

# Application for Membership

## OTTERY ST MARY HERITAGE SOCIETY

Registered Charity 1087086



*Promoting interest in the rich heritage,  
local history and culture of the town of  
Ottery St Mary and surrounding area*

### **About the Society**

The Ottery St Mary Heritage Society was formed in April 1999 and currently has a membership of over 200. It was granted Registered Charity Status in May 2001.

### **Objects**

The objects of the Society are to educate the public in the geography, history, natural history and architecture of Ottery St Mary; and to assist in the preservation, protection, development and improvement of features of historic or public interest.

### **Museum and Heritage Centre**

The long-term aim of the Heritage Society is to create a permanent Heritage Centre within the town with facilities for a museum, an arts centre and an educational resource.

### **Membership**

Membership is open to any individual or association interested in furthering the work of the Charity and as detailed in the Society's Constitution.

### **Monthly Meetings**

Meetings of the Society are held at the Ottery St Mary Institute, usually on the third Tuesday of each month. Eminent speakers are invited to talk on their particular area of interest. These meetings are well supported social affairs and refreshments are available.

### **Administration**

The affairs of the Heritage Society are administered on behalf of the membership by an elected Executive Committee acting in the trusts of the Charity.

### **Finances**

The cost of running the Society is financed by Membership Fees paid annually and from various fund-raising activities.

### **Heritage Journal**

The Society produces a popular Heritage Journal three or four times each year. It features illustrated articles of interest, researched and submitted by members, chiefly concerned with the history and heritage of the locality.

# Membership Application Form

## Ottery St Mary Heritage Society

The existence of the Ottery St Mary Heritage Society with its regular meetings and exchange of ideas and information, will provide the first steps towards a Heritage Museum for the town.

Are there any specific aspects of local history which interest you?

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Do you have particular talents or experience which you could make available?

Secretarial Skills	[ ]	Cataloguing / Records	[ ]
Mailing List Database	[ ]	Public Relations	[ ]
Museum Work	[ ]	Research	[ ]
Display	[ ]		

Other .....

Name [1].....	Name [2].....
Address.....	
.....Post Code .....	
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Annual subscription rates: £10 single [ ]    £15 couple [ ]    under 18 no charge [ ]	
Amount enclosed £ ..... cash / cheque / bank draft	
In order that the Heritage Society can comply with the requirements of the Data Protection Act, I/we give permission for the information included above to be held on computer files / disks for use by the Society.	
Signature(s) .....	

**Please print and complete this form and send with your remittance (cheque payable to Ottery St Mary Heritage Society) to:  
Judy Mullinger, Membership Secretary, 8 Moorlands, West Hill, Ottery St Mary, Devon EX11 1UL**