

The Nailsworth Society
LOCAL STUDIES GROUP

Monday, 30th January 2023
7.30 pm in the Sawyer Hall

WHO WAS THIS MAN?

JOHN NEVIL MASKELYNE

Born Cheltenham 1839

He was a magician, many of whose illusions are still performed today, and famous for developing levitation. He wrote a book explaining the secrets of card-sharps and another disclaiming seances and supernatural powers in magic.

More practically, he invented the pay toilet and an advanced form of typewriter.



**Described by
Andrew Meller**

**£2.00 FOR MEMBERS
£5.00 FOR VISITORS**

Refreshments included

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Britannia Inn**