

RONs - 2024

A Mini ROWBERRY Family Gathering

Saturday 5th October 2024
 Elmbridge Village Hall, Elmbridge,
 Droitwich, Worcestershire, WR9 0DA

Sunday 6th October 2024
 Toby Carvery, Bath Road, Worcester,
 WR5 3HW



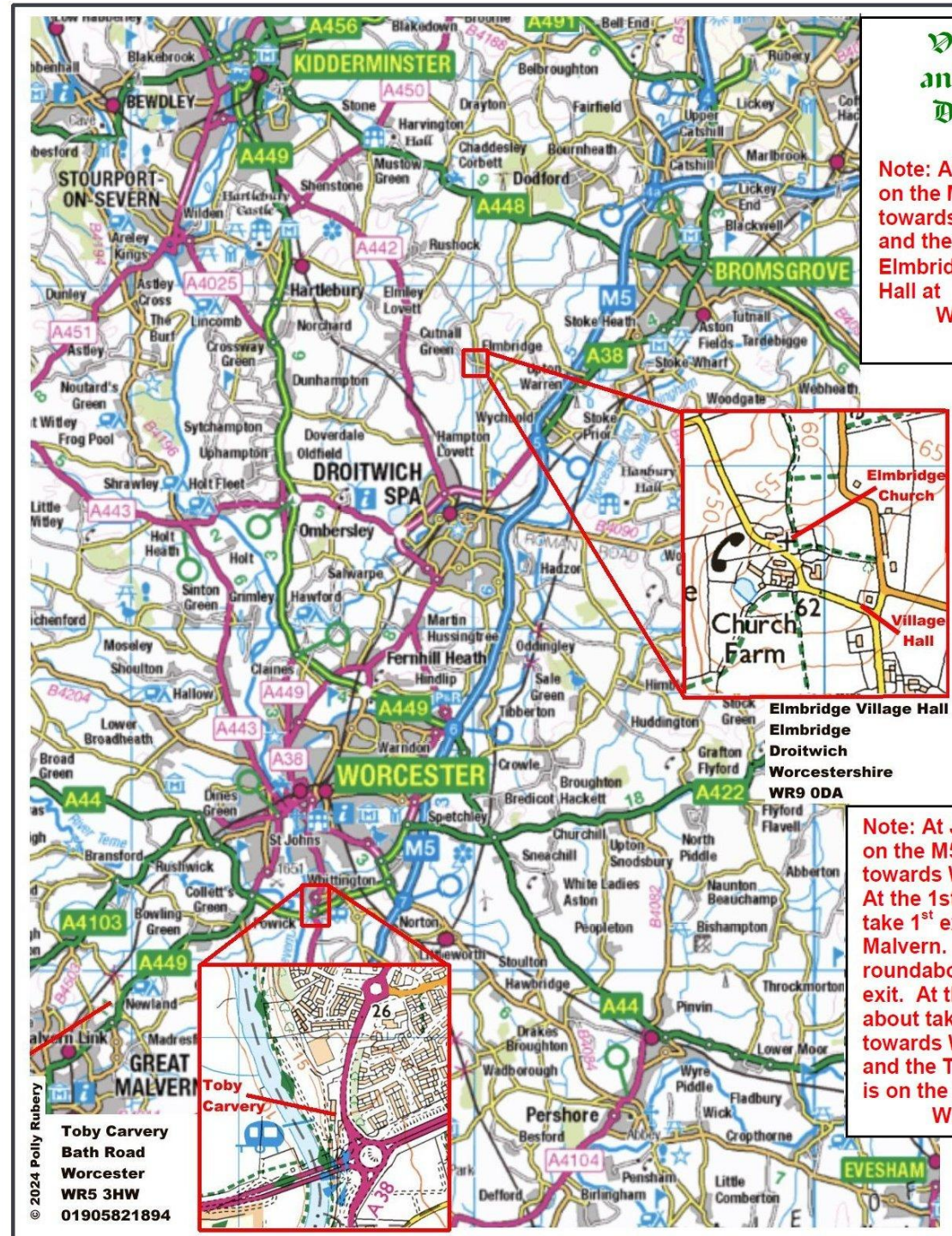
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Come and find out where Elmbridge fits in!

This One-Name Study covers the names **ROWBERRY** and **RUBERY** together with these other variants or aliases*

The theme is “DNA Reuniting Families” and will celebrate how a DNA match proved that a baby baptised at Elmbridge Church in 1870 added a large branch to “The Whitbourne Tree”! The displays will also show other major updates resulting from DNA and more conventional research...

