



SOUTH WALES RISING OF THE CHARTISTS 1839 175TH ANNIVERSARY AUTUMN 2014

USW NEWPORT CITY CENTRE CAMPUS

Saturday 1 November 10.00 -16.30

❁ PROGRAMME ❁

09.15 – 10.00 Registration

10.00 Chair: Dr Elin Jones (Presenter, S4C Doc Film: *Gwrthryfel Gwent*)
Professor Julie Lydon O.B.E (Vice-Chancellor, USW)
Cllr Matthew Evans (Newport City Mayor)

10.25 *Perspectives on the 1839 Rising: Three History Professors*

Chair: Les James (Editor, **CHARTISM** magazine)
Dr Malcolm Chase (Leeds University)
Dr Owen Ashton (Staffordshire University)
Dr Chris Williams (Cardiff University)

11.30 Coffee/Tea Break

12.00 *Perspectives on the 1839 Rising: Forum*

Chair: Dr Elin Jones & Les James
Guest speakers discuss & answer questions

13.00 – 13.45 Lunch Break

13.45 *Women and the Vote*

introduced by Val Williams (Chance Encounters Theatre)

1. *Chartist women* - Dr Joan Allen (Newcastle University)

2. *Newport Suffragettes* - Dr Ryland Wallace

15.10 Tea/Coffee Break

15.30 *A Bird in A Cage* (Film) Winding Snake Production

15.55 *Our Chartist Ancestors*

Sylvia Taylor (Benjamin Betts of Pillgwenlly)
Dai Amos (Thomas Anthony of Ty Du)
Sarah Richards (William Davies of Blackwood)

Message from Dame Rosemary Butler AM (NCC Chartist Commission)

16.30 Close

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