

# JEWISH HERITAGE DAYS

SUNDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER TO SUNDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2019

## "Heritage"



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## UK Organisers: B'nai B'rith UK

**B**'nai B'rith UK was established in 1910. It is part of an international organisation founded in 1843, which advocates for global Jewry and champions the cause of human rights. B'nai B'rith is active in 59 countries with representation at the UN, UNESCO and the EU.

B'nai B'rith UK is a cross-communal organisation whose aim is to bring Jewish people together to promote tolerance, strengthen the Jewish Community, combat racial and religious prejudice, to help the less fortunate and the disadvantaged.

Local groups provide innovative cultural, educational and social programmes. These include speaker events, concerts, theatre outings, quizzes, debates, visits to places of interest, walks and trips abroad. These provide a great social network and the opportunity to participate in and support our humanitarian and heritage projects.

The European Days of Jewish Culture and Heritage (see next page), run by a team of volunteers, is a mainstay of our calendar.

B'nai B'rith UK's London Bureau of International Affairs engages with the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, the Department for International Development and foreign embassies on behalf of Jewish people internationally and to support Israel. More widely, we promote the human rights of minority groups.

We sponsor a food aid programme for needy families and after school activities for children in the southern Israeli development town of Qiryat Gat. We also support a humanitarian medical programme for elderly Jews and righteous gentiles in Kiev, Ukraine and a shoe programme for a children's orphanage in Odessa.

Our BB Young Professionals group is for those in their thirties and forties, organising social and cultural events, either on their own or in partnership with other charities.

Other B'nai B'rith UK activities include providing scholarships for Jewish engineering graduates and supporting the British Armed Forces Jewish Community Annual Faith Training Weekend.



B'NAI B'RITH UK

# European Days of Jewish Culture & Heritage 2019: United Kingdom

**W**e are very pleased to have a total of 44 synagogues, organisations and walking tours taking part in our heritage activities this year, many holding more than one event.

Initiated by the B'nai B'rith Lodge in Strasbourg, the EDJCH rapidly spread across Europe and is this year celebrating its 20th anniversary. It is organised by a partnership between B'nai B'rith Europe, the European Council of Jewish Communities and the Spanish Jewry Network and is part of the Council of Europe's project 'Europe - A Common Heritage'. As a result of the EDJCH, the European Route of Jewish Heritage has evolved and is now one of the major cultural routes of Europe.



B'nai B'rith's theme for 2019 is simply 'Heritage', which lends itself to myriad possibilities.

Cultural heritage includes 'tangible culture': buildings, monuments, landscapes, books, works of art and artifacts; 'intangible culture': folklore, traditions, language, and knowledge and 'natural heritage': culturally significant landscapes and biodiversity. It also includes an individual or group of people's own heritage: where they came from and how their heritage shaped the person they came to be. All of these interpretations offer a wealth of opportunities for open days, talks, guided walks and exhibitions.

## B'nai B'rith UK film screening event

We are excited to announce a B'nai B'rith Heritage film screening of 'Why the Jews?' a fascinating film, directed and produced by Canadian producer, John Curtin, in which he answers the question of why Jews have been so successful, despite enduring such hatred and prejudice across the years.

The stunning accomplishments of the Jews raise a question no film has dared ask before. How do they do it? Some of the world's most prominent thinkers tackle a mystery shrouded in ignorance and prejudice. They tear back the curtain on a taboo and draw a startling link between a people's achievements and the darkest hours in its history.

The film will be followed by a Q&A with John via Skype from Canada with author, journalist and historian, Jeremy Havardi.

We hope that you will all want to come along, so make sure to book your tickets as early as possible as we expect the event to sell out!

Tickets can be booked at: [bbuk-heritage.eventbrite.co.uk](http://bbuk-heritage.eventbrite.co.uk)

Sunday 15th September at ORT House  
126 Albert St, Camden Town, London NW1 7NE.  
Refreshments served afterwards.

*The following have generously  
sponsored a page in this booklet:*

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late husband Ernest

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Yitzchak Rabin Lodge

## Some of this year's highlights:

- Liberal Jewish Synagogue: talk on 10th September by Professor Francesca Klug on human rights.
- West London Synagogue: desserts, wine and a talk on the development of Anglo-Jewish culture by Blue Badge guide Rachel Kolsky on 21st September.
- Waddesdon Manor: tour giving an insight into the story of the Rothschild family's rise from modest beginnings in the Frankfurt ghetto to wealth and power in the 19th century on 19th September.
- B'nai B'rith Leeds Music Society: an audio-visual presentation on 'Out of the Shadows: rediscovering music which the Nazis erased' on 19th September.
- Worth Park History Society (a new participant!): will open its doors and hold an exhibition from 9th to 13th September. Although the actual house was demolished many years ago, the stable complex, built in 1882, remains with a visitor centre located in the courtyard. The James Pulham Formal Gardens and Italianate Terraces were restored during a Heritage Lottery Fund project.
- Hughenden Manor: open doors and display entitled 'Disraeli's life as a Jew and a Christian' from 8th September to 22nd November.
- Thanet & District Reform Synagogue: exhibition on the history and heritage of the Jews of the South East England from medieval to modern times on 8th September.
- London Metropolitan Archive: illustrated talk and document viewing called 'Jewish Londoners: Stories from the Archive' on 20th September.
- Mottisfont (another new participant): open doors and talk on 14th and 15th September. Mottisfont is a former Augustinian priory founded in 1201, becoming a private home in the 16th century. Its last owner, Maud Russell, was the daughter of German Jewish immigrants. She helped several of her Jewish relatives in Europe during WW2.
- V&A (yet another new participant): series of talks celebrating the V&A's Jewish heritage, its Judaica collection and its Jewish Patrons on 12th, 19th and 26th September.

In the spirit of interfaith outreach & understanding  
of Jewish culture, **EVERYONE** is welcome!

# Listings

Associated with the National Heritage Open Days:  
13th to 22nd September [www.heritageopendays.org.uk](http://www.heritageopendays.org.uk)

Events are subject to alteration and possible cancellation up to the last minute, so it is essential to phone or email the organisers or venues in advance.

