## WORLINGWORTH LOCAL HISTORY GROUP ANNUAL REPORT 2023

The work of the Group continues with another two new additions to our committee. The Painting Project has progressed very well in the hands of the Suffolk Napoleonic Volunteers Painting Trust to finance the restoration of the painting of Captain John Henniker-Major of the Loyal Worlingworth Volunteers.

Members of the Group visited the Somme battlefield in France in May under the tutelage of Geoffrey Robinson.

The talks at our Quarterly Meetings were about:

May 2022 Miss Reeve's Own Battle Aug 2022 History in Old Photographs Nov 2022 Medieval Coroners Rolls Feb 2023 The Pulham Pigs

Our Exhibition in the Community Centre on June 11<sup>th</sup> on "Aspects of the Parish's History" was a great success.

## Our quarterly newsletter featured articles on:

Parish History Through Newspaper Advertisements Worlingworth Celebrations William Leggett's Diary 1875 Worlingworth's Early History Medieval Worlingworth and its Records Parts 1 & 2 Sing, Say or Pay – Harkie Nesling and Walter Reid

Two members of the group continue to transcribe documents and conduct research into Roman and early medieval Worlingworth.

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