

Wickham Market Area Archive Centre



and The Association for the UK Basque Children

Remembering the Basque refugee children in Wickham Market, 1938-1939

Nearly a hundred Basque children, refugees from the Spanish Civil War, were forced to move to the workhouse at Wickham Market in early 1938.

They were almost entirely dependent on the support of local individuals and organisations.

This event is to mark the 80th anniversary of the Basque children's arrival in Wickham Market. Come and find out more about their remarkable story.

at Wickham Market Village Hall on Saturday 24th March 2018

11am - 5pm: Exhibition at Wickham Market Village Hall.

1.30pm: Unveiling of commemorative plaque at The Old Workhouse (Deben Court), Chapel Lane

2.15pm: Talks at Wickham Market Village Hall.

Free entry - Refreshments available

This event is a collaboration between the Wickham Market Area Archive Centre and BCA'37: The Association for the UK Basque Children