

Speakers



Suzanne Bowman
Adams & Remers

A solicitor since 1988, Suzanne has worked in the south-east first as a general practitioner, eventually specialising in property - with listed buildings forming a large part of her work. She is a regular contributor on property issues for national publications including Country Life Magazine. She has, for a number of years, given initial free assistance to members of the Listed Property Owners Club



David Arscott
Author

David Arscott has a background in print journalism, BBC radio and publishing, and is the author of some 60 books, many of them about Sussex.



Peter Bell
LPOC Conservation Advisor & Local Authority Conservation Officer

Peter Bell BA (hons) MA (cons) PDD IHBC is Conservation Advisor with the Listed Property Owners Club and Heritage Consultant with Asset Heritage Consulting. Greater Manchester with English Heritage. He is currently restoring a late medieval farmhouse which is his family home.



Robert Desbruslais
Desbruslais Chartered Surveyors

Robert has over 20 years experience in surveying period properties. His pragmatic reports give practical advice and a balanced view on the typical defects and potential shortcomings that affect old buildings without creating unnecessary alarm.



Rosalind Chislett
House Historians

House Historians was established in 1999 by Rosalind Chislett and Jane Davidson, both graduates in Archaeology. This expertise in archaeological research has been invaluable for the investigations of houses that have survived through the centuries. Each one of the hundreds of house reports they have researched produces its own personalised trail into the past.



Lorna Harrington
Barrett Corp & Harrington Ltd

Prior to the establishment of BCH in 2006, Lorna had worked at Cunningham Lindsey as a Risk Solutions Manager, AIG Private Client Group as the Residential Services Manager and at Chubb Insurance as an Appraisal Manager for Chubb Masterpiece. Lorna started her career as a Lloyds broker, Bain Hogg (Aon), placing fine art and historic houses insurance in the London Market.



Diane Aldridge
DJA Planning

Diane is a Chartered Town Planner with over 25 years' experience. Prior to setting up DJA Planning in 2004, she worked for London Docklands Development Corporation and then spent sixteen years working for leading commercial property agents GVA and then Vail Williams, managing a wide variety of planning projects across the UK.



Stephen Langer
Stephen Langer Architects Ltd

Stephen established his architecture practice, with wife Sue, in 1982 to specialise in all aspects of traditional building design and conservation. He qualified at Bartlett School of Architecture (University College London). He belongs to The Institute of Historic Building Conservation and Vernacular Architecture Group, and serves on the Committee of the RIBA Traditional Architecture Group.



Emma Lawrence
The Society for Protection of Ancient Buildings (SPAB)

Emma joined the SPAB as their Head of Casework last year where she manages a team of five caseworkers covering England and Wales. Prior to this Emma worked as a Senior Conservation Officer at the Royal Borough of Greenwich. Emma started her career at Bath Preservation Trust where she worked as their Conservation Officer whilst undertaking an MSc in the Conservation of Historic Buildings.



Violet Hancock
Sussex Heritage Trust

Violet is Trustee and Vice-Chair of the Sussex Heritage Trust - a Registered Charity established in 1977 to preserve, improve and encourage the appreciation of the architectural and natural heritage of Sussex. The Awards Scheme began in 1998 and has brought to light many fine examples of conservation, preservation and rejuvenation projects across the county, and continues to do so.



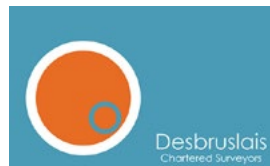
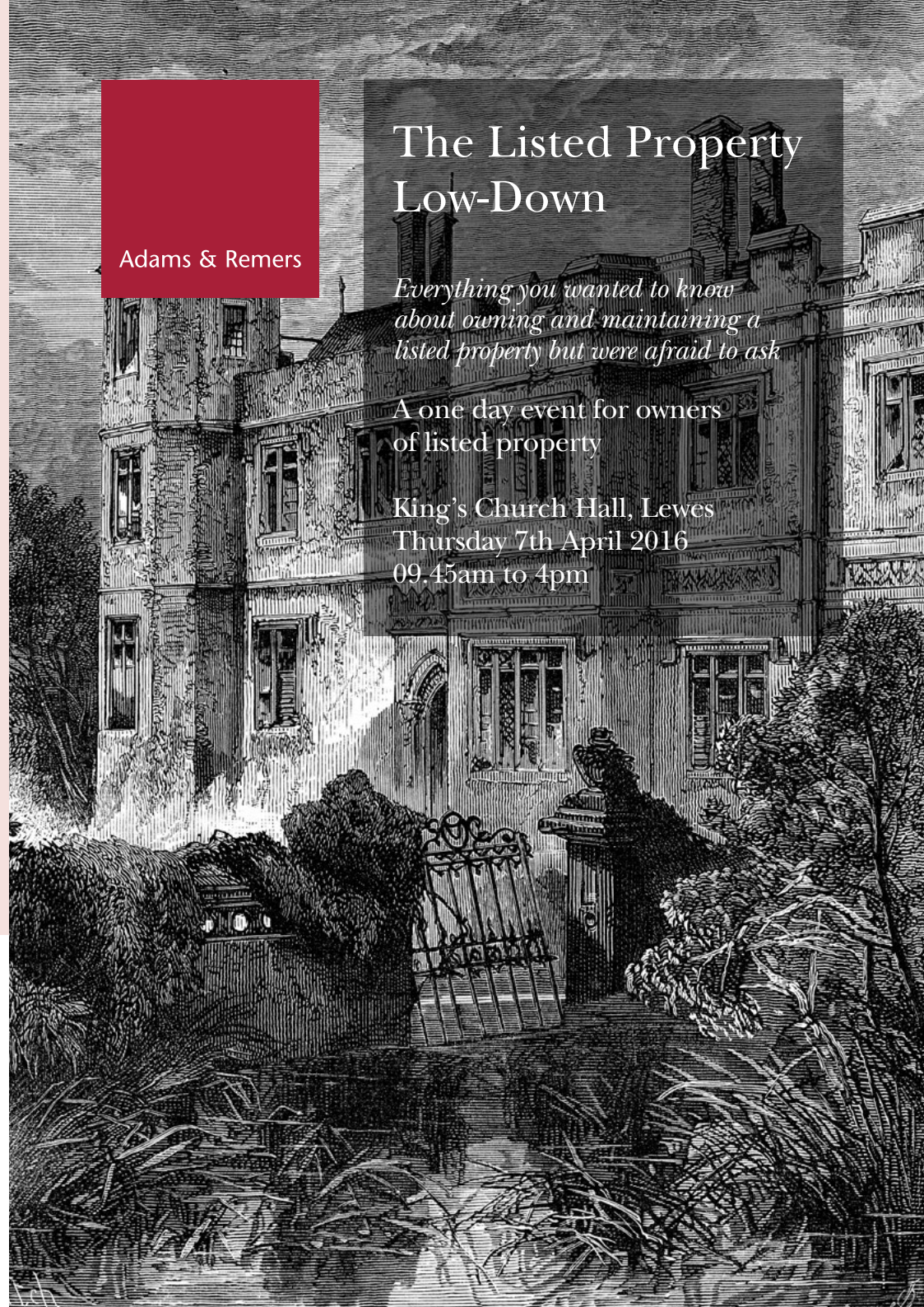
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The Listed Property Low-Down

