

*COBBETT'S WEY Decorative and Fine Arts Society*  
*A member society of the National Association of Decorative & Fine Arts Societies NADFAS*

Our next visit is on Saturday 1st May 2010

A walking tour of [Waverley Abbey](#) with Sam Osmond (links with the lecture on The Cistercians in April), the walking tour is followed by lunch at Waverley Abbey House.  
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Our society is still open to new Members for 2010, why not ask a friend to join us at Cobbett's Wey DFAS to enjoy our talks and visits throughout the year.

**24th March 2010 — Journey Across the Himalayas**



The next lecture will focus on the Buddhist area of the Himalayas, the once spiritual domain of Tibetan culture and religion. It is an important centre of Buddhist art and culture, housing vast repositories of sacred art in remote monasteries and temples. *Lecture by Zara Fleming*

**24th February 2010 — Fakes & Forgeries: The Art of Deception**

We heard how forgers go to amazing lengths to pass off works as legitimate and Malcolm demonstrated this using actual case studies. We saw how skilled forgers capable of imitating well known artists have provided the ability to dupe many at the highest level within the art market. *Lecture by Malcolm Kenwood*



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Visit the Stanley Spencer Gallery  
 Saturday 12 June 2010

At Cookham with walking tour of the village (links with the Stanley Spencer talk in May), followed by a tour of Eton College.

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**2010 Programme Lectures**

- ✓ The London Architecture of John Nash
- ✓ Fakes & Forgeries: The Art of Deception
  - Journey Across the Himalayas
  - The Cistercians & Their English Abbeys
- A Personal Heaven - The Paintings of Stanley Spencer  
*AGM at 7:30 followed by lecture refreshments will be served after the lecture*
- Buckingham Palace - Its History, Occupants and Contents  
 William Hogarth
  - Omega and Charleston: Bloomsbury Decorative Arts
- Skin Deep - The Beastly Art of Beauty: Reality and Ridicule
- I am the Very Model - Parodies of Victorian Society in Gilbert & Sullivan

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