

GORSEDH KERNOW

CORNISH BARDS OF THE PENRYN AND FALMOUTH AREA/BERDH KERNOW RANNDIR PENNRYNN HAG ABERFALA

To commemorate the 2013 Gorsedh taking place in Penryn, Gorsedh Kernow has put together a publication which details the lives and works of 46 deceased bards who lived and worked, at least for part of their lives, in the Penryn and Falmouth area. There are also details of 49 living bards and the work they are doing for Cornwall now. This is the fourth in a planned series covering the area in which the annual Gorsedh is held.

The Penryn and Falmouth area boasts many famous bards, some of them from the early days of Gorsedh Kernow. They include William Tregoning Hooper, who was made a bard at the very first Gorsedh in 1928, the artist William Martin, Sir Edward Nicholl, Rita Tregellas Pope and Tom Salmon the broadcaster. Among both the deceased and living bards are a number of Grand Bards and Deputy Grand Bards, archivists, writers, Cornish Linguists, singers and musicians.

Cornish Bards of the Penryn and Falmouth area/Berdh Kernow Ranndir Pennrynn hag Aberfala, which features many photographs, some in colour, has been researched and compiled by the Penryn and Falmouth Book Committee along with Ann Trevenen Jenkin (Bryallen) of the Gorsedh Kernow Archive Committee with help from various other kind individuals. The book contains an introduction by Grand Bard, Maureen Fuller and has been financially sponsored by Penryn and Falmouth Town Councils, Sarah Newton MP, Penryn Town Fair, Pendennis Shipyard Hine Downing Solicitors and various private individuals.

The book will be launched by the Grand Bard on Thursday 5th September 2013 at the Penryn Town Hall at 12 noon. However, books will be on sale all day from 11am-4pm. Copies may be ordered and paid for in advance (see details below) or collected over the weekend, 5th - 8th September from the launch itself or from other Gorsedh events, where they will also be on sale.

Cornish Bards of the Penryn and Falmouth Area/Berdh Kernow Ranndir Pennrynn hag Aberfala A4 format. Price £6.50 + postage. (Costs with postage are:UK £8.25 ; Europe £11.50; Rest of World £14.00 Airmail, £11.50 Surface). Available from 5th September 2013.

To order copies in advance, please complete the form below and return it with cheques in pounds sterling made payable to 'Gorsedh Kernow' to: **Jerry Rogers, Gorsedh Treasurer, 17, Chiltern Road, Sandhurst, GU47 8NB, Berkshire, UK.**

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I enclose my cheque for £..... (plus postage)

Or;- I will collect from the launch and on Gorsedh stalls on 5th September or over the Gorsedh weekend, therefore no postage included.

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(Further information from Maggie Hinch on 01326 372806 or maggiehinch@yahoo.co.uk)

