Joint CMS / M.B.S. Conference: Status and Display

Friday 2nd to Sunday 4th September 2022

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14:00 Arrival and registration, Duke's Head Hotel

14:45 Visit to King's Lynn churches

- 15:00 St Nicholas chapel Jean Wilson, *The Monuments of St* Nicholas Church
- 16:00 St Margaret's church Paul Cockerham, 'Those tasteless Topographers': The Historical Accounts of the Brasses of King's Lynn

19:00 Dinner at the Duke's Head

20:00 **Keynote lecture** Tobias Capwell, Flowering and Decline: English Effigies and Armour in the Late Fifteenth Century

Saturday 3rd September

- 10:15 St John's church, Oxborough Jon Bayliss, *Terracotta Tombs*
- 11:45 All Saints church, Narborough TBC, *The Spelman Mausoleum*

13:00 Lunch in Swaffham

- 14:25 St George's church, South Acre Jessica Barker, *Holding Hands on the Harsick brass*
- 15:45 St Mary's church, Rougham David Lepine, *The Yelvertons of Rougham* and their brasses

Tea at Rougham

19:00 Reception

19:30 Conference dinner, Duke's Head Hotel

About the Event

This year's conference has been organised in collaboration with the Monumental Brass Society and will be held at the Duke's Head Hotel in King's Lynn. The theme is 'Status and Display' with excursions to the chapel of St Nicholas and St Margaret's church in the town (Friday afternoon) and to the village churches of Oxborough, Narborough,

Sunday 4th September

09:15 Lectures

Philip Muijtjens, Contention and Resurrection: The Tombs of Jean and Blanche of France in Royaumont Nicholas Flory, Illustrissima ac potentissima princeps: The Commemorative Brass Plaques of Isabella of Portugal and her Carthusian Donations Challe Hudson, Clothing for Piety, Fashion, and Power: The Costume of Lady Margaret Beaufort

10:45 Coffee and tea

11:30 Lectures

Robin Netherton, *The Sideless Surcote: Elusive, Illusive, Allusive* Roger Bowdler, *Rank Decay: 17th-Century Vanitas Monuments to Persons of Status*

Jean Wilson, Not a leg to stand on: the monument to Robert Pierrepont, †1669, at West Dean, Wiltshire

13:00 Lunch and depart

South Acre and Rougham (Saturday) where a team of experts will introduce a remarkable series of medieval and early modern funerary monuments and brasses in north-west Norfolk.

The conference fee includes accommodation, breakfast and evening meals, all tea and coffee breaks, Sunday lunch and attendance on the excursions and lectures. Accommodation at the hotel is en-suite in single, double and twin rooms. It is limited and will be reserved on a firstcome, first-served basis. Members are also welcome to arrange their own accommodation and to attend on a nonresidential basis and will need to do so if the demand for rooms exceeds our allocation at the Duke's Head. King's Lynn has a wide range of accommodation to suit all budgets including a Premier Inn and a Travelodge.

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Conference Rate		Members	Non- members	Twin/ double (members)*	Twin/double (non- members)*
Duke's Head Hotel (includes 2 nights' accommodation, evening meal on Friday, breakfasts, tea/ coffee, lunch on Sunday and Society dinner on Saturday)		£320.00	£345.00	£270.00	£295.00
Non-residential Friday afternoon (church visits, dinner and keynote lecture)		£45.00	£55.00		
Non residential Saturday excursion		£40.00	£50.00		
Non-residential Saturday reception and dinner (includes wine)		£40.00	£50.00		
Non-residential Sunday morning (six lectures and lunch)		£35.00	£45.00		
Further Information *Rate for two people sharing					
The deadline for booking is 30 June 2022 .					
All enquiries and completed booking forms should be sent to: militarychurchmonuments@gmail.com					
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