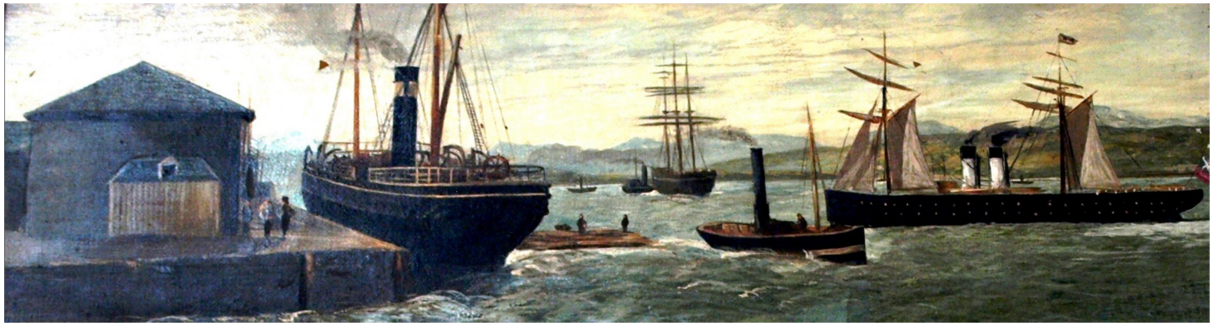




Chairman's September 2020 Newsletter - The Arts Society Bearsden & Milngavie

Dear Member

Thank you for renewing your Membership. We held a Committee Meeting on Monday 7th September and the figures were: 141 Renewals with hopefully a few more to come. This is most encouraging considering the current Covid situation and now shows our finances in good order for resumption of business. The AGM on Zoom ran smoothly with the committee and some brave members attending. Proxy voting worked well.

Our intention now is to hold ZOOM lectures starting in January 2021. (Unless there's a dramatic change in Government rules.) These Webinar lectures will be clearly reflected in the new syllabus which will be sent out along with your Membership Card shortly.

To give you a taster of how this works, Edinburgh Fine Arts Society have generously offered the facility to view their lectures on YouTube – these started on 8th September. We circulated this information on Mailchimp and further details can be found on our website.

Do continue to use our website <https://tasbam.org.uk> frequently to keep up-to-date. We shall of course continue to send out letters to those members who cannot access ZOOM or email.

This month our featured Committee Member is Jean Currie who has served our Society as our Treasurer for over six years.

Last but not least we wish Christine Hamilton all the best for the future. Christine has made considerable contributions as Programme Secretary to the successful management of our lecture series. Christine is happy to pass on her knowledge and experience. If you feel you could step into this role, or indeed any of the committee vacancies then do get in touch with myself or indeed any other member of the committee.

Keep well and positive.

Meg Macfarlane - Chairman