

WGCG WORKSHOP

Saturday 25 February 2023, 10.00 to 16.00

The Geology of Warwickshire – an Introduction

Venue: Senior Citizens Club, Abbey End, Kenilworth

This year, in response to requests from members, we are devoting our study day to an introduction to the geology of our county. Clearly, with some of the oldest rocks in the country as well as others that were deposited just a few thousands of years ago, this will be a ‘broad-brush’ introduction. However, it will be especially appropriate for those who have little familiarity thus far with what lays under our feet, but, hopefully, will offer something to those who have been looking at Warwickshire’s rocks for many years.

Programme

1. The Precambrian and the Lower Palaeozoics - Dr Mike Howe, British Geological Survey
2. The Upper Palaeozoics, especially the Carboniferous – Mike Allen
3. The Permo-Trias – Dr Stuart Burley
4. The Jurassic – John Crossling
5. The Quaternary – Ian Fenwick
6. The Extractive Industries of Warwickshire – Brian Ellis

Each presentation will involve some ‘chalk and talk’, but will be accompanied by visuals and specimens. Each session will allow for examination of specimens and for discussion/questions. Numbers may have to be limited so early registration is recommended.

There is parking in the Abbey End car park adjacent to the hall, or, if you are lucky, free on-street parking is available in Forrest Road on the south side of the Abbey Fields.

As in the past, we are asking for a fee of £10 to secure a place. Places will be limited to 30 participants, which we anticipate will allow all who want to join in to do so, but will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. We will inform you if you apply after the workshop is full.

To register, please complete this Word form (below) by not later than 30th January and send to

Ian Fenwick at ianfenwick4@gmail.com; transfer the £10 to sort code **40-27-06** and account **51411101** with a reference: (Surname) (Workshop).

Alternatively, send your form and a cheque made out to WGCG by post to:

Julie Harrauld (Workshop)
70 Blackbrook Road, Loughborough, Leics., LE11 4PZ

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Registration for Workshop 25/2/23

I wish to register for the workshop on Warwickshire Geology to be held on Saturday 25th February 2023

Name

E-mail address:

I enclose a cheque / have transferred the fee of £10 to the WGCG account (delete as appropriate)