

Belfast Titanic Society



Programme 2025-2026

www.belfast-titanic.com

Meetings are recorded (except where stated) and added to our Youtube channel back catalogue following the meeting



Notes

- ⌘ The Society reserves the right to alter stated dates, times, venues & speakers. New events/talks may be added to the programme so always check the Society website.
- ⌘ All events are online and accessible using a Zoom Meeting ID and Passcode.
- ⌘ Meetings normally take place on a Monday unless otherwise stated.
- ⌘ Online events are recorded and added to our member only YouTube channel.
- ⌘ Meeting start time is normally 7pm (GMT) unless otherwise stated. Please check timings in your time zone.
- ⌘ All events and talks are including in the cost of annual membership

2025/26 Membership Year Programme of talks and events (released 21 August 2025)

■ September 2025 ■

Monday 8th
7pm

👤 In- person

'Mutiny on the Olympic'
Mark Chirnside

In partnership with Public Records
Office for Northern Ireland

■ September 2025 ■

Saturday and Sunday 6th & 7th
10-4pm

👤 In- person


'Belfast Maritime Festival 2025

Edwardian Costume display in Titanic
Belfast hosted at the 'Titanic Staircase'

By Jill Edgar

■ **September 2025** ■

Saturday and Sunday 6th & 7th
10-4pm


 In- person

‘Belfast Maritime Festival 2025

Society display in Marquee

■ **October 2025** ■


Monday 13th
7pm

 Zoom

**‘Alexander Carlisle – Titanic’s
missing link’**
Will Jackson

■ **November 2025** ■

Monday 10th
7pm


 Zoom

**‘Mackay-Bennett: Ship of the Dead –
After Titanic’**
Gary Rose

Joint Meeting with Titanic Society of
Atlantic Canada

■ **December 2025** ■

Monday 8th
7pm


 zoom

‘Titanic and the Welsh Connection’

Ifan Erwyn Pleming

■ **January 2026** ■


Monday 12th
7pm

 Zoom

‘A New Light on Two Pennies’
Susie Millar

■ **February 2026** ■


Monday 9th
7pm

 Zoom

**‘SS Keewatin - the largest remaining
Edwardian era passenger steamer in
the world,’**
James Gibbons

■ **March 2026** ■


Monday 10th
7pm

 Zoom

**‘In conversation Tad Fitch, Kent J
Layton& Bill Wormstedt**

■ **March 2026** ■

Monday 23rd
7pm


 Zoom

**‘The Halifax Response to the Titanic
Disaster’**

Dee Ryan-Meister

■ **April 2026** ■

Tuesday 14th (provisional)
PRONI event, Titanic Quarter


 In person

2pm (more information on
timings/sessions to follow)

**‘Special Access to #401 & Maritime
Archives’**

*(Tickets FREE booked through
Eventbrite – more information to follow)*

Tuesday 14th

 In person

Titanic Belfast slipways
& Titanic Hotel, Belfast

‘A Night to Remember’


Titanic Belfast

*(With contributions from Belfast Titanic
Society)*

(More information on ticketing for
this paid event and timings to follow
from **Titanic Belfast**

– car parking and public transport
options are available locally)

Wednesday 15th

 In person

12 Midday
Belfast City Hall, Titanic Memorial
Gardens

**‘Annual Commemorative Service
(114th anniversary)’**

- followed by a light lunch hosted by the
Lord Mayor in Belfast City Hall

*Invitation, with RSVP, will be issued to
all members and their guests by email
from Belfast City Council*

■ **April 2026** ■


Wednesday 15th

Membership Renewal Day
**Online membership payments/
renewals**

■ **May 2026** ■

Monday 11th

7pm

 Zoom


‘Annual General Meeting’

The meeting will be preceded by an
email with voting instructions.

■ **May 2026** ■

Monday 11th

7.30pm

 Zoom

Following AGM

‘Artefacts Update

*Tomasina Ray, Director of Collections,
E/M Group*

(meeting not recorded by the Society)

Details of events may change and new
events may be added
so please check back on our website
for updates and in monthly event
emails

Ends