



Exploring Kentish Naming Practices Conference

**Paul Cullen, Mark Bateson, Barrie Cook, Margaret Lawrence,
Ellie Rye, Sheila Sweetinburgh**

Tavern names, early medieval place names, and surnames

Saturday 17 November 2018

09.30-16.00

**Old Sessions House, Canterbury Christ Church University
Longport, Canterbury CT1 1PL**

All welcome: tickets: £15 or £10 for CCCU students

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Programme

09.30-10.00 Registration and refreshments
(coffee and biscuits)

10:00-10.10 Welcome

First session

10:10-10:40 **Paul Cullen**
'Tavern names of Kent'

10:40-11:10 **Barrie Cook,** '
Names, trades and places on the tokens of 17th century Kent'

Questions

11:10-11:20 COMFORT BREAK

Second session

11:30-12:00 **Margaret Lawrence,**
'Promoting Peckham Village Place Names'

12:00-12:30 **Mark Bateson,** 'Place-names from the sources: editions,
transcriptions and excerpts' (or, *Confessions of an English
Place-Name Society research assistant*)

Questions

12:30-12:40 LUNCH
(provided for speakers only)

Third Session

13:40-14:10 **Sheila Sweetinburgh,**
'Pigs, pannage and place names in medieval Kent'

14:10-14:40 **Elie Rye,** '
Place-names and travel in early medieval Kent'

Questions

14:40-14:50 TEA AND BISCUITS

15:10-15:40 **Paul Cullen,**
'Some tricky Kent surnames'*

Questions

15:40-16:00 **Audience members are invited to suggest examples of baffling names for Paul Cullen's consideration.*

In this talk he will consider a selection of the best ones (or at least the ones he can make sense of!). Please email your tricky Kent surnames to the Place-Names Committee Secretary on anitathompson503@gmail.com - the sooner the better. Paul Cullen, the well-known expert on Kentish names, will head this exploration of all sorts of naming practices – place, family and trade, an exciting educational event where participants will have a chance to ask about intriguing and unusual Kentish names.

Through this event the Centre hopes to aid the **Ian Coulson Memorial Postgraduate Award** fund, which is used to support and encourage potential CCCU postgraduates to research Kent history topics.

There may be limited car parking on campus, and Canterbury City Council's Longport car park (pay and display) is near to Old Sessions House.

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