

## The Arts Society Marina Alta 2018

**Presentation [February 1st, 2018](#) at Salones Canor Teulada.  
**Art Treasures of Madrid by Harry Fletcher.****

On 7 December 2017 we enjoyed the eagerly awaited lecture by Eric Knowles. We anticipated a full house because of Eric's national and international acclaim, his expertise and light hearted approach. We were not disappointed, if the 120 members and 20 guests thought they were in for a serious lecture they may have been surprised. It was light-hearted romp through Art Deco with masses of information and great images delivered in a wonderfully amusing, informative and entertaining way.

After the Christmas and New Year festivities, we are now fully prepared for our second year of Arts Society presentations. For our full 2018 program go to [marinaaltaarts.com](http://marinaaltaarts.com).

The Chairman and Committee are pleased to confirm that the first AGM of the Arts Society Marina Alta will be held at the Salones Canor Teulada [on February 1st](#). Registration of members [starting at 09:45](#), the AGM [starts at 10:15](#), followed by our first presentation [at 11:00 am](#).

The Society is on the move! It is a victim of it's own success. With the present limits on members and guests, and the restrictions to access of our original venue by the proposed development by Javea of the promenade between the town and the Parador Hotel, we have made the decision to move location. The move is to Salones Canor, Cami d'Assagador de Canor, Teulada, which we hope will bring equal success in our second year.

We believe this move will be of greater benefit to our members, having a larger area for our presentations, better disabled access and more than adequate onsite parking.

Our first presentation in 2018 will be **Art Treasures of Madrid** presented by **Harry Fletcher**, who will be making a welcome return visit, but with a different subject. Harry has been involved with Art & Design education in the U.K. at both secondary and university level for many years as both tutor and examiner. He is also noted as a portrait painter and has some success as a practicing artist in his own right, having been shortlisted for the Royal Academy Summer Exhibition in London.

Harry's excellent illustrations, combined with his in-depth knowledge of the treasures held in the private homes and museums of Madrid, will allow us to walk in the 'barrios' with Sorolla, Velazquez, Goya, El Greco and many others. Madrid is a unique City of Arts by any standards and we will see the best of the best with Harry.

As is our usual practice, drinks will be available after the presentation to enable members, guests and visitors to mix socially.



The new venue for 2018 : Salones Canor, Cami d'Assagador de Canor, Teulada.  
Doors open for visitors [10:45 am](#) for [11:00 am](#) start.  
Visitors are welcome by prior arrangement at [secretary@marinaaltaarts.com](mailto:secretary@marinaaltaarts.com)



