

# BERKELEY LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY PROGRAM 2007

**January 16<sup>th</sup>**

**MEN BEHAVING BADLY**

Ian Mackintosh introduces us to the Court of the Star Chamber in Gloucestershire and discusses the last major famine.

**February 20<sup>th</sup>**

**SHARPNESS A COUNTRY DOCK**

Dr Ray Wilson of the Gloucester Society for Industrial Archaeology returns with the history of our local docks.

**March 20<sup>th</sup>**

Annual Dinner at the Berkeley Arms Hotel 7.15pm for 7.30pm.

**April 17<sup>th</sup>**

**FAMILY PHOTO ALBUM**

David and Eunice Elsbury explore the charm and social historic importance of snapshot photographs taken since Victorian times.

**May 15<sup>th</sup>**

**WINGS OVER FILTON**

The history of Bristol Aircraft presented by Chris Bigg

**June 19<sup>th</sup>**

**CROOKED STICK AND GREY GOOSE WING**

Hugh Soar discusses and demonstrates the custom and practice of traditional English longbow archery.

**July 17<sup>th</sup>**

**CLIFTON ROCKS RAILWAY**

One of Bristol's historical gems presented to us by Peter Davey a well-known Bristol lecturer.

**August 21<sup>st</sup>**

**SUMMER HOLIDAY**

**September 18<sup>th</sup>**

**THE GARLICK FAMILY OF ULEY**

Tony Curnock illustrates people and places in the Cotswolds with links to and in Australia from 1760 to the present.

**October 16<sup>th</sup>**

**A HISTORY OF PLACE NAMES**

Dan Evans takes us on a tour to discover the derivation of local place names.

**November 20<sup>th</sup>**

**CANDLE AND RUSHLIGHT TO GAS**

In his entertaining and extremely knowledgeable fashion, David Eveleigh, Social History Curator at Blaise Castle House Museum, will explore the history of domestic lighting.

**December 18<sup>th</sup>**

**XMAS CELEBRATION**

**THE HISTORY OF BRISTOL DOCKS**

Minced pies and mulled wine is enjoyed whilst we discover the heart of our nearest city.