Oxford Hungarian Society Michaelmas Term 2010

All meetings will be held in the MacGregor Room, Oriel College, except the October 29 meeting, which will be held in the Harris Building.

Friday 15 October at 8 p.m.

Introductory Meeting/Party

To start the new academic year and to welcome newcomers. Drinks and nibbles will be served.

Friday 29 October at 8 p.m.

Lecture Theatre, Harris Building, Oriel College

[please note venue: on the 'Island Site', through the tunnel under the street]

Klára Breuer

Hungary in the Spotlight Again: What can Hungary offer during her presidency of the EU?

Klára is Hungary's Deputy Ambassador to London. A historian by training, she will set the subject in its historical context.

Friday 5 November at 8 p.m.

Crica Carter

Béla Balázs: Film Theorist A visionary writer on early cinema

Erica is a film historian at the University of Warwick. She will speak to her recent edited translation of Balázs's film writing and reflect on its relationship to his activities as a writer of fairy stories, poems and prose fiction.

Friday 12 November at 8 p.m.

Len Rix A Life Achieved

Len, a regular speaker to the Society, draws on his recently published translation of Antal Szerb's stories and novellas (Love in a Bottle) to reflect on the development of the writer's art and its role in the life of a remarkable human being.

Friday 19 November at 8 p.m.

Peter Meisner

50 Years of Medicine:

The Aged in the NHS and Hungary

Peter came to Oxford from Budapest in November 1956 after the Hungarian Revolution. He qualified as a doctor in Newcastle in 1960 and still works as an acute physician in the University Hospital of Coventry and Warwick.

Friday 26 November at 8 p.m.

László Gróf

Travels through Transylvania
Churches, mansions, and monuments in a multi-ethnic land

László, a long-standing member of our Society, is a historian and map-collector.

<u>Saturday 4 December</u>

Mikulás party

We plan to hold our usual pre-Christmas Mikulás party, a bring-and-share event particularly suited to children - details to follow.

The OXFORD HUNGARIAN SOCIETY exists for all those interested in matters Hungarian. Please keep this programme and show it to anyone else who might like to attend. We have no membership fee, but ask for contributions to defray our not inconsiderable expenses (minimum £5 per term suggested, students £2). Cheques made out to 'Oxford Hungarian Society' can be sent to Kati Evans, Rowan Cottage, 45 Sunningwell Village, Oxford OX13 6RD (please use form below).

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