

Timetable for IGKT Spring Meeting – South Molton, Devon

Thursday 4th May - Visit to Instow, Appledore Maritime Museum, SS Freshspring at Bideford

11.00	Gather at The Old Coaching Inn	(pre-booking necessary) EX36 3BJ
11.15 – 12.00	Travel by cars to Instow	Park temporarily at Commodore Hotel
12.15 – 13.30	Ferry trip (several journeys needed) to Appledore Quay	EX39 4JN
13.30 – 13.45	Travel by cars to Bideford Quay	Park at furthest end of Long Stay car park
14.00 – 14.45	Buffet lunch at Café Onboard	EX39 2QQ
15.00 – 16.00	Tour of SS Freshspring	In small groups
16.00 – 16.15	Travel by cars to Appledore Maritime Museum	Park in car park opposite museum EX39 1PT
16.15 – 18.00	Visit to Maritime Museum	
18.00 – onward	Drive/walk to Appledore village/seafront	Variety of eating places, pubs, restaurant, Fish & Chips,
20.00 – 20.45	Return by cars to South Molton	

After the museum visit, some may wish to return to South Molton before 20.00 – decide and arrange on the day

Friday 5th May – Events at The Old Coaching Inn, South Molton

10.00 – 10.45	First talk Ken Yalden	Tobacco storage in the Royal Navy
10.45 – 11.30	Second talk Colin Grundy	Ropes in the Fire Service
11.30 – 12.15	Third talk Des Pawson	Rope mats and things
12.15 – 13.30	Lunch break	Various pubs, cafés, restaurants, shops
13.30 – 14.30	Fourth talk Mike Lucas	Forensics etc
14.30 - 15:30	Fifth talk – Philip Pratt	Bell Rope manufacture
15.00 – 18.00	Setting up in Guildhall, if required	Free time
18.00 - onwards	Informal gathering at The Coaching Inn	Food and drink will be on sale at the venue

Saturday 6th May

09.00 – 10.00	Setting up in Guildhall	
09.30 –	Registration open	
10.00 –	Exhibition open to the public	
10.00 –	Tea & Coffee available (donation)	
13.00 – 14.30	Pasty & Cider lunch (by ticket)	
15.00 – 15.45	First talk Ken Yalden	
15.45 – 16.30	Second talk Des Pawson	
16.30 – 17.00	Raffle	
17.00 – 18.00	Take down stands if required	Guildhall closes at 18.00
19.00 for 19.30	Knot Tyers Supper at The Coaching Inn (by Ticket)	

Sunday 6th May

10.00 – 11.30	AGM in Court Room, Guildhall	
12.00 – 13.30	Lunch (pre-booked)	
13.30 –	Take down remaining stands	
14.30 – 15.00	Meeting closes and safe home	Guildhall closes at 15.00