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**Colinton Parish Church  
Literary Society**

106<sup>th</sup> Season Programme

2016-2017

**Member**.....

non transferable

Membership subscription £10

Meetings in the Loan Hall, Dreghorn Loan,

Wednesdays 8pm

Tea, coffee and wine served from 7.30pm



**The 'Lit'**

Colinton Parish Church Literary Society

**2016**

- 12 Oct**      **The Painting, the Place, and the Music.**  
Alistair MacNeill talks about Scottish Artists
- 19 Oct**      **Travelling overland through the Ancient History of Lebanon and Syria. An illustrated talk.**  
Fred and Rita Daniels.
- 26 Oct**      **“Ring the bell for Hill.” Conditions of Servants in the 18<sup>th</sup> century, relating to Pride and Prejudice.**  
Maureen Kelly
- 02 Nov**      **Our Diet Disaster. How bad science, bad policy and big food got us fat and sick.**  
Steve Plag
- 09 Nov**      **“The Making of Mickey Bell.”** First novel from  
Kellan McInnes
- 16 Nov**      **Literature in the Highlands.**  
John Stuart-Murray
- 23 Nov**      **The Lewis Chessmen.**  
Dr David Caldwell
- 30 Nov**      **Managing without a maid. Recruiting servants and the changing role of women in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century.**  
Helen Edwards
- 07 Dec**      **Christmas party with entertainment.**

**2017**

- 11 Jan**      **Lawrence of Arabia.**  
Ian Gardiner
- 18 Jan**      **Scottish Baronial. The development of this style of architecture from time of Walter Scott.**  
Simon Green
- 25 Jan**      **The Sicilian Mafia and its world domination of heroin trade**  
**Professor Arnold Maran**
- 01 Feb**      **Foreign Policy and Scotland.**  
Dame Mariot Leslie, former British diplomat.
- 08 Feb**      **“Ane Satyre of the Thrie Estates”. From Linlithgow to Warsaw.**  
David Dow
- 15 Feb**      **The Federal Republic of Germany today.**  
Jens-Peter Voss
- 22Feb**      **Robert Louis Stevenson on Samoa.**  
Andrew Martin
- 01 March**      **My mule trek across Morocco.**  
James McCarthy
- 08 March**      **Harps and Clarsachs.**  
Isobel Mieras
- 15 March**      **AGM followed by Wendy Sodergren’s Scottish pictures and music.**