



A King Canute, Saxon
Coin, struck at the
Cricklade Mint – now
part of Copenhagen's
Royal Collection.

CRICKLADE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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Events

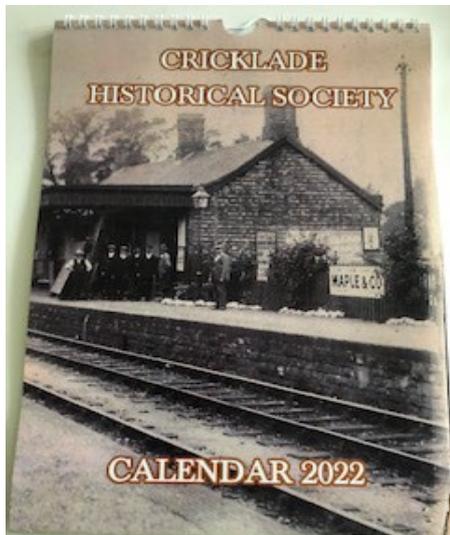
The August walk is organised for the 29th August. "Some buildings of the High Street," additional buildings have been added. If the weather is fine the walk will end in the garden of the Museum where the photograph display and refreshments will be taking place. The gallery of the museum will not be open. We will be offering any calendars we have left for sale (currently stock is 18) in the garden as well.

Museum reopening

The Committee decided at the last meeting that we would not open the museum this year to casual visitors. We plan a re-opening in March/April depending on Covid and Flu infection rates over the winter. We will continue to offer research visits throughout this period.

Fund Raising.

I am delighted to be able to report that the Calendars have been a good investment. We have recovered all our costs and the contribution to the Museum funds will be the same as holding a quiz night. If you want to purchase a calendar either email me or phone me on 07453 766744
Plans are already underway for the 2023 calendar!



Society Talks and AGM

At the recent committee meeting, we agreed to review the current hiring rules for the Town Hall annexe, prior to our planned talk in September. The committee members have since then, reviewed the hiring rules and decided that at this time it would be better to postpone the talk until the hygiene rules are eased. The October talk had already been cancelled due to the retirement of the Speaker.

The AGM this year was very well supported by post and email and I would like to offer our members a postal/email vote if they so wish. We had twice the number of responses to the resolutions than we usually have from the AGM attendees (59 votes by email/post v our usual 30 attendees) so it is certainly worth considering

We intend to hold a physical AGM in the Town Hall Annexe in February

Please would you let me know if you would like to receive a postal or email vote option.

Museum Volunteers

Given that it will be two years since most of the Museum Volunteers have been able to support us at the museum, I need to update the Museum Volunteer list.

Please would you let me know if you wish to continue as a volunteer or if you wish to join the volunteers.

Training is being planned for February & March with a view to opening the museum in March or April.

Pam Debenham 5.8.2021