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Society Diary

Branch Meetings 1998

Bristol and Bath

Branch Organiser: Roger Ellis, Fox Path, Cheddar Road, Wedmore, Somerset BS28 4EP

16 Oct 'Private Railways in the French speaking area of Switzerland' by Brian Hemming

13 Nov 'A slow and deliberate walk in Germany and Portugal' by Norman Lammas.

'Slovakia' by Steve Painter

11 Dec 'Social evening and Quiz' Roger Payne

Venue: Room 2E-3.1, School of Electrical Engineering, University of Bath, start time 19.30.

Cumbria

Branch Organiser: Stephen Greenfield.

Tel: 01539 725494

Contact organiser for venue and details.

East Midlands

Branch Organiser: Glyn Jones, 18 Robin Road, Botts Hollow, Coalville, Leicestershire, LE67 4LB

Tel/Fax: 01530 837939

Venue: Brunswick Inn, Railway Terrace, Derby (almost opposite Derby Station) at 19.30.

24 Sep. Alan Pike OBE - subject TBA

26 Nov Members night - bring your own slides

London

Branch Organiser: Paul Russenberger,

84 Templesheen, Road, London, SW14 7RR.

Venue: The Fred Talent Hall, 153 Drummond St., London NW1.

Meeting starts 19.00 on 2nd Wed. of the month.

9 Sept. 'A Photographer's View' by Colin Jarman

14 Oct. 'Switzerland This Year' Members slides

11 Nov TBA

9 Dec Christmas Entertainment

Manchester

Branch Organiser: Dave Howsam

Venue: British Rail Staff Association, Store

Street, (under Piccadilly Station) Manchester.

Meetings start at 19.30, talks begin 20.00 finishing at 21.15 approx. followed by chat time.

2 Sept. T.B.A.

7 Oct. Swiss Reminiscences - J Sutcliffe

4 Nov. MITV present another special evening's entertainment

2 Dec. Christmas Quiz - Festive fun by order!

North East England

Branch Organiser:

Dave Ford, Tel: 01670 369 060

Please phone organiser for details of meetings.

Wessex Group

Branch Organiser: Alan Rolfe, 70 Grove Road, Shirley, Southampton, SO15 3GG.

Contact Alan for details of meetings and venues, please send your name, address and telephone number, enclosing a stamp.

West Midlands Group

Branch Organiser: Gerald Savine, The Junipers, 17 Longfield, Upton-Upon-Severn, Worcs, WR8 0NR. Tel: 01684 310652.

The group meets on the last Wednesday each month (and sometimes in between). We meet in members' homes to view videos, books, do some modelling, chat and run locos on a metre gauge layout. Please contact Gerald on the above phone number to find out the next venue.

Scotland

Branch Organiser: Willie McKnight, 4D Scott House, Hume Road, Seafar, Cumbernauld G67 1AR. Tel: 01236 729 499

Venue: Buchanan House, 58 Portdundas Road, Glasgow. 19.30. Please contact organiser for details of meetings.

West of England

Branch Organiser: Geoff Thompson, Nanscober House, Trenear, Helston, Cornwall TR13 0HH. Tel: 01326 564040.

Venue: Great Western Hotel, Exeter, Devon. Commencing 12 noon.

Please contact the Organiser for details of future meetings.

Would members who change their address during the year please inform the Membership Secretary, Mr. Dave Howsam, at the time of their move and NOT wait until the end of the year as the labels and membership cards are produced in advance to send out on renewal, if there is a change of address the labels and cards have to be reprinted. Thank You