#### THE WALMSLEY SOCIETY

#### **PROGRAMME** for 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting 10 - 11 May 2025

#### Saturday 10 May am.

# 10.00am in the Fylingdales Village Hall, Station Road, Robin Hood's Bay YO22 4RA

The AGM will begin at 10.30am

#### Agenda for the Annual General Meeting

Welcome from the Chairman, Andrew Davison and introductions.

Greetings from our President, Sean Walmsley

- 1. To receive apologies for absence
- To confirm the minutes of the AGM held on 11 May 2024 (previously circulated to all members)
- 3. Matters arising
- 4. To consider adopting an amended written Constitution for the Society (circulated to all members prior to the meeting)
- 5. Reports by:

Chairman: Andrew Davison Secretary: Margaret Higson

Treasurer: Jane Ellis Membership Officer:

- Marilyn Barraclough6. Election of Officers and Committee Members for 2025/26
- 7. Appointment of Independent Examiner
- 8. Any other business
- 9. Date and time of next AGM (proposed to be Saturday 9 May 2026)

#### Saturday 10 May pm.

2.00pm for 2.15pm in the Village Hall – this afternoon session is open to members only.

# 2.15pm - 3.15pm Celebrating 40 years of the Walmsley Society May 1985 - May 2025

Showing of the film "The Walmsley Bug"

Founder members, Marilyn, Jane and George share memories of our inaugural meeting and many highlights since

President Sean Walmsley - The Walmsley Society and what it means to me and my family

An opportunity for members to share their motivation for joining and remaining active members of the Society

#### 3.15pm - 3.35pm

Light refreshments and a chance to chat

# 3.35pm – 4.30pm Teaching My Hands: Memories of a Childhood with My Grandmother Emmy

A unique insight by Katharine Walmsley into the rich and fulfilling life of her grandmother.

**7.00pm Doors open at the Village Hall.** Light refreshments will be available during the evening.

# 7.15pm – 8.30pm – Freely open to the public – donations invited for the RNLI

From the Mersey to the North Yorkshire Coast: The Artistic Journey of Ulric Walmsley and his Liverpool Contemporaries

Nick Foggo will present this unique insight into Ulric Walmsley's artistic talents.

#### Sunday 11 May

# 9:45am Sunday Walk – a leisurely stroll around Bay.

Meet at the Old St Stephen's Church RHB YO22 4PF at 9:40am

Jane Ellis and George Featherston will lead us on a scenic walk taking in the beautiful countryside and rugged coastal landscape of Robin Hood's Bay, with an emphasis on special areas of interest to Walmsley enthusiasts.

#### Stout footwear will be required

## 12.30pm Walmsley Society Celebratory Lunch at the Victoria Hotel, Robin Hood's Bay

We are at the Victoria Hotel once again this year for our Sunday lunch - one or two courses, with carvery, vegetarian and other options.

Please book for the Victoria Sunday Lunch via the membership renewal form or at the AGM.

2.45pm – 4.15pm Committee Meeting to be held in the Methodist holiday accommodation on Wesley Road, off Thorpe Lane YO22 4RW (courtesy of Keith and Marilyn Barraclough)

# \*\*\*A bonus event for those remaining in Bay on Monday\*\*\*

On Monday 12 May between 7:00pm and 9:00pm Jane will be presenting "The Walmsley Story" to the Whitby Civic Society at the Old Coliseum cinema, adjacent to the bus station in Whitby

Cost of entry £3.00