

**Autumn Day School**  
**The Orangery, Margam Abbey, Saturday 14 November 2009**

***Glamorgan Houses and Housing***

- 10.15 Coffee and bookstalls
- 10.45 Chairman's welcome (Professor Prys Morgan)
- 11.00 Mr Tom Lloyd (former chair of the Historic Buildings Council for Wales)  
***The Country Houses of Glamorgan***  
*Glamorgan offers a wonderful display of fine country houses, from the astonishing group of grand Tudor and Jacobean houses in the Vale through to the equally rich houses of the great Victorian industrialists and this illustrated talk will be a fast moving chronological sweep through three hundred years of fine domestic local architecture.*
- 12.15 Lunch and bookstalls
- 1.45 Mr Stephen Hughes (Royal Commission on the Ancient & Historical Monuments of Wales)  
***Workers' Housing in South Wales***  
*A comparison of the early types of late eighteenth and early nineteenth century industrial housing in south Wales, particularly between the internationally important metal-working centres in Swansea and Blaenavon, and with reference to early colliery and canal housing in Glamorgan*
- 3.00 Tea and bookstalls, followed by drawing of the Raffle  
*Once again John Adams will be running the raffle. If you feel able to do so, please bring a suitable prize. Funds raised in this way all go towards covering the cost of the event. Thank you very much.*
- 3.30 Mr Michael Simpson (formerly Department of History, Swansea University)  
***Arts and Crafts Architecture and Planning in the Swansea Area, 1900-1920***  
*Swansea was a pioneer in "good practice" in housing and planning in the early 20th century. Council, business and philanthropic enterprises abounded and are still in evidence, as these illustrated examples testify.*
- 4.45 Disperse

The **full** attendance fee will be **£30.00 per head** to include tea/coffee and biscuits on arrival, full two-course buffet lunch, and tea/coffee and Welsh cakes in the afternoon.

The **basic** attendance fee to include morning and afternoon refreshments as above, but not lunch, will be **£15.00 per person**.

**Both rates are unchanged from last year.**

---

Advance notice of the **Annual General Meeting**: this will to be held in The Rest, Porthcawl on Saturday 8 May 2010.

Next year's **Autumn Day School** will take place on 13 November 2010. The provisional theme is:  
***Images of Glamorgan***