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Slavery & Abolition – Kent's Historic Links



'...is not the slave trade entirely at war with the heart of man?' Olaudah Equiano, 1789

Join Professor David Killingray, for a talk commemorating the 200th anniversary of the ***Abolition of the Slave Trade 1807***

Monday 23 April, 1.00pm

Lecture Theatre, Sessions House

County Hall, Maidstone

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Admission free

Did you know that ships from Kent ports traded in slaves from Africa to the Caribbean and that fortunes earned from plantation labour were spent within the County? However, some people in Kent opposed this appalling business and from the small village of Teston helped to plan the campaign to abolish the slave trade.



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