

Welford and Weston Local History Society
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"So you think you know Stratford?"

This virtual talk, via Zoom, will be given by John Harris, on 27th November.

You will receive an email inviting you to join this meeting about a week before the meeting itself. This email is being sent to members who have renewed their membership, and new members who have joined recently. At the time of writing this newsletter, I am delighted to be able to tell you that another 3 new people have joined our Society, giving a current membership of 95.

On the evening of the talk you will be able to join the meeting from 19:00. The talk itself will start at 19:30. If you are fairly new to Zoom I would encourage you to join the meeting early, so that if you experience a problem, you'll have time to call Karen Dickinson (on 07970 179821), and get it sorted out before the talk itself starts at 19:30.



John Harris, a member of our Local History Society, is a Volunteer Guide at Shakespeare's Birthplace. His talk in 2017 "With the Best Will in the World" took us through the house where William Shakespeare was born.

This time John will take us on a *virtual* tour of Shakespeare's home town...Stratford-upon-Avon. Entitled "So you think you know Stratford?", we will be looking at some of the buildings, landmarks and other places of interest in the town.

- Do you know where the Everyman Statue is?
- What's the connection between the Royal Shakespeare Theatre and red telephone boxes?
- Where was, and who owned, Brook House?

All will be revealed on 27 November 2020

Don't let the lockdown get you down. It might be dark and cold outside but you can still join your friends, from the comfort of your own home, at these Zoom meetings.

If this is your first Zoom meeting, and you would like the opportunity of going over the basic functions of Zoom ahead of the meeting, you should contact Karen Dickinson on the number given above or Brad Plimmer on 750716.

Brad Plimmer
