



**Dear Members,**

We held a small informal lunch in Harpenden for local members, it was a real pleasure to catch up with people in 3D! We are planning several more local events around the country. Anyone is welcome to attend any of our local events, so please do sign up if you will be in the area for any of them. We would especially love to meet some of our newer members.

**Blue Badge Guide Katie Wignall returns to run a virtual tour of Fleet Steet & Holborn on 6<sup>th</sup> September, we hope to see many of you there. I will be sending out the Zoom Link on Friday.**

**Events:** Fliers & booking links here: [Diary Events \(cityconsorts.org\)](https://www.cityconsorts.org)

*The AGM & 4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Luncheon on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October in the presence of the Lady Mayoress is now open for bookings. Once again, this event will be held virtually.*

**Forthcoming Events – all open for bookings unless specified**

**NEW EVENT:** 15<sup>th</sup> September – London Local Group catch-up 11am – meet at the Barbican Kitchen for coffee/light lunch and a chat. Open to anyone who will be in London that day.

**21<sup>st</sup> September – Jigsaw Coffee Mornings 11am-midday on Zoom; Preparation for being a Consort for 12 weeks ending on 7<sup>th</sup> December. This is primarily for 2021 & 2022 Consorts.** Sessions include The Lord Mayor; The Lord Mayor’s Show; Guildhall; The City of London Corporation; Company Arms, Traditions & Pageants; Etiquette & Dress Codes; Organising Events etc. An optional What’s-App groups will be created for those attending to keep in touch with each other between sessions. No Charge.

**23<sup>rd</sup> September** – The Tower of London – Lance Whitehouse returns by very popular request 6pm on Zoom £7.50

**27<sup>th</sup> September** – The City by the Book from Jill Finch 11am on Zoom “A virtual tour of the City focusing on literature. The echoes of authors and poets are round every corner, Jill Finch shows us the Streets where the word was once mightier than the hedge Fund!” **£10.00**

**4<sup>th</sup> October** – Ironmongers’ Hall Luncheon Club lunch for 2022 Consorts. £52.00

**13<sup>th</sup> October** – London Local Group Coffee 10.30am-11.45am – Finsbury Square Gardens (near Carpenters’ Hall)

**13<sup>th</sup> October** – Wizardry in Wood Group Visit 12-2pm, preceded by London area Coffee Morning at 10.30am (follow instructions carefully to book to ensure you get the special price and join our group)

**15<sup>th</sup> October** – AGM & Anniversary Luncheon on Zoom. AGM 11.40am, Luncheon from Midday. The AGM details and Annual Review will be circulated shortly. No charge.

**18<sup>th</sup> October** – Tea & Coffee in the City from Jill Finch 11am on Zoom £10

**28<sup>th</sup> October** – Talk from Andrew Sillett on being a City Photographer 6pm on Zoom £7.50

**1<sup>st</sup> November** - Museum of London Talk on Zoom 11am (Open for bookings soon). No Charge.

**9<sup>th</sup> November** – The Square Mile aka Money, Money. Money with Andrew Catto 6pm on Zoom £10.00

**15<sup>th</sup> November** – City Safari from Katie Wignall 11am on Zoom £10.00

**17<sup>th</sup> January 2022** – Back by popular request, our Annual Ironmongers' Hall Lunch open to all members (Save the date)

**More face-face events are being planned, some open to all, some for local groups and year groups. These will always be on the website first, so do keep checking.**

**Website:**

**If you need any help accessing the Website, please email [C2Membersonly@gmail.com](mailto:C2Membersonly@gmail.com)**

You need your personal logon and password to book events. The old generic password this is no longer in use.

**Jigsaw program:**

Our informal Coffee Morning series starts on 21<sup>st</sup> September for 12 weeks covering subjects including Traditions, Pageants and Ceremonies, The City of London Corporation, The Lord Mayor and the Sheriffs, The Lord Mayor's Show, Etiquette & Dress Codes, Attending and organising Events etc. More details and a Booking Form is on the website. Priority will be given to 2021 & 2022 Consorts. An optional WhatsApp keep group will be set up for all those attending to keep in touch with each other.

**Members' Directory:**

Have you checked our Members' Directory – find out who lives near you, do you want to send someone you have met a card or an email? If you would like to be included or any of your personal details have changed, please complete a new form here: [Members' Directory \(cityconsorts.org\)](http://Members'Directory(cityconsorts.org))

Please keep checking the Website and Facebook for news and updates. We look forward to seeing you soon at one of our Events.

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