

THE OXFORDSHIRE LOCAL HISTORY ASSOCIATION (OLHA)

***OXFORDSHIRE AT WAR 1914 – 1918***

A study day to be held on 8<sup>th</sup> November 2014 at  
The Soldiers of Oxfordshire Museum (in the grounds of the Oxfordshire Museum)  
Park Street, Woodstock, OX20 1SN

*The museum, opened by the Princess Royal on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2014, houses the archives of the Oxfordshire-based regiments. First World War displays tell the story of how conflict has affected the county. www.sofa.org.uk.*

**9.30 Coffee and Registration**

**10.00 The Queens Own Oxfordshire Hussars**

Tim May and Mike Cross. Colonel Tim May CBE TD DL is vice-chairman of the Soldiers of Oxfordshire Trust (SOFO) and was one of its founders. He served in and commanded the QOOH. Mike Cross is a long-standing volunteer with the Trust.

**10.45 The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry**

Brigadier David Innes OBE is a Trustee Director of SOFO and is responsible for fundraising. He was the first commanding officer of the 5<sup>th</sup> Battalion Royal Green Jackets, a new Territorial Army battalion raised in the mid 1980s.

**11.30 Break**

**11.45 Oxford in the Great War**

Malcolm Graham, former Head of Oxfordshire Studies with Oxfordshire County Council, has written extensively on many aspects of Oxfordshire life. His latest book *Oxford in the Great War* is published by Pen & Sword.

**12.45 Oxfordshire: Remembering 1914 - 1918**

Jane Cotter has used contemporary newspaper reports of activities throughout Oxfordshire to record the effect of war on the ordinary lives of the county's inhabitants. Her new book *Oxfordshire: Remembering 1914-18* is published by the History Press.

**13.15 Lunch**

The SOFO Museum is in the grounds of the Oxfordshire Museum, where there is a reasonably-priced café. There are numerous cafés and pubs in Woodstock.

**Afternoon**

Attendees are free to explore the Soldiers of Oxfordshire Museum - admission is included in the fee for the study day. The neighbouring Oxfordshire Museum has extensive information on Woodstock, and a town walk leaflet is available at the information desk.

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Booking for *Oxfordshire at War study day, Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2014. Fee includes museum entry.*

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Name of local society if applicable .....

No. places at **£10 each** ..... Your e-mail address .....

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**WOODSTOCK lies on the A44, 8 miles north of Oxford**  
**Bus: Stagecoach S3 (01865 772250)**

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**There is a long-stay car park off Hensington Road, and long stay parking in Union Street, Brook Hill, and in Rectory Lane.**

