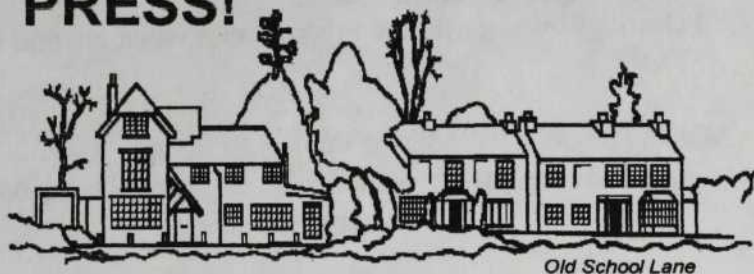


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Yateley  
Society

'Spring is sprung, the sun is ris ....'

and it's **MAY FAIR TIME!**

The Yateley Society will present its customary exhibition -  
this year the topic is: **'Public Houses in Yateley.'**

(That should rouse some interest!)

**There will also be our usual sales table.**

Members are reminded that we would be delighted to receive Preserves, Biscuits, Cakes, Plants, Knickknacks in good condition, Books, etc, for sale; this is most valuable to the Society as we need to offset the high costs of appearing at the May Fair.

(The May Fair is a very important opportunity for publicising the Society and its activities - to save money and effort by not appearing would be cutting off our nose to spite our face.)

Please note that all items for sale should be given to Stephanie Pattenden (at 26 Home Park Road, Yateley) by 5 pm on Sunday May 4th please.

There will be a need for volunteers to help erect the marquee on Yateley Green on the Monday morning at about 8:15 am, and to help dismantle it at 5:00 pm.

#### Yateley Society Talks

Please note that visitors will be charged £1-00 to attend our talks, also, Society members are asked to make a donation at talks, all to help build up our resources for fighting the many planning enquiries looming on the horizon. The Executive Committee realise that this will be unpopular, but it is necessary if we are to continue to be effective.



## YATELEY SOCIETY PROGRAMME

### April

Thurs April 24 - **Talk - 'Light Among the Trees'** In Yateley W.I. Hall at 8:00pm

Peter Beale will describe the colonisation of woodland clearings by butterflies & other species when a wood is properly managed.

Sun April 27 - **Conservation on the Common** Meeting point: Wyndhams Pool at 10:00 am

Assisting the Rangers to manage the Common - more volunteers are always needed! The normal work period is 3 hours - it's up to you to suit your own abilities! (Tools and free refreshments provided)

### MAY

\*\*\*\*\* **Monday May 5th - MAY FAIR** - on Yateley Green. \*\*\*\*\*

The Yateley Society will present its customary exhibition - this year the topic is 'Public Houses in Yateley.'

There will also be our usual sales table - Society members are reminded that all cakes, plants, books, etc, for sale should be given to Stephanie Pattenden by 5 pm on Sunday May 4th please.

**Thursday May 22nd - TALK - 'INSECTS'** by Arthur Jollands.

In the W.I. Hall, Reading Road, at 8:00 pm.

An illustrated talk by Arthur Jollands on some of the dragonflies, grasshoppers and crickets that can be seen on the Common and around Yateley.

**Sun May 25th - CONSERVATION ON THE COMMON** Meeting point: Wyndhams Pool at 10:00 am

Assisting the Rangers to manage the Common - more volunteers are always needed!

(Tools and free refreshments are provided)

### JUNE

**Sun June 1st - WALK** - The second in our Exploring the Blackwater Valley series. This covers Bramshill to Farley Hill and back. A circular walk along the River Blackwater footpath, green lanes and country lanes.

Meet at 2:30pm at Well House Lane, the turning off Ford Lane on the right before you reach the ford.

Map reference GRSU 745 632.

**Thursday June 26th - TALK - 'HEATHLAND BIRDS'** by Patrick Crowley

in the W.I. Hall, Reading Road, at 8:00 pm.

Patrick Crowley, Chairman of the Wokingham and Bracknell RSPB Members Group will give an illustrated talk on Heathland Birds. He has spent the last 3 years looking at areas of local heathland, and learning about the birds that can be seen on both the heathland and in adjacent habitats.

**Sun June 29th - CONSERVATION ON THE COMMON** Meeting point: Wyndhams Pool at 10:00 am

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