

Minutes BMS meeting 1.9.22

1. **Welcome**: to attendees and ZOOMers by President Paul Handford. Thanks to Su Handford for the minutes of the last meeting. The meeting notes are in progress. Permissions for use in the meeting notes of powerpoint slides, photographs of material on display and for the ZOOM recording were obtained.
2. **Apologies**: received 7.
3. **Statistics**: members present 20, 1 guest and 4 ZOOMers.
4. **New Members**. None
5. **Research questions**: None.
6. **Committee points**:

BMS subscriptions are due. Please liaise with Treasurer Mark Platt with any payments or payment queries.

Our draft updated Constitution is nearing completion. One large outstanding topic remaining is 'ZOOM' and the BMS's use of 'ZOOM' in the future is to be discussed in October's committee meeting.

BMS Miniconvention date : Sunday 4.6.2023.

7. **Reflection on last meeting**: Mr President reflected on the quality and content of the August meeting 'The Order of the Garter' which was given by our new Patron Phil McDermott.
8. **Next BMS social ZOOM**: *No social ZOOM this month*. Next month, we plan a **collaboration with Cotswold OMRS for a ZOOM social on Sunday 16.10.22.**

9. **Tonight's meeting.** Mr President welcomed our speaker Mick Atkinson to deliver his talk 'Vive L'Empereur'.

10. **Next BMS meeting:** Thursday, 6.10.2022 Members' own and recent acquisitions.

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BMS Secretary.