

<u>Date</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Details</u>
12-Jan	THE SOUTH OF IRELAND TO THE END OF STEAM <i>DVD films of IRISH RAILWAYS</i>	Leslie McAllister Wally Stamper	POSTPONED UNTIL 8 JUNE - replaced by
26-Jan	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING followed by MEMBERS FAVOURITE PHOTOS		The first hour will be our usual AGM to bring you to date and your chance to air your views. The 2nd half will give you an opportunity to show 3 or 4 of your favourite photographs taken over the years. Details of how to enter them will be given in the newsletter.
09-Feb	MANCHESTER and SURROUNDING TRAMWAY SYSTEMS	Paul Kirkup	Paul, who gave us an online presentation on West Lancs tramways visits us to give another of his talks - This is an overview of tramways in and around Manchester over a 50 year period. It covers the city's circular routes, the various tram depots, the parcels service and where trams from 8 operators could be seen in the city centre at one time. It also covers the surrounding town tramways, Manchester's trolleybuses and the end of the tram system in 1949.
23-Feb	RAIL BLUE	Revd Alastair Wood	Alastair returns with another show, this time its Diesel and Electric beginning in the mid 60s with variations from 1976 with HST introduction and move into sectorisation in the eighties
09-Mar	YEARS OF SAYING CHEESE!	Jack Boskett	Jack celebrates his 10th year with a return to our club with his new show, its not just railways, but its something for everyone. He's sure you will enjoy it! and the show will include many of the usual creative train shots.
23-Mar	PULSATING POLAND POSTPONED replaced by EMERGENCY!	David Brace <small>Richard Coghlan</small>	The postponed presentation on the Societys trip to Poland in 2019 An excellent show mainly around the Midlands plus some in Ukraine and elsewhere
13-Apr	"I MOVED IT MY WAY" Part 2	Andrew Goodman	Andrew, Managing director of Moveright International returns to give more stories and anecdotes accompanied by slides of moving large loads over the last 30 years.
27-Apr	AN EVENING OF PERSONAL & COMMERCIAL CINE FILMS	Ian Clare	Pacific 231' which won the 1948 award for editing. Steam & diesel on the Bessemere and Erie Railroad. 'London to Brighton at 500mph'. 'Snow'.
11-May	PARIS SUBURBAN RAILWAY SYSTEM **19.30 start**	Mike Bunn	Mike, who gave a presentation in 2018 on French Narrow gauge railways returns to give us another one of his talks.
25-May	BEER BY RAIL 1830-1914	Dr David Turner	This presentation discusses the nature of beer traffic on the Victorian and Edwardian railway and examines the challenge from roads haulage just before WW1
08-Jun	THE SOUTH OF IRELAND TO THE END OF STEAM 1957-1963	Leslie McAllister	Leslie presents a selection of colour images taken by his friend, the late Lance King, Lance was a skilled photographer and left a fine record of steam in the Dublin area and on the fondly remembered branches such as Kenmare, Loughrea, Ballaghaderreen, Edenderry, Tullow, Clara, Banagher and Youghal. Steam & diesels in service on the Cork, Bandon & South coast railway feature, as does the memorable railtour with last 'Bandon' tank. Early days of silver and "black and tan" liveried diesels conclude the period."

22-Jun	RAILWAY ACCIDENTS	Mike Webber	The history of railway accidents from the earliest days up to the present, focusing on how investigations of the causes led to improvements & systems of working so that now one of the safest places on earth you can be, is seated in a British Railways carriage.
13-Jul	IN SEARCH OF BIG STEAM IN SPAIN 1963	Mike Swift	A subject not seen at our club as far as I can remember - 150 slides of Spanish Steam in 1963 and a few beyond that year!
27-Jul	DELIVERING THE ELIZABETH LINE	Richard Storer	The Community Relations Manager of Crossrail gives a talk on the construction, the problems encountered and any future plans.
10-Aug	"PULSATING POLAND"	David Brace	The thrice postponed presentation on the Societys trip to Poland in 2019 presented by David on behalf of Richard Green
24-Aug			
14-Sep			
28-Sep			
12-Oct	THE SOMERSET & DORSET JOINT RAILWAY	John Baxter	The story of both the Somerset Central and Dorset Central and their amalgamation into the Somerset & Dorset railway that ran until 1988 as a through line from Bath to Bournemouth. John tells of its history and how a small standard gauge section of the line is back in operation at Midsomer Norton.
26-Oct			
09-Nov	PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION		to be decided
23-Nov			
14-Dec	CHRISTMAS FILM		