

WORLINGWORTH LHG ANNUAL REPORT 2025

The Loyal Worlingworth Volunteers Painting Project came to a successful conclusion with the unveiling of the painting at The Hold in Ipswich on September 11th. Over 40 guests enjoyed speeches and nibbles with prosecco before viewing the painting.

The talks at our Quarterly Meetings were about:

May 2025 Worlingworth Church with Roy Tricker

Aug 2025 The Real Basil Brown/Sutton Hoo

Nov 2025 The Castle on the Hill

Feb 2026 The Siege of Haughley Castle/Battle of Fornham 1173

On May 29th, we carried out another successful demonstration of the Parish Fire Engine, continuing a parish tradition. One of the poles broke and new poles of ash wood have been ordered from a local carpenter.

Amongst our quarterly newsletter articles were articles on:

Murders, Assaults and other Felonies in Medieval Worlingworth

Worlingworth in the 1850s

Tannington Races

The Tragic Story of Amanda Curtis

In June, our WW1 interest group travelled to Ypres in Belgium once again where a full programme of activities was undertaken. Amongst the highlights was a visit to Hill 60 and the Aristocrats Cemetery at Zillebeke. We also visited the Passchendaele battlefield and the Messines mine craters including the Pool of Peace. The Menin Gate ceremony was very moving and we managed to talk with the buglers from the Last Post Association. Another great trip. This year we head back to the Somme again.

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