



Green Street Green Village Society



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What's On the Cards?

THE INTRIGUING STORY BEHIND PLAYING CARDS

A talk given by Alan Payne

Thursday 4th September 2014 at 8pm

The Greenwood Community Centre
4 High Street Green Street Green

WHAT'S ON THE CARDS? is an illustrated talk (with a few demonstrations thrown in) about playing cards. Or rather, the history and mystery of playing cards. I get asked to do this more than any of the others. Perhaps it's because it's such a quirky subject.

It came about when I was asked if I had any other talks following my Greenwich arm-chair tour. I turned to a hobby and 'What's on the Cards?' was the result.

We're all familiar with playing cards but how much do we really know about them?

You may be surprised by what you see and hear. And why is the suit on the Ace of Spades that much larger than the other three Aces? Why do we have jokers in the pack? Can playing cards be read?

Refreshments will be served after the talk

Tickets £2 available from Alan Garelick on 01689 850 668

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