



5th edition July 2017 Free

PENTRICH 2017 - BICENTENARY EVENTS

The Re-enactment walk - 4th June 2017.

The walkers gather at Giltbrook after a fourteen mile march – fortunately not a hussar or dragoon in sight!









Around a hundred people took part in the re-enactment walk and enjoyed ale in at The Poet and Castle in Codnor and choral singing in Eastwood. Over 300 people took part in the programme of walks in May and June.

The Commemorative Event - 10th June 2017





The Biz Adventure Theatre Company will perform from the musical The Last Revoluti Children's entertainment for 2.5 year olds Refreshments available all day Commemorative Exhibitions Eveniae entertainment with Ewan McLennar BBC award winner Music by Ed Sanders and much, much more!!!











New publications

The Pentrich Revolution Remembered 1817 - 2017 - £7.50

Pentrich Revolution - John Neal - £10.00

Set of Trail guides for all 19 Pentrich Walks - £2.00

Do you want to become a revolutionary?

As we get further into 2017 we will need more volunteers and helpers for the many events, walks and exhibitions that we have planned. Attendance at training sessions may be required for certain activities. For further information or to become a member or a friend of the Pentrich and South Wingfield Revolution Group please contact Valerie Herbert -

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You can become a Friend for as little as £5 per year. You will receive our Newsletter giving updates on all events. As a charity we depend on donations to carry on the work both now and after the bicentenary commemoration in 2017. If you would like to become a member or make a donation it will be eligible for gift aid as we are a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (Number 1166940)



The Pentrich Revolution Bicentenary

Our Summer Exhibitions

- The Exhibition of our Original artworks
 Cromford Mills. 30th June 7th July
- Prints of the Art Exhibition will be on display at: Amber Valley Reception, Ripley
 The Library, Sutton in Ashfield.
- Permanent 'mini' Exhibition at: Ripley's Fish & Chips. New Street.
- · Pickford House Exhibition, Derby,
- The Derbyshire Records Office Exhibition.
- 12th August, 28 Cafe. Belper. Exhibition.

The Pentrich Revolution Bicentenary as seen on BBC TU





Review

This was a thoughtful and emotional re-imagining of the lives of people caught up in The Pentrich Revolution. A considerable amount of dramatic license was employed in bringing this tragic tale to life with a tone reminiscent of Les Miserables.

While we know something of the men involved in the rising, this production also offered an insight into the lives of the women of Pentrich and South Wingfield - those who were left behind when their men were executed, transported or jailed. There was even a central role for Brandreth's son, Tom.

The musical also focused on the imagined inner turmoil of some of the main protagonists especially Brandreth and William Oliver giving them more three dimensional personalities.

Caroline Reader and Dave Culling did a marvellous job with their company of enthusiastic performers and were rewarded with an appreciative audience.







The Amber Valley and Erewash Walking Festival, Autumn Footprints, will include five of our walks in September 2017, led by the Pentrich and South Wingfield Revolution Bicentenary Group. These will take place as follow;

Tuesday 12th September: Pentrich
 Thursday 14th September: Ripley
 Saturday 16th September: Alfreton

Wednesday 20th September: South Wingfield

Sunday 24th September: Heage and Lower Hartshay

The Pentrich and South Wingfield Revolution Group was formed in 2014 as a single purpose community organisation dedicated to increasing and retaining awareness of the 1817 Pentrich Revolution. It is now a Charitable Incorporated Organisation. Its objectives are:

- to commemorate the 1817 Pentrich Rising;
- · to educate and increase awareness about the rising;
- to establish a legacy which preserves and entrenches the heritage of the Revolution.

Please note that there will be no newsletter in August – our next edition will be available from 1st September 2017.