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The society's website can be found at www.oahs.org.uk. In 2010 OAHs launched two new initiatives to promote digital access to studying Oxfordshire's past: past volumes of *Oxoniensia* are now available online (the last five years only to members) at <http://oxoniensia.org> and the OAHs online guide to resources and societies for studying Oxfordshire's past is to be found at <http://oxfordshirehistory.modhist.ox.ac.uk>. Subscriptions (£18 individual, £25 family membership) should be sent to the Membership Secretary, 15 Harding Way, Marcham, Abingdon, OX13 6FJ, who will be pleased to supply further information about the society.

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OXFORDSHIRE LOCAL HISTORY ASSOCIATION

The association was founded in 1980 to further the study of local history in the county, and in particular to promote links between amateur local historians and academic and professional bodies involved in local history. The association organizes twice-yearly study days and publishes a monthly e-bulletin and a journal, *Oxfordshire Local History*. Further details at: www.olha.org.uk

Enquiries about the association should be addressed to the Hon. Treasurer and Membership Secretary, Liz Woolley, 138 Marlborough Road, Oxford, OX1 4LS (membership@olha.org.uk).

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