## Thursday 25th July to Sunday 10th November

London

### Jewish Museum London

**Exhibition.** 'Where the Wild Things Are: The Art of Maurice Sendak'. Explore a magical forest, travel across the sea in Max's private boat and take part in a wild rumpus in our new family-friendly exhibition. 'Where the Wild Things Are' showcases Maurice Sendak's original artwork and illustrations for the book loved by readers of all ages around the world. Standard admission applies. Daily: 10am - 5pm (Except Friday 10am - 2pm). Raymond Burton House, 129-131 Albert St, London NW1 7NB. Contact: Hannah Talbot [admin@jewishmuseum.org.uk](mailto:admin@jewishmuseum.org.uk) 020 7284 7356 [Jewishmuseum.org.uk](http://Jewishmuseum.org.uk) **DA L T DT S**

## Sunday 1st September to Monday 30th September

Around the UK

### Sussex - Nymans, National Trust

**Open doors.** Display in Dining Room, showcasing images and objects relating to Alfred Messel, the architect brother of Ludwig Messel who bought Nymans. We'll be delving a little into the brothers' Jewish background too. Grade II. National Trust entry rates apply. 11am - 4pm (3.30pm last entry). Nymans, Handcross, Sussex RH17 6EB. Contact: Rebecca Graham [Rebecca.Graham@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:Rebecca.Graham@nationaltrust.org.uk) 01444 405257 [nationaltrust.org.uk/nymans](http://nationaltrust.org.uk/nymans) **DA T DT P**. Disabled toilets not near house.

## Wednesday 4th September

London

### JW3

**Film.** 'The Promise: Story of Roman Halter' with Q & A session between Fergal Keene and Fred Scott. £12 on website in advance / £15 on the day. 7.30pm. JW3, 341-351 Finchley Road, London NW3 6ET. Contact: Judy Trotter [judy@jw3.org.uk](mailto:judy@jw3.org.uk) [www.jw3.org.uk](http://www.jw3.org.uk) **DA L T DT S**

## Sunday 8th September

London

### B'nai B'rith First Unity Lodge

**Talk.** Cantor Paul Heller will speak about 'The History of Synagogue Music'. £5 for non-members of B'nai B'rith. 8pm. a North West London venue. Contact: [firstunity@mail.com](mailto:firstunity@mail.com) 020 7446 8660 **DA T P**

### Jewish Music Institute

**Concert.** Klezmer in the Park. A free day of music and children's activities at Regent's Park. Five Bands including the JMI Youth Band. FREE. 12pm - 8pm. The Band Stand, Regents Park, Inner Circle, London NW1 4NU. Contact: Noa Lachman [noa.lachman@jmi.org.uk](mailto:noa.lachman@jmi.org.uk) 07904 115793 [www.jmi.org.uk](http://www.jmi.org.uk) **DA T DT P**

### Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue, Holland Park

**Open doors.** and talk. Lyn Julius from Harif will be speaking. With the exodus of 99 percent of the Jewish population from Arab lands, the thorny question remains: what happens to the communal property they left behind? The synagogue celebrated its 90th anniversary in December 2018. FREE. 10am - 1pm. 8 St James's Gardens, Holland Park, London W11 4RB. Contact: Naomi Green [secretary@hollandparksynagogue.org.uk](mailto:secretary@hollandparksynagogue.org.uk) 020 7603 7961 or 07525 925857 [www.hollandparksynagogue.org.uk](http://www.hollandparksynagogue.org.uk) **uk DA T S**

## Sunday 8th September to Friday 22nd November

Around the UK

### High Wycombe - Hughenden Manor, National Trust

**Open doors and exhibition.** Originally a Georgian Gentleman's residence, the Grade I listed Manor was purchased by Benjamin Disraeli, 1st Earl Beaconsfield and transformed into a red-brick manor and heavily Gothicised. The Manor will be open as usual and there will also be a small display entitled 'Between two faiths: Disraeli's life as a Jew and a Christian'. Pre-booking not required but timed tickets may be in operation on certain dates - please check the website. Adult (gift aid) £13; adult (non gift aid)

£11.80; children (gift aid) £6.50; children (non gift aid) £5.55. 11am to 4pm daily. Hughenden Manor, High Wycombe HP14 4LA. Contact: Rob Bandy [Robert.bandy@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:Robert.bandy@nationaltrust.org.uk) 01494 755573 [www.nationaltrust.org.uk/hughenden](http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/hughenden) **DA T D T P**

## Sunday 8th September

### Around the UK

#### Leeds - Yorkshire Heritage Walks

**Walk.** 'Walking the Leylands' - the historic Jewish immigrant quarter of Leeds. Our guided walk by Nigel Grizzard will tell you about the history of the Leylands and take you to see the remaining mementos of Jewish life in the quarter. The walk lasts two hours including a stop at the Eagle Tavern to see their photographic collection of the area. £8. 11am - 1pm. We meet outside Costa Coffee, the Merrion Centre, 17 Merrion Way, Leeds LS2 8BT. Contact: Nigel Grizzard [bradfordjewish@gmail.com](mailto:bradfordjewish@gmail.com) 07798 855494 [www.yorkshireheritagewalks.co.uk](http://www.yorkshireheritagewalks.co.uk)

#### Ramsgate - Thanet & District Reform Synagogue

**Exhibition.** An exhibition on the history and heritage of the Jews of South East England from medieval to modern times. This celebrates a fascinating, if little known part of the national heritage and highlights the participation of a minority community in England, over nearly 1,000 years and explores important contemporary themes. (Note this exhibition is part of an exhibition by JTrails, the Official UK Jewish Heritage Trail (part of one of the official Routes of European Heritage, supported by the Council of Europe and the Heritage Lottery Fund that will be displayed in many parts of SE England in 2019). Street parking available. FREE. 11am - 4pm. 293a Margate Road, Ramsgate CT12 6TE. Contact: Ian Smiler [enquiries@tdrs.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@tdrs.org.uk) 01843 851164 or 07798 555391 [tdrs.org.uk](http://tdrs.org.uk) **DA T D T S**

## Monday 9th September to Friday 13th September

### Around the UK

#### Crawley, West Sussex - Worth Park History Society

**Open doors, exhibition and guided walk.** Worth Park is a public park of approx. 50 acres. Worth Park House was demolished and the stable complex built in 1882 with visitor centre located in the courtyard. The James Pulham Formal Gardens and Italianate Terraces were restored as part of a Heritage Lottery Fund project. Metro bus 5 travels to the park half-hourly from Monday to Saturday. For a group visit, pre-booking is advisable. FREE. 11am - 4pm, Monday to Friday. Ridley's Court, Worth Park, Milton Mount Avenue, Pound Hill, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 3DH. Contact:

