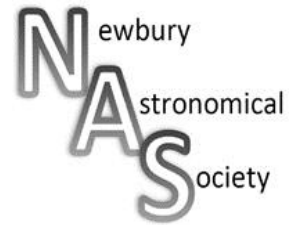




The British Astronomical Association  
Autumn Weekend Meeting  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2015



## Astronomy in Space

Rutherford Appleton Laboratory, Didcot, OX11 0QX

### Programme for the Weekend

#### *Friday Evening 19:00 – 22:00*

Dr Chris North (University of Cardiff) - State of the Cosmos  
Newbury Society members' short talks

#### *Saturday 09:30 – 17:45*

Paul Eccleston (RAL) - Space Engineering and Instrumentation  
Dr Emanuele Nardini (Keele University) - Winds and feedback from Active Galactic Nuclei  
Dr Chris Pearson (RAL) - Herschel's Incredibly Cool Universe  
Dr Jackie Davies (RAL) - Observing the Sun from Space  
Prof Andrew Taylor (University of Edinburgh) - Euclid, ESA's Dark Energy space mission

#### *Sunday Morning 10:00 – 12:00*

Tour of the new RAL Space National Space Integration Facility

The cost for the weekend for BAA and Affiliated Society members is £15.00 and for non-members is £17.50. For accompanied children under 16 the cost is £7.00. This includes refreshments and a cold buffet lunch on Saturday.

Accommodation is available both on the RAL site and at local hotels and pubs. Details of accommodation and booking arrangements are available on the BAA website [www.britastro.org/RAL2015](http://www.britastro.org/RAL2015) or from the BAA office.

**Because of security requirements at the RAL site, anyone wishing to attend must pre-book.** Bookings will close on **26<sup>th</sup> August**. If you book and are not able to come please let us know so we can let someone else take your place.

### Getting to this BAA Event

Full details and maps can be found on the BAA website at the above link, on the Newbury Astronomical Society website [www.newburyastro.org.uk](http://www.newburyastro.org.uk) or from the BAA office.

### Our Hosts

The Newbury Astronomical Society was formed in 1981 and has over 100 members. Each month through autumn, winter and spring we have two meetings, one with a professional or amateur speaker and the other with a practical emphasis specifically aimed at beginners to astronomy. Members of the society give many talks to schools and other local groups and we hold several star parties each year. Our guiding principle is to have fun doing astronomy! If you would like to come along to one of our meetings you would be most welcome. See our website for details of time and place [www.newburyastro.org.uk](http://www.newburyastro.org.uk).

## Please complete this form and send it to:

The British Astronomical Association, Burlington House, Piccadilly,  
London W1J 0DU by the closing date of **26<sup>th</sup> August 2015** (Telephone: 020 7734 4145).

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### Retailers attending: **BAA Sales and MC2 Telescopes**

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**Local Co-ordinator:** Mrs Ann Davies, e-mail [anndavies@dsl.pipex.com](mailto:anndavies@dsl.pipex.com) Tel: 01635 30598

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