

October News Bulletin

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Latest news and events from St Albans Civic Society

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Dear Member,

This month sees two significant events: firstly an afternoon social at which we tell you about the results of the questionnaire and how we are using that information; and secondly this year's awards presentation. Further details of both are given below. I hope you will join us at one of both of these.

We are delighted that St Albans has reached the final stage of the Great British High Street Awards following a visit by the judging panel last week. The final vote is partly determined by public votes on social media, please post these 2 hashtags #GBHStAlbans #MyHighStreet to Instagram, Twitter and Facebook. (You can post both these hashtags once everyday until voting closes on 31st October.) For further details [click here](#).

Best wishes

Tim Boatswain

Chairman

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**The Questionnaire - join your fellow members to find out
what it tells us and how we make use of this information
Sunday 21st October, 2.00 for 2.30pm
Kingsbury Barn (enter via Branch Road)**

Please park in the Verulamium Museum car park, there is no parking in Kingsbury Mews

Respondents to the questionnaire told us they would welcome more events at which we talked about what the Society was doing and how you could get involved or help. This meeting is the first of these feedback sessions at which we will share the results of the questionnaire and invite you to

contribute to determining our priorities and our future projects and campaigns. This is a social event with drinks and nibbles available and opportunity for informal discussions following a short presentation.

To assist with planning for refreshments, please email stalbanscivicsociety@gmail.com or simply reply to this email to let us know that you will be attending. You are still very welcome if you only decide at the last minute. The Barn has no heating so please dress for the weather conditions!

Poppy Fields Installation at St Albans Cathedral

A stunning projection of poppies will fill the Nave of St Albans Cathedral for two nights only, as part of a unique light and sound installation to commemorate the World War One Centenary later this year. On Friday 26th and Saturday 27th October the Cathedral will open after dark from 7.30pm to 11.00pm to anyone wishing to contemplate and reflect on the history of World War One. Entry is free and will provide people with an opportunity to remember those who have served, both in the First World War and any other conflict. [For more information click here.](#)



Reminder : Awards Presentation Evening Tuesday 30th October

7.30pm for 8.00pm

Abbey Theatre, Holywell Hill, St Albans AL1 2DL

Please note the date of the awards evening is TUESDAY 30th October as shown above and not Thursday as printed in the newsletter.





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