

## **THE ASTRONOMER ANNUAL MEETING 2010**

This year's annual meeting of The Astronomer will take place on Saturday 2010 October 23 in Wakefield. The venue is The Quaker Friends Meeting House on Thornhill Street, Wakefield, WF1 1NQ. Doors open and coffee is served at 10.30am and the proceedings start at 11.00am.

Melvyn Taylor and Len Entwisle are acting as local organisers

A provisional list of speakers with brief content but not final titles include:

***Big Scopes (Bill Ward (Glasgow University))***

***Dwarf Novae from the Hamburg Quasar Survey: (Gary Poyner)***

***Supermassive Black Holes and the Growth of Galaxies: Dr.Ryan Hickox (Durham University)***

***Digital Imaging (David Ratledge)***

***Nova Herculis 1991 (Denis Buczynski)***

***Amateur Meteor Astronomy (Len Entwisle)***

***ESA Herschel (Mark Kidger)***

***Guy Hurst (TA annual report)***

The meeting is open to both subscribers and also to non-subscribers. A booking form can be printed using this ***link***.

The admission cost for bookings received by September 15 is £8.50 and £9.50 thereafter. There are plenty of nearby establishments serving food during the lunchtime break.

We also welcome material for our exhibition but please give details of content and size on the reverse of your booking form.