

Living Military History provide engaging and dynamic living history displays and workshops. We use original uniforms and equipment whenever we can. If this is not possible we may occasionally use historically accurate reproductions.

Graham also gives entertaining and educational talks on a variety of subjects and has featured in a number of television productions including **Downton Abbey** and most recently as a medical military history expert for **Instruments of Death** on UKTV's Yesterday Channel.

We undertake expert military and genealogical research for **individuals and organisations**.

As an Advanced Practitioner in older adult mental health Graham also conducts professional **Reminiscence Therapy** sessions.

Our enthusiasm for living history and large collection of exhibits ensures an interactive experience which both educates and entertains.



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Genealogical Research
Film & TV Consultancy
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Reminiscence Therapy**



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Living Military History Events

Living Military History specialise in 20th Century Military History and have been providing interpretations and displays since 2006.

Graham Bandy is able to provide a substantial display with his extensive collection of original uniforms and equipment. He specialises in medical military history and his displays can be seen at many major events in the UK and abroad.

He also works in conjunction with a number of established living history groups and is a member of **The Great War Society, Royal Warwickshire Regiment 1914-1918** and **Pitsford Home Guard**.

Highlights in recent years include **The Lord Mayor's Show** as part of the RAF Regiment Historical Flight, The Great War Society 200 mile march in full First World War kit from **Whitehall to Wipers** (Ypres), a medical display at the **Passchendaele Museum** in Belgium and the 2010 **Military Mtarfa** event in Malta.

Photo and Ephemera Dating & Identification

Living Military History provide advice and expertise to individuals and organisations wishing to know more about military items of all kinds.

Graham has a keen eye for identifying and dating all kinds of photographs, archive film, badges, uniforms, equipment and related ephemera. He gives regular talks to local and family history groups, is the resident expert at the **West Surrey Family History Fair** and also appears each year at **Who Do You Think You Are Live** at London Olympia.

Living History for Schools

Living Military History provide engaging and interactive living history displays and workshops to schools throughout the UK.

Graham's enthusiasm for living history and large collection of authentic and original exhibits ensure a memorable experience which both educates and entertains.

We offer workshops on specific topics or can work with you on a regular basis to create a tailor made and exciting programme of events for all ages.



Military History Talks

Graham also presents a range of informative talks to local and family history groups and the U3A. Talks are accompanied by a Power Point Presentation with a variety of fascinating images, a display of original artifacts and include a Q&A session to provide help with individual enquiries.

Subjects include "Getting to Know Your Military Ancestors through Photographs and Memorabilia", "From Kitchener's Army to Conscriptio", "Researching Your Military Ancestors" and "The Origins of the Boer War".

Reminiscence Therapy

Living Military History are uniquely placed to offer Reminiscence Therapy to either individuals or organisations in both in and out-patient settings.

Whilst our living history specialism is military, our reminiscence therapy is a broad offering ranging from wartime memories through to the 1970s., and is tailored to our client's needs.

Graham Bandy has many years of experience as a Community Psychiatric Nurse and Advanced Practitioner in older adult care.

With the **Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps (QARANC)** he served in the role of Welfare Officer during the Second Gulf War. He is currently a member of the **Surrey Civilian-Military Partnership Forum**

His unique combination of welfare and psychiatric skills, an extensive collection of fascinating items and an enthusiasm for sharing his expertise creates the balance of care and knowledge which enables him to provide effective, meaningful Reminiscence Therapy on a one-to-one or group basis..

Please contact us for more information or to enquire about making a booking

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