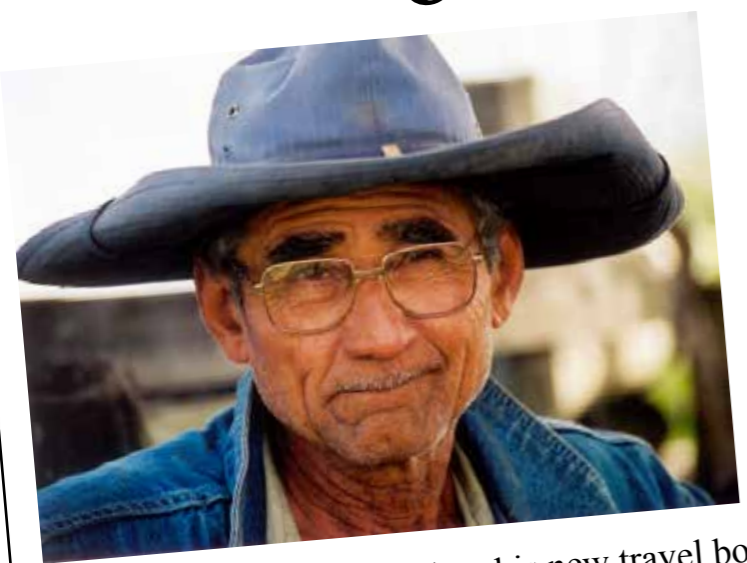




Guildford Travel Club presents

John Gimlette: At the Tomb of the Inflatable Pig

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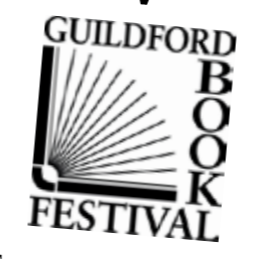


John's talk is based on his new travel book about Paraguay – a country which doesn't even have its own guidebook. Paraguay does have hellish jungles, fraudsters, appalling dictators, hideouts and palaces, Caledonian Balls and Nazis.

It sounds crazy – you'd have to be to go there!

At the Tomb of the Inflatable Pig brilliantly captures Paraguay's originality, passion and quirkiness.

John Gimlette is a well established travel journalist, and has travelled to over 60 countries. He practices as a barrister when he isn't travelling.



Guildford Travel Club presents John Gimlette: *Travels Through Newfoundland and Labrador*

17 October 2006

This event is being held as part of the Guildford Book Festival

Travel writer John Gimlette takes us to this beautiful barren fishocracy where we encounter icebergs, seal flipper pie and a full cast of eccentrics.

John's great-grandfather Dr Eliot Curwen was sent to Labrador in 1893 as a medical missionary to look after migratory fishermen and Eskimos. John's second book - Theatre of Fish – recounts how he sets off in his great grandfather's footsteps, using his photographs and journals.

John has visited over 60 countries, writes regular travel features in the national press, and has won national travel writing competitions. His travel photographs have appeared in the Telegraph, Wanderlust and Geographical. When he isn't travelling, John practises as a barrister.

