

# Heroines, Hazards & Honours

**A talk on the truly remarkable Women Agents of the Special Operations Executive, the secret agent 'training school' based in Beaulieu in WWII**



Plaitford PCC invite you to what promises to be very special evening –

**7pm on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

Plaitford Church, Church Lane, Plaitford SO51 6EG

**Tickets on sale £8**

We expect this to be a very popular event so please reserve tickets in good time with [hilary@harper.net](mailto:hilary@harper.net)

We are lucky enough to have Peter Power leading this talk. Peter is an expert guest speaker, a trustee at the New Forest Heritage Centre, a member of the UK Special Forces Club and researcher into WWII Special Operations

The evening will focus on the incredibly brave women of SOE in WW2. In no previous or post war conflict have women been parachuted behind enemy lines to act as saboteurs, and their hazardous exploits were truly remarkable. The Recruiting Officer for SOE wrote “In my view, women were very much better than men for the work. Women, as you must know, have a far greater capacity for cool and lonely courage than men”.

The event is a fundraiser for St Peter's Church, Plaitford  
Refreshments will be available on the night