



## Good as New

# A Homeowners' Introduction to the Repair of Old Houses

## A One-day Construction Workshop

Boulevard Village Hall: Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2010

### PROGRAMME

Chairman : Douglas Kent, SPAB

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| 9.00 - 9.30  | <b>Registration:</b> Tea/Coffee available on arrival |
| 9.30 - 9.45  | <b>Welcome and Introduction</b>                      |
| 9.45 – 10.15 | <b>The Conservation Approach</b><br>Sara Crofts      |

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| 10.15 - 10.30 | Tea/Coffee |
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| 10.30 - 11.00 | <b>The Need for Old Buildings to 'Breathe' and Controlling Damp</b><br>Douglas Kent |
| 11.00 - 11.30 | <b>Tips for Successfully Maintaining Your Old Building</b><br>Sara Crofts           |
| 11.30-12.00   | <b>Plasterwork, Paints and Finishes</b><br>Stephen Bull                             |

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| 12.00-1.00 | Lunch (at the Boulevard Village Hall) |
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| 1.00-1.45 | <b>Local buildings walk: Good and Bad Examples of Work</b> |
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| 1.45-2.15 | <b>Practical Building Conservation Work (Including Mortar Mixes, Lime and Sands)</b><br>Stephen Bull |
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| 2.15-2.45 | <b>Practical Workshops – Session 1</b><br>Group 1: Lime Plaster Repairs – Stephen Bull<br>Group 2 : Window Repairs – Malcolm Adkins |
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| 2.45-3.15 | <b>Practical Workshops – Session 2</b><br>Groups 1 and 2 Swap Over |
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| 3.15-3.30 | Tea/Coffee                         |
| 3.30-4.00 | <b>Improving Energy Efficiency</b> |
| 4.00-4.30 | <b>Questions and Discussion</b>    |
| 4.30      | <b>Course Closes</b>               |

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