



Surrey Network

Universities of the Third Age

VOLCANOES, EARTHQUAKES & TSUNAMIS

A Study Day on Friday, 16th March 2012

At The Menuhin Hall, Stoke d'Abernon (map on next page)

Tutor - Dr Mick Wright

The talks concern the implications, for Humanity, of living on a Dynamic Planet. The forces, which shaped our planet, are as active today as ever and will continue to be so well into the future. We must learn to live with and adapt to these forces which will, ultimately, determine our fate.

Programme

- 9.30 Registration
- 10.00 Earthquakes - 'The Gods get angry'
- 11.00 Coffee / tea
- 11.30 Volcanoes - 'Vulcan fumes'
- 12.30 Lunch - Bring your own - tea/coffee available
- 1.30 Tsunamis - 'The power of Poseidon'
- 2.30 Tea / coffee
- 3.00 Future Geological Challenges - 'Return to Ragnarok'
- 4.00 Departure

Tutor

Dr Mick Wright worked in the oil industry as a petroleum geologist/geochemist. This was followed by active research into the vulcanology of Mt. Etna. He now teaches A-level geology and is a tutor of Earth Science for the Open University.

To assure your place send the slip below, as soon as possible, with a cheque for £10 (non-U3A guest £12) payable to 'Surrey U3A Network', to Sheila Hill - U3A, 21 Yarm Court Road, Leatherhead, KT22 8NY, 01372 372165, surreyU3Astudyday@btinternet.com. Enclose a SAE or your e-mail address for confirmation. Fees are not normally refundable. For our website see the next page.

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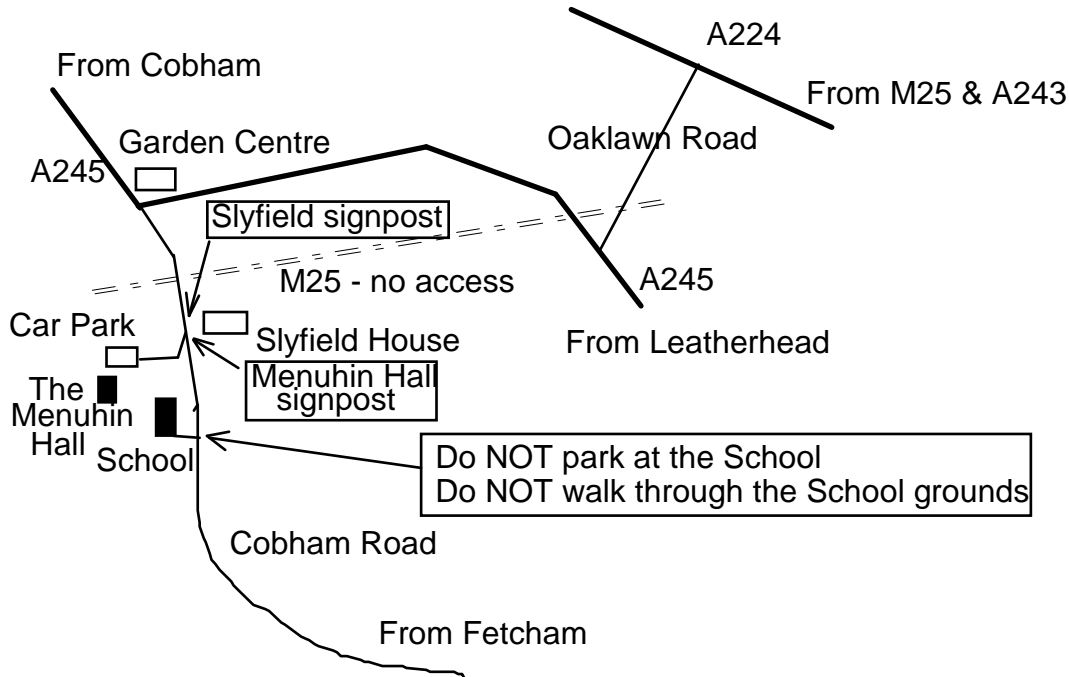
The Menuhin Hall

Cobham Road, Stoke d'Abernon, KT11 3QQ

Map ref: TQ 132 579 on Landranger 187, Explorer 146

Telephone 07763 805046 (emergency, on day only)
or Menuhin Hall Office 08700 842020

There is a garden centre, Shoot's Garden Centre (01932 862530), about 800 metres to the north of the Menuhin Hall where light lunches are available. Reservations not required.



The Menuhin School was founded in 1963 in London and moved to its present site in 1964. It has about 66 pupils learning to play stringed instruments and is financed, in part, by the DfES. Lord Menuhin was born in New York on 22nd April 1916 and died on 12th March 1999 in Berlin. His parents had come from Russia. His first public concert was in March 1924 and his first in Europe, in Paris, in 1927. His performance of Elgar's Violin Concerto was recorded at the Abbey Road Studios in 1932. The Hall, designed by Mark Foley, was conceived as a memorial to Yehudi and was handed over to the school on 5th August 2005. The official opening was on 7th January 2006. Yehudi is buried near the stone pillar in front of the Hall. Nearby is an oak which he planted on his 80th birthday. The Hall was first used for U3A Study Days on 14th October 2005 when the Steinway grand piano was used as no other was available.

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