

Midlands IBM Retirees Club - Committee Meeting – 12 February 2024

Present : John, Ray, Gary, Terry, Michael and Paul

The previous meeting minutes were approved and there were no matters arising.

Chairman's Report

Nothing to report

Treasurer's Report

End of January balance was unchanged at £3,269.41

Insurance is due for renewal at a premium of £100.80. Paul believes this can be covered by the IBM Clubs fund and is contacting Harvey about this.

Membership Report

No change in membership.

Technology Group

There is no meeting planned for February.

Charles Barnwell is preparing a presentation for March on automating his home central heating system.

Events for 2024

- February - E2402ETH - Lunch at The Emperors in Leamington Ray
Planned for Wednesday 21st Feb

- March - E2403THE - Theatre Trip - Spa Centre or Loft Theatre - Gary
Now cancelled due to poor email response

- April - E2404MIL - Charlecote Mill - lunch at Hampton Lucy pub - Paul
The tour will take around 2 hours and cost £10 per person
Planned for Wednesday 17 April

- May - E2405PPL - Pete's Place - £15 per car - 30 May. - Gary

- June - E2406CHE - Chedhams Yard then Pub Lunch - Gary
A personal guide lasting around 1.5 hours will cost £9.50 per person
and will include a coffee and cake. Planned for 18th June

- July - E2407LLA - Johnsons 2 day trip – Llandudno & Snowdon - Ray & John
13 to 15 July

- August - E2408AGM - Annual General Meeting - Monday 12 Aug. - John
To be held at Gaydon Village Hall
Buffet to be funded by club

September - E2409IRO - Ironbridge - 9 different attractions - Terry
October - E2410GLA. - Red House Glass Cone Heritage Centre - Paul
November - E2411JLR - Land Rover factory tour, Solihull - Ray
December - E2412XML - Christmas Lunch on 11 Dec 2024 - Gary

Newsletter

Potential items for February include:

Article on London Break. (Ray)

Article on lunch at The Emperor's (Ray)

Mention that Theatre trip cancelled?

Details for the April Charlecote Mill event? (Paul)

Details of the Technology Group March meeting. (John)

AOB - None

Next Committee Meetings - Monday 11 March at 10.30 am