



The Chester Civic Trust

## Event at Bishop Lloyd's Palace

**Christine Russell**  
**Art in Parliament**



The Houses of Parliament hold a fascinating record of portraits of politicians together with other paintings and art works that describe and record the people and activities of Parliament, then and now.

Aside from her well known duties as our MP for Chester, Chris took a keen interest in cultural matters, including active participation in the work of the Speaker's Advisory Committee on Works of Art. This involved commissioning and accepting works of art that today are hung, or stand, in the Houses of Parliament and its associated buildings. Chris will share some of her memories of this work. It will be a light hearted yet fascinating glimpse of a hidden aspect of the work of our former MP, and an insight in to what goes on behind the scenes.

The talk will be illustrated with iconic portraits of politicians, past and present.

**Friday 9 January at 7.30 pm**

**Charge: £5.50 including seasonal nibbles and wine after the talk**

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To book your place, cut off this slip, complete the blank spaces where indicated, and send to Chester Civic Trust, Bishop Lloyd's Palace, 51/53 Watergate Row, Chester CH1 2LE, enclosing a cheque payable to 'Chester Civic Trust', by **Wednesday 31 December**. Please note that tickets will not be issued. Please also note: if the event is fully booked, you will be notified that you are on a reserve list, by email or telephone.

**BLP EVENT: THURSDAY 9 JANUARY**

I would like .... places for this event.

I enclose a cheque to the value of.....

My contact details are Telephone..... and/or Email.....

Our capacity in Bishop Lloyd's is limited. so booking is essential.