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The Menin Road by Paul Nash, 1919

# War Artists: Paul Nash, Richard Nevinson and the Great War Lecture by Dr David Boyd Haycock

**Wednesday 1st April 2015 at 2pm**

United Reformed Church Hall  
St. Georges Rd, St Annes-on-Sea, FY8 2AE

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## Dr. David Boyd Haycock

David Boyd Haycock read Modern History at the University of Oxford and has an MA in the History of Art and a PhD in British History. He is the author of a number of books, including 'Paul Nash' (2002) and 'A Crisis of Brilliance: Five Young British Artists and the Great War' (2009); he has lectured widely at galleries and museums in the UK, including Tate Britain, the National Portrait Gallery, the Royal Watercolour Society and Pallant House. He was formerly a Research Fellow at Wolfson College, Oxford, and at UCLA and was Curator of Maritime and Imperial History at the National Maritime Museum in Greenwich. He is now a freelance writer and lecturer.



La Patrie by C.R.W. Nevinson, 1915



La Mitrailleuse (Machine Gun) by Richard Nevinson, 1915

## ‘War Artists: Paul Nash, C.R.W. Nevinson and the Great War.’

Paul Nash and Richard Nevinson were two of the most significant young British artists to paint the soldiers and battlefields of World War One. Walter Sickert described Nevinson's 1915 painting *La Mitrailleuse* ('The Machine-Gun', Tate Britain, 1915) as probably 'the most authoritative and concentrated utterance on war in the history of painting'. Another contemporary wrote that Nash's shattered landscapes seemed to have been 'torn from the sulphurous rim of the inferno itself.' This lecture explores the artistic development of these two closely connected men, looking at their distinct but related responses to representing in paint an extraordinary, horrific and very modern war.

## Future Events

### FYLDE DFAS 'DRAWN FROM YOUTH 5'

**Art Exhibition at Fylde Gallery, Haven Road Lytham.**



Stunning Artwork from talented

Sixth Formers in the Fylde

**Open: now until Thursday 23rd April 2015**

Amazing work by Beth Kidd - a name to watch in the future??

***MUST VISIT.....!***

Next Lecture:

**Wednesday 6th May 2015**

A Mediterranean Tour: Not just a Load of Old Stones!

Lecture by Gillian Hovell

**Tuesday 14th April**

DAY TRIP TO ADLINGTON HALL

Cost of £38.00 includes a light lunch, house and garden tour

*Booking now at Reception table*

**Wednesday 17th June**

Special Interest Day: The Wallace Collection

Cost of £34 includes 2 lectures, a 2-course meal and refreshments.

*Booking now at the Reception table*

GLASGOW TOUR

**Wednesday 24th - 26th June 2015**

A short break to Glasgow with a varied programme of interesting cultural visits, including Art Galleries, Museums, the Burrell Collection and en route, Dumfries House

*Booking available now*

