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CWM DULAIS HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Newsletter – Cylchlythyr

September 2023

Hello everyone - Helo pawb

Don't get too excited... this is only a very brief Newsletter to advertise the start of the season this month.... **14**th **September 2023**.

We kick off again with a talk from *Robert King* about **Hugh Dalton** a very successful gentleman from Neath. Born in 1887 he survived into the 20th century until 1962. Over those years he was an economist, academic and politician serving three Prime Ministers, Ramsay MacDonald, Winston Churchill and Clement Atlee. Quite an array of characters to deal with!

Without giving away all Robert's information I hope I have whetted your appetite for this talk **14**th **September** at **2pm**.

The other speakers listed in the programme are *Simon Osborne*; he spoke before very eloquently about the development of the Police Force and this time switches to **Fashion**! I'm sure he will have some examples with him on the **12**th **October**. Then on **9**th **November**, *John Richards* well known in this area as a speaker will give his **History of Surnames** talk.

Do we have any notable surnames in the Society? Names derive from a variety of sources apart from nicknames and corruptions of 'older' names while some like mine are related to a particular locality.

Enough said, please do come along if you can and support the Society.

Very best wishes

Tim Fearnside Chair CDHS/CHCD

Meetings are held on **Thursday afternoons** starting at **2pm** in the **Music Centre/ Band Room, Seven Sisters. SA10 9DH** (Doors open 1.45pm)

Talks normally last about 1 hour

Everyone is welcome to attend