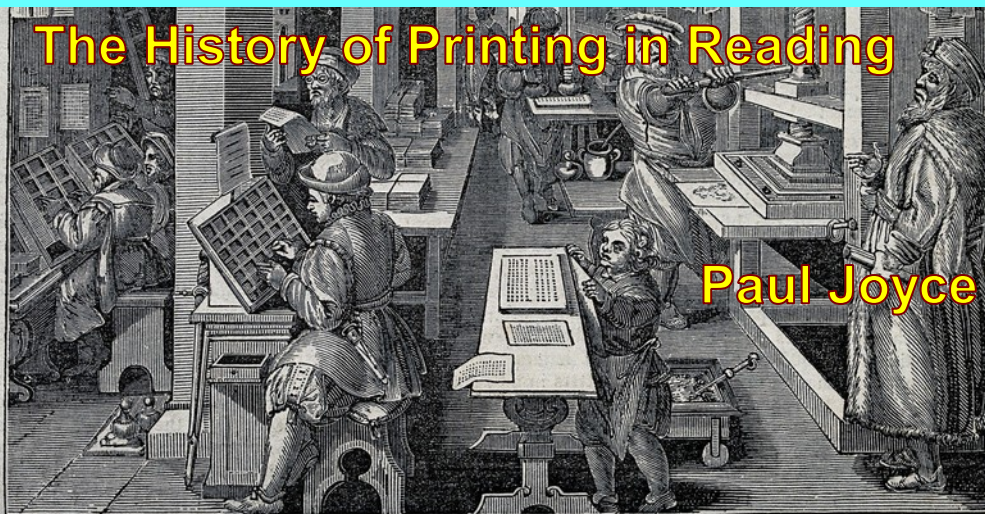


COMPOSITORS' WORK AND STEREOTYPING.

TODAY'S MEETING

Today's Presentation....

The History of Printing in Reading



[Ancient View of a Dutch Printing-Office.]

Paul Joyce

Prime Minister, hear what happened when a monarch forced his way into the House of Commons and see why repairs are so desperately needed.

Coming up in the next few months

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| 28 th Mar. 2022: | Anne Green Jessel | Lost Lidos |
| 25 th Apr. 2022: | Jeff Evans | 'Pop' on the Box |
| 23 rd May. 2022: | Mervyn Edwards | Walking the beat to Nirvana |

Payments Due Now - Reminder

- The Club Subscription of £22, please make any outstanding payment today.
- Today is the deadline for payment for the Morning Coffee plus Lunch at the Butchers Arms, Sonning Common. (Event Date: Tuesday 8th February 2022)

News of Members

Brian Davis has retired from the club after giving long service to the Club including Chairman in 2008/09, we are sorry to see Brian leave.

Maurice Holmes has also stood down from full membership and has been transferred to Associate Membership. We hope Maurice will be able to join in club events from time to time.

Mike Coulson, now resident in Wales, has been made an Associate Member recognising his service to the club particularly as our former Speaker Secretary.

Bern Martin is currently 'confined to barracks' due to Covid conditions in force at his residential care facility, we look forward to seeing him again at lunch meetings when conditions allow.

Members Birthdays

The following members have had, or will have their birthdays in January: - Alf Beagley, Peter Gough, Mike Palmer, Jack Shankla and Trevor Yapp. - Happy Days!

Tickets for the 'House on Cold Hill' at the Mill at Sonning - 23rd February

Adrian Bellars will be distributing the tickets for the above event at today's meeting. Please ensure that you have this event recorded on your 2022 calendars and diaries as, in past years, a few individuals have failed to turn up on the day.

100th Coffee Lunch

This special event will take place on the 10th May 2022 to celebrate its founder, John Roach. However, we do need an idea of the level of support for planning purposes so please add your names to the "Expression of Interest" board on display in the dining room today if you would like to attend or email: murraysmithg@aol.com

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Events Calendar - Details provided by individual Event Organisers

