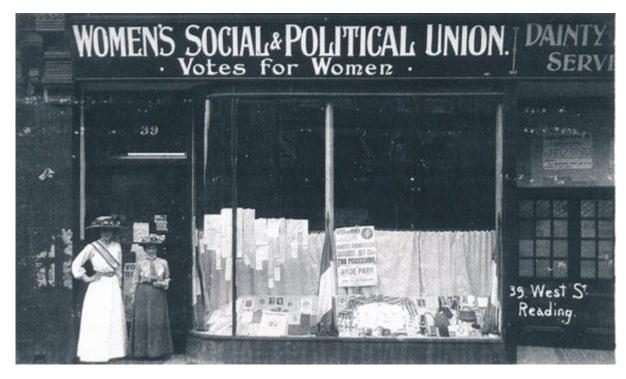


OPEN MEETING

7.45 PM FOR 8.00 PM ON WEDNESDAY 19 JUNE 2024 IN WOKINGHAM TOWN HALL

The Suffragette Movement in Reading An illustrated talk by Dr Margaret Simons



Dr Simons, an experienced adult education tutor who is Secretary of the Berkshire History Society and a trustee for the Mills Archive, will outline the progress of the demand for women's suffrage in Reading from 1866, when a national petition was signed by just one supporter in the town, through the growth of local political support in the late 19th century, to mass demonstrations and direct action in the 1910s, culminating in equal representation in 1928.

FREE ENTRY LIGHT REFRESHMENTS AFTER THE MEETING For more information contact: Peter Must, Wokingham Society Chairman Telephone: 0118 9781671 email: chairman@wokinghamsociety.org.uk