



ABC Family History Association Programme from January 2023 to June 2023

Day	Date	UK Time	Event	Speaker /Organiser	Location of Event	Format
Sat	14 Jan	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	New Year Lite Bite Get-Together – talk on New Year Superstitions and Traditions followed by food (FREE, book a place)	Joy Smith / Audrey Ward	Brownlow Community Hub	Social Event
Sat	21 Jan	3pm	Online Meeting with Cranberry Genealogy Club, Pennsylvania	Joy Smith/Sue Ennis	Zoom	Zoom Meeting
Tue	24 Jan	7.30 pm	DNA Project – DNA Painter Chromosome Maps	Joy Smith/Leisa Byrne	Zoom	Zoom Session
Fri	3 Feb	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)	Joy Smith	Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Thu	16 Feb	7.30 pm	‘Posted in the Past’ – true stories behind the postcards	Helen Baggott	Zoom	Zoom Talk
Tue	21 Feb	7.30 pm	DNA Project – ‘FamilyTreeDNA’ Testing	Joy Smith	Zoom	Zoom Session
Tue	28 Feb	7.30 pm	‘Prussian Blue – The Story’ about Leona’s journey to find her ancestors	Leona Thomas	Zoom	Zoom Talk
Wed	1 Mar	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)	Joy Smith	Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Wed	15 Mar	7.30 pm	‘Ethical Dilemmas in Genealogy’ - discovering secrets, lies, bigamy, enslavement, criminals, unexpected DNA relatives, upsetting findings...	Dr Penny Walters	Zoom	Zoom Talk
Sat	18 Mar	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)	Joy Smith	Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Wed	22 Mar	7.30 pm	DNA Project – Y-DNA	Joy Smith/Leisa Byrne	Zoom	Zoom Session
Thu	23 Mar	All day	Visit to PRONI by train or car, to carry out own research	Audrey Ward	PRONI, Belfast	Visit
Tue	4 Apr	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)	Joy Smith	Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Wed	19 Apr	7.30 pm	‘Suffragettes in Ulster’	Myrtle Hill	Zoom	Zoom Talk
Tue	25 Apr	7.30 pm	DNA Project – Other Aspects of DNA Painter	Joy Smith/Leisa Byrne	Zoom	Zoom Session
Thu	27 Apr	All day	EPIC Dublin and Jeannie Johnston Famine Ship	Evelyn Gardiner	EPIC Dublin	Visit
Wed	3 May	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)		Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Wed	10 May	All day	The Linen Hall Library – travel by train or own car. Tour at 10.30 followed by café/research. Tour £5 plus train fare – 15 places available (Book)	Elaine Bleakney	Linen Hall Library	Visit
Wed	17 May	7.30 pm	‘Secrets and Lies’ – adventures in other people’s family trees	Dr Frances Hurd	Zoom	Zoom Talk
Sat	20 May	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)	Joy Smith	Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Tue	23 May	7.30 pm	DNA Project Close – round up of what we’ve learned	Joy Smith/Leisa Byrne	Zoom	Zoom Session
Fri	2 Jun	10.30 am - 12.30 pm	‘Coffee/Tea and a Bun’ – for those who want a bit of help, a warm place to chat or to borrow books. Bring your laptop/tablet (Drop in, FREE)	Joy Smith	Brownlow Community Hub	Workshop Get Together
Sat	3 Jun	10am – 1pm	Brunch at Sinton’s At The Bridge, followed by exhibition of old Coronation memorabilia and films	Joy Smith	Sinton’s At The Bridge, Scarva	Brunch Event