READING EAST PROBUS CLUB - FUTURE EVENTS CALENDAR

Day/Date	Event	Deposit/Payment required	Balance required
Monday 24 th Jan. 2022	<p>NOW CLOSED - January Probus Lunch at the Sonning Golf Club, Duffield Road, Sonning-on-Thames, Reading, RG4 6GJ</p> <p>The event starts at 12:00 noon.</p> <p>Menu - Steak & Ale Pie followed by Apple & Blackberry Crumble with custard</p> <p>The cost is £21 pp.</p> <p>Payment details at foot of final page - Reference: SGC01</p> <p>Event Organiser: Keith Toogood, T: 0118 961 8596</p>	Full amount of £21 pp. due no later than 09:00 on 24 th Jan. 2022	-
Tuesday 8 th Feb. 2022	<p>PLACES AVAILABLE - Morning Coffee plus Lunch No. 97 at the Butchers Arms, Blounts Court Road, Sonning Common, RG4 9RS</p> <p>The event starts at 11:00 with morning coffee and continues into a two course lunch at 12:30.</p> <p>The menu will be emailed with this newsletter or a hard copy will be found in the board folder at today's meeting.</p> <p>The cost is £20 pp. and if you wish to attend, please inform Gordon by email: murraysmithg@aol.com and, include your menu choices, using the short code or add your name to the board at today's lunch.</p> <p>Payment details at foot of final page - Ref: Butchers97</p> <p>Event Organiser: Gordon Murray-Smith T: 0118 969 3948</p>	Full payment of £20 pp. due on 24 th Jan. 2022, the January lunch date	-
Tuesday 15 th Feb. 2022	<p>NEW- A Winter Walk in Windsor Great Park</p> <p>The walk is 5-6 miles, see board for more information but the route may have to change as it is dependent on good ground conditions which will be checked a few days before the walk.</p> <p>Meet at 10:15 ready to move off at 10:30 at the West of Bishopsgate Road, Englefield Green where there is limited, free, on-street parking - please car share if possible. Please see board for alternative parking.</p> <p>OS Explorer map 160, Grid Reference: SU979721, closest Post Code: TW20 0XU</p> <p>Lunch will be taken in the Visitor Centre café at The Savill Gardens, see board for details.</p> <p>Joint Event Organisers: Keith Toogood / Peter Gough T: 0118 961 8596 / 0118 966 1159</p>	-	-
Wednesday 23 rd Feb. 2022	<p>NOW CLOSED - Visit to the Mill at Sonning, Sonning Eye, Reading, RG4 6TY to dine and see 'The House on Cold Hill' a spine-tingling play by Peter James</p> <p>Bar opens: 6 pm</p> <p>Dinner served from: 6.30 pm</p> <p>Performance starts: 8.15 pm</p> <p>Event Organiser: Adrian Bellars T:0118 947 0837</p>	-	-
Monday 28 th Feb. 2022	<p>NEW - February Probus Lunch at the Sonning Golf Club, Duffield Road, Sonning-on-Thames, Reading, RG4 6GJ</p> <p>The event starts at 12:00 noon.</p> <p>Menu - TBA</p> <p>The cost is £21 pp.</p> <p>Payment details at foot of final page - Reference: SGC02</p> <p>Event Organiser: Keith Toogood, T: 0118 961 8596</p>	Full amount of £21 pp. due no later than 09:00 on 28 th Feb. 2022	-

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READING EAST PROBUS CLUB - FUTURE EVENTS CALENDAR			
Day/Date	Event	Deposit/Payment required	Balance required
Tuesday 8 th Mar. 2022	<p>NEW - Morning Coffee plus Lunch No. 98 at the Ferry Boat, High Street, Whitchurch-on-Thames, Oxfordshire, RG8 7DB</p> <p>The event starts at 11:00 with morning coffee and continues into a two course lunch at 12:30.</p> <p>The menu will be emailed with this newsletter or a hard copy will be found in the board folder at today's meeting.</p> <p>The cost is £20 pp. and if you wish to attend, please inform Barry by email: us@bridgetandbarry.com and, include your menu choices, using the short code or add your name to the board at today's lunch.</p> <p>Payment details at foot of final page - Ref: Ferryboat98</p> <p>Event Organiser: Barry Neville, T: 0118 977 3038</p>	Full payment of £20 pp. due on 28 th Feb. 2022, the February lunch date	-
Tuesday 15 th Mar. 2022	<p>NEW - Pub Walk from the Queens Oak, Church Lane, Finchampstead, RG40 4LS</p> <p>The walk is approximately 4 miles, see board for more information.</p> <p>Meet at 10:15 ready to move off at 10:30 at the Queens Oak car park.</p> <p>OS Explorer map 159. Start Grid ref: SU794638. Lunch will be taken at the Queens Oak, details next month.</p> <p>Event Organiser: Chris Bintcliffe, T: 0118 926 4683 Email: mumscarlett@hotmail.com</p>	-	-
Tuesday 12 th Apr. 2022	<p>DATE FOR YOUR DIARIES - Morning Coffee plus Lunch No. 99 at the Wheelwrights Arms, Davis Way, St Nicholas Hurst, RG10 0TR</p> <p>Event Organiser: Richard Greenaway, T: 0118 954 1328</p>	-	-
Monday 19 th Sep. 2022 to Friday 23 rd Sep. 2022	<p>NOW CLOSED - A Four Night Sightseeing Visit to Warner Leisure - Alvaston Hall, Nantwich, Cheshire, CW5 6PD</p> <p>Event Organiser is Paul Townson, Tel: 0118 975 2191</p>	Deposit of £10 pp. due now but no later than 22 nd Oct. 2021	Balance in 2022

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Payments for Events

Payment by cheque:

Please make cheques payable to Reading East Probus Club and send to: Keith Toogood, 36 Campbell Road, Woodley, Reading, RG5 3NB. Please write unique Payment Reference shown against each event above on the reverse of the cheque.

Reading East Probus – Committee Members

Chairman - Nigel Poole, **Vice Chairman** - John Ledger, **Social and Visits Secretary** - Adrian Bellars, **Treasurer & Lunch Sec.** - Keith Toogood, **Secretary** - Mike Luff, **Membership Secretary & Almoner** - John Ledger (Acting), **Speaker Secretary** - Chris Ward, **Communications Coordinator** - Peter Gough, **Committee Member, Club Sales & Walks Coordinator** - Peter Francis