

Moonraking - "the following of crazy fancies." (Chamber's 20th C Dictionary)

This group began in February 2003, so that people with an interest in Cowling's past, could enjoy it together, instead of in isolation.

Aims agreed by the group in 2005 –

To gain enjoyment from recording and sharing as much as possible of Cowling's rich history.

To assist in the revitalising of the village, by raising its profile locally and worldwide, through announcing it's place in history, imparted through websites and other forms of communication.

'To tell the story of a community is to give it value.'

Membership

Mark Barnes, Maurice Benson, Basil Newby, Rob Porteus, Brian Ridehalgh, Joan Tindale, Mark Wilson, Ken Edgar jnr, David Hoyle, Kevin Brigg, Margaret Gott, Maureen Cowgill, , Adrian Haupt, Grant Devine, Dennis Harker, Rachel Vincett , Josie Walsh and Norman Binns

Visitors

(Name, contact details and reason for visit)

Agenda for March Meeting

1. History requests/artefacts/ documents (visitors)
2. Finance
3. Meeting room fee
4. Oatmeal cakes secret
5. Brian Warne collection
6. Looking Forward:
 - More member involvement
 - Officers – Chair, Treasurer, Press Officer, etc
 - Research areas
 - Projects
7. Other items
8. History requests/ artefacts/ documents (members)

Next session:

April 3rd Venue: Village Hall, time 7.30 pm