Everything you wanted to know about owning and maintaining a listed property but were afraid to ask

A one day event for owners of listed property

King's Church Hall, Lewes
Thursday 7th April 2016
09.45am to 4pm



The Listed Property Low-Down is a free one day event for owners and prospective owners of listed property to be held at King's Church Hall in Lewes on Thursday 7th April 2016 from 9.45am to 4pm, hosted by law firm Adams & Remers LLP.

The event features keynote speakers whose advice includes guidance on getting consents, a surveyor's perspective, working with architects and planning consultants, valuing for insurance and researching the history of your building. Our speakers include former journalist and BBC producer David Arscott - who is the author of some 60 books, many of them about Sussex.

An exhibition at the venue includes planning consultants, architects and other property specialists – plus there will be a display of listed properties currently on the market from specialist estate agents in the region and beyond.

This event is free to attend for listed property owners (and prospective owners) and includes coffee, tea, a buffet lunch and refreshments throughout the day. Booking is by prior registration only, first come, first served. Details about this event are also at our website: www.adamsandremers.com/low-down-2016/

Getting to King's Church Hall, Lewes

The King's Church building is on Brooks Road in central Lewes, Sussex, BN7 2BY (between Tesco car park and Homebase). Public parking facilities, rail and bus stations are nearby.

About Adams & Remers

Adams & Remers LLP is a law firm based in the South East, with clients throughout the south, London and beyond. Our key practice areas include property (commercial and residential), dispute resolution, insolvency, private client, family, corporate & commercial and employment law. www.adamsandremers.com



Event Programme

- 09.45hrs Coffee, tea & biscuits on arrival
- 10.00hrs **Welcome and introduction**
Suzanne Bowman, Partner, Adams & Remers
- 10.15hrs **The conservation officer's view**
Peter Bell, Conservation Advisor, Listed Property Owners Club
- 10.45hrs **Listed property: a surveyor's perspective**
Robert Desbruslais, Desbruslais Chartered Surveyors
- 11.15hrs **Securing our Heritage by Rewarding Excellence**
Violet Hancock, Sussex Heritage Trust
- 11.30hrs Coffee, tea, cake & comfort break
- 11.50hrs **Works to a listed building: the role of a planning consultant**
Diane Aldridge, DJA Planning
- 12.20hrs **Discovering the history of listed and heritage properties**
Rosalind Chislett, House Historians
- 12.50hrs **Insuring historic buildings**
Lorna Harrington, Barrett Corp & Harrington Ltd
- 13.30hrs Lunch: Ploughman's buffet & soft drinks
- 14.20hrs **From villas to follies: a Sussex I-spy**
David Arscott, Author
- 14.50hrs **Yeoman, cannibals and planning officers**
Stephen Langer, Stephen Langer Architects Ltd
- 15.20hrs **The SPAB approach: how to maintain the character and value of old houses**
Emma Lawrence, Head of Case Work, The Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings
- 15.40hrs **Closing Comments**
Suzanne Bowman, Partner, Adams & Remers
- 16.00hrs Close

To Register For This Event

Entry is strictly by prior registration only, with places available free of charge on a first-come, first served basis and is for owners (and prospective owners) of listed properties. To avoid disappointment, please register before 30th March 2016. Please register for this event by calling Adams & Remers on 01273 403220, or e-mailing suzanne.bowman@adamsandremers.com