



PATRONS

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Next Meeting 7.30pm Thursday 15th October

NEW VENUE

Duke of Cornwall Hotel Millbay Road Plymouth PL1 3LG

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Excellent bar snacks available but early ordering advised, parking nearby.

Speakers

Paul Davies and Tim Burr - The Shackleton Centenary Expedition 2014

Denis Wilkins - FIDS Reunion Voyage and Memorial Dedication, Port Stanley

Mike Tarver will present his just published biography of Surgeon Captain Edward Atkinson and will have autographed copies available at £25.

Diary Dates

Thursday October 8th Christies Auction, sale of some Shackleton medals (origin unclear but not from Hon Alexandra Shackleton).

Friday 23 –Monday 26 October 15th Shackleton International Autumn School, Athy, Ireland

Further details: <http://www.athyheritagecentre-museum.ie/>

Friday 30 October- Saturday 31 October South Georgia Association, Penguin City Meeting, Edinburgh

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Friday November 6th Dulwich College, James Caird Association AGM and dinner, with Seb Coulthard and Dr Jan Piggot.

Friday 27th November onwards Royal Geographical Society, 'The Enduring Eye' (the Antarctic legacy of Shackleton and Hurley). Curated by Meredith Hooper.

DATES FOR NEXT YEAR:

Thursday 24th March 2016 DCPS Meeting and AGM at DOC. Speaker TBA

Saturday 4th June 2016 Scott Dinner at DOC.

Friday 20th May 2016 Westminster Abbey, commemorative service to mark the centenary of the Endurance Expedition. Ticket availability to be advised.

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