The Story of the Wirral - Ken Pye, Discover Liverpool

A Fellow of Liverpool Hope University and the Royal Society of Arts, Ken Pye is a popular local historian and lectures on the history and heritage of Liverpool and Merseyside throughout the North West. His illustrated ‘The Story of the Wirral’ talk begins with the prehistory of the peninsula, including the Storeton Dinosaurs and the Petrified Forest of Meols and continues with the ancient peoples of Wirral and the conquering Romans. Ken tells about the Viking invasions, and particularly the fabled ‘Battle of Brunanburgh’. Covering the founding of the ferries across the Mersey, Ken tells how Wirral and its people changed during the industrial revolution. He finishes with the story of the Mersey tunnels, and Wirral at War. This whistle-stop journey through a fascinating and important history is both entertaining and informative.

Venue and Date
The lecture theatre, Grosvenor Museum, Grosvenor Street, Chester, Saturday 23rd February 2019

Programme
10.30 am Doors open. Tea or Coffee will be provided in lecture theatre.
11.15 -12.30 (approx) Talk by Ken Pye
1pm Lunch at Moules A Go-Go, 6 – 12 Cuppin Street, Chester CH1 2BN.

Cost per person
Talk alone £5, Talk plus two course lunch £20 (Drinks excluded)

Access and Parking
The museum and the restaurant have access for mobility impaired people and a disabled lavatory. There is parking at the castle car park for £5 per day. Contact on the day: Caroline Lloyd, 07881 511061. Children are welcome if they are accompanied by a responsible adult.

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Reply Slip – Ken Pye Lecture – please reply by 10th February

Price per head: £5 talk only or £20 talk and lunch

By cheque: Please send your completed form and cheque payable to Cambridge Society of West Cheshire and North Wales to Hilary Davies (Treasurer), Pharm House, Neston Road, Willaston, CH64 2TL.

By bank transfer: Please make payment to Sort Code: 60-40-08, Account Number: 33051798. Please use Ken Pye and your name as the reference on the payment. Please either post form to Hilary Davies or email her with confirmation of bank transfer to davies.hilary@btinternet.com.

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Please advise if you have any dietary requirements.

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