

# The Hundred Years War



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**Friday, March 13th, 2020**

**10.00am – 4.00pm**

**Hatton Village Hall**

**Warwick Rd, Warwick**

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The 'Hundred Years War', a term first coined in 1823, was one of the most formative episodes in English and French history. Popularly seen as a struggle between two kingdoms and two dynasties for supremacy, pursued between 1337 and 1453, this perspective often falls short of the profound impact that these events had. The war was actually a succession of conflicts, separated by periods of uneasy peace, that ran for some 150 years from 1330 until 1480 and the dawn of the Renaissance. Furthermore, it was a European war. While England and France were the main protagonists, the conflict also sucked in neighbouring powers such as Brittany, Flanders and Burgundy, and to a lesser extent, Scotland, Portugal, several Spanish kingdoms, Bohemia and the papacy.

This study day will introduce selected aspects of this critical period for the kingdom of England and France, and consider various impacts that it had upon them. The morning session will begin by setting out a narrative and a chronology from the origins and causes of the war, to the progress of the conflict and some of the sources available for studying it. The second morning session will focus on historical reputations and the Hundred Years War, including Edward III, Charles V and Henry V; Edward, the 'Black Prince'; and Jeanne d'Arc.

In the afternoon we will discuss the fighting of the war, including the recruitment and profile of the armies, the companies that took part, and the organisation of the war. We will also look more generally at war and society, considering the attitudes of the aristocracy, the position of non-combatants, and the social and economic impacts of such a prolonged period of conflict.

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**At Hatton Village Hall**

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**10.00am till 4.00pm**

**FEES: £40.00** (Payable in advance)

**Inclusive of light lunch & morning coffee or tea**

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**CLOSING DATE FOR ENROLMENTS – 6<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

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