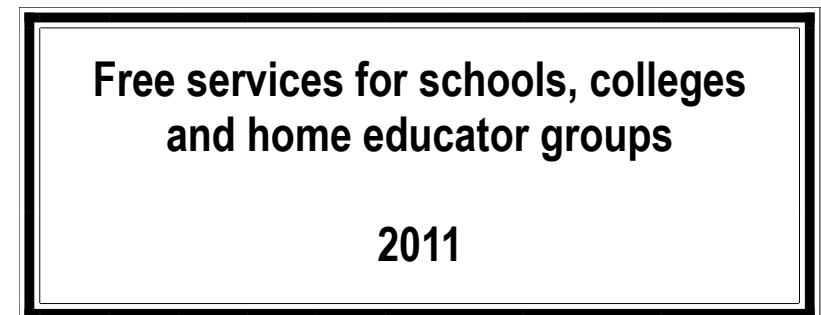
- Joining the Roman army
- Meeting Florence Nightingale
- Surviving the Stone Age
- Discovering Ewell's horrible history
- Re-fighting the Battle of Hastings
- Seeing what life was like for a Victorian child
- Experiencing life on the Home Front in Epsom & Ewell
- Being able to take part in a real archaeological dig.

Through a combination of hands-on experience, visiting experts and a coming together of enthusiastic minds, we aim to have fun and learn together.

The club meets on the second Saturday of each month at Bourne Hall, Spring Street, Ewell, Surrey, KT17 1UF between 1pm and 2.30pm and costs £4 per child for each session.

For more information, please email David Brooks by email: [dbrooks@epsom-ewell.gov.uk](mailto:dbrooks@epsom-ewell.gov.uk)

[www.epsomandewellhistoryexplorer.org.uk/BourneHallMuseumClub.html](http://www.epsomandewellhistoryexplorer.org.uk/BourneHallMuseumClub.html)



Welcome to Bourne Hall Museum, in Ewell, Surrey.

We are a local museum dedicated to preserving and recording the local history of the Borough of Epsom & Ewell. We have a permanent display based upstairs in Bourne Hall in Ewell village with free entry to the public. Here we exhibit a regularly changing display of all aspects of local history.

In addition to our traditional museum role we also offer a range of free services to schools, colleges and home educators, complementing all the key stages of the national curriculum. These include talks by museum staff at schools and colleges, guided walks around the Borough and loan boxes containing items chosen to illustrate certain topics from the curriculum.

Further details of these services are included in this booklet and for more detailed information please contact:

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## GUIDED WALKS

Guided walks for groups of up to one class at a time are also offered. These walks provide an excellent opportunity to fully illustrate local history. Walks on offer include:

- Epsom town centre
- Ewell village
- Manor Hospital site.

All walks are free of charge. Please ask if there is any other location that you would be interested in visiting.



## TALKS

We are pleased to be able to offer talks to pupils covering a variety of topics including;

- Roman Epsom & Ewell
- History of Epsom
- History of Ewell
- World War 1
- World War 2.

These illustrated talks are free of charge and can be suitable for KS1, KS2 or KS3. They can be given either at school or at Bourne Hall. Other subjects may also be covered. Please contact us to discuss details.



## LOAN BOXES

The free loan box service is offered to illustrate various historical topics studied within KS1 and KS2. Boxes include a combination of original artefacts from the museum's collections and reproduction items designed to illustrate some of the earlier periods of history. Boxes may be borrowed free of charge for up to half a term at a time.

### ROMANS



Boxes contain a selection of pots, tiles, brooches, lamps, writing equipment and finds from local archaeological digs.

There are 8 boxes available for loan.

### TUDORS

Learn how the Tudors lived. Our boxes include kitchen utensils, pots, clay pipes and items of clothing such as ruffs and shoes.

There are 4 boxes available for loan.



## VICTORIANS



Choose from boxes covering Victorian costume, home or school.

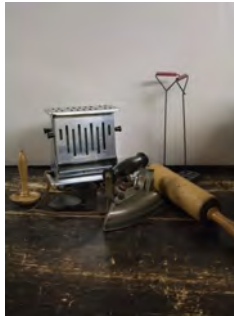
Discover what they wore, how they used abacus' and what their hot water bottles were like.

There are 13 boxes available for loan.

## 1930s

Illustrate home life in the 1930s. Our boxes contain a selection of cameras, games, magazines and kitchen utensils.

There are 4 boxes available for loan.



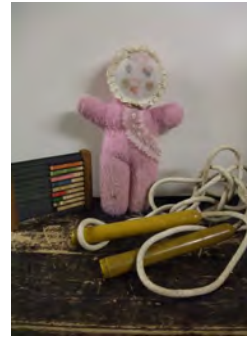
## WORLD WAR 2



Explore life in WW2 using gas masks, ration books, shrapnel and shell cases, newspapers, helmets and more.

There are 6 boxes available for loan.

## TOYS



Discover how toys have changed through time using our boxes containing a variety of toys from the 1900s to the 1950s.

There are 3 boxes available for loan.

For further detail on these or any other items of interest, please contact David Brooks.

Boxes are subject to availability and must be collected and returned to the museum by the borrower.

The above descriptions are not intended to be the full contents and our boxes contain many interesting items.