Elizabeth Steven [worthparkhistory@btinternet.com](mailto:worthparkhistory@btinternet.com) 01293 883054 or 07970 843580 [www.facebook.com/WPHistorySociety](http://www.facebook.com/WPHistorySociety) **DA T D T P**

## Tuesday 10th September

### London

#### B'nai B'rith Yad B'Yad Lodge

**Talk.** Lyn Julius from Harif will talk about her book 'Uprooted'. Open to B'nai B'rith members only. £4 for visiting B'nai B'rith members. 8.15pm. HA5 venue **DA T D T S**

#### Go London Tours

**Walk.** 'Radicals to Rinkoff's' - back by popular demand! Join Rachel Kolsky and Esther Rinkoff and discover not only the radical history of East End revolutionaries and social activists, past and present, but also the story of Rinkoff's, Whitechapel's only surviving Jewish family owned bakery. Meeting place provided on booking £17.00 per person includes coffee, Danish and tasters of Crodoughs and other Rinkoff specialities. 10.30am. Contact: Rachel Kolsky [info@golondontours.com](mailto:info@golondontours.com) 020 8883 4169 [golondontours.com](http://golondontours.com)

#### The Liberal Jewish Synagogue

**Talk.** Lecture by Professor Francesca Klug on 'Human Rights'. The LJS was founded in 1911, moved to its present site in 1925 and was bombed in 1940. It was rebuilt, but structural damage was discovered in the late 1980's and the whole building, except for the pillars and portico, was demolished and a new Sanctuary and community centre completed in 1991. The interior of the Sanctuary is lined with Jerusalem stone and the Ark is made from meshed metal. The LJS is also fortunate to own a Shoah Memorial sculpted by Anish Kapoor. FREE. 6.30pm for 7pm. 28 St John's Wood Road, London NW8 7HA. Contact: Alexandra Wright or Felicia Beder [Alexandra@kvish.co.uk](mailto:Alexandra@kvish.co.uk) or [rabbispa@ljs.org](mailto:rabbispa@ljs.org) 020 7432 1283 [www.ljs.org](http://www.ljs.org) **DA L T D T S**

#### The Wiener Library

**Exhibition.** As part of the European Days of Jewish Culture and Heritage programme organised by B'nai B'rith, we're delighted to offer a special behind-the-scenes tour exploring the heritage of the B'nai B'rith Leo Baeck (London) Lodge collection in the Wiener Library archives. Also on display will be our 'Berlin/London: The Lost Photographs of Gerty Simon' exhibition, which showcases the remarkable work this German Jewish photographer and features many of her original prints from the 1920s and 1930s. Pre booking via website/eventbrite. FREE. 1pm. 29 Russell Square, London WC1B 5DP. Contact: Chloe Turner [cturner@wienerlibrary.co.uk](mailto:cturner@wienerlibrary.co.uk) 020 7636 7247



Wienerlibrary.co.uk **DA L T DT**

## Wednesday 11th September

London

### JW3

**Talk:** Using a wealth of new stories drawn from the Archives of the Royal Air Force Museum, Joshua Levine will give a talk on 'Jewish Heroes of the Royal Air Force', exploring what it meant to be Jewish in wartime; examining the attitudes and experiences of those who fought for freedom wearing the RAF's handsome blue-grey uniform. Joshua's inspiring presentation embraces heroism, comradeship, glamour and success with some surprising revelations. See Wednesday 4th September for venue details. £16 on website in advance / £20 on the day. 2pm. Contact: Judy Trotter [judy@jw3.org.uk](mailto:judy@jw3.org.uk) [www.jw3.org.uk](http://www.jw3.org.uk) **DA L T DT S**

### Victoria & Albert Museum

**Lunchtime Lecture:** 2019 is the 200th anniversary of the births of both Queen Victoria and Prince Albert. To mark the occasion, the European Days of Jewish Culture and Heritage and the Victoria & Albert Museum, a Grade I listed building, is organising a series of events to celebrate its Jewish heritage, its Judaica collection and its Jewish Patrons. Other tours organised by V&A guides will be organised, please refer to the website for further information. FREE. 1pm - 2pm. The Hochhauser Auditorium, Victoria & Albert Museum, Cromwell Road, London SW7 2RL. Contact: Alice Minter curator of The Rosalinde and Arthur Gilbert Collection [a.minter@vam.ac.uk](mailto:a.minter@vam.ac.uk) 020 7942 2989 [www.vam.ac.uk](http://www.vam.ac.uk) **DA L T DT**

## Around the UK

### Bradford - Yorkshire Heritage Walks

**Walk:** 'Walking Jewish Bradford'. We visit the historic Jewish Merchant Quarter of Little Germany, the Wool Exchange and the Bradford Synagogue. The walk lasts two hours and includes steps and hills. Grade II. Please email to reserve your place. £8. 11am - 1pm. Meet at information Desk of the Broadway Shopping Centre, Hall Ings, Bradford BD1 5JR. Contact: Nigel Grizzard [bradfordjewish@gmail.com](mailto:bradfordjewish@gmail.com) 07798 855494 [www.yorkshireheritagewalks.co.uk](http://www.yorkshireheritagewalks.co.uk)

## Thursday 12th September

London

### B'nai B'rith First Lodge of England

**Talk:** Talk and Film presentation by Dr Martin Aaron on "The World's Jewish War Heroes". Pre-booking required. Small voluntary donation. 8pm. Venue details given in booking Contact: [firstlodgeengland@](mailto:firstlodgeengland@)

[aol.com](http://aol.com) 020 7446 8660

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## Saturday 14th September

London

### The Liberal Jewish Synagogue

**Talk:** on Sharia Law. The LJS was founded in 1911, moved to its present site in 1925 and was bombed in 1940. It was rebuilt, but structural damage was discovered in the late 1980's and the whole building, except for the pillars and portico, was demolished and a new Sanctuary and community completed in 1991. The interior of the Sanctuary is lined with Jerusalem stone and the Ark is made from meshed metal. The LJS is also fortunate to own a Shoah Memorial sculpted by Anish Kapoor. FREE. 11.5-2.15pm. 28 St John's Wood Road, London NW8 7HA. Contact: Alexandra Wright or Felicia Beder [Alexandra@kvish.co.uk](mailto:Alexandra@kvish.co.uk) or [rabbispa@ljs.org](mailto:rabbispa@ljs.org) 020 7432 1283 [www.ljs.org](http://www.ljs.org) **DA L T DT S**

