

B.A.A. Historical Section Meeting - Newbury

Saturday 8th June 2019

Mencap Centre, Enborne Gate, Newbury RG14 6AT

Our section meeting this year takes place on Saturday 8th June 2019, at the Mencap Centre, Enborne Gate, Newbury, RG14 6AT from 10:00 to 17:00 (doors open at 09:30).

The cost will be £10 for BAA members and £15 for non-members, including refreshments and buffet lunch.

Pre-book using the enclosed booking form or pay on the day.

Timetable:

09:30 Doors open

09:30 – 10:00 Refreshments & Registration

10:00 – 10:00 Introduction and Welcome – Mike Frost

10:10 – 11:05 Dr Stuart Eves – “William Herschel and the Rings of Uranus”

11:05 – 12:00 Eddie Carpenter – “The History of Visual Aids in Astronomy 1824-1940”

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch Break

13:30 – 13:35 Welcome back

13:35 – 14:30 Bill Barton – “Fiammetta Wilson – Musician and Astronomer”

14:30 – 15:25 Dr Sian Prosser – “How to do Research in Astronomical History”

15:25 – 15:50 Refreshments

15:50 – 16:50 Bob Mizon – “The History of the Dark Sky Movement”

17:00 Meeting Ends

The Mencap Centre is located 1 km from the centre of Newbury, a fifteen-minute walk from Newbury Station. There is plenty of free car parking in the grounds, but not many eating establishments nearby, so we are providing buffet lunch. The centre is the meeting place of Newbury Astronomical Society, who will be hosting us. Newbury AS are also meeting on the evening of Fri June 7th and anyone staying overnight is invited to come along.

We look forward to seeing you!

Mike Frost, B.A.A. Historical Section Director
Lee Macdonald, Deputy Section Director

BRITISH ASTRONOMICAL ASSOCIATION - HISTORICAL SECTION

2019 HISTORICAL SECTION MEETING

Saturday June 8th, 10.00 am Mencap Centre, Newbury

Please complete the form below and return by **Friday May 30th 2019** to:
The British Astronomical Association, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London W1J ODU

You can also fax the form to 020 7439 4629, book by phone on 020 7734 4145 or e-mail this completed form to office@britastro.org (but remember that e-mails may not be secure)

Booking Form

Name:

Address:

(Only required if e-mail is not available)

Post Code:

E-mail:

Contact Tel. No:

Accompanying Persons
(if any):

BAA Member? YES / NO

BAA Member? YES / NO

	Places Required	Amount £
BAA MEMBERS		
Talks, Refreshments, Lunch - £10 per person		
NON-MEMBERS		
Talks, Refreshments, Lunch - £15 per person		
TOTAL £		

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