



### **‘The Enigma of Sutton Hoo’: an Illustrated Talk**

**Friday 15th May, 7.00pm**

**Meldreth Village Hall**

Sutton Hoo near Woodbridge in Suffolk and on the banks of the River Deben is home to one of the greatest archaeological discoveries of all time. Sally Sibley from the National Trust will tell the amazing story of how an Anglo Saxon king, probably Raedwald, was buried in his ship 1400 years ago together with his most treasured possessions. Narrowly missed by grave robbers, the royal burial mound was excavated in 1939 and its contents give a fascinating insight into the power and wealth of Anglo Saxon rulers, their trade links across the world and the exquisite craftsmanship of the time. This illustrated talk will also offer a chance to view and photograph replicas of some of the extraordinary finds.

Tickets are £5 per person, £3 under 16s. To book please call Joan Gane (01763) 260129 or John Crawforth (01763) 262848.