***GOMERY, GUMERY, GUMMERY, REWBURY, RHUBERRY, ROBERRY, ROEBURY, ROVERY, ROWBERRY, ROWBORY, ROWBREE, ROWBREY, ROWBURREY, ROWBURY, RUBBERY, RUBBRY, RUBERY, RUBRA, RUBURY** plus many other variants found in the past but no longer extant.



Venues and their Details

Note: At Junction 5 on the M5 take A38 towards Bromsgrove and then turn left to Elmbridge to Village Hall at WR9 0DA

Find a larger version of this map at the **RONs Website** - Address overleaf

Note: At Junction 7 on the M5 take A440 towards Worcester. At the 1st roundabout take 1st exit towards Malvern. At the next roundabout take 2nd exit. At the 3rd roundabout take 3rd exit A38 towards Worcester and the Toby Carvery is on the left at WR5 3HW

Programme

Saturday 5th October:

10.30am-4pm "Get-together" at **The Village Hall**, Elmbridge, Droitwich, WR9 0DA with displays of family trees and ROWBERRY One-Name Study research. We will be happy to answer your questions about your family tree. Please bring along any research you have done, to enable us to help you better, and any family photographs and documents that you have, so that you can share them with others. The theme is **"DNA Reuniting Families"** and we hope that you will be able to meet up with other members of your extended families, both past and present! Everyone who comes that has **R** ancestors will be able to receive a free, up-to-date family tree for their own branch of the family.

11am Introductory Welcome, followed by **Coffee (etc) and Biscuits**

12.30pm-1.30pm Cold Finger Buffet Lunch, fresh from Lord Morton's Tea Rooms at Cutnall Green, will be available for all those who would like one. Pre-booking and payment will be required to make sure that we have enough food to go around! (Please see the Booking form).

2.30pm A short after-lunch walk to Elmbridge Church, where Sarah Ann ROWBERRY was baptised on 15th May 1870, in what was then a Chapelry of the parish of Dodderhill. The present building was begun in 1870.

4pm Tea (etc) and Cake followed by **Closing Thank You!**

Sunday 6th October:

12noon onwards

Sunday Lunch Carvery

at The Toby Carvery,

Bath Road, Worcester,

WR5 3HW,

Tel: 01905 821894

We hope that you will join us for this meal, but tables need to be booked quickly as they are very busy. If you say you are coming to meet Polly Rubery and Eleanor Orser, they will try and seat you near to us. It will be good to talk with cousins old and new! Please indicate on the Booking Form if you are coming, so we can bring a goody bag for you.



For more details and a larger copy of the map see:

www.rowberry.org/2024.html

Payment Details

Prepayment: £15 per person booking the Buffet lunch on the Saturday. Please make **cheques** payable to **RONs** and send with your completed booking form to: Polly Rubery, Out on a branch, 18 Challenger Close, Ledbury, Herefordshire, HR8 2PW, ENGLAND.

Please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope or provide an email address to send your receipt

Payment by Direct Bank Transfer

Please contact me by email for the Account details:

polly@rowberry.org

The venue and other costs have been met by the

ROWBERRY One-Name Study,

so donations to help cover this and ongoing research will be gratefully received. Any surplus from the Buffet Lunch will also be donated.

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Booking form

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| Name(s): |
| Address: |
| Telephone No: |
| Email Address: |

Please fill in all figures

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| 1/We wish to book the following: | | |
| 1 Saturday "get-together" FREE | — | — |
| 2 Saturday only, including Cold Finger Buffet Lunch | @ £15.00 | |
| 3 Saturday "after-lunch walk" to visit Elmbridge Church FREE although the Church will be grateful for any donations please! | — | — |
| 4 Sunday Lunch Carvery at The Toby Carvery, table bookings and payments are your own responsibility, however numbers here will help us to meet up with you there. | @ As per order & bill | — |
| 5 Donations towards the other costs of this event and ongoing research will be gratefully received by the ROWBERRY One-Name Study... Thank you! | | |
| Total sum: | | |

Looking forward to seeing you there!

| BAPTISMS solemnized in the <u>Chapelry</u> of <u>Elmbridge</u> in the County of <u>Worcester</u> in the Year 18 <u>70</u> | | | | | | |
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| When Baptized. | Child's Christian Name. | Parents Name. | | Abode. | Quality, Trade, or Profession. | By whom the Ceremony was performed. |
| | | Christian. | Surname. | | | |
| 1870 May 15 th No. 601. | Sarah Ann | Fredene & Mary Ann | Rowberry | Gately | Labourer | M. H. Robinson Curate |