

## **Dates and Programme for 2023**

Monday 9 January (AGM & Quiz)

Tuesday 21 February - Beekeeping, Ian Hodgson

Monday 3 April - Improving Sleep, Stephanie Melia

Tuesday 16 May - Dr Philip Crea, Consultant Haematologist MRI

Monday 26 June - Will Writing, Ed Stojanovic

Tuesday 8 August - tbc

Monday 18 September -tbc

Tuesday 31 October - Underground Manchester, Keith Warrender

Monday 11 December (Christmas Lunch)

## **Committee Members**

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#### **Future Items**

If you have any items for future newsletters or mini reports on the meetings please contact Joan Smith 0161 766 4669 or <a href="mailto:joansmith.parrfold@btinternet.com">joansmith.parrfold@btinternet.com</a>





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We hope you had a Happy Christmas and we wish all our readers a very Happy (and Healthy) New Year!

## **Next Meeting - AGM**

Our Next meeting will be **our AGM** on **Monday January 9th** at **1pm.** at the **Fusilier Museum.** As is tradition at our AGM there will be a light lunch available including sandwiches and fruit. The business part usually lasts just over half an hour and is followed by a fun team quiz, with prizes! I do hope you can come to what is always a social event.

## **Trips for next year**

At the AGM we will be choosing two venues for outings in 2023. So do come along to help us decide. A list of possible trips are attached so you have time to consider the options.

# **Previous meeting - Christmas Lunch**

Twenty four members attended the Christmas Lunch at Owens on 12 December. I think everyone enjoyed the meal and the service was very good. There are a couple of photos below and please see attached sheet for some more photographs taken at the event.



#### Sad News

June Hayes sadly passed away in December. Some of you may recall that June celebrated her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday with us at the afternoon tea at Falshaws in June 2022. June was a lovely lady who joined the group in 2009 following the diagnosis of her friend with Myeloma. At her funeral on 20 December the group was represented by Susan and Martyn Warburton and Joan and Mel Smith. The collection at the funeral is being donated to Myeloma UK. We send our condolences to her daughter Janet and the rest of her family.

#### **More Sad News**

Lynne Tyrer's husband Mick also recently passed away. Unfortunately the funeral was on the day of the Christmas lunch so that the group were unable to be represented at the funeral. Although Mick had been ill for some time he was a typical farmer and still helping out as much as he could on the farm until shortly before he died. We send our condolences to Lynne and all the rest of her family.

Puzzles: Answer to Trackword 17: **'PANTOMIME**Answer to 'types of accommodation' word puzzle:
HOTEL CARAVAN APARTMENT

G	N	Е
Α	М	Н
Ρ	C	Α

### Trackword 18

Can you find the **9** letter word by tracking from one square to the next, going up, down, sideways or diagonally but only using each square once?

Answer in the next issue!