## Around the UK

### Hampshire - Mottisfont, National Trust

**Talk:** Grade I Mottisfont is a former Augustinian priory founded in 1201. It became a private home in the 16th century and its last owner, Maud Russell, was the daughter of German Jewish immigrants. She helped several of her Jewish relatives in Europe during WW2. Normal entry fees apply; free entry to NT members. 12pm - 2pm. Mottisfont near Romsey, Hampshire SO51 0LP. Contact: Sophie West [sophie.west1@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:sophie.west1@nationaltrust.org.uk) 01794 344018 [www.nationaltrust.org.uk/mottisfont](http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/mottisfont) **DA T DT P**



**Sunday 15th September**  
**London**

# A film by John Curtin

# WHY THE JEWS?



The stunning accomplishments of the Jews raise a question no film has dared ask before. How do they do it? Some of the world's most prominent thinkers tackle a mystery shrouded in ignorance and prejudice. They tear back the curtain on a taboo and draw a startling link between a people's achievements and the darkest hours in its history.

Do not miss!

**Sunday, 15th September**  
**7.15pm. North London Venue.**

**TO BOOK: [www.bbuk-heritage.eventbrite.co.uk](http://www.bbuk-heritage.eventbrite.co.uk)**

## **United Synagogue. Willesden Jewish Cemetery, House of Life**

Open doors. Complex of funerary buildings in Gothic Revival style, built in 1872-73 by Nathan Solomon Joseph as part of the United Synagogue Cemetery. FREE. 10am - 4pm. Beaconsfield Road, London NW10 2JE. Contact: Hester Abrams [heritageadmin@theus.org.uk](mailto:heritageadmin@theus.org.uk) 020 8459 6107 [theus.org.uk](http://theus.org.uk) **DA T DT P**

## **Around the UK**

### **Canterbury - The Old Synagogue - The King's School, Canterbury**

Open doors. The Old Synagogue in King Street, designed in Egyptian style by Canterbury architect Hezekiah Marshall, was opened in 1848. It was built to replace the earlier synagogue in St Dunstan's, demolished for the building of the railway. It was acquired by The King's School in 1982, and is used for music lessons and small concerts. It is also available

for the Canterbury Jewish community and periodic public hire. FREE. 11am - 4pm. The Old Synagogue 33-34 King Street, Canterbury CT1 2AJ. Contact: Nina Hunt [n.hunt@kings-bursary.co.uk](mailto:n.hunt@kings-bursary.co.uk) 01227 818557 [www.kings-school.co.uk](http://www.kings-school.co.uk) **DA T**

### **Cheltenham - Cheltenham Synagogue**

Open doors. Grade II listed. Our Regency Synagogue has been home to a small, traditional, orthodox community since it was first consecrated in 1839. It contains the oldest Ashkenazi furniture (1761) in the UK. Two unique 18th century prayer plaques are on the walls. Pre-booking preferred, not essential. FREE. 11am - 4pm. Synagogue Lane, St James Square, Cheltenham GL50 3PU. Contact: J Silverston [info@cheltenhamssynagogue.org.uk](mailto:info@cheltenhamssynagogue.org.uk) 01242 242724 [www.Cheltenhamssynagogue.uk](http://www.Cheltenhamssynagogue.uk) **DA T** Disabled toilet limited access. No parking on site but public car park next door.

### **Edinburgh - Edinburgh Jewish Cultural Centre**

Walk. Professor Joe Goldblatt leads a walking tour of all of the historic Jewish sites in Edinburgh and describes the contribution of the Jewish population to the growth and development of the City. Includes the Jewish Quarter, historic 19th century Jewish Cemetery, prominent Edinburgh Jews and their achievements including contributions to the Edinburgh Festivals and the future Jewish Cultural Centre. This is a light walking tour (no steps) starting at the Usher Hall (Edinburgh's main concert venue) in front of box office and concludes with tea and discussion at the historic Balmoral Hotel (cost is approx. £7 per person). Each participant shall receive a FREE copy of Professor Goldblatt's recently published memoirs "The True Joy of Life" (£14.99 value) that further documents his positive Jewish life experience as an emigre to Edinburgh. The Edinburgh Hebrew Congregation is a B Listed architectural building and was constructed in 1932. The Jewish Community in Edinburgh may be traced back to 1816. Booking required by 10 September 2019. Maximum number of participants is 15 persons. FREE. 1 - 4pm. Meet at Box Office, Usher Hall, Lothian Rd, Edinburgh EH1 2EA. Contact: Professor Joe Goldblatt [joe@joegoldblatt.scot](mailto:joe@joegoldblatt.scot) 07942 695131 [www.jcc.scot](http://www.jcc.scot) **DA L T DT P**

### **Exeter - Exeter Synagogue**

Open doors and talk. This small Georgian Synagogue is Grade II listed and was built in 1763. It has interesting features internally and has been in use continually since it was built. It is the home of a small active community. Parking nearby in Mary Arches Street. Donations appreciated. 10.30am - 4pm. Exeter Synagogue, Synagogue Place, Mary Arches Street, Exeter EX4 3EX. Contact: Richard Halsey

[welcomer@exetersynagogue.org.uk](mailto:welcomer@exetersynagogue.org.uk) 01392 251529  
[www.exetersynagogue.org.uk](http://www.exetersynagogue.org.uk) **T S**

### Hampshire - Mottisfont, National Trust

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### Kent - The Salomons Museum

**Open doors and talk.** Grade II. The Salomons Estate (Broomhill) was the country home of the Salomons family: David, the first Jewish Lord Mayor of London, and David Lionel, pioneer of electricity and motor transport. Designed by Decimus Burton, c.1850, in 32 acres of picturesque grounds. The museum will be open to the public, as usual, from 9am to 5pm. Tours of the rest of the building, to include the Science Theatre, will be provided on the afternoons of Sept 15th and 16th 2019. Booking is required: please contact Salomons Reception on 01892 515152, from August 1st. FREE. 2pm - 5pm. Salomons Estate, Broomhill Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN3 0TG. Contact: Chris Jones [Clissoldjones@btinternet.com](mailto:Clissoldjones@btinternet.com) 01892 522025 [www.salomons-estate.com/about-us/](http://www.salomons-estate.com/about-us/) **DA T P**

### Lincoln - JTrails (the National Anglo-Jewish Heritage Trail) / Newport Synagogue / Jewish History Association of South Wales

