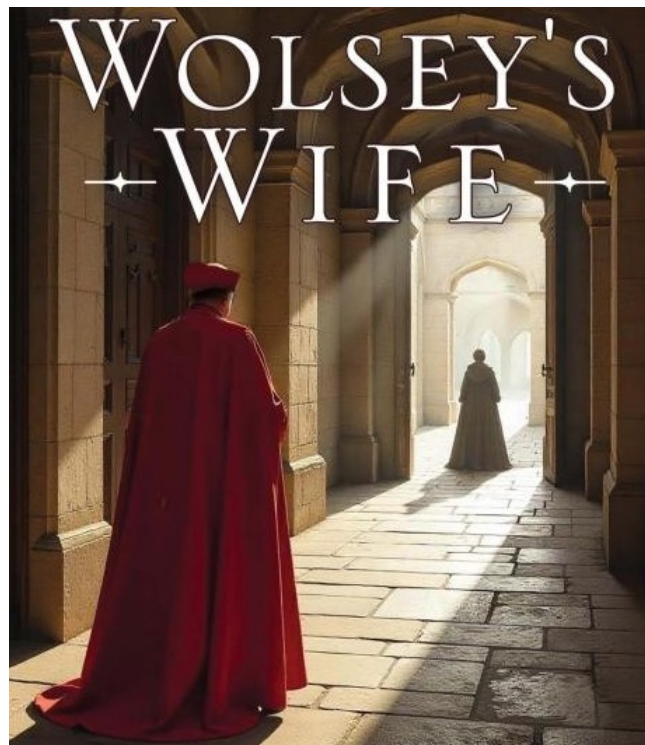


The Friends of the Willis Museum



Wolsey's Wife

A talk by Nicola Turton at the Willis Museum
17th September 2026 at 7.30pm sharp



Local historian Nicola Turton tells the story of Joan Larke who “married” Cardinal Thomas Wolsey, and Lord Chancellor to King Henry VIII, using the ancient, informal “Handfasting” ceremony and what is known about Joan’s life in late medieval England.

Doors open 7.10pm Free to members, visitors £5 at the door. Some "first come, first served" seats have been reserved for non-members. Booking is essential. Call in or phone 01256 465902.