LEATHERHEAD & DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY

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Dear Fellow-Member,

FIXTURES

Saturday, 20th September, 1952

Mrs. Topping has kindly offered to conduct a party through the woods at the back of Box Hill this afternoon on a Fungus Foray.

We are starting from Juniper Hall at 2.45. There is a car park there and the No.470 'bus leaves Leatherhead Institute at 2.34 for Juniper Hall.

We can have tea at the Hall at a cost of 1s.9d. each, and please let me know by 18th September if you would like me to book tea for you.

The next fixture on our programme is on 5th July to Parham Park. This should be a most interesting expedition and a pleasant coach journey. Please let me have your bookings as soon as possible. There are still a number of vacant places in the coach.

Excavations 1952

The preliminary survey of the moated site in Lee Wood, Effingham, has now been completed by Groups B & D and other volunteers. This hard work is much appreciated. As soon as the plan has been completed and studied the question of actual excavation can be settled and members will be notified in due course.

The vigilance of a member resulted in the discovery of an old brick construction exposed in the digging of foundation trenches for a new building in Bell Lane, Fetcham. An investigation has revealed the remains of a Tudor Cottage there, with plentiful evidence of previous occupation of the site back to the end of the 13th Century.

All members are urged to keep a careful watch on all building and similar operations and to report at once any signs of even possible interest.

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Owing to the absence of our Hon. Editor on business abroad, Mr. S.G. Blaxland Stubbs has most kindly undertaken to see the issue through the Press. It is hoped it can be circulated in a few weeks. Any member who has forgotten to renew his subscription should do so at once.

Yours sincerely,

P. G. SHELLEY,

(Hon. Assistant Secretary)