



Shearsby History Group, Minutes 30/04/2018

Attendees:

34 people attended.

Minutes:

We were thoroughly entertained by Anthony King with his 1000 Years Show. Playing guitar he sang songs and told jokes about English history making particular references to Leicester and Leicestershire and the famous people from the County.

Richard III and Lady Jane Grey were principally singled out, but he started the evening with a song that covered every king and queen since William the Conqueror. He also had made a funny song about Shearsby as well as one that debated who from Leicestershire should have a statue made of them. The Melton Mowbray pork pie song was good and the Battle of Agincourt song was very dramatic.

Financially the evening was a success and the income from tickets exactly covered the cost of the entertainer, hire of the hall and the biscuits etc. There was no surplus.

Thanks go to all who helped with the event.

Anthony King has a website www.1000years.co.uk , email 1066to2066@gmail.com , or can be contacted on 07483 843 452.

Next meeting(s)

- Gilmorton History Group:

GHG are running a trip to Bruntingthorpe Proving Ground for the Grand Tour on Tuesday 19th June at 7.30pm. If you would like to attend or know more please contact Liz Walton on 07764 894 915 and book a place.

- Shearsby History Group:

Will meet next on Monday 28th May (Bank Holiday) at 7.30pm in the village hall. A gentleman from the local metal detector club will be invited to talk about the hobby, its finds and what and where in Shearsby anything has been unearthed.

We are to have a 4 month summer break and so the following meeting will be on 29th October. Reminders will be sent.