



The Arts Society Woodford Green (with Bancroft's) PROGRAMME 2017-18

Lectures take place in THE PREPARATORY SCHOOL HALL, unless otherwise stated,
on the 2nd Tuesday of the month.

LECTURES START PROMPTLY AT 8PM

Please be in your seat at 7.50pm for notices *and introduction by the Chairman.*

Refreshments are available from 7.15pm.

We are an independent charity & welcome donations from our visitors.

2017		
January 12	The Huguenot Silk Weavers of Spitalfields: from riches to rags	Lecturer: SUE JACKSON, BA Blue Badge Guide and lecturer for National Trust, U3A and City Lit
February 14	Les Parisiennes: How the women of Paris lived, loved and died in the 1940s	Lecturer: ANNA SEBBA Author and frequent broadcaster
March 14	7.30pm Musical Presentation from the School Followed by Music on the Grand Tour (with musical accompaniment)	Lecturer: PETER MEDHURST GRSM, ARCM Musician and scholar
April	No Meeting	
May 9	Princely Courts and porcelain secrets	Lecturer: ANNE HAWORTH BA, PhD Lecturer and guide at the V&A
June	No meeting	
July 11	Joseph Wright of Derby and the men and art of the Lunar Society	Lecturer: LESLEY PRIMO, BA, MA Lecturer and guide National Gallery, City Lit & Courtauld Gallery
August	No meeting	
September 12	The Art of the Japanese Garden: from tradition	Lecturer: PROFESSOR MARIE CONTE-

	to Modernity	HELM, BA, MA Lecturer, author and Broadcaster
October 10	The Jews of Italy	Lecturer: SUSAN KIKOLAR, BA, Lecturer, writer and interpreter, Honorary Director of British-Italian Society
November 14	7.30pm Society's AGM followed by: The Art of the River	Lecturer: ALEXANDER EPPS, BA, MA Lecturer and guide Tate, City of London
December 5	Charles Dickens – The man and his life through his characters	Lecturer: BERTIE PEARCE BA Member of the Magic Circle with Gold Star
2018		
January 9	Russian Apocalypse	Lecturer: PETER WARWICK Author, historian, lectures at National Maritime Museum and an expert on Nelson. He chairs the 1805 club.
February 13	1932: Pablo Picasso's Year of wonders.. And much more besides	Lecturer: RAYMOND WARBURTON, BSc, MSc, MA Guide at Tate Britain and Tate Modern.
May 8	Hidden canvasses- Street Art and the City	Lecturer: DOUG GILLEN Tour guide with Alternative London. He also manages the project Fifth Wall, which documents through film, the contemporary art scene in London.
July 10	250 Years of the Royal Academy	Lecturer: ROSALIND WHYTE, BA, MA Guide at Tate Britain, Tate Modern, Royal Academy and Greenwich
September 11	Fakes and Forgeries	Lecturer Malcolm Kenwood Retired specialist police and private detective; formerly Recoveries Director for Art Loss Register. He has worked with Scotland Yard and lectured widely to auction houses and Interpol.
October 9	Medical Gold	Lecturer: DR. JAMES GRANT, MBE MBE. Now a retired country doctor, he is passionate about the links between art and medicine.
November 13	Lest We Forget	Lecturer: ANDREW DAVIES Extra-Mural Tutor for Open University; author and frequent contributor to radio and television
December 4	Bellini and Mantegna	Lecturer: DR. PAULA NUTTALL, BA, PhD Director of V&A Medieval and Renaissance Course and author. Lecturer for Courtauld, Christie's, Art Fund and National Gallery.