Purbeck U3A Archaeology 2024-2025

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**Meetings on the 4th Friday of the month**

**Coffee/tea served from 9:45 until 10:10**

**20p in the pot on the counter please**

Please return cups by 10:20 to allow helpers to switch on dishwasher and take their seats.

**Talks will start at 10:30**

Weshould be out of the hall by 12:00 please, as that’s when our hire period ends and other users may be coming in.

September 26th  **Pam White** The Buildings of Corfe. Having been involved in National Trust conservation in Corfe for many years Pam is an expert regarding the surprises and changes to properties in the village

October 24th **Lilian Ladle** Wareham Street Names. Past, present and future.

November 28th **Claire Pinder** Senior Archaeologist Dorset Council.

 The historic Environment Record and what it is used for

February 27th **Dr Martin Papworth** Senior National Trust Archaeologist , who you may have seen on television as well as at our group.

 Excavations at Corfe Castle, the Hidden Gateway

March 27th **Alex Godden** Who was unable tospeak about the Stonehenge tunnel after it was cancelled will speak about his current research dig,

 Salt Production in The New Forest and Lymington.

May 22nd **Derek Monk** Ergot a fungus which has changed history and saved lives possibly of several in the group. Derek will look at the development of this fungus from folk medicine to the important drug it is today

Please invite friends to join our group

 or to come as a taster if a topic is of interest.

 We have no limit on numbers as the hall is large.

If for any reason the group is not running I will try to let you know by e mail.