



2025

Our opening year of membership

Diary of Events

April '25 - March '26

The Colemans Hatch Horticultural Society was founded in 1945 and is now 80 years old.

CHHS is a registered Charity (no. 299964) and affiliated to the Royal Horticultural Society (no. 10536874)

As a society, two of our objectives are:

- To promote horticulture in the area of Colemans Hatch
- To support charitable purposes.

Our Diary of Events support both.

This year our nominated charities are:

St Peter and St James Hospice, North Chailey
and

Riding for the Disabled (RDA) operating in Chelwood Common

*In addition, we are supporting the Trinity Cafe team in raising funds for Jigsaw, the East Grinstead based bereavement charity for children and young adults.



Coping with Clay

Thursday 10 April

18.00 for 18.30 Trinity Hall

Kevin Tooher

Professional Plantsman and Lecturer

Open Gardens

Saturday 31 May & Sunday 01 June

11.00-17.00 at homes in and around Colemans Hatch

An Afternoon with Gertrude Jekyll*

Saturday 14 June

14.00 -17.30 Trinity Hall

Caroline Ikin

Curator at National Trust for Nymans, Standen and Munstead Wood

Talk followed by a cream tea and tour of a Jekyll-inspired garden

Sun Tsu in the Garden,

How to use military strategy to win against pests

Tuesday 08 July

19.00 for 19.30 Trinity Hall

Guy Deakins

Designer and Author

RHS Wisley Visit

Friday 18 July

Coach trip. Times to be advised



Babylon - the Story thus far

Tuesday 12 August

18.00 for 18.30 Babylon Eco Centre, Duddleswell

Rachael Collins

Head of Horticulture

Colemans Hatch Annual Show

Saturday 30 August

12.00-17.00 Trinity Hall, Church and Grounds

Growing Trees from Seed

Tuesday 30 September

18.00 for 18.30 Trinity Hall

Pippa Johns

Children's Forest

CHHS Annual General Meeting

Tuesday 28 October

19.00 Trinity Hall

Presentations to the charities nominated by CHHS this year;

St Peter and St James Hospice

and **Riding for the Disabled (RDA)**

Quiz 3 Ways

Tuesday 27 January 2026

18.00 for 18.30 Trinity Hall

Teams from Colemans Hatch, Groombridge and Hartfield Horticultural Societies