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# PROGRAMME 2025/26

*Non-members are welcome at all meetings except that only members may vote at the Annual General Meeting. You may join, pay on the night and vote at the meeting.*

November 17 **Dover Society General Open Meeting**

Monday 7.30pm **Speaker:** Simon Bill

**Topic:** Dover Arts Development. A talk, slide show and discussion from Simon Bill who is the author and artist of the book *Dover, 12 essays*. The Arts Council England funded this project.

December 7 **Dover Society Festive Lunch & Entertainment**

12.30 for 1pm **The Marina Hotel, Dover Waterfront**

£30.50 pp

Price to include arrival drink, three course meal, tea, or coffee. Barry Goss will provide the entertainment. Extra wine or other drinks may be ordered and purchased at the venue. Arrival drinks from 12.30pm. Finish at 4pm. All details and the booking form can be found in the centre of this newsletter on page 21.

**Pre-orders for the meal are required two weeks before the event.**

## 2026

January 19 **Dover Society General Open Meeting**

Monday 7.30pm **Speaker:** Melanie Wrigley, Ecologist National Trust.

**Topic:** Ecology and Geology of the White Cliffs.

February 16 **Dover Society Quiz Night**

Monday

7.00 for 7.30pm

£5 pp

Our ever-popular light-hearted quiz evening held in St Mary's Church Hall.

Make up your own table of six, or, if you are unable to, we will fit you in where appropriate.

March 16: **Dover Society General Open Meeting**

Monday 7.30pm **Speaker:** Martin Easdown, National Piers Society

**Topic:** Dover Promenade Pier

April 20: **Dover Society Annual General Meeting**

Monday 7.30pm **Speaker:** Martin Crowther, Maison Dieu Engagement Officer.

**Topic:** The A to Z of the Maison Dieu

Members are reminded that the new subscription rates take effect from April 2026.

May **Dover Society General Open Meeting**

Monday 7.30pm **Speaker:** tba in the March newsletter

For the first time, The Dover Society will be holding a meeting during May. We hope that you will be able to attend. If it is successful, it will become a permanent fixture.

*All indoor meetings are held at St. Mary's Parish Centre*

*Non-members are welcome on all society outings.*

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