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Opera please contact Jane Ellis on 01443 482912
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THE ARCHAEOLOGIST'S WIFE

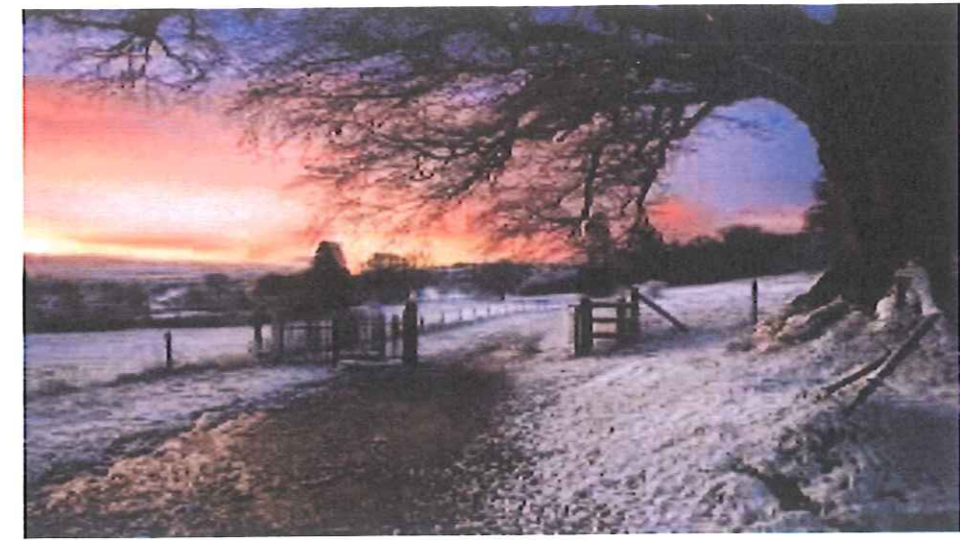
**The Archaeologist's Wife is a pasticcio about the
excavation of the Roman amphitheatre at
Caerleon by Tessa Wheeler in 1927.**

We are looking for choristers to sing in The
Archaeologist's Wife at the Royal Welsh College of Music and
Drama on the 9th and 10th April and
Tredegar House on the 11th and 12th April.

No singing experience necessary, you do not need
to be able to read music, just enjoy singing and
fancy the chance to perform in a professional
musical production.

Rehearsals will take place at the University of
South Wales, Cardiff Campus, ATRiuM building.
Transport will be covered/provided.

For further information and to sign up please contact
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The Friends of Tredegar House

Registered Charity No. 518513

The central four-page section contains the application form.

For event requests, please send the entire form
(this will be returned to you with your tickets)

To- Mrs Judith Rice, 206 Tregwilym Road, Rogerstone, Newport NP10 9EQ

Email: judithrice@btconnect.com Tele No. 01633—894108

All cheques are made Payable to:-

The Friends of Tredegar House

Please include a stamped self-addressed envelope

If you wish several applications may be included on the same cheque.

EDITORIAL TEAM

Judith Rice, Sue Powell, Michele Lewis,
Paddy Landers and Cllr Trevor Watkins

The newsletter is printed in January, April, July and October

Visit our Website for up-to-date information, news and contact details.

www.friends-of-tredegar-house.co.uk

Friends of Tredegar House Booking Form

Please note non members are very welcome to all our events, just add £1.00 for their ticket.

Name.....Tele .No.....

Address.....

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FEBRUARY TALK WEDNESDAY 18TH

In the Morgan Room 7.00pm for 7.30pm
Speaker - Bryher Mason
Subject - Tredegar ; Dark Days and Golden Ages.
Bryher Mason, Conservation Plan Consultant
reveals the many layers of the Tredegar story.

This illustrated talk shows how Tredegar House
changed over the centuries and how what we see today was
deeply affected by the changing fortunes of the Morgan family.

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MARCH TALK WEDNESDAY 18TH

In the Morgan Room 7.00pm for 7.30pm
Speaker - Timothy Ryan
Subject - History of the Severn Ferries 1931 - 1966
when the Severn Bridge was opened.

This talk is shown on a cine film (copied to dvd) of the ferries,
the old cars, the bridge being built etc.etc.

It is also punctuated with anecdotes of the ferries and life in the
fifties and sixties.

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APRIL TALK WEDNESDAY 15TH

In the Morgan Room 7.00pm for 7.30pm
Speaker - Monty Dart
Subject - "The Case that Changed the Law"
true story of a foster child from Newport.

"Some years ago a young man from Newport, Tom O'Neill
was studying to be a social worker. As part of his research he
looked up historic cases of cruelty towards children. One case
he came across was about two young brothers who had been
fostered out by Newport Council. The children had the same
surname as himself. He discovered that he was looking at a case
of murder - and the child that had been murdered was his uncle.

(Why not come and join us and find out more)

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING THURSDAY 30TH APRIL VENUE MORGAN ROOM AT TREDEGAR HOUSE COMMENCING AT 7.00PM

On completion of the official business of the A.G.M. a light buffet
will be served in the Morgan Room. Wine and soft drinks will also
be available.

As light refreshments will be served please advise if attending for
Catering purposes.

Name of person / persons attending.....

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ARCHAEOLOGIST'S WIFE COMMUNITY OPERA

Four professional soloists are joined by a community choir of all ages
in this brand new opera about Tessa Wheeler's 1926 excavation of
the Roman Amphitheatre at Caerleon, which marked a stage in the
development of the role of women within Archaeology.

This event is taking place in the Stable block at Tredegar House on
Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th April 2015. The opera is free. To
book tickets contact Jane Ellis on 01443 482912 or
Jane.ellis@southwales.ac.uk.

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