

Cafe Scientifique Henley 2013-14

Cafe Scientifique is an international programme sponsored originally by the Wellcome Trust designed to increase awareness of the latest scientific research in the community. There are now about 70 Cafes in the UK with the focus being on being informal and accessible to the community. Henley held its first meeting on 1st February 2012 and since then over 20 meetings have been held entertaining 75-80 attendees from amongst the 250 registered interested parties sent out each time. Many of the speakers have been local, including last month Michael Tristem who went to Gillotts and King James College, a real Henley boy! The recent subjects covered include Bubbles , History of Viruses, Meteorites, Stem Cells, And Body Clocks. Upcoming talks will cover the Gut, Ladybirds and Sunspots. We have been grateful for the use of the Henley Hockey Club clubhouse for our events , to the Town Council for its grant to help with start up costs and to Quintessa , a local company who have become an ideal sponsor.

David Dickie

Co Host