**Guided Walk.** Lincoln Walking Tours. Walking tours taking in the fascinating and important Jewish Heritage of medieval Lincoln by the Director of JTrails. Duration 1 hour 45 minutes. Route is wheelchair accessible, but takes place on Steep Hill (very steep gradients), public toilets (150m), nearby public car parks at Castle. £10 per person. Tour 1 at 11am; tour 2 at 2pm. Meet outside Lincoln Visitor Information Centre, 9 Castle Hill, Lincoln LN1 3AA. Contact: Marcus Roberts [marcusrobertsheritage@gmail.com](mailto:marcusrobertsheritage@gmail.com) 07429 018962 [JTrails.org.uk](http://JTrails.org.uk) **T**

### Liverpool - Deane Road Cemetery

**Open doors, talk & walk.** Talk & Walk. Historically the second cemetery for this congregation. Opened 1838, closed 1929. Many illustrious personages buried therein. The portico is Grade I listed. FREE. 11am - 3pm. Deane Road, Liverpool L7 0ET. Contact: Petula Nevitt [lohcl@aol.com](mailto:lohcl@aol.com) 0151 709 3431 [princesroad.org](http://princesroad.org) **DA L P**

### Oxford - Oxford Jewish Congregation

**Open doors.** FREE. 2pm - 5:30pm. 21 Richmond Road, Oxford OX1 2JL. Contact: [connections@ojc-online.org](mailto:connections@ojc-online.org) 01865 514356 [ojc-online.org](http://ojc-online.org) **DA T DT S**

### Plymouth - Plymouth Synagogue

**Talk & Walk.** Hoe Cemetery Audio Trail. Grade II listed. Located on Plymouth's historic Hoe, in the shadow of The Citadel, lies a hidden secret: The Old Jewish Cemetery. Contained within high stone walls it has always remained hidden from public view. The only clue to its existence is an insignificant door. With the aid of funding from Vital Sparks and Drakes Foundation, an audio trail has been created in the garden cemetery, bringing to life the lives of those buried within this hidden gem. In 1740 this plot was a family garden; today it is a calm oasis that hides a wealth of history and culture. NB tours available to book throughout the year. Free. Donations welcome. 11am - 4pm. Running every 15mins from 11am until 4pm (last entry 3pm) - an hour's tour. Old Jewish Cemetery, Lambhay Hill (from Hoe Gate St), Plymouth PL1 2NP. Contact: Jerry Sibley [phccaretaker@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:phccaretaker@yahoo.co.uk) 07753 267616 [Plymouthsynagogue.com](http://Plymouthsynagogue.com)

### Plymouth - Plymouth Synagogue

**Exhibition.** 'The Jewish Regiments of WW1 in Plymouth': Talk on the 3 regiments whilst in Plymouth, display of Jewish medals and artefacts connected to Plymouth and display & audio stories from a few of the soldiers stationed in Plymouth including David Ben Gurion. Pre-booking recommended. Grade II. Free. Donations welcome. 12pm. Plymouth Synagogue Vestry, Catherine Street, Plymouth PL1 2AD. Contact: Jerry Sibley [phccaretaker@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:phccaretaker@yahoo.co.uk) 07753 267616 [plymouthsynagogue.com](http://plymouthsynagogue.com) **DA T**

### Plymouth - Plymouth Synagogue

**Talk.** Guided talk on Jewish History in Plymouth and the Grade II\* listed Georgian Synagogue with Baroque Dutch ark, Antique Chanukiah (circa 1700) and exceptional stained glass windows showing the 5 festivals. Built in 1762 it is the oldest Ashkenazi Synagogue in the English speaking world still in continuous use. Pre-booking recommended. NB tours available to book throughout the year. Free. Donations welcome. 2pm. Catherine Street, Plymouth PL1 2AD. Contact: Jerry Sibley [phccaretaker@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:phccaretaker@yahoo.co.uk) 07753 267616 [plymouthsynagogue.com](http://plymouthsynagogue.com) **DA**

### Ramsgate - Montefiore Synagogue and Mausoleum

**Open Doors.** Designed by architect David Mocatta, student of Sir John Soane, for Sir Moses and Lady Montefiore in 1833. Sir Moses and his wife Judith are buried in the mausoleum. FREE. Donations welcome. Honeysuckle Road, Ramsgate CT11 8AA. Contact: [ramsgate@montefioreendowment.org.uk](mailto:ramsgate@montefioreendowment.org.uk) 020 3637

5530 [www.montefioreendowment.org.uk](http://www.montefioreendowment.org.uk) **I**

### Reading - Reading Hebrew Congregation

*Open Doors & Talk.* Grade II Reading Hebrew Congregation was established in 1886 by 13 families. The synagogue was opened on 31st October 1900 and is a traditional design in a Moorish style. The roof and cupola were restored in 2017. Free. Booking not required. However if a group is planning to attend we would appreciate being informed via email in advance. 10.30am - 1.30pm. The Synagogue, 7 Goldsmid Road, Reading RG1 7YB. Contact: Sue Clarke [secretary@rhc.org.uk](mailto:secretary@rhc.org.uk) Ansaphone only - 0118 957 3954 [www.readingsynagogue.uk](http://www.readingsynagogue.uk) **DA T S**

### Southampton - The Gregg School

*Guided Walk.* Guided tour of the building with beautiful gardens to roam in and admire. Townhill Park House was built late 1800s and extended in 1912. It was previously owned by Lord Swaythling and is now a school. There are 23 acres of grounds including formal gardens designed by the famous Gertrude Jekyll. FREE. 2pm - 5pm. Townhill Park House, Atlantic Park View, Southampton SO18 3RR. Contact: Crispin Ingham [cri@thegreggschools.org](mailto:cri@thegreggschools.org) 02380 472133 [www.thegreggschool.org/our-community/townhill-park-house-gardens](http://www.thegreggschool.org/our-community/townhill-park-house-gardens) **T DT P**

## Monday 16th September

### London

#### Shlomo Argov Unity Lodge

*Talk.* Talk & powerpoint presentation by Helen Fry, entitled 'The London Cage'. Limited parking £2.50. 8.15pm. Edgware & Hendon Reform Synagogue, 118 Stonegrove, Edgware HA8 8AB. Contact: G M Wolf [geoffmw@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:geoffmw@hotmail.co.uk) 020 8416 0164 **DA T DT S**

