

Salisbury Military History Society



The Battle of Balaclava

**Wednesday 23rd October 2019
(7.30-9.30pm)**

The charge of the Light Brigade, during the Battle of Balaclava on 25th October 1854, is one of the most famous military exploits of the Crimean War, 1854/55.

The war was truly a Victorian epic, pitting the British and French armies, allied for the first time after many years of enmity, against the might of Russia. Just two days before the 165th anniversary, historian Bob Kershaw presents a fascinating talk based upon his recent book in which he provides step-by-step analysis of the course of the charge, the various personalities and compares the reality with Tennyson's famous poem and the 1968 film.



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Meetings: Fourth Wednesday of the month, but check website

Entrance: £10 for talk and refreshments at the bar

St John's Place, Lower Road, Bemerton, Salisbury, SP2 9NP

Parking available nearby. See website for details