

EXPLORING HERALDRY INTEREST GROUP

Visit to St Peter's Church, Tollerton, 14th December 2012

On a very cold and wet morning, we arrived at the Church to a very warm welcome, a brief history by Church Warden Liz Day, and information relating to the Hatchments (the three in the organ loft being of particular interest), with tea and coffee (*thanks to Bob Day!*), and smiles that would have melted a snowman.



Quiz-answers being Hatched in Nave & Loft

We had always thought that St Peter's was a church to simply pass by; how wrong we were, because it proved to be well worth a visit, containing, as it does, plenty of interest, including a fascinating mausoleum closing the Pendock-Barry line of Tollerton Hall owners.



Mausoleum Musings

After Vic's Quiz taxed the brain, as always, we were in need of sustenance, so we retired to the Griffin, where we had a very nice lunch, a glass or two, and a good chat.

Vic's later "marking" of our Quiz answers, with a mid-year "Report" attached to them on himself as well as on us, and even the news that our swamping of the Griffin Conservatory had more or closed down the restaurant, did not diminish our good memories of a pleasant half-day or so out, before returning to the extremely exploratory nature of our Feignies Room sessions.

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