Meeting of Ketton History Group – 18 Jan 2018

At the 18th January 2018 meeting of the Ketton History Group there was discussions on creating a series of pamphlets on certain aspects of village history.

The conclusion reached was that four subjects would be researched before March meeting.

- 1. Lost Trades and Business's.
- 2. Village Feast.
- 3. Village Organizations.
- 4. Toll Roads.

There was also a general discussion on village history and aspects of changing name of hostelries where the new name often lost the original historical reference. Examples included The Coach House at South Luffenham which was originally the Half Way House, indicating its position between two points; The Wicked Witch at Ryhall which was originally the Mill Stone, indicating that a water Mill stood nearby. There are many similar name changes in the area

Next Meeting is at 7.00 pm 14 March 2017 at the Parish Office.

WW1 exhibition in Ketton Library

Rutland in the First World War exhibition opens at Ketton Library on 8th March until 1st April. It honours and remembers some of the local men who fought and died in the conflict and also features original artefacts including First World War souvenirs, postcards and trench art.