

EARTHA Conference

26th April 2017

Pykkerell Inn, Ixworth, Suffolk IP31 2HH

9-9.30am Registration, Finish approx. 4pm



About EARTHA

EARTHA is a voluntary association with three main aims :-

- The promotion of earth as a modern building material. Seeking to progress standardised codes and facilitating the use of unfired earth in new buildings.
- A hub for information on the re-use and conservation of old earth buildings, predominantly Clay Lump, in East Anglia.
- Developing an archive of images and documents on the subject.

WHO CAN JOIN:

Membership is open to all, individuals or organisations, building professionals, tradespeople, and interested laymen/building owners.

Themes and Speakers

The background to earth block and its potential in modern sustainable design - *Sarah Roberts, Architect, Conference Chair*

The role of EARTHA and AGM - *Colin Williams, Membership Secretary*

Technical challenges for new and existing earth construction - *Colin Williams, MPhil, Chartered Building Engineer & Surveyor*

Case study, new Thatching Centre, Harleston - *Stephen Letch, Chairman National Straw Growers and Thatching Association*



Important developments in new earth construction techniques - *Malcolm Carrington, MSC Naturally, Manufacturer*

Open Discussions, Q & A, Moving forward

4 hours CPD Certificate available

We will continue at the Pykkerell for refreshments and more discussion - Please join us

Conference fee £35.00 including lunch and refreshments.
Also includes 1 year membership of EARTHA
(normally £10 personal membership)

Please email colin@wckdesign.co.uk to book your place by Friday 14 April 2017, payment details will be supplied

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