

RAILWAY PHILATELIC GROUP - Action in respect of Corona Virus Outbreak

The RPG Committee have extraordinarily decided on the following courses of action in light of the guidance and restrictions set down by Government.

2020 Annual Convention

The 2020 Annual Convention is cancelled. The 2021 Annual Convention will (circumstances permitting) be held at the (now cancelled) venue for the 2020 Convention.

2020 Annual General Meeting

The AGM due to be held at the 2020 Annual Convention will be postponed. If circumstances allow, the 2020 AGM will be rescheduled for later in the year. If this proves not to be possible, the 2020 AGM will be cancelled.

Election of Officers

Providing they are willing to continue in post, all Officers will be re-elected as if they had been elected at the 2020 AGM.

Minutes of 2019 AGM & Officers' Reports for 2019/20

The minutes of the 2019 AGM and Officers' reports for the year 2019/20 will be posted on the RPG web site. Any RPG member may request a copies of these by post.

Further broadcasting of information on this topic

The above information will be updated and included in the Newsletter which will accompany the Summer edition of *Railway Philately* magazine.

The RPG will remain 'open for business'

The Railway Philatelic Group is very definitely still 'open for business'.

- Please continue to send queries via the Contact Us page on the RPG web site.
- Please continue to send queries and articles for *Railway Philately* to Keith Downing, the Editor of *Railway Philately* (address and email to be found in *Railway Philately*). Anything for inclusion in the June issue should reach him by the end of April 2020.
- Please send any other queries to Roy Hardiman, the RPG Secretary (address and email to be found in *Railway Philately*).
- It is expected that the RPG Summer 2020 Postal Auction will proceed as normal.
- The Exchange Packet will also continue as normal.
- Don't forget that members with similar interests can discuss their shared interest with other members by using the contact details in the *List of Members Interests* (which was copied to all members)

In the meantime, we advise all members to follow official advice and protect themselves and others as best they can.

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