### Around the UK

#### Kent - The Salomons Museum

*Open doors and talk.* Grade II. The Salomons Estate (Broomhill) was the country home of the Salomons family: David, the first Jewish Lord Mayor of London, and David Lionel, pioneer of electricity and motor transport. Designed by Decimus Burton, c.1850, in 32 acres of picturesque grounds. The museum will be open to the public, as usual, from 9am to 5pm. Tours of the rest of the building, to include the Science Theatre, will be provided on the afternoons of Sept 15th and 16th 2019. Booking is required: please contact Salomons Reception on 01892 515152, from August 1st. FREE. 2pm - 5pm. Salomons Estate, Broomhill Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN3 0TG. Contact: Chris Jones [Clissold.jones@btinternet.com](mailto:Clissold.jones@btinternet.com) 01892 522025 [www.salomons-estate.com/about-us/](http://www.salomons-estate.com/about-us/) **DA T P**

## Thursday 19th September

### London

#### Victoria & Albert Museum

*In Focus Talk.* 2019 is the 200th anniversary of the births of both Queen Victoria and Prince Albert. To mark the occasion, the European Days of Jewish Culture and Heritage and the Victoria & Albert Museum, a Grade I listed building, is organising a series of events to celebrate its Jewish heritage, its Judaica collection and its Jewish Patrons. Other tours organised by V&A guides will be organised, please refer to the website for further information. FREE. 1pm - 2pm. The Hochhauser Auditorium, Victoria & Albert Museum, Cromwell Road, London SW7 2RL. Contact: Alice Minter curator of The Rosalinde and Arthur Gilbert Collection [aminter@vam.ac.uk](mailto:aminter@vam.ac.uk) 020 7942 2989 [www.vam.ac.uk](http://www.vam.ac.uk) **DA L T DT**

### Around the UK

#### Buckinghamshire - Waddesdon Manor

*Guided Walk.* 'The Rothschilds and Waddesdon: A Jewish Heritage Tour'. Join us for an introductory tour to explore the Jewish heritage of the Rothschilds and their legacy at Waddesdon through its art collections, family history and archives. This in depth tour will give you an insight into the story of the Rothschild family's rise from modest beginnings in the Frankfurt Ghetto to wealth and power in the 19th century. The tour offers an inside look into Baron Ferdinand de Rothschild's building of Waddesdon Manor and his passionate collecting of works of art. With a focus upon the family's Jewish heritage and support of Jewish causes, and the Red Drawing Room and Grey Drawing Room that epitomise the spectacular interiors for which the Rothschilds became known, set against the background of Jewish emancipation in Victorian Britain. Meet at the main door at 11 am to begin the tour. Not suitable for young children. £15 plus House & Grounds ticket - but advance booking essential. 11am - 12 noon. Waddesdon, near Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire HP18 0JH. Contact: Box Office [bookings@waddesdon.org.uk](mailto:bookings@waddesdon.org.uk) 01296 820414 **T DT**

#### Buckinghamshire - Waddesdon Manor

*Talk.* 'Rothschildshire: Building like a Rothschild'. Discover how to build and collect like a Rothschild with this introduction to this Grade I listed building of Waddesdon and its collection. Baron Ferdinand was not the first in the Rothschild family to build in the Vale of Aylesbury. His English uncles and cousins already had properties in the area and in the 19th century, Buckinghamshire was often referred to as Rothschildshire. The extraordinary collecting history of the family and its creation of the distinctive 'goût

Rothschild' (Rothschild style) will be considered alongside other Rothschild houses nearby. The architecture and collections of several houses will be discussed, including Mentmore, Tring and Aston Clinton. The talk will be 45 minutes in duration, please meet in the Oval Hall. House tickets are best bought in advance. Please select a time slot that allows the rest of your house visit before this event at 3.15pm as the house will close at 4pm. Free with House & Grounds ticket - but advance booking recommended. 3.15pm - 4pm. Waddesdon, near Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire HP18 0JH. Contact: Box Office [bookings@waddesdon.org.uk](mailto:bookings@waddesdon.org.uk) 01296 820414 [Waddesdon.org.uk](http://Waddesdon.org.uk) **T DT**

### Cheltenham - Cheltenham Synagogue

**Talk.** Grade II listing. Our Regency Synagogue has been home to a small, traditional, orthodox community since it was first consecrated in 1839. It contains the oldest Ashkenazi furniture (1761) in the UK. Two unique 18th century prayer plaques are on the walls. FREE. 6pm - 7pm. Synagogue Lane, St James Square, Cheltenham GL50 3PU. Contact: J Silverston [info@cheltenhamssynagogue.org.uk](mailto:info@cheltenhamssynagogue.org.uk) 01242 242724 [www.cheltenhamssynagogue.org.uk](http://www.cheltenhamssynagogue.org.uk) **T** Disabled access is limited - please ask. No parking on site, but public parking next door.

### Leeds - B'nai B'rith Leeds Music Society

**Talk.** Dr David Fligg will give an audio visual presentation on "Out of the shadows. Rediscovering music which the Nazis erased". £1 for B'nai B'rith members, £3 non-B'nai B'rith members, including refreshments. 8pm. Main IB Hall, Beth Hamidrash Hagadol Synagogue, 399 Street Lane, Leeds LS17 6HQ. Contact: Michael Cohen [mbcohen2@yahoo.com](mailto:mbcohen2@yahoo.com) 0113 268 5864 or 07940 598 362 **DA L T P S**

### Lewes - Monk's House, National Trust

**Talk.** Find out more about the life and works of Leonard Woolf at his home in Sussex. Grade II. Nestled in the heart of rural Sussex, Monk's House is a tranquil 16th-century weatherboarded cottage and garden, the home of writers Leonard and Virginia Woolf. Visit this Bloomsbury home and garden as we celebrate the life and works of Leonard. It is 100 years since Leonard and Virginia Woolf purchased and moved into Monk's House. See our website for admission prices. Garden opens at 12.30pm, house open at 1pm, last entry is 4.45pm. Monk's House, The Street, Rodmell, East Sussex, Lewes BN7 3HF. Contact: Anna Walter [monkshouse@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:monkshouse@nationaltrust.org.uk) 01273 474760 [nationaltrust.org.uk/monkshouse](http://nationaltrust.org.uk/monkshouse) **T P**

