BRIEF ON SOCIETY'S ACTIVITIES

Local engineers founded the Society in 1946 'To enable engineers and those closely associated with the trade and profession of engineering to meet and interchange ideas in their respective subjects connected with the various branches of the engineering profession, and to promote the science and practice of engineering generally amongst its members'.

Lectures take place at Burton Technical College Friday evenings 7-30 to 9-30 p.m. Handouts on subjects are often available and full use is made of audio and visual aids in the excellent lecture theatre. Joint meetings are held annually with the Institute of Mechanical Engineers. Attendance is also made to the prestigious 'Faraday' presentation. A programme is arranged for visits to local firms and venturing further afield trips have been made to industrial museums, railways, airfields, mines and to the viewing of differing manufacturing processes.

A Ladies' Night is held during each session and our Annual Dinner has achieved a very high reputation. With lectures, social events and visits taking place we have a very active Society. The only qualification needed to join is simply a genuine interest.

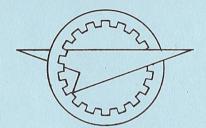
The Society is indebted to many local firms for their financial patronage enabling us to maintain subscriptions at a reasonable level, it also assists with the lecturer's expenses and general running costs, though social events and visits are always self-financing.

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Friday, 25th September ADTRANZ plc, DERBY Alan Tunnicliffe

Friday, 9th October

MEMORIAL LECTURE

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE WATER plc

Mike Swallow

Friday, 23rd October
MODERN AEROMODELLING AND THE RCV
ENGINE
David Tappin

Friday, 6th November
RAILWAY INVESTIGATIONS OVERSEAS
(TRAIN DERAILMENTS)
Tony Brown

Friday, 20th November
LADIES NIGHT HERBAL MEDICINE
Toni Tiller, Dip.HFR.
Venue: Albion Hotel, Shobnall Road

Friday, 4th December
THE LARGEST BELLFOUNDRY IN THE WORLD
Robert Bracegirdle

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Friday, 8th January
MY INVOLVEMENT WITH AIRCRAFT PISTON
ENGINES 1951-98
J. R. Ward

Friday, 22nd January A TALK ON TIMEPIECES (To be confirmed)

Friday, 5th February
THE DERBY CANAL PROJECT (AN UPDATE)
Geoff Howe (Derby Canal Society)

Friday, 19th February
THE F.N.F. Co., and it's V.E. WARP KNITTING
MACHINE
Alan Partington

Friday, 5th March THE NAPIER POWER HERITAGE TRUST Alan Vessey

Friday, 19th March
THE HISTORY OF THE SOHO FOUNDRY
Michael Cooper
Joint Meeting with the Institute of Mechanical
Engineers

Sunday, 6th June PRESIDENT'S DAY Details to be announced N.B. All meetings are held in the Lecture Theatre at the Burton Technical College starting at 7-30 p.m. unless otherwise stated on the programme card.

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The Society's year shall commence at the Annual General Meeting which shall be held in September of each calendar year. Members are required to pay their subscriptions promptly. Any member who has not paid his/her subscription by the 31st day of December following the Annual General Meeting shall, after review in the committee, be deemed to have terminated his/her membership of the Society.

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