

Membership Secretary's Report 2015

Another busy and rewarding year for the membership department, the new improved Dropbox computer program has made such a difference processing membership renewals together with the "easi read" renewal forms, the result of which most members are now renewing by the year end.

Subscriptions by Standing order for UK members has been introduced. PayPal, particularly useful for our overseas members, should be available for next year. This has added security over the use of the credit card.

While other clubs have seen their membership decline, MTWC numbers have remained fairly consistent with previous years, subscription fees again have not been increased, representing good value for the members.

This department has seen changes, more efficient with added computerisation, keeping costs and wastage to a minimum, providing helpful service to the membership.

I am happy to continue serving the club as membership secretary.

	2014	2015	Lapsed	UK	59
UK Full	648	651		EU+	13
Assoc	117	104		ROW	17
2 nd /Fam	238	276			-----
Junior	23	24			89
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	1026	1055	New	Full/Assoc	70
				2nd/Fam	34
EU+ Full	122	114		Junior	6
Assoc	8	8		Rejoin	5
2 nd /Fam	24	23			-----
Junior	3	4			115
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	160	151			
ROW Full	127	127			
Assoc	10	11			
2nd/Fam	33	36			
Junior	0	0			
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	170	174			
Total Members	1356	1380			

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Membership Sec.