## Friday 20th September

### London

#### London Metropolitan Archives

**Talk.** 'Jewish Londoners: Stories from the Archive'. Come along to this illustrated talk and document viewing to hear stories of Jewish Londoners found within LMA's collections. Please book a ticket via <https://jewishstories.eventbrite.co.uk> or call us. FREE. 11am - 12.30pm. London Metropolitan Archives, 40 Northampton Road, London EC1R 0HB. Contact: Tom Furber [Ask.lma@cityoflondon.gov.uk](mailto:Ask.lma@cityoflondon.gov.uk) 020 7332 3851 <https://jewishstories.eventbrite.co.uk> **DA L T DT**

## Saturday 21st September

### London

#### The Liberal Jewish Synagogue

**Musical Selichot Service.** The LJS was founded in 1911, moved to its present site in 1925 and was bombed in 1940. It was rebuilt, but structural damage was discovered in the late 1980's and the whole building, except for the pillars and portico, was demolished and a new Sanctuary and community centre completed in 1991. The interior of the Sanctuary is lined with Jerusalem stone and the Ark is made from meshed metal. The LJS is also fortunate to own a Shoah Memorial sculpted by Anish Kapoor. FREE. 8pm. 28 St John's Wood Road, London NW8 7HA. Contact: Alexandra Wright or Felicia Beder [Alexandra@kvish.co.uk](mailto:Alexandra@kvish.co.uk) or [rabbispa@ljs.org](mailto:rabbispa@ljs.org) 020 7432 1283 [www.ljs.org](http://www.ljs.org) **DA L T DT S**

#### The West London Synagogue of British Jews

**Talk.** Desserts and wine will be available from 8pm, followed by a talk on the development of Anglo-Jewish culture from Rachel Kolsky, author and prize-winning London Blue Badge Guide. After questions we will move to the Grade II listed sanctuary for a guided tour. Havdalah at 9.45pm and the Choral Selichot service from 10-10.45pm. Pre booking is required either by phone or by email. Grade II Voluntary contribution on the door. 8pm - 11pm. 33 Seymour Place, London W1H 5AU. Contact: Nic Schlagman [Nic.schlagman@wls.org.uk](mailto:Nic.schlagman@wls.org.uk) 07956 628990 [wls.org.uk](http://wls.org.uk) **DA T DT S**

## Around the UK

#### Lincoln - Lincolnshire Jewish Community

**Open doors.** A Grade I listed 14th century building, traditionally thought to be the site of a Medieval Synagogue. FREE. 2pm - 4pm. Jews' Court, Steep Hill, Lincoln LN2 1LS. Contact: Gillian Renaud [lincoln\\_jc@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:lincoln_jc@yahoo.co.uk) [www.lincolnshirejc.co.uk](http://www.lincolnshirejc.co.uk) **T**



## Warwickshire - National Trust Upton House and Gardens

Open doors. We will be marking the 80th anniversary of the Kindertransport, the organised rescue mission that placed 10,000 Jewish children from Nazi-occupied Europe into British foster homes. We will be sharing with visitors the story of Upton's Jewish owner, the Chairman of Shell Transport and Trading, 2nd Viscount Bearsted, whose involvement in helping Jewish people escape Nazi persecution included the Kindertransport. The storytelling will take place in Lord Bearsted's dressing room on the first floor of the house during opening hours. Grade I. Upton House, with its distinctive honey-brown Horton stone dates back to the time of Sir Rushout Cullen Bt, c1965. FREE. 1pm - 5pm. Last entry to the house is 4.30pm. Please note that the visitor car park is a 300 yard walk to the property. A buggy operates to transport visitors between the car park and the property. Upton House and Gardens, near Banbury, Warwickshire OX15 6HT. Contact: Celia Hughes [uptonhouse@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:uptonhouse@nationaltrust.org.uk) 01295 670266 [nationaltrust.org.uk/upton-house-and-gardens](http://nationaltrust.org.uk/upton-house-and-gardens) **DA T DT P**

## Sunday 22nd September London

### Bevis Marks Synagogue

Open doors. Opened in 1701, Bevis Marks is the oldest synagogue in Great Britain. FREE. 10am - 2pm. The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue, Bevis Marks, London EC3A 7LH. Contact: Maurice Bitton [mauricebitton@bevismarks.org.uk](mailto:mauricebitton@bevismarks.org.uk) 020 7621 1188 [sephardi.org.uk/bevis-marks](http://sephardi.org.uk/bevis-marks)

### Jewish Genealogical Society of Great Britain

Workshop. Family research workshop and use of JGSGB's Library. Bring along your family research paperwork. Approx. 7 minute walk from Barbican Station. Buses from Angel and Old St stations. Located between Pret a Manger and a pizza restaurant. Free. Includes refreshments. 2pm - 5.30pm. Society of Genealogists 16 Charterhouse Buildings, Goswell Rd, London EC1M 7BA. Contact: Raymond Montanjees [raymusik@aol.com](mailto:raymusik@aol.com) 01277 849852 [jgsqb.org.uk](http://jgsqb.org.uk) **DA T DT S**

### New West End Synagogue

Open doors. Grade I. 140th anniversary. Open in 1879, the New West End Synagogue is one of the oldest and undoubtedly the most beautiful synagogue building in London and, indeed, in the country. It is only the second synagogue to achieve Grade 1 listed status and has been described by English Heritage as "the architectural high watermark of Anglo-Jewish architecture". FREE. 10am - 1pm.

St. Petersburg Place, London W2 4JT. Contact: Eli Ballon [nwes@newwestend.org.uk](mailto:nwes@newwestend.org.uk) 020 7229 2631 [www.newwestend.org.uk](http://www.newwestend.org.uk) **DA T DT S**

### United Synagogue. Willesden Jewish Cemetery, House of Life

Open doors. Complex of funerary buildings in Gothic Revival style, built in 1872-73 by Nathan Solomon Joseph as part of the United Synagogue Cemetery. FREE. 10am - 4pm. Beaconsfield Road, London NW10 2JE. Contact: Hester Abrams [heritageadmin@theus.org.uk](mailto:heritageadmin@theus.org.uk) 020 8459 6107 [theus.org.uk](http://theus.org.uk) **DA T DT P**

## Around the UK

### Bristol - Bristol Hebrew Congregation

Open doors. Grade II. Bristol's only purpose-built synagogue (1870-71), designed in Italianate style by one of Victorian Britain's leading Jewish architects. Features include unique Bristol Blue Glass *luhot*, integrated choir stall and Prayer for the Royal Family dated to early in Queen Victoria's reign. FREE. 11am - 4pm. The Synagogue, 9 Park Row, Bristol BS1 5LP. Contact: David Turns [davidturns69@gmail.com](mailto:davidturns69@gmail.com) 07912 526661 [parkrowsynagogue.org](http://parkrowsynagogue.org) **T**

### Cheshire - B'nai B'rith Cheshire

Talk. BB Cheshire will be celebrating the Heritage Days with an event on the centrality of food in Jewish heritage. This will be held in a member's home and on this occasion is reserved for current members. 8 - 10pm.

