

Bristol and Clifton Dickens Society

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PROGRAMME 2019-20



Nell and Her Grandfather Thrown Out on the Street

The Old Curiosity Shop

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MEETINGS PROGRAMME

September 2019 - August 2020

*Meetings will be on Mondays
at Leonard Hall, Waterford Road, Henleaze, Bristol BS9 4BT
starting at 7.30pm, unless otherwise stated*

September 2019: Monday 16th

“Some More of My Favourite Minor Characters”

Frankie Sahni

October 2019: Monday 14th

***“Charles Dickens and William
Shakespeare: Last Works”***

Guest Speaker: Alan Dilnot

November 2019: Monday 11th

“The King of Fleet Street, by Edward Purchase”

Sally Draper Fry

December 2019: Monday 16th

***“A Tale of Two Desks: Dickens the Reader
and Dickens the Writer”***

Guest Speaker: Malcom Andrews

December 2019: Friday 20th at 7.30 pm

Christmas Party

at 17 Clifton Park, Clifton, BS8 3BZ

by invitation of Sally and Trevor Draper Fry

Bring food and drinks to share

Ring Sally on 0117 973 2490 if you can come

*In this state and ceremony they rode slowly
through the town every morning*



January 2020: Saturday 25th at 11.00am

Literary Lunch (provided by The Committee) **at 17 Clifton Park, Clifton, BS8 3BZ**
by invitation of Sally and Trevor Draper Fry
Please bring a seasonal/interesting reading
Ring Sally on 0117 973 2490 if you can come

February 2020: Saturday 8th at 2.30 pm

Dickens's Birthday Party **at 30 Church Road, Horfield, BS7 8SA**
by invitation of Eve Fitt
Please bring food and drinks to share
Ring Eve on 0117 924 8362, or 07552 939392 if you can come

March 2020: Monday 9th

"Pot Pourri" Food in Victorian Times Rachel Bull
Dickens Landladies Pat Cemlyn-Jones
Mr Jingle Eve Fitt
The Quiet Hero Peter Michael

April 2020: Monday 6th

" 'I think I shall always like it better than
anything I have done or may do.' What
makes 'The Old Curiosity Shop' so Special?" Guest Speaker: Tony Williams

May 2020: Monday 11th

"The Old Curiosity Shop" a costumed reading Charmian Howard

June 2020: Monday 15th

Annual General Meeting followed by:
"Dickens and Science: Observing and Absorbing" John Peck

OTHER DICKENS OR SOCIAL EVENTS MAY BE ARRANGED DURING THE SEASON

TUESDAY BOOK GROUP

Afternoon Meetings start at 2.15 pm

Hosted by Lionel Reaves at 10 St Helena Road, Westbury Park. Tel: 0117 973 8388

Evening Meetings start at 7.15pm

Hosted by Pat Cemlyn-Jones at 4 Eastfield, Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol BS9 4BQ. Tel: 01179620946

The Old Curiosity Shop

Penguin Classics - 2000

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2019		Chapters	Leader
October	15th	01 - 07	Lionel Reaves Frankie Sahni
October	29th	08 - 14	Lorna Hughes
November	12th	15 - 22	Jane Tozer
November	26th	23 - 30	Peter Michael
December	10th	31 - 37	Anne Michael
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January	7th	38 - 45	Pat Cemlyn-Jones
January	21st	46 - 53	Mary Oldfield Charmian Howard
February	4th	54 - 61	Margaret Wright
February	18th	62 - 68	Roma Hussey
March	3rd	69 - 73	Eve Fitt
March	17th	Open Forum At 2.15 only	Leila Gilmore <i>(questions to Leila by Feb 22nd)</i>

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