



MEETING PROGRAMME

SEPTEMBER

01 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm

Presentation by Stuart Harrison ABPS President-The Philatelic Congress of GB

14 Wednesday at 2.00pm

Presentation by J Cranmer-Canada WW2

28 Wednesday at 2.00pm

Members' displays-Countries beginning with the letters L.M & N

OCTOBER

06 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm

Members' displays - Well travelled covers

12 Wednesday at 2.00pm

Presentation by J Penrose - WW2 mail of Iceland & the Faroes
with a splash of Greenland

26 Wednesday at 7.30pm

Preparation for competition entries. "what the judges want to see".

A presentation by an accredited judge*(**GB**)

NOVEMBER

03 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm

Presentation by Malcolm Coe (Southampton)-Early items in the Sudan

09 Wednesday at 2.00pm

Presentation by Rodney Knight (York)-Bulgaria

23 Wednesday at 2.00pm

Presentation by Alec Jeffries (Leicester) - Indian States the weird and wonderful

DECEMBER

01 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm

Members' displays-Countries beginning with the letters J.O and U

14 Wednesday at 2.00pm

Members' displays - Covers addressed to Sheffield

To Join the Thursday Zoom meetings.
the access codes are as follows:

Meeting ID: 225 410 9851

Passcode: 022596

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COMMITTEE NEWS

The Central United Reform Church is increasing its charges, but after looking at other possible venues, it has been decided not to move. For the time being, the Society will not need to increase your subscriptions.

If you have any books or reference materials available to loan to members, please let Neil Ritchie know. He is compiling a list of resources.

Each edition, I have included images of 'hard to place' stamps for your amusement. This time, we have countries beginning with 'I' - Iran and sort of India. Feel free to identify them - no prizes!



NEW MEMBERS WANTED

**It's been a while since we welcomed any new members to the Society.
If you know of anyone who might be interested in joining us, please give them
encouragement to come to a meeting.**

**It's cheap, it's warm and there's free tea and biscuits
(not to mention the occasional stamp or cover)**



PROVISIONAL SYLLABUS FOR 2023

JANUARY

05 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm Presentation by R Hindle-Richard Byrd First Antarctic Expedition
11 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm Presentation-Neil Ritchie entertains
25 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm Members' displays-8 sheets, no rules competition, vote for the best

FEBRUARY

02 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm Members' displays-The youngest and oldest philatelic items that I possess
08 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm Presentation by D Hemingway-Poisonous fungi and venomous snakes
22 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm Presentation by D McMillan (Hull)-WW2 military mail and airgraphs

MARCH

02 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm The Wheatley's entertain ***(NR)**
08 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm Members' displays-Philatelic curios and paraphernalia
22 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm Visit by Barnsley PS

APRIL

06 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm Members' displays-A history of Sheffield PS through members' items
12 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm SPS competition entries displayed and explained
26 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm YPA President Keith Burton's display

MAY

04 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm Presentation by S Gardiner-Dabbles revisited Part 3
10 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm Presentation by P Cockburn, President of the Royal-"The Frank Walton Memorial Display"
24 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm AGM and members' displays-Postage stamps from countries that no longer exist or countries that you may never have heard of

JUNE

01 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm Members' displays-Postage dues
14 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm Members' displays-Transportation
28 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm Display by current president of SPS

JULY

06 First Thursday Zoom at 7.30pm Presentation by Andrew Millington (Cheltenham)-A brief philatelic history of 10,000 years of copper
12 Second Wednesday at 2.00pm Members' displays-Philatelic items with an interesting story behind them (either the item itself or how acquired)
26 Fourth Wednesday at 2.00pm Presentation by Martyn Cusworth (Huddersfield)-Flying down to Rio

***ITEMS TO BE CONFIRMED**



Neil Ritchie has asked for this to be circulated

ABPS



Agenda for Annual General Meeting
Friday 9 September 2022 at 12.15 pm

*[To be held during the course of the Philatelic Congress of Great Britain
being held at the Jurys Inn Hotel, Birmingham]*

1. Welcome - Steve Harrison (Chair)
2. Apologies for absence
3. Minutes of the 2021 AGM
4. Matters arising from Minutes
5. Receiving the Accounts for 2021 - refer to ABPS website for copies
6. Chair's Report
7. Company Secretary and Treasurer's Report
8. General Secretary's Report
9. Membership Secretary's Report
10. International and Exhibition Committee Report
11. Awards Committee Report
12. ABPS News, Editor's Report
13. Election of Directors
14. 2023 Congress
15. Any matters notified to the Secretary 14 days prior to the AGM