### Glasgow - Garnethill Synagogue Preservation Trust

Open doors. Grade I. 2019 marks the 140th anniversary of the Synagogue. FREE. 10am - 4pm. 129 Hill Street, Glasgow G3 6UB. Contact: Bernard Goodman [vgood1@antlworld.com](mailto:vgood1@antlworld.com) 07957 811765 [www.garnethill.org.uk](http://www.garnethill.org.uk) **T DT S**

### Kent - Chatham Memorial Synagogue

Open doors and Concert. Grade II. Designed by H.H. Collins of London. Byzantine-style synagogue was financed by local businessman Simon Magnus in memory of his son, replacing an 18th century wooden structure situated near the border with Chatham. This Grade II\* listed synagogue officially opened in June 1870. 4.30pm Concert recital of Jewish Music from around the world. Doors open 4pm. Tickets £8 per person proceeds towards a new heating system in the Synagogue. Book here: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/jewish-music-around-the-world-tickets-64463477998> FREE. 11am - 3pm. 366 High Street Rochester, Kent ME1 1DJ. Contact: Jo Freeman 07980 050456 [chathamshul.org.uk](http://chathamshul.org.uk) **T DT S**

## Liverpool - Liverpool Old Hebrew Congregation

Open Doors, Exhibition & Talk. Grade I. The most beautiful Orthodox synagogue in Western Europe. Building a mixture of architectural designs. Situated on the border of the Georgian city of Liverpool. FREE. 10am - 4pm. Three tours to be organised for that date. Phone or email to book. Princes Road Synagogue, Liverpool L8 1TG. Contact: Mrs Patricia Nevitt [lohcl@aol.com](mailto:lohcl@aol.com) 0151 709 3431 [princesroad.org](http://princesroad.org) **DA L P S**

## Newport - JTrails (the National Anglo-Jewish Heritage Trail) / Newport Synagogue - Jewish History Association of South Wales

Open doors and guided walk. Newport Synagogue and Cemeteries Open Day. Visit the historic synagogue and beautiful cemeteries, with walks, talks, oral history, displays, hands-on artefacts and refreshments. Newport Synagogue is a historic building, which was formerly the octagonal Ohel at the wooded Jewish cemetery of 1859. Extended in 1928, the converted Ohel was used as the Synagogue, from c.1999, until 2006. It is one of only two synagogues in the UK adjacent to their cemeteries. Admission free (but donations welcome towards heritage project). 12pm - 4pm. Newport Synagogue, 45 St Mark's Crescent, Risca Road, Newport NP20 4HY. Contact: Nicola Tucker or Ronnie Black [n.tucker53@ntlworld.com](mailto:n.tucker53@ntlworld.com) or [blackronald@hotmail.com](mailto:blackronald@hotmail.com) Nicola Tucker 07724 542304, Ronnie Black, on 01633 761442 [JTrails.org.uk](http://JTrails.org.uk) **DA T** On-street parking available, two shallow steps at entrance, level access to rear with level paths through main cemetery.

## Norwich - Norwich Hebrew Congregation

Open doors. Built 1969 this is a unique building in Norwich with long early history of Judaism in the city. It is 50 years since the consecration of our Synagogue. FREE. 10am - 4pm. 3 Earham Road, Norwich NR2 3RA. Contact: Maureen Leveton [mleveton@aol.com](mailto:mleveton@aol.com) 01603 749706 [Norwichsynagogue.org.uk](http://Norwichsynagogue.org.uk) **DA T P S**

## Truro - Kehillat Kernow - Jewish community of Cornwall

Film. 'Bar Mitzvah Boy' followed by apples and honey for the upcoming new year. Open to the members of the Interfaith Forum, friends and family of the Jewish community. On-street parking available. FREE. 3pm - 6pm. Malpas Village Hall, Malpas Village, Truro TR1 1SQ. Contact: [patricialipert@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:patricialipert@yahoo.co.uk) 01736 762675 **DA L T DT S**

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## York - Yorkshire Heritage Walks

Guided Walk. Walking Jewish York. The walk goes along the historic city walls of York and visits the medieval Jewish cemetery in Jewbury, Clifford's Tower and other sites of Jewish interest in the city. The walk lasts an hour and a half and involves climbing some steps. £8. 11am - 1pm. Meet outside the Gates of the Yorkshire Museum on Museum Street, York YO1 7DT. Contact: Nigel Grizzard [bradfordjewish@gmail.com](mailto:bradfordjewish@gmail.com) 07798 855494 [www.yorkshireheritagewalks.co.uk](http://www.yorkshireheritagewalks.co.uk)

## Tuesday 24th September

### London

#### JW3

Walk. Willesden Cemetery. Walking tour with Stephen Burstin. £16 must be booked in advance. 10:30am. Contact: Judy Trotter [judy@jw3.org.uk](mailto:judy@jw3.org.uk) [www.jw3.org.uk](http://www.jw3.org.uk) Willesden Jewish Cemetery, Beaconsfield Rd, Willesden, London NW10 2JE

## Thursday 26th September

### London

#### Victoria & Albert Museum

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**Sunday 29th September****Around the UK****Winchester - Winchester Tourist Guides**

Guided Walk Medieval Jewish Winchester is a walking tour around parts of Winchester which relate to local Jewish history – a sad story of religious persecution and expulsion. Keats in Winchester 200th anniversary. £6.50 adults, £2 children. 1.30pm. Starting point: Tourist Information Centre, The Guildhall, The Broadway, Winchester SO23 9GH. Contact: Johanna Cruickshank [tourism@winchester.gov.uk](mailto:tourism@winchester.gov.uk) 01962 840500 (Tourist Info Centre) [www.visitwinchester.co.uk/listing/guided-walking-tours-winchester](http://www.visitwinchester.co.uk/listing/guided-walking-tours-winchester) and [www.winchestertouristguides.com](http://www.winchestertouristguides.com)

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Today, it is one of the largest Jewish volunteer organisations active in humanitarian, human rights and cultural and charitable work in 59 countries, 27 of which (including the UK) are affiliated to B'nai B'rith Europe.

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