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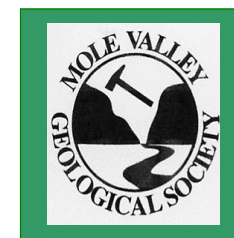
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2014 PROGRAMME



**THE MOLE VALLEY
GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY**
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The Mole Valley Geological Society normally meets monthly for lectures, soirées and occasional field excursions to study the geology of the Mole Valley and beyond. Founded in 1979, the Society is a Local Group of the Geologists' Association, founded in 1858. Visitors are very welcome. No previous geological knowledge is needed, just intense curiosity about the Earth and its history.

2014 PROGRAMME

9 January

Fracking shale gas: What on Earth is that all about? Professor Richard Selley.
Imperial College. London

13 February

Organic matter in our solar system: clues to life's origin and distribution
Professor Mark Sephton. Imperial College, London

13 March

Remote sensing for geological exploration & environmental studies
Dr Alex Davis. ExproData Consulting

4-7 April

Field trip to the Cotentin, France
Lead by Dr Graham Williams

10 April

Metal supply for a low carbon economy – where will it all come from?
Dr Richard Herrington. Natural History Museum, London

8 May

Minerals - from Mountains to Mines
Professor Peter Treloar. Kingston University

May 10

Field trip to Oxfordshire
Lead by Dr Lesley Dunlop

12 June

Summer Soirée: Members' Evening of mini-lectures & chilled wine

17 June

Field trip to the Western Weald
Lead by Dr Graham Williams

11 September

William Buckland: The First (Eccentric) Professor of Geology. Dr C Duffin.
Natural History Museum. London

9 October

Annual General Meeting & Annual Dinner
(N.B. 7.30 sharp start for dinner @ 8.30)

13 November

The origin of our species
Professor Chris Stringer FRS. Natural History Museum, London

11 or 18 December

Christmas Soirée: Members' Evening of mini-lectures, mulled wine & mince pies.
(Date depends on the currently unknown date of Dorking Christmas Gala Night)

Lecture meetings are held in the Dorking United Reformed Church Follett Hall; access off Church Street & West Street, (ample adjacent parking). Postcode: RH4 1BS.

Coffee & biscuits served from 7.30pm. Lectures start at 8.00 and finish at about 9.30. Visitors are most welcome. Non-members as Guests £3.00 Children under 18 & students £1.00. These fees include complimentary tea